

# 7th French Econometrics Conference

*Orleans, December 3-4, 2015*

## Conference venue

Université d'Orléans  
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## THURSDAY, DECEMBER 3, 2015

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8:30-9:00 Welcome Coffee

**Session I: Chairman: Sébastien Laurent** (IAE Aix-Marseille, GREQAM)

9:00-9:45 **Keynote Speaker: “A Diagnostic Criterion for Approximate Factor Structure”**

**Olivier Scaillet** (University of Genève and Swiss Finance Institute) Patrick Gagliardini (University of Lugano) and Elisa Ossola (University of Lugano)

9:45-10:45 **“Simple Moment-Based Tests for Value-at-Risk Models and Discrete Distributions”**

**Christian Bontemps** (TSE, ENAC)

**“Unbalanced Fractional Cointegration and the Information Flowing on Commodity Markets”**

**Gilles de Truchis** (Université Paris Ouest, EconomiX) and Florent Dubois (AMSE, GREQAM)

10:45-11:00 Coffee Break

**Session II Chairman: Jean-Michel Zakoian** (CREST)

11:00-12:00 **“Mean Reversion and Stationarity: A New Perspective from the Asymptotics of Diffusion Models”**

**Jihyun Kim** (TSE) and Joon Park (Indiana University)

**“Identification of Mixed Causal-Noncausal Models: How Fat Should We Go?”**

**Alain Hecq** (Maastricht University), Sean Telg (Maastricht University) and Lenard Lieb (Maastricht University)

12:00-13:30 Lunch

**Session III Chairman: Christian Francq** (CREST, Université Lille 3)

13:30-14:15 **Keynote Speaker: “Realized Factor GARCH”**

**Peter-Reinhard Hansen** (European University Institute) and Asger Lunde (Aarhus University)

14:15-15:15 **“Exchange Rate Volatility Forecasting: a Multivariate Realized-GARCH Approach”**

**Elena Dumitrescu** (Université Paris Ouest, EconomiX), Peter-Reinhard Hansen (European University Institute) and Janine Balter (Saarland University)

**“Statistical Inference in Semiparametric Locally Stationary ARCH Models”**  
**Lionel Truquet** (CREST-ENSAI)

15:15-16:15 Coffee Break and Poster Session

- **“A Bayesian Look at American Academic Wages. The Case of Michigan State University”**, **Majda Benzidia** (AMSE, GREQAM)
- **“Contagions ou Interdépendances des Principaux Indices Européens? Les Enseignements d'un Modèle Chaos-Stochastique”**, **Rachida Hennani** (Université de Montpellier, LAMETA)
- **“A Fundamental Bond Index Including Solvency Criteria”**, **Lauren Stagnol** (Université Paris Ouest, EconomiX).
- **“IMF Programs and Sensitivity to External Shocks: a Bayesian VAR Approach”**, **Mirela Miescu** (Queen Mary, University of London)
- **“The Bayesian Estimation, Analysis and Regression (BEAR) Toolbox”**, **Romain Legrand** (European Central Bank)
- **“Inferring Volatility Dynamics and Risk Premia from the S&P 500 and VIX Markets”**, **Elise Gourier** (Queen Mary, University of London)

#### **Session IV Chairman: Nour Meddahi (TSE)**

- 16:15-17:45 **“Spatial Dependence in Sovereign Wealth Funds’ Investments”**  
**Nicolas Debarsy** (LEO, Université d’Orléans), **Jean-Yves Gnabo** (CeReFiM, Université de Namur), **Malik Kerkour** (CeReFiM, Université de Namur)
- “Identification and Estimation in One-to-One Matching Models with Nonparametric Unobservables”**  
**Shruti Sinha** (TSE)
- “Identification of Counterfactuals and Payoffs in Dynamic Discrete Choice with an Application to Land Use”**  
**Paul Scott** (TSE), **Eduardo Souza-Rodrigues** (University of Toronto), **Myrto Kalouptsi** (Princeton University and NBER).

18:00 Visit of the castle La Ferté-Saint-Aubin

19h30 Conference dinner. Restaurant du Château “Les Muids”, La Ferté-Saint-Aubin

**FRIDAY, DECEMBER 4, 2015**

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8:30-9:00 Welcome Coffee

**Session I Chairman: Mickael Visser (CREST)**

9:00-9:45 **Keynote Speaker: “The Econometrics of the Hedrick-Prescott Filter”**  
**Robert de Jong** (Ohio State University) and Neslihan Sakarya (Ohio State University)

09:45-10:45 **“A Reliable and Testable Alternative to Long-run Restrictions in Structural VAR models”**  
**Florian Pelgrin** (EDHEC Business School) and Alain Guay (UQAM)

**“Estimation of a Semiparametric Transformation Model in the Presence of Endogeneity”**  
**Anne Vanhems** (Toulouse Business School and TSE) and Ingrid Van Keilegom (Université Catholique de Louvain).

10:45-11:00 Coffee Break

**Session II Chairman: Valentin Patilea (CREST, ENSAI)**

11:00-12:00 **“Testing near or at the Boundary of the Parameter Space”**  
**Philipp Ketz** (PSE)

**“In Fisher's Net: exact F-tests in Semi-Parametric Models with Exchangeable Errors”**  
**Frédéric Jouneau** (Université de Lyon, GATE) and Olivier Torrès (Université de Lille)

12:00-13:30 Lunch

**Session III Chairman: Serges Darolles (Université Paris Dauphine, CREST)**

13:30-14:30 **“Remuneration and Performance: Evidence from Randomly Ordered Wage Auctions”**  
**Manasa Patnam** (CREST), Laurent Lamy (PSE) and Michael Visser (CREST and Université Paris 2)

**“Martingale Models for Dynamic Treatment Effects: Definition and Non-Parametric Estimation”**  
**Samuele Centorrino** (Stony Brook University), Frédérique Fève (TSE), Jean-Pierre Florens (TSE) and Sophie Thiebaut (University Carlos III)

14:30-14:45 Coffee Break

**Session IV Chairman: Aziz N'Doye (Université d'Orléans, LEO)**

14:45-15:45 **“Nonparametric Estimation for Regulation Models”**  
**Andreea Enache** (European University Institute) and Jean-Pierre Florens (TSE)

**“The Wall's Impact in the Occupied West Bank: A Bayesian Approach to Poverty Dynamics using Repeated Cross Sections”**

**Michel Lubrano** (AMSE, GREQAM) and Tareq Sadeq (Birzeit University and GREQAM)

16:00 End of the Conference