



# Academic Perspectives on Industrial Policy

Monday 10 March 2025

## PROGRAM

### 9:00 - 9:05 | Welcome and Opening Remarks

- [David Yanagizawa-Drott](#), Professor, University of Zürich

### 9:05 - 10:20 | **Economic Development**

- **9:05 - 9:20** | *Industrial Policies for Avoiding the Middle-income Trap*  
[Justin Lin](#) (remotely), Professor, Peking University
- **9:20 - 9:35** | *Industrial Policy Implementation: Empirical Evidence from China's Shipbuilding Industry*  
[Panle Barwick](#) (remotely), Professor, University of Wisconsin–Madison
- **9:35 - 10:05** | Discussants  
[Juan Carlos Hallak](#), Professor, University of Buenos Aires  
[Chang-Tai Hsieh](#), Professor, University of Chicago  
[Augustin Fosu](#) (remotely), Professor, University of Ghana
- **10:05 - 10:20** | Questions from Audience

### 10:20 - 10:45 | Coffee Break

### 10:45 - 12:00 | **Digital Transformation**

- **10:45 - 11:00** | *Promoting Bricks, Chips and Bits: Recent government policy changes along the technological value chain*  
[Johannes Fritz](#), CEO, St.Gallen Endowment for Prosperity through Trade
- **11:00 - 11:15** | *Industrial Policy in the Global Semiconductor Sector*  
[Réka Juhász](#), Assistant Professor, University of British Columbia
- **11:15 - 11:45** | Discussants  
[Alicia Garcia Herrero](#) (remotely), Adjunct Professor, the Hong Kong University of Science and Technology and Chief Economist for Asia Pacific at NATIXIS  
[Daniel Trefler](#), Professor, University of Toronto  
[David Yanagizawa-Drott](#), Professor, University of Zürich
- **11:45 - 12:00** | Questions from Audience

**12:00 - 13:00 | Lunch Break**

**13:00 - 14:15 | Green Transition**

- **13:00 - 13:15** | *The Role of Government Policies in Renewable Energy*  
[Mar Reguant](#), Professor, Northwestern University
- **13:15 - 13:30** | *Subsidies and Other Government Policies in the Global Electric Vehicle Market*  
[Shanjun Li](#) (remotely), Professor, Cornell University
- **13:30 - 14:00** | Discussants  
[Joelle Noailly](#), Senior Lecturer, the Geneva Graduate Institute and Associate Professor, the Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam  
[Joseph Shapiro](#) (remotely), Associate Professor, University of California Berkeley  
[Hongsong Zhang](#), Associate Professor, University of Hong Kong
- **14:00 - 14:15** | Questions from Audience

**14:15 - 14:45 | Coffee Break**

**14:45 - 15:45 | Measurement Challenges**

- **14:45 - 15:00** | [Penny Goldberg](#), Professor, Yale University
- **15:00 - 15:15** | [Camille Boullenois](#) and [Daniel Rosen](#), Rhodium Group
- **15:15 - 15:30** | [Simon Evenett](#), Professor, International Institute for Management Development
- **15:30 - 15:45** | Questions from Audience

**15:45 - 16:00 | Short Break**

**16:00 - 17:15 | International Cooperation**

- **16:00 - 16:15** | *Reflections on Previous Presentations and Implications for International Cooperation*  
[Penny Goldberg](#), Professor, Yale University
- **16:15 - 16:30** | *International Disciplines of Government Subsidies*  
[Gene Grossman](#), Professor, Princeton University  
[Alan Sykes](#), Professor, Stanford University
- **16:30 - 17:00** | Discussants  
[Bernard Hoekman](#), Professor, European University Institute  
[Emanuel Ornelas](#), Professor, Sao Paulo School of Economics  
[Tu Xinquan](#), Professor, University of International Business and Economics, Beijing
- **17:00 - 17:15** | Questions from Audience

**17:15 - 17:30 | Closing Remarks**

- [Robert Staiger](#), Professor, Dartmouth College