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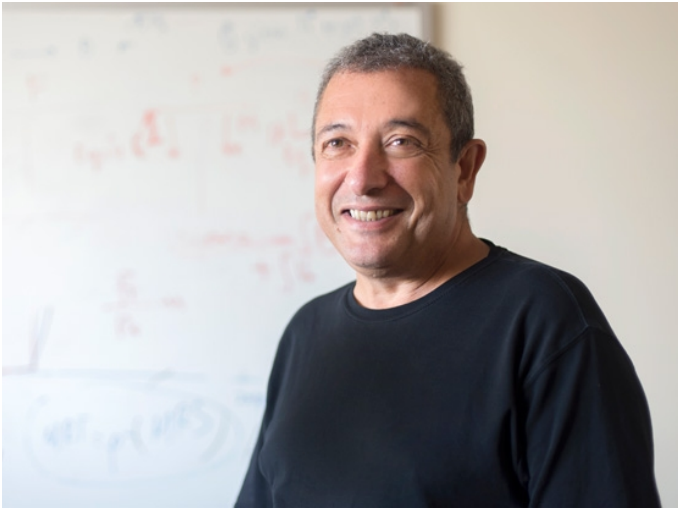
October 26, 2018

Claremont McKenna College

All sessions held in Freeberg Forum in the Kravis Building at CMC

8:00 - 8:40	REGISTRATION AND BREAKFAST
8:40 - 8:50	Welcome and opening remarks
8:50 - 9:45	<i>New Evidence on Cyclical Variation in Labor Costs in the U.S.</i> Grace Weishi Gu, UC Santa Cruz Eswar Prasad, Cornell Discussant: Victor Ortego Marti, UC Riverside
9:45 - 9:55	BREAK
9:55 - 10:50	<i>Dual Job Search and Migration</i> Christine Braun, UC Santa Barbara E. Charlie Nusbaum, UC Santa Barbara Peter Rupert, UC Santa Barbara Discussant: TBD
10:50 - 11:05	BREAK
11:05 - 12:00	<i>The Globe as a Network: Geography and the Origins of the World Income Distribution</i> Matt Delventhal, Claremont McKenna College Discussant: Pablo Fajgelbaum, UCLA
12:00 - 12:05	Walk to lunch at the Marian Miner Cook Athenaeum
12:05 - 13:30	LUNCH AND KEYNOTE José-Víctor Ríos-Rull , University of Pennsylvania
13:45 - 14:40	<i>Financial Engineering and the Macroeconomy</i> Pedro Amaral, California State University, Fullerton Dean Corbae, University of Wisconsin-Madison Erwan Quintin, University of Wisconsin-Madison Discussant: Nicolas Caramp, UC Davis
14:40 - 14:55	BREAK
14:55 - 15:50	<i>Real Business Cycles, Animal Spirits, and Stock Market Valuation</i> Kevin Lansing, Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco Discussant: Jang-Ting Guo, UC Riverside
15:50 - 16:05	BREAK
16:05 - 17:00	<i>How I Learned to Stop Worrying and Love Fire Sales</i> Pablo Kurlat, Stanford University Discussant: Andy Atkeson, UCLA
17:00	ADJOURN AND HAPPY HOUR

JOSÉ VÍCTOR RÍOS-RULL



José Víctor Ríos-Rull studied economics and sociology in the Universidad Complutense de Madrid before completing a Ph.D. in Economics at the University of Minnesota in 1990. He has held academic positions at Carnegie Mellon University, the University of Pennsylvania, the University of Minnesota, and University College London. He also had a stint at the Research Department of the Minneapolis Fed. He is currently the Lawrence R. Klein Professor of Economics at the University of Pennsylvania and manages CAERP. Professor Ríos-Rull is also a Fellow of the Econometric Society and has been a plenary speaker on various conferences starting a long time ago in the 1998 SED meetings. His academic interests are wide, ranging from demographics issues (mortality and family formation),

the study of aggregate fluctuations, the determinants of inequality, the role of credit, the determinants of public policy, and various associated technical problems found along the way. He has published extensively on these topics in the most influential journals in the profession. He is particularly proud of his role as a teacher, having been the advisor or co-advisor of more than 45 Ph.D. students.

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