

# Firm Heterogeneity in Technical Change

<b>8:30-9:15</b>	<b>Welcome coffee</b>		
<b>9:15-9:30</b>	Glenn <b>Rayp</b>	Ghent University, Department of Economics	Introduction
<b>9:30-10:15</b>	Laurens <b>Cherchye</b>	KU Leuven, Department of Economics	Nonparametric production analysis with unobserved heterogeneity in productivity
<b>10:15-10:45</b>	Jaap <b>Bos</b>	Maastricht University, School of Business and Economics	How Biased is Skill-Biased Technical Change
<b>10:45-11:15</b>	Thomas <b>Triebbs</b>	Loughborough University, School of Business and Economics	Productivity with general indices of management and technical change
<b>11:15-11:30</b>	<b>Coffee break</b>		
<b>11:30-12:00</b>	Massimo <b>Del Gatto</b>	G.d'Annunzio University and CRENoS	Labour productivity and firm-level TFP with technology-specific production functions
<b>12:00-12:30</b>	Ruben <b>Dewitte</b>	Ghent University, Department of Economics	Gains from parameters: Flexibility in the productivity distribution and international trade
	<b>Lunch and poster session</b>		
	Qianying <b>Jin</b>	LEM, IÉSEG School of Management	Metafrontier Malmquist Productivity Index and The Price of a Convexification Strategy
	Dinara <b>Alpysbayeva</b>	KU Leuven, VIVES	Labor Market Rigidities and Misallocation: Evidence from a Natural Experiment
	Shyngys <b>Karimov</b>	KU Leuven, VIVES	Frequency of Employment Adjustment: Evidence from Belgium
	Aigerim <b>Yergabulova</b>	KU Leuven, VIVES	Small employers are more cyclically sensitive: the case of Belgium
<b>13:30-14:15</b>	Jo <b>Van Biesebroeck</b>	KU Leuven, Department of Economics and CEPR	Productivity, Exporting and Financial Constraints of Chinese SMEs
<b>14:15-14:45</b>	Antonin <b>Bergeaud</b>	Banque de France	The Inverted-U Relationship Between Credit Access and Productivity Growth
<b>14:45-15:15</b>	Sara <b>Calligaris</b>	OECD	Last but not least: laggard firms, technology diffusion and its structural and policy determinants
<b>15:15-15:45</b>	<b>Coffee break</b>		
<b>15:45-16:30</b>	Emmanuel <b>Dhyne</b>	National Bank of Belgium and Université de Mons	Local sourcing and production efficiency
<b>16:30-17:00</b>	Jeroen <b>Van den Bosch</b>	KU Leuven, VIVES	The Impact of Innovation on Productivity: Profitability and Technical Efficiency
<b>17:00-17:30</b>	Cedric <b>Duprez</b>	National Bank of Belgium	Price Updating with Production Networks
<b>17:30-18:00</b>	Gianluca <b>Antonicchia</b>	Erasmus School of Economics and Tinbergen Institute	Productivity, prices and market shares in multiproduct firms
	<b>Farewell drink</b>		