

Seminar on Productivity in a Time of Change

Stein Room, Brookings, 1775 Massachusetts Avenue, Washington, DC, 20036

Tuesday, April 11, 2023

| Time (GMT-5) | | |
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| 09:30-10:00 | 30" | Registration & Coffee |
| Opening Session | | |
| 10:00-10:15 | 15" | Welcoming Remarks Brahima Coulibaly , Vice President/Director, Global Economy and Development, Brookings |
| | | Opening Remarks Dongchul Cho , President, KDI |
| 10:15-10:35 | 20" | Keynote Speech - Productivity in a Time of Change: An Optimistic Case Chad Syverson , George C. Tiao Distinguished Service Professor of Economics, University of Chicago Booth School of Business |
| Session 1: Global Setting and Trends | | |
| 10:35-11:45 | 5" | Moderator: Brahima Coulibaly , Vice President/Director, Global Economy and Development, Brookings |
| | 20" | Lessons from Past Productivity Research and Implications for the Future Martin Neil Baily , Senior Fellow Emeritus, Economic Studies, Brookings |
| | 20" | Long-Term Growth Prospects Ayhan Kose , Nonresident Senior Fellow, Global Economy and Development, Brookings/ Deputy Chief Economist of the World Bank Group and Director of Prospects Group, and Franziska Ohnsorge , Manager of Prospects Group, World Bank |
| | 15" | Discussants David Byrne , Principal Economist, Research and Statistics, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System Gian Maria Milesi-Ferretti , Senior Fellow, Economic Studies, The Hutchins Center on Fiscal and Monetary Policy, Brookings |
| | 10" | Q & A |
| Luncheon | | |
| 11:45-13:00 | 75" | Lunch |
| Session 2: Technology and Structural Change | | |
| 13:00-14:30 | 5" | Moderator: Zia Qureshi , Senior Fellow, Global Economy and Development, Brookings |
| | 20" | Productivity Growth and Structural Change in an Era of Global Shocks Chiara Criscuolo , Head of Productivity, Innovation, and Entrepreneurship Division, OECD |
| | 20" | Digitalization during the COVID-19 Crisis: Implications for Productivity and Labor Markets in Advanced Economies Florence Jaumotte , Chief, Structural and Climate Policies Division, Research Department, IMF |
| | 20" | Recent Analysis on the Determinants of Productivity Growth in European Economies Lorenzo Ciari , Director of Impact, EBRD |
| | 15" | Discussants Davide Furceri , Deputy Division Chief, Asia and Pacific Department, IMF Federica Saliola , Manager, Jobs Group, World Bank Sunghoon Chung , Fellow, KDI/Senior Economist, Development Research Group, World Bank |
| | 10" | Q & A |
| Coffee Break | | |
| 14:30-14:45 | 15" | Coffee Break |

| Session 3: Other Issues and Country Experiences | | |
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| 14:45- 16:15 | 5" | Moderator: Jