

Workshop on the Economics of Children

in conjunction with the 2023 CES Munich Lectures in Economics

Munich, 23–24 November 2023

Program

Presenting authors are denoted in capital letters

Timing: Long presentation: 45 min. presentation + 15 min. discussion

Egg-timer presentations: 12 min. including discussion

Thursday, 23 November 2023

Session 1

(Long Presentations)

- 9:00 – 10:00 **Generational Persistence in the Effects of an Early Childhood Health Intervention**
SARA ABRAHAMSSON (Norwegian Institute of Public Health), Aline Bütikofer,
Katrine Løken, Marianne Page
- 10:00 – 11:00 **Early Child Care, Maternal Labor Supply, and Gender Equality: A Randomized
Controlled Trial**
HENNING HERMES (ifo Institute), Marina Krauß, Philipp Lergetporer, Peter Frauke,
Simon Wiederhold
- 11:00 – 11:30 Coffee Break

Session 2

(Egg-timer presentations)

- 11:30 – 12:42 **Early childhood health inequalities and in-utero health interventions: Evidence
from the treatment of gestational diabetes**
GABRIELLA CONTI (UCL London)
- 11:42 – 11:54 **The Oral Contraceptive Pill and Adolescents' Mental Health**
ANA COSTA-RAMON (University of Zurich)
- 11:54 – 12:06 **Child Health, Poverty and Inequality: Heterogeneity within Germany**
MARIA HOFBAUER PEREZ (LMU Munich), Joachim Winter, Amelie Wuppermann,
Peter Redler
- 12:06 – 12:18 **Doctor Who? The Effect of Physician-Patient Match on the SES-Health Gradient**
IDA LYKKE KRISTIANSEN (University of Copenhagen), Sophie Yanying Sheng

12:18 – 12:30 **How well do you know your child? Evidence from parent- and child-reported measures of mental health**
GIORGIA MENTA (Luxembourg Institute of Socio-Economic Research), Eugenio Proto

12:30 – 13:30 Lunch

Session 3

(Long Presentations)

13:30 – 14:30 **Early childhood education attendance and students' later outcomes in Europe**
SARAH GRACE SEE (University of Groningen), Daniela Del Boca, Chiara Monfardini

14:30- 15:30 **The Right Timing Matters: Sensitive Periods in the Formation of Socio-Emotional Skills**
HANNAH SCHILDBERG-HÖRISCH (University of Bonn), Laura Breitkopf, Shyamal Chowdhury, Daniel Kamhöfer, Matthias Sutter

15:30 – 16:00 Coffee Break

Session 4

(Long Presentations)

16:00 – 17:00 **First generation elite: the role of school networks**
SARAH CATTAN (Institute for Fiscal Studies); Kjell Salvanes, Emma Tominey

17:00 – 18:00 **An Evaluation of the Alief Independent School District Jump Start Program: Using a Model to Recover Recover Mechanisms from an RCT**
ANDREA SALVATI (University College London), Flavio Cunha

19:30 Conference Dinner

Friday, 24 November 2023

Session 5

(Long Presentations)

9:00 – 10:00 **The Effect of Child Endowment on Fertility Choices**
VICTOR LAVY (University of Warwick), Yeshaya Nussbaum

10:00 – 11:00 **Pregnancy as a period of change for household nutrition**
MELANIE LÜHRMANN (Royal Holloway, University of London), Britta Augsburg,
Gabriella Conti, Paula Spinola, Stephanie von Hinke

11:00 – 11:30 Coffee Break

Session 6

(Egg-timer Presentations)

11:30 – 11:42 **Lifetime consequences of lost instructional time in the classroom: Evidence from shortened school years**
KAMILA CYGAN-REHM (LifBi Bamberg)

11:42 – 11:54 **School starting age, sibling spillovers, and the academic performance of second-generation migrants**
ANNA HASSELQVIST (ifo Institute)

11:54 – 12:06 **The long-run impacts of the first kindergartens and day nurseries for poor children in early 20th-century New York**
VICTOR MALEIN (Lund University), Philipp Ager

12:06 – 12:18 **Maternal employment and long-term subjective well-being of children: Evidence from a parental leave reform**
LARISSA ZIEROW (Reutlingen University), Katharina Heisig

12:18 – 12:30 **The curse of bad geography: Unsafe water and children's development**
STEVE BERGGREEN (Lund University), Linn Mattisson

12:30 – 13:30 Lunch

Session 7

(Long Presentations)

13:30 – 14:30 **Long-term Impacts of Universal Pediatric Preventive Health Programs: Evidence from China**
MEIPING SUN (Fordham University), Yuhan Cao, Yinhe Liang, Xiaobo Peng

14:30 – 15:30 **Universal Investments in Toddler Health: Learning from a Large Government Trial**
MIRIAM WÜST (University of Copenhagen), Jennifer L. Baker, Lise G. Bjerregaard,
Christian M. Dahl, Torben SD Johansen

End of Conference