

### Wednesday 13 September

17.00-19.00 **Registration - Hotel Eden**

20.00 **Dinner**

### Thursday 14 September

Chair: Andrew Jones (University of York)

9.00-10.00 Partha Deb (Indiana University-Purdue University Indianapolis)

*A discrete random effects probit model with application to the demand for preventive care.*

Discussant: Angel Lopéz-Nicolas (Pompeu Fabra University, Barcelona)

10.00-11.00 Sergi Jiménez-Martin<sup>1</sup>, José M. Labeaga<sup>2</sup> and Maite Martínez-Granado<sup>1</sup>  
(<sup>1</sup>Carlos III University, <sup>2</sup>UNED, Madrid)

*An empirical analysis of the demand for health using the European Community Household Panel.*

Discussant: Daniele Fabbri (University of Bologna)

11.00-11.30 **Coffee**

#### Young researchers session

11.30-12.20 Egil Kjerstad (SNF & HEB, Bergen)

*Auctions versus negotiations - a study of price differentials*

Discussant: Erik Schokkaert (University of Leuven)

12.20-13.10 Ada Ferrer-i-Carbonell and Bernard M.S. van Praag (Tinbergen Institute & University of Amsterdam)

*The subjective costs of health losses due to chronic diseases. An alternative model for monetary appraisal.*

Discussant: John Cairns (University of Aberdeen)

13.10-14.30 **Lunch**

Chair: France Portrait (Tinbergen Institute & Free University of Amsterdam)

14.30-15.30 Badi H. Baltagi & James M. Griffin (Texas A & M University)

*The econometrics of rational addiction: the case of cigarettes.*

Discussant: Mars Cramer (Tinbergen Institute)

15.30-16.30 Carine Van de Voorde<sup>1</sup>, Eddy van Doorslaer<sup>2</sup> and Erik Schokkaert<sup>1</sup>  
(<sup>1</sup>University of Leuven, <sup>2</sup>Erasmus University)

*Do doctors induce demand to offset patients' response to cost sharing?  
Evidence from a natural experiment in Belgium.*

Discussant: Edward Norton (University of North Carolina)

16.30-17.00 **Coffee**

17.00-18.00 **Invited paper**

John Mullahy (University of Wisconsin-Madison)

*Live long, live well: quantifying the health of heterogeneous  
populations*

## **Friday 15 September**

Chair: Maarten Lindeboom (Tinbergen Institute & Free University of Amsterdam)

9.00-10.00 Christopher Auld (University of Calgary)

*Smoking, drinking and income.*

Discussant: Jennifer Roberts (University of Sheffield)

10.00-11.00 Satoru Kobayashi and Myoung-jae Lee (University of Tsukuba)

*Effects of exercise on health care demand*

Discussant: Christian Salas (University of Birmingham)

11.00-11.30 **Coffee**

### **Young researchers session**

11.30-12.20 Martin Schellhorn (University of Bern)

*The effect of variable health insurance deductibles on the demand for physician visits.*

Discussant: Paul Grootendorst (McMaster University)

12.20-13.10 Andrés Romeu-Santana and Ángel M. Vera-Hernández (Autonoma University, Barcelona)

*A semi-nonparametric estimator for counts with an endogenous dummy variable.*

Discussant: Frank Windmeijer (Institute for Fiscal Studies, London)

13.10-14.30 **Lunch**

Chair: Owen O'Donnell (University of Kent)

14.30-15.30 Barton H. Hamilton (Washington University in St.Louis)

*Estimating treatment effects in randomized clinical trials with non-compliance: the impact of maternal smoking on birthweight.*

Discussant: Arild Aakvik (University of Bergen)

15.30-16.30 Astrid Grasdal (University of Bergen)

*Assessing the performance of sample selection estimators to control for attrition bias. Experience from a Norwegian randomised field trial.*

Discussant: John Forbes (University of Edinburgh)

16.30-17.00 **Coffee**

17.00-18.00 **Invited paper**

Gerard van den Berg (Tinbergen Institute)

*The effects of treatments and other endogenous events on duration variables*