ICAPE 2024 In-Person Conference Program
Thursday, January 4, 2024, St. Mary’s University, San Antonio, Texas, 8 AM – 6 PM
Modern Economic Pluralism: Exploring the synergies and distinctive contributions of contemporary heterodox approaches

Registration/Check in/Light Breakfast (included) 8:00-8:25 AM,

Session 1, 8:30 - 10:15 AM (concurrent sessions)

1A Heterodox Theory & Policy: Inflation & Administered Prices, Housing Costs & Cryptocurrency (AFEE session 1),
- Thomas Lambert, University of Louisville: The Economic Surplus Concept and Heterodox Economics: Some New Applications
- Sam Levey, Illinois Coll.: Seller’s Prerogative? Containing Inflation in an Administered Price World by Having Buyers Set Prices
- Ben Chalbia Radhouan, University of Sousse: Covid-19 Pandemic and cryptocurrency volatility: An empirical analysis
- Mahdi Khesali & Stefan Voigt, University of Hamburg, and Nadia von Jacobi, University of Trento: Historic Moral Foundations Cast a Long Shadow: Insights From a Novel Folktales Dataset

1B Topics in the Economics of Inequality (NEA Session 1)
Nzinga Broussard, NEA President-Elect: Session Organizer
Belinda Román, St. Mary’s University: Session Chair
- Stephan Lefebvre, Bucknell University: Doing Latinx Studies as an Economist: Methodologies and Disciplinary Borders
- Colin Cannonier, Belmont University: The Impact of the African Growth and Opportunity Act (AGOA) on Corruption
- Pradeep Choudhury, Harvard University: Analyzing caste and class dynamics of school choice in India
- Discussants: The panelists.

1C Pluralist Approaches to Money, Financial Markets and Government Financing
- Bakou Mertens, Ghent University, Belgium: Shareholder primacy in practice: sticky payouts, ratchet behaviour and the consequences for investments
- Benjamin Fiering, Levy Institute Bard Coll.: From The “Credit Crunch” of 1966, to the March Massacre of Silicon Valley Bank
- Alla Semenova, St. Mary’s College of Maryland: Modern Money Theory in the Age of Climate Change
- Adam Kerenyi and Gabor Gulacsi, Institute of World Economy: European Union and the Hungarian U-turn

Session 2, 10:30 AM - 12:15 PM

2A Monetary Policy, Debt and the Cost-of-Living Crisis (AFEE session 2)
Chair: Erdogan Bakir, Bucknell University
- Lilian Muchimba, Bank of Zambia, Mimoza Shabani, University of East London, Alexis Stenfors, University of Portsmouth, and Jan Toporowski, SOAS University of London: Decomposing the Rate of Inflation: Price-Setting and Monetary Policy
- Takashi Satoh, Ritsumeikan University: A New Formulation of Interest-Bearing Capital and Debt: A Marxian Perspective on the Circuit of Capital
- Tanweer Akram, Citibank, and Khawaja Mamun, Sacred Heart University: Interest Rate Dynamics: An Examination of Mainstream and Keynesian Empirical Studies

2B Wealth Inequality (NEA session 2)
Haydar Kurban, Howard University: Chair and Organizer; Discussants: The Panelists.
- Bethel Cole-Smith, Howard University: The impact of down-payment assistance on participant outcomes: Examining DC’s Home Purchase Assistance Program (HPAP) and Employer-Assisted Housing Program (EAHP)
- Alesia Ferguson, North Carolina A&T: The Health and Safety of Low-Income Homes in the Greensboro Area
- Luisa Blanco Raynal, Pepperdine University: Racial and Ethnic Disparities in Retirement Outreach among Low-to-Middle Income Workers
- Francisca Antman, University of Colorado Boulder: The Long-Run Impacts of Mentoring Underrepresented Minority Groups in Economics
2C Pedagogy and Pluralism

- Geoff Schneider, Bucknell University: *Overcoming Economic Misinformation Via Pluralist Teaching*
- Amy S Cramer, The VOTE Center, Pima Community College: *Sparking solutions to extreme income inequality with VOTE*
- Alexander Binder, Pittsburg State Univ.: *Lessons Learned Teaching Heterodox Economics at a Regional Public University*
- Anastasia Wilson, Hobart and William Smith Colleges: *Leveraging "the Incident": Student Unrest and Pluralist Economics at a Small Liberal Arts College*


