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1. PROGRAM NAKE DAY OCTOBER 24, 2003

The NAKE Research Day will be held on October 24, 2003 at the Dutch Central Bank in Amsterdam. As in previous years, the NAKE Day will be combined with the Tinbergen Lecture organized by the Royal Netherlands Economic Association

Program:

8.15 Registration

9.15 Opening address

9.30 Sessions A

Theme session: Pensions and Ageing organized by Lans Bovenberg
Theme session: Macroeconometrics organized by Andre Lucas
Parallel sessions: the Dutch economy, finance, trade issues,
competition, agricultural economics and transport economics

11.00 Coffee

11.30 Sessions B

Theme session: Financial Economics organized by Sylvester Eijffinger
Theme session: Transport Economics organized by Piet Rietveld
Parallel sessions: Economic Growth, Labor Economics,
Social Interaction, Financial Crises, Quantitative Economics, and
International Economics

13.00 Lunch

14.00 Sessions C

Theme session: Auctions organized by Jean Jacques Herings
Theme session: Financial Econometrics organized by Philip Franses
Parallel sessions: Technological change, monetary policy, competition,
unemployment, public choice and environment

14.30 Presentation by IMF recruitment mission

15.30 Tea

15.50 Tinbergen Lecture: Introduction by Frank den Butter

16.00 Tinbergen Lecture: Jean Tirole on Redesigning the Employment
Protection System

16.45 Tinbergen Lecture: Jan Peter Balkenende

17.30 Drinks

Participation Fee

A fee of 25 euro is charged, including your lunch and drinks, which is due (in cash) at the registration desk. Members of the Royal Netherlands Economic Association (KVS) pay a reduced fee of 10 euro.

More information and a registration form can be found at:
http://fewcal.kub.nl/nake/nakedayinfo_03.htm

2. CALL FOR PAPERS: 7TH IZA EUROPEAN SUMMER SCHOOL IN LABOR ECONOMICS APRIL 19-25, 2004

The IZA European Summer School in Labor Economics was created in 1998, as an annual event taking place at the conference center of Deutsche Post at the Ammersee Lake (near Munich) in Bavaria, Germany. The Summer School is supported by the Centre for Economic Policy Research (CEPR), the European Economic Association (EEA), the European Association of Labor Economists (EALE), and the European Society for Population Economics (ESPE).

The objective of the Summer School is to bring together a large number of PhD students and senior lecturers to study new areas in labor economics. Students have the opportunity to present their work and discuss ideas with established researchers in a relaxed and open atmosphere. The School is open to advanced graduate students from European universities, or Europeans studying abroad, engaged in the preparation of a doctoral dissertation or approaching that stage.

The 7th Summer School will take place in April 19-25, 2004.

Lecturers:

Armin Falk (University of Bonn and IZA) "Experimental Labor Economics"
Christian Belzil (Centre National de Recherche Scientifique (GATE), IZA and Concordia University) "Empirical Labor Market Models with Dynamic Self-Selection: Applications to Wage Regression Functions, Human Capital Accumulation Models and Personnel Economics"

Funding:

Local expenses and a travel subsidy are covered.

Application:

Submissions to participate should reach IZA no later than February 2, 2004. Please submit your CV, one letter of support from your PhD supervisor and an abstract for a potential presentation of your research work. Those who are invited to present a paper should deliver a complete paper by March 22, 2004. Applications should be sent, preferably in electronic format, to: Ana Rute Cardoso; IZA, P.O. Box 7240, D-53072 Bonn, Germany
Email: cardoso@iza.org <<mailto:cardoso@iza.org>>; Fax: 49-228-3894510; Web: <http://www.iza.org>

3. TILEC CONFERENCE "Towards a Horizontal Approach to Economic Regulation"

Naar aanleiding van de Inauguratie van Prof. Pierre Larouche op vrijdag 14 november 2003, organiseert het Tilburg Law and Economics Center van de Universiteit van Tilburg hieraan voorafgaand een internationaal congres getiteld:

Towards a Horizontal Approach to Economic Regulation

De Europese Gemeenschap heeft zich gedurende haar hele bestaan beziggehouden met economische regulering, hetgeen heeft geleid tot een goed-ontwikkeld corpus aan mededingingsrecht.

EG instellingen benadrukken de huidige noodzaak van algemene consistentie in EG optreden als het om de economie gaat.

Het doel van deze conferentie is een discussie op gang te brengen over een

horizontale benadering van EU marktregulering. Na een themalezing die het onderwerp introduceert en in zijn context plaatst, zal de discussie zich richten op drie elementen die onlosmakelijk met zo'n benadering verbonden zijn, nl. de keuze van instrumenten, het oprichten van regulerende instanties en tenslotte het algemene onderwerp van de relatie tussen regulering en de markt.

De inaugurele rede van Prof. Pierre Larouche, getiteld: The Role of the Market in Economic Regulation, zal om 16.15 uur in de Aula van de Universiteit plaatsvinden.

Datum en tijd: Vrijdag 14 november 2003, 9.00 - 17.00 uur

Lokatie: Universiteit van Tilburg

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