



SCHOOL OF ECONOMICS AND MANAGEMENT

Annual Conference Swedish Network for European Studies in Economics and Business 2024

May 24-25
Elite Hotel Ideon, Lund, Sweden



Keynote Speakers

Brad Setser
Council on Foreign Relations

Henrik Horn
Research Institute of Industrial Economics (IFN)

Program

May 24

08.30 – 08.50 Registration and coffee
08.50 – 09.00 Bengt Söderlund (Lund University)
Welcome address

Session 1

09.00 – 09.30 Björn Thor Arnarson (University of Copenhagen)
Knowledge Spillovers from Cross-Border Commuters: Evidence from a Natural Experiment

09.30 – 10.00 Zouheir El-Sahli (Frederick University)
Local Import Competition and Firm-Level Emissions

10.00 – 10.30 Lars Nilsson (European Commission, DG Trade)
Trade Integration Beyond the AfCFTA: Options and Outcomes

10.30 – 11.00 Coffee

Keynote 1

11.00 – 12.00 Henrik Horn (Research Institute of Industrial Economics, IFN)
Investment Treaties from an Economic Perspective

Lunch

12.00 – 13.15

Session 2

13.15 – 13.45 Olga Lark (VTI)
Import Competition and Firm Innovation: A Spatial Approach Using Swedish Manufacturing Data

13.45 – 14.15 Maria Persson (Lund University)
The Cost of Non-Integration

14.15 – 14.45 Pär Hansson (Tillväxtanalys and Örebro University)
Regional location of business sector research and development

14.45 – 15.15 Coffee

Session 3

15.15 – 15.45 Patrik Karpaty (National Board of Trade and Örebro University)
Digitalization and Internationalization in Times of Crisis: Evidence from Swedish Firms

15.45 – 16.15 Johan Gars (Beijer Institute)
The Price Cap on Russian Oil: A Quantitative Analysis

16.15 – 16.45 Nam Vu (Miami University)
The Real Effects of Brexit on Labor Demand: Evidence from Firm-Level Data

Dinner

18.00 Restaurant NorthEast at Elite Hotel Ideon

May 25

08.30 – 09.00 Coffee

Session 4

09.00 – 09.30 Daniele Siena (Politecnico di Milano)
Global Value Chains and the Phillips Curve

09.30 – 10.00 Christian Soegaard (University of Warwick)
The Effects of Sanctions and the Lifting Thereof on Trade in the Short and Long Run

10.00 – 10.15 Coffee

Keynote 2

10.15 – 11.15 Brad Setser (Council on Foreign Relations)
Globalization and Geopolitical Rivalry

Session 5

11.15 – 11.45 Josefin Videnord (Tillväxtanalys)
Diversification, Stockpiling or Friend-Shoring? Firm-Level Evidence from the Swedish Industry

11.45 – 12.15 Håkan Nordström (Tillväxtanalys)
Managing the Supply Risks for Critical Raw Materials: A Case Study of the Swedish Industry

Lunch

12.15 – 13.15

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