- Host: Geoff Schneider, Bucknell University, ICAPE Executive Director.
- Roundtable participants: Alexandra Bernasek, Colorado State University, Lynne Chester, University of Sydney, Danielle Guizzo (University of Bristol), and Alicia Girón (UNAM)

Session 4, 2:00 - 3:45 PM

4A Evolutionary Changes during Economic & Social Transitions: Climate change, Greening, & Finance (AFEE session 3),

- Alicia Girón (Chair), UNAM: *Will Institutional Investors help for a Just Transition World?*
- Lyubov Klapkiv, Maria Curie-Sklodowska & Faruk ÜLGEN, University Grenoble Alpes: *The challenge of climate-related double materiality on the financial market*
- Faruk Ulgen, University Grenoble Alpes: *Greening Finance? What institutional options for a sustainable transition?*

4B Pluralist Approaches to Gender, Labor and AI

- Mieke Meurs, American University, Cristina Viecelli, Federal University of Santa Catarina-Brazil, and Daniela Dias Kuhn, Federal University of Rio Grande do Sul: *Feminist Economics in Latin America—why it’s crucial now*
- John Marangos & Eleni Savvidou, University of Macedonia: *Basic Income Guarantee and Gender in the Post-Pandemic Era*
- Swayamsiddha Sarangi, U. of Utah: *Determinants behind distribution of income: A Subsectoral study of US Manufacturing*
- Polona Domadenik Muren, Univ. of Ljubljana: *AI on the Workplace: The Role of Workers’ Participation in Decision Making*
- Hana Končan and Polona Domadenik Muren, University of Ljubljana: *AI Technology Adoption and its Consequences in OECD Countries: A Microeconometric Approach*

4C Issues in Heterodox Macroeconomics:

- Hao Cheng and Yawen Sun, Nanchang University: *Factors Affecting the Circulation of CBDC as A New Technique: Evidence from China*
- Nitin Nair, Levy & University of Leeds: *The Chapter Seventeen Approach to Effective Demand: A Financial Theory of Consumer Credit*
- Eric Glock, University of Missouri-Kansas City: *Is substitutability and substitute-price stability a reality?*
- Rafed Al-Huq, Tulane University: *Is there a limit? Exploring the upper bound of nations’ GDP using logistic models*
- Michael Murray, Bemidji State: *The Role of Institutions and Time in a Multi-sector Model of Economic Growth: Insights into the Significance of Vertically Integrated Analysis*

Coffee Break: 3:45 - 4:15 PM

Session 5, 4:15 - 6:00 PM

5A Labor, households and Microlending

- Leona Pallansch, St. Mary’s University: *Critical Assessment of Microlending: The Cases of Acción and Lyft Fund*
- Bulent Temel, University of Texas San Antonio: *Homo contextus as a competing model of economic rationality: Empirical evidence from Amish childrearing*
- Steve Nivin, St. Mary’s University: *Big Data Analytics, Patents and Urban Employment Patterns*
- Belinda Román (Chair): The San Antonio Texas Labor Market Outcomes through a Complexity Lens
- Franziska Ellen Dorn, University of Duisburg-Essen, and Nancy Folbre, University of Massachusetts Amherst: *Unpaid Work and Household Living Standards in the U.S.*
- José Chaman Alvarez, St. Mary’s University: *Geospatial Insights: Zip-Code Level Analysis of Industry Output and Knowledge Dynamics in San Antonio, Texas*

5B Pluralism and Economic Theory

- Paolo Ramazzotti, Universita di Macerata: *Agreeing on disagreement? Systemic openness, theoretical variety & pluralism*
- Jacob Powell, Bucknell University: *The State: Toward a Unified Theory*
- Kabeer Bora, University of Utah: *An Age of Equalization: A peek into the first age of globalization and rates of profit*

Conference ends at 6:00 PM
**ICAPE 2024 Online Conference Program**  
**Friday, January 12, 2024, via Zoom**  
**All times are Eastern Standard Time (E.S.T., New York)**

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