

# Presentations and Discussions

## *LIS/LWS Users Conference 2017*

27-28 of April, Belval Campus, Luxembourg

### Session 1

1. “[\*More Necessary and Less Sufficient: An Age-Period-Cohort Approach to Overeducation in Comparative Perspective\*](#)”, presentation by **Eyal Bar-Haim**, & **Anne Hartung** (University of Luxembourg)  
[discussion](#) by: **Daniele Checchi** (University of Milano & LIS)
2. “[\*The Specificity of Human Capital Investment under Agent Heterogeneity and Market Frictions; Theory and Empirics\*](#)”, presentation by **Tomáš Jagelka** (Ecole Polytechnique – CREST, University Paris-Saclay, France)  
[discussion](#) by: **Filippo Gregorini** (EUROSTAT)

### Session 2

1. “[\*How Does the Tax and Benefit Structure of the Welfare State Shape Popular Support for Redistribution?\*](#)”, presentation by **Young-Hwan Byun** (Swedish Institute for Social Research (SOFI), Stockholm University, Sweden)  
[discussion](#) by: **Pierre Picard** (University of Luxembourg)
2. “[\*Estimating market and disposable top income shares with national accounts data\*](#)” presentation by **Thomas Goda** (EAFIT University, Colombia)  
[discussion](#) by: **Charles-Henry Dimaria** (National Institute of Statistics and Economic Studies, STATEC)

### Session 3

1. “[\*Fiscal Redistribution in Comparative Perspective: Recent Evidence from the Luxembourg Income Study \(LIS\) Database\*](#)”, presentation by **David Jesuit** (Central Michigan University, US)  
discussion by: **Steven Pressman** (Colorado State University, US)
2. “[\*Four levers of redistribution: The impact of tax and transfer systems on inequality reduction\*](#)”, presentation by **Elvire Guillaud** (University Paris1 Pantheon-Sorbonne)  
[discussion](#) by: **Denisa Sologon** (Luxembourg Institute of Socio-Economic Research, LISER)

## Session 4

1. “[\*Defining and Measuring the Middle Class\*](#)”, presentation by **Steven Pressman** (Colorado State University, US)  
[discussion](#) by: **Anne Hartung** (University of Luxembourg)
2. “[\*The Middle Classes in Western Europe: in large majorities, but shrinking in most places\*](#)”, presentation by **Rakesh Kochhar** (Pew Research Center, US)  
[discussion](#) by: **Giuseppe Pulina** (Banque Centrale du Luxembourg, BCL)

## Session 5

1. “[\*Regional inequality in decentralized countries: a multi-country analysis using LIS\*](#)”, presentation by **Javier Martín-Román** (Fundación UNED, Spain)  
[discussion](#) by: **David Jesuit** (Central Michigan University, US)
2. “[\*Applying Augmented Survey Data to Produce More Accurate, Precise, and Internationally Comparable Estimates of Poverty within the 50 United States\*](#)”, presentation by **Zach Parolin** (Herman Deleeck Centre for Social Policy, University of Antwerp, Belgium)  
[discussion](#) by: **Steven Pressman** (Colorado State University, US)

## Session 6

1. “[\*The inequality we want: How much is too much?\*](#)”, presentation by **Alice Krozer** (Cambridge University, UK)  
[discussion](#) by: **Philippe van Kerm** (University of Luxembourg & LISER)
2. “[\*Comparing the size of the middle class using the alienation component of polarization\*](#)”, presentation by **André-Marie Taptué** (Laval University, Canada)  
[discussion](#) by: **Conchita D’Ambrosio** (University of Luxembourg)
3. “[\*Intra-household Gender Inequality and Economic Development: Evidence from Global Data, 1973-2013\*](#)”, presentation by **Deepak Malghan** (Indian Institute of Management, Bangalore, India)  
[discussion](#) by: **Rense Nieuwenhuis** (SOFI, Stockholm University, Sweden)

## Session 7

1. “[\*Family Policies, Women’s Earnings, and Relative Inequality Among Households: Trends in 18 OECD Countries from 1981 to 2008\*](#)”, presentation by **Rense Nieuwenhuis** (SOFI, Stockholm University, Sweden)  
[discussion](#) by: **Hema Swaminathan** (Indian Institute of Management, Bangalore, India)
2. “[\*Who is Eager to Save for Retirement – The Cross-Country Evidence\*](#)”, presentation by **Walid Merouani** (Centre de Recherche en Economie et Management (CREM-CNRS), France)  
[discussion](#) by: **Christos Koulovatianos** (University of Luxembourg)