



1st Economic Policy: Papers on European and Global Issues Conference

4 - 5 December 2025, Paris

PROGRAMME: Special issue on 'What is next for Ukraine?'

Thursday 4th December

13:00 13:30 Registration and refreshments

13:30 13:45 Opening remarks

Şebnem Kalemli-Özcan (Managing Editor of Economic Policy: Papers on European and Global Issues), Simeon Djankov (London School of Economics and PIIE) and Yuriy Gorodnichenko (University of California, Berkeley)

13:45 15:15 High level Policy Panel

Chair: Beatrice Weder de Mauro (CEPR, Hoffmann Centre for Global Sustainability and Geneva Graduate Institute)

Sergei Guriev (London Business School and CEPR)
Linda Goldberg (Federal Reserve Bank of New York and CEPR)
Catherine Mann (Brandeis University and Bank of England)

15:15 16:45 Sanctions and Financial Repression in the Currency Market

Oleg Itskhoki (Harvard University)
Dmitry Mukhin (London School of Economics)

Discussants: Fabrizio Perri (Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis), and Alberto Martin (CREI, UPF, and BSE)

16:45 17:15 Coffee break

17:15 18:45 A Wartime Labor Market: The Case of Ukraine

Tito Boeri (Bocconi University)
Giacomo Anastasia (Columbia University)
Oleksandr Zholud (National Bank of Ukraine)

Discussants: Elina Ribokova (PIIE, Bruegel and Kyiv School of Economics), and Alessandra Fogli (Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis)

19:15 End of the meeting

Friday 5th December

09:00 10:30 You Only Live Twice: Financial Inflows and Growth in a Westward Facing Ukraine

Maurice Obstfeld (PIIE and University of California, Berkeley)
Yuriy Gorodnichenko (University of California, Berkeley)

Discussants: Giancarlo Corsetti (EUI and CEPR) and Charles Wyplosz (Geneva Graduate Institute and CEPR)

10:30 12:00 Rebuilding Ukraine's Cities: Maximizing Benefits and Minimizing Costs

Edward Glaeser (Harvard University)
Martina Kirchberger (Trinity College Dublin and CEPR)
Andrii Parkhomenko (University of Southern California)

Discussants: Ufuk Akcigit (University of Chicago and CEPR), and
Matthew A. Turner (Brown University)

12:00 End of the meeting

Conference Organisers

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Guest Editors, Simeon Djankov (London School of Economics and PIIE) and Yuriy
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