

Seminar on Productivity in a Time of Change

Stein Room, Brookings, 1775 Massachusetts Avenue, Washington, DC, 20036

Tuesday, April 11, 2023

Time (GMT-5)		
09:30-10:00	30"	Registration & Coffee
Opening Session		
10:00-10:15	15"	Welcoming Remarks Brahima Coulibaly , Vice President/Director, Global Economy and Development, Brookings
		Opening Remarks Dongchul Cho , President, KDI
10:15-10:35	20"	Keynote Speech - Productivity in a Time of Change: An Optimistic Case Chad Syverson , George C. Tiao Distinguished Service Professor of Economics, University of Chicago Booth School of Business
Session 1: Global Setting and Trends		
10:35-11:45	5"	Moderator: Brahima Coulibaly , Vice President/Director, Global Economy and Development, Brookings
	20"	Lessons from Past Productivity Research and Implications for the Future Martin Neil Baily , Senior Fellow Emeritus, Economic Studies, Brookings
	20"	Long-Term Growth Prospects Ayhan Kose , Nonresident Senior Fellow, Global Economy and Development, Brookings/ Deputy Chief Economist and Director of Prospects Group, World Bank
	15"	Discussants David Byrne , Principal Economist, Research and Statistics, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System Gian Maria Milesi-Ferretti , Senior Fellow, Economic Studies, The Hutchins Center on Fiscal and Monetary Policy, Brookings
	10"	Q & A
Luncheon		
11:45-13:00	75"	Lunch
Session 2: Technology and Structural Change		
13:00-14:30	5"	Moderator: Zia Qureshi , Senior Fellow, Global Economy and Development, Brookings
	20"	Productivity Growth and Structural Change in an Era of Global Shocks Chiara Criscuolo , Head of Productivity, Innovation, and Entrepreneurship Division, OECD
	20"	Digitalization during the COVID-19 Crisis: Implications for Productivity and Labor Markets in Advanced Economies Florence Jaumotte , Chief, Structural and Climate Policies Division, Research Department, IMF
	20"	Recent Analysis on the Determinants of Productivity Growth in European Economies Lorenzo Ciari , Director of Impact, EBRD
	15"	Discussants Davide Furceri , Deputy Division Chief, Asia and Pacific Department, IMF Federica Saliola , Manager, Jobs Group, World Bank Sunghoon Chung , Fellow, KDI/Senior Economist, Development Research Group, World Bank
	10"	Q & A
Coffee Break		
14:30-14:45	15"	Coffee Break

Session 3: Other Issues and Country Experiences		
14:45- 16:15	5"	Moderator: Jungwook Kim , Executive Director, Center for International Development, KDI
	20"	Evolution of Co-Patenting Networks in Korea: Key Features and Policy Implications Joonghae Suh , Visiting Senior Fellow, Center for International Development, KDI
	20"	ESG Performance and Firm Productivity: Evidence from South Korea Jong Hwa Lee , Assistant Professor, Department of Finance, Dong-A University, Korea
	20"	Technology Adoption and Productivity of Korean Firms Jinkook Lee , Fellow, KDI/Senior Economist, Markets, Competition and Technology, World Bank
	15"	Discussants Harald Finger , Chief, Korea/Mongolia Division, Asia and Pacific Department, IMF Randall Jones , Professional Fellow, Center on Japanese Economy and Business, Columbia University/Nonresident Distinguished Fellow, Korea Economic Institute
	10"	Q & A
Closing Session		
16:15- 16:25	10"	Closing Remarks Jungwook Kim , Executive Director, Center for International Development, KDI Zia Qureshi , Senior Fellow, Global Economy and Development, Brookings