



## Talks and Research Visits

**David Kelsey** (Professor of Industrial Economics, University of Nottingham, <https://www.nottingham.ac.uk/business/people/lizdk2.phtml>) will be visiting the AWI next week (27 - 31 May) in order to work with Jürgen Eichberger in the context of the research project "DATA-AWARE: Decision making under uncertainty based on data - awareness, learning and interpersonal consistency". If you would like to meet him, please contact Jürgen Eichberger at [juergen.eichberger@awi.uni-heidelberg.de](mailto:juergen.eichberger@awi.uni-heidelberg.de).

**Julius Schoelkopf** presented the paper "Long-term volatility shapes the stock market's sensitivity to news" (joint with Christian Conrad and Nikoleta Tushteva) at the Rimini Centre for Economic Analysis (RCEA) International Conference in Economics, Econometrics, and Finance at Brunel University, London, May 20.

**Giovanni Burro**, gave a talk on "A Walk Down Memory Lane: How Memories Influence Stock Investment And Information Processing" at the 2024 *Asia Pacific Economic Science Association (ESA) Meeting* at Nanyang Technological University (NTU) in Singapore, on May 17, and he also presented his above mentioned paper in Bangkok at Kasetsart University, May 14 and at Chulalongkorn University, May 13.

**Ferdinand Rauch** presented "Identifying Agglomeration Shadows: Long-run Evidence from Ancient Ports" at the Research Seminar in Economics at the University of Passau, School of Business, Economics and Information Systems, May 15.

**Tom Zeising** presented the paper "Racial Disparities in Environmental Auditing" (joint with Anca Balietti) at the 12th *Mannheim Conference on Energy and the Environment* (MCEE) held at ZEW Mannheim, May 13-14.

## Miscellaneous

How effective have sanctions been during the last 2 years of full-scale russian aggression against Ukraine? Is the West playing a cat and mouse game with russia? Joep Lustenhouwer and Alexandra Avdeenko coorganize an online panel discussion on Wednesday, **May 29**, at 17:00 hours on the efficacy of sanctions that were imposed on russia due to its ongoing aggression against Ukraine under the following link:

<https://www.youtube.com/live/4-Lurl3ynWA?si=IVw-3mb2mJ1pIkAo>

The panel discussion is organized as a cooperation between the German-Ukrainian NGO Freundschaft kennt keine Grenzen e.V., Heidelberg University, the University of Bielefeld, and the University of Bamberg. The event includes a short presentation of the Harvard CID Faculty Working Paper "On the Design of Effective Sanctions: The Case of Bans on Exports to Russia" by one of the authors: *Ulrich Schetter* (Senior Assistant Professor at Università di Pavia).

<https://www.hks.harvard.edu/centers/cid/publications/faculty-working-papers/design-effective-sanction-case-bans-exports-russia>

Next, there will be a discussion starting with opening statements of the other three panelists:

*Robin Brooks* (Senior Fellow in Global Studies at The Brookings Institution)

*Sergii Fursa* (Deputy Director at Dragon Capital)

*Isaac Levi* (Europe-Russia Policy & Energy Analysis Team Lead at the Centre for Research on Energy and Clean Air)

The speakers will share their unique perspectives and expertise on export bans, energy sanctions, open loopholes, and much more.

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