



The 19th meeting of the Asia Pacific Trade Seminars
APTS 2024 Program
 June 29-30, 2024
 Chaloom Rajakumari 60 Building (better known as Chamchuri 10 Building)
 Chulalongkorn University

June 29

9:00-9:30	Registration: Lobby Area, Room 701, Chamchuri 10 Building, Chulalongkorn University		
9:30-9:40	Opening remarks: Taiji Furusawa (University of Tokyo) and Nopphol Witvorapong (Chulalongkorn University) Room 701		
9:40-9:50	Break		
	Room 701	Room 702	Room 803
9:50-10:50	Hyejoon Im (Yeungnam University) Who Pays Shipping? Theory and Evidence on International Delivery Terms	Haishi Li (Hong Kong University) Gustavo de Souza (Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago) Robots, Tools, and Jobs: Evidence from Brazilian Labor Markets	Zhongzhong Hu (UIBE) Xin Chen (UIBE) Uncertainty and Exporter's Response to Antidumping Investigation
	Chang Sun (University of Hong Kong) Taiji Furusawa (University of Tokyo) Heiwai Tang (University of Hong Kong) Jiaxu Zhang (University of Hong Kong) Communication Costs, Direct Flights and International Trade	Onur Koska (University of Canterbury) John Gilbert (Utah State University) Reza Oladi (Utah State University) Tariffs, Taxes and Wages in the Age of Artificial Intelligence	Kai Li (Xiamen University) Xianmeng Chen (Xiamen University) Yongbing Chen (Xiamen University) Zhe Chen (UIBE) Strategic Carry-along Trade
10:50-11:10	Coffee break		
11:10-12:10	Jie Liu (Korea University) Sung Jin Kang (Korea University) Determinants of Trade in Semiconductor GVCs: A Gravity Model Based on Network Analysis	Haris Munandar (Central Bank of Indonesia) Heterogeneous Agents, Human Capital Formation and International Income Inequality	Tomohiro Ara (Fukushima University) Arghya Ghosh (University of New South Wales) Hodaka Morita (Hitotsubashi University) Hiroshi Mukunoki (Gakushuin University) Partial Equity Ownership in International Trade
	Chenying Yang (Singapore Management University) Keith Head (University of British Columbia) Thierry Mayer (Sciences Po) Marc Melitz (Harvard University) Industrial Policies for Multi-stage Production: The Battle of Battery-powered Vehicles	John Gilbert (Utah State University) Onur Koska (University of Canterbury) Reza Oladi (Utah State University) International Trade, Technical Progress, and Wage Differentials with Imperfect Factor Mobility	Jackie M. L. Chan (Aarhus University) Michael Irlacher (JKU Linz) Michael Koch (Aarhus University) Multiproduct Firms, Horizontal Mergers, and International Trade
12:10-13:30	Lunch break		
13:30-15:00	Jota Ishikawa (Gakushuin University) Toshihiro Okubo (Keio University) Cross-border Technology Licensing with R&D Opportunity and Government Intervention	Donghyun Kim (Yonsei University) Jung Hur (Sogang University) Jiansuo Pei (Renmin University of China) Green Transformation and Environmental Kuznets Curve: Theory and Evidence from Chinese Multiproduct Exporters	
	Ku-Chu Tsao (Tunghai University) Foreign Ownership, Technology Transfer, and Anti-Competition	Haitao Cheng (Hitotsubashi University) Jota Ishikawa (Gakushuin University) Carbon Tax and Border Tax Adjustments with Technology and Location Choices	Jiancong Liu (Bocconi University) Yumeng Ao (Peking University) Distributional and Welfare Effects of Trade Facilitation: Evidence from China
		Hirofumi Okoshi (Okayama University) Keisaku Higashida (Kansei Gakuin University) Together or Apart? Eco-friendly Location under Fiscal Competition	Yan Ma (Kobe University) Hiroshi Goto (Chiba University of Commerce) Nobuyuki Takeuchi (U. of Marketing and Dist. Sciences) Offshoring and the Distribution of Skills
15:00-15:20	Coffee break		
15:20-16:20	Kexin Wu (Southeast University) Bin Qiu (Southeast University) Yuwei Yi (Southeast University) Shaoqin Sun (Nanjing U. of Info Science & Technology) How Global Value Chains Status Affects Carbon Emissions: Evidence from China	Tadashi Morita (Kindai University) Juan Carlos Lopez (University of Denver) Public Good Provision and Progressive Income Taxation in a Spatial Economy	Omer Gokcekus (Seton Hall University) Analyzing the Impact of Corruption on Champagne Imports: An Augmented Gravity Model Approach
	Alan Woodland (University of New South Wales) Christos Kotsogiannis (University of Exeter) Climate Change, Strict Pareto Improvements in Welfare and Multilateral Financial Transfers	German Pupato (Toronto Metropolitan University) Busra Ariduru (Toronto Metropolitan University) Spatial Trade with Transportation Markets	Cong Pham (Deakin University) What Drives Global Arms Trade and Military Spending?
16:20-16:40	Coffee break		
	Room 701		
16:40-17:30	Plenary session 1: Chair: Jota Ishikawa (Gakushuin University) Pao-Li Chang (Singapore Management University) Ryo Makioka (Hokkaido University) Bo Lin Ng (Singapore Management University) Zhenlin Yang (Singapore Management University) Estimating Firm-Level Production Functions with Spatial Dependence		

