# $42^{\text {nd }}$ Konstanz Seminar on Monetary Theory and Monetary Policy 

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## Program

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Wednesday, June $\mathbf{8}^{\text {th }}$

Morning Session:
Chairman:
Papers:

Coffeebreak

Discussants:

Lunch:
12:15-13:30

Afternoon Session:
Chairman:
Papers:

Coffeebreak
14:45-15:15

Christopher Waller, Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis
Quantifying the Shadow Economy: Measurement with Theory.

Thomas Laubach, Goethe University Frankfurt
Fiscal Policy, Default Risk, and Euro Area Sovereign Bond Spreads.

Discussants: Casper de Vries, Erasmus School of Economics
Stefan Niemann, University of Essex
Kerstin Bernoth, DIW Berlin

Dinner:
19:00

Thursday, June $9^{\text {th }}$
Morning Session: $\quad$ 9:00-12:00

Chairman: Mike Wickens
Papers:
David Andolfatto, Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis
Undue Diligence.

Coffeebreak 10:15-10:45

Zeno Enders, University of Bonn
On the Existence and Prevention of Speculative Bubbles.
Discussants: Leonardo Gambacorta, Bank for International Settlements
Bernhard Herz, University of Bayreuth

## Lunch:

12:15-13:30

Policy Session:
Chairman:
Speaker:
Comments:

17:00-18:00
Robert Rasche
Ignazio Visco, Deputy Director General, Bank of Italy

19:00
Departure by boat to the Conference Dinner at the Hotel Waaghaus (Gottlieben, CH)
Passport required

## Friday, June 10 ${ }^{\text {th }}$

| Morning Session: | 9:30-12:30 |
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| Chairman: | Christopher Waller (requested) |
| Papers: | Michael Evers, University of Bonn <br> Solving Nonlinear Rational Expectations Models by Approximating <br> the Stochastic Equilibrium System. |
|  | Philipp Engler, FU Berlin <br> Monetary Policy and Unemployment in Open Economies. |
|  | Michael Wickens, Cardiff University <br> Discussants: |
|  | Gernot Müller, University of Bonn |

Adjourn: ..... 12:30

