

MARKETS AND GOVERNMENTS: A THEORETICAL APPRAISAL

2ND EDITION, JUNE 19-21, 2024

PROGRAM

WEDNESDAY – 19 JUNE

09:15 – 9:45

WAKE-UP COFFEE

09:45 – 10:00

WELCOME AND OPENING

10:00 – 11:30

Francois Maniquet
UCL Louvain

Classic and Recent Debates on
(Re)Distribution: A Social-Choice
theoretical viewpoint

11:30 – 11:50

COFFEE BREAK

11:50 – 13:20

Piotr Dworzak
Northwestern University

Optimal Redistribution via Income
Taxation and Market Design

13:20 – 15:15

LUNCH BREAK

15:15 – 16:45

Jan Eeckhout
UPF

The Profit Paradox

THURSDAY – 20 JUNE

09:15 – 10:00

WAKE-UP COFFEE

10:00 – 11:30

Francisco Ferreira
London School of Economics

Equality of Opportunity, Meritocracy, and
Public Policy

11:30 – 11:50

COFFEE BREAK

11:50 – 13:20

Rajiv Sethi
Columbia University

The Economics of Group Inequality

13:20 – 14:45

LUNCH BREAK

14:45 – 15:45

GUIDED TOUR OF VILLA MONDRAGONE

16:00 – 17:30

Oded Galor
Brown University

The Journey of Humanity: The Origins of
Wealth and Inequality

FRIDAY – 21 JUNE

09:15 – 10:00

WAKE-UP COFFEE

10:00 – 11:30

Saura Masconale
University of Arizona

The Morality of Market Activism

11:30 – 11:50

COFFEE BREAK

11:50 – 13:20

Alan Schwartz
Yale

The Logic of Legal Formalism

13:20 – 15:15

LUNCH BREAK

15:15 – 16:45

Lisa Herzog
University of Groningen

The Epistemic Narrative About Markets -
and What's Wrong with It

16:45 – 17:00

CLOSING REMARKS