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9:30-11:00	Naoto Jinji (Kyoto University) Shunya Ozawa (University of Tokyo) Impact of Technological Decoupling between the United States and China on Trade and Welfare	Thomas Rowley (ESSEC Business School) Domestic vs Foreign Superstars: Comparative Advantage, Pro-competitive Effects, and Productivity Spillovers	Anil Gogebakan (University of Calgary) Revisiting Trade and Income in the New Era of Globalization-Distance, Big Boats, and Natural Barriers to Trade
	Hyojin Kwak (Sogang University) Jung Hur (Sogang University) China Import Shock and Smoothing Out Effect Within Multi-Region Firms	Mi Dai (Beijing Normal University) Kiyoyasu Tanaka (IDE-JETRO) Origin of Goods and Unequal Consumer Gains from Trade Liberalization	Aksel Erbahar (Erasmus University) Chad Bown (Peterson Institute) Paola Conconi (Oxford University) Lorenzo Trimarchi (Universite de Namur) Politically Motivated Trade Protection
		Lourenco Paz (Baylor University) Bruno Cesar Araujo (IPEA) Exporter's Gender Wage Gap: Do Destinations Matter?	Hiroshi Mukunoki (Gakushuin University) Hirofumi Okoshi (Okayama University) Keep Your Friends Close and Your Enemies Closer: Network Externality and Tax Competition
11:00-11:20	Coffee break		
11:20-12:20	Yunlong Song (Singapore Management University) Lin Ma (Singapore Management University) The General Equilibrium Impacts of FDI	Hanming Jiang (Jiangxi Finance and Economic University) Lex Zhao (Kobe University) Organizing the Domestic Value Chain: The Role of a Bias in Industrial Policy	Yasuhiro Takarada (Nanzan University) Yasushi Kawabata (Nagoya City University) Multilateral versus Regional Mutual Recognition
	Julan Du (Chinese University of Hong Kong) Jing Bu (Chinese University of Hong Kong) Yifei Zhang (University of Hong Kong) Host-State-Friendly BIT Reforms and Foreign Direct Investment	Shunya Ozawa (University of Tokyo) The Effect of Trade Liberalization on Multinational Production	Gerald Willmann (Bielefeld University) Lasha Chochua (IfW Kiel)J James Lake (University of Tennessee) Can Plurilaterals Save Global Free Trade
12:20-13:40	Lunch break		
13:40-14:40	Hayato Kato (Osaka University) Kensuke Suzuki (Clark University) Motoaki Takahashi (University of Mainz) Structural Change in the Global Economy	Xiaopeng Yin (UIBE) Yin He (UIBE) Sugata Marjit (Indian Institute of Foreign Trade) Lei Yang (Hong Kong Polytechnic University) The Pattern of Virtual International Trade	
	Akihiko Yanase (Nagoya University) Kenichi Kurita (Kyushu University) Masafumi Tsuboku (Senshu University) Industrial Location in the Presence of Competition Among the Big and the Small	Yong Yoon (Chulalongkorn University) Witada Anukoonwattaka (ESCAP) Ad-valorem Equivalent Estimates of Digital-trade Regulatory Measures	
14:40-15:00	Coffee break		
15:00-16:00	Yong Tan (Nanjing University of Finance and Economics) Qing Shi (Shanghai University) Siyuan Xuan (Nanjing University) Robots Operational Flexibility, and Firm-Level Inefficiency	Qizhong Yang (Toyo University) Tomohiko Inui (Gakushuin University) Ayako Obashi (Keio University) Impact of Border Rejection Experience on Export Performance: Firm-level Evidence from China	Loretta Fung (National Tsing Hua University) Wanyu Chung (University of Birmingham) Robert Elliot (University of Birmingham) Jin-Tan Liu (National Taiwan University) Chun-Yen Wu (Chung-Hua Institute for Economic Research) Do Competitors' Exchange Rates Affect Export Pricing?
	Sanjana Goswami (National University of Singapore) Tong Liu (National University of Singapore) Automation and Employment in Chinese Firms	Takafumi Kawakubo (University of Tokyo) Takafumi Suzuki (Aichi Shukutoku University) Markups and Supply Chains	
16:00-16:20	Coffee break		
	Room 701		
16:20-17:10	Plenary session 2: Chair: Alan Woodland (University of New South Wales) Martin Richardson (Australian National University) Frank Stähler (University of Tübingen) Halis Murat Yildiz (Metropolitan University of Toronto) On the Optimal Design of a Carbon Border Adjustment Mechanism		
17:10-17:20	Closing remark: Kenzo Abe (Chuo University)		