

Agenda of the ICTNET 2nd Workshop

ICT, Intangibles and Innovation

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Monday, 11 April 2011 - Focus on ICT R&D and Intangibles - [issue paper](#)

11:30	Registration
11:45	Welcome: Jonathan Haskel (Professor of Economics, Imperial College, London) and Vincenzo Spiezia (OECD, ICTNET Coordinator)
12:00-13:00	Keynote speech: Nicholas Crafts, University of Warwick, UK Presentation
13:00-14:00	Lunch Break
Session I -	
14:00-15:30	Contributed papers Ram Acharya* (Industry Canada), and Susanto Basu (Boston College and NBER) ICT and Total Factor Productivity Growth: Intangible Capital or Productive Externalities? Paper Presentation Mary O'Mahony*, Fei Peng* (University of Birmingham) Workforce Training, Intangible Investments and Productivity in Europe: Evidence from EU KLEMS and the EU LFS Paper Presentation Discussant: Jonathan Haskel (Imperial College, UK) Presentation
Session II -	
15:30-17:00	Contributed papers Jimmy Lopez* (Banque de France and Université de la Méditerranée - GREQAM) and Jacques Mairesse* (CREST ENSAE, Paris) The Influence of Investment in ICT and R&D on Productivity: Empirical Analysis on Country Panel Data Paper Presentation Cecilia Jona-Lasinio* (Italian National Institute of Statistics - ISTAT, and LUISS, Italy), Massimiliano Iommi (ISTAT), Stefano Manzocchi (LUISS) Intangible capital and Productivity Growth in European Countries Paper Presentation Discussant: Nadim Ahmad, (OECD)
17:00-17:15	Coffee Break
Session III -	
17:15-18:45	Contributed papers Rebecca Riley (NIESR, London, and Centre for Learning and Life Chances in Knowledge Economies and Societies, Institute of Education) and Catherine Robinson* (NIESR, London, WISERD and School of Business and Economics, Swansea University) Agglomeration Effects and Localised Spillovers from Intangible Capital: An Analysis of UK City Regions Paper Presentation Fabio Landini* (University of Siena), Alessandro Arrighetti and Andrea Lasagni (University of Parma), The Determinants of Intangible Assets in Manufacturing Firms: Evidence from Italy Paper Presentation Discussant: Hannu Piekkola, (UNIVAASA, Finland) Presentation
19:00-20:00	Conference Dinner (same venue of the conference)

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Session IV -	
9:15-10:45	Contributed papers Michael Polder* (Statistics Netherlands), Fardad Zand* (Delft University of Technology, The Netherlands) <i>Information Technologies and Modes of Innovation: complementarities and productivity effects</i> Paper1 Paper2 Presentation Arthur Grimes (Motu Economic & Public Policy Research and University of Waikato, New Zealand), Cleo Ren (Motu Economic & Public Policy Research, New Zealand) and Philip Stevens* (Ministry of Economic Development, Government of New Zealand & NIESR, London) <i>The Need for Speed: Impacts of Internet Connectivity on Firm Productivity</i> Paper Presentation Discussant: Vincenzo Spiezia (OECD) Presentation
10:45-11:00	Coffee Break
11:00-12:00	Keynote speech: John Van Reenen, LSE, UK “Inequality and ICT 21st Century Evidence” Presentation
12:00-13:00	Lunch Break
Session V -	
13:00-14:15	Contributed papers Irene Bertschek*, Daniel Cerquera and Gordon J. Klein (ZEW Mannheim) <i>More bits - more bucks? Measuring the Impact of Broadband Internet on Firm Performance</i> Paper Presentation Hans-Olof Hagén* (Statistics Sweden) and Markus Lagerquist (Stockholm University) <i>ICT-use, organization, innovation and productivity</i> Paper Presentation Discussant: Michela Vecchi (Middlesex University Business School, London, UK and NIESR, London, UK) Presentation
14:15-14:30	Coffee Break
Session VI -	
14:30-15:45	Contributed papers Jessica Todhunter and Ruel Abello* (ABS, Analytical Services Branch) <i>Business Innovation and the use of Information and Communications Technology</i> Paper Presentation Giuditta De Prato and Daniel Nepelski*, (European Commission, JRC Institute for Prospective Technological Studies) <i>The global ICT R&D network</i> Paper Presentation Discussant: Valeria Mastrostefano (ISTAT, Italy)
15:45-16:15	Jonathan Haskel and Vincenzo Spiezia: Summary and closing remarks

The asterisk “*” indicates the presenting author.

[List of Participants](#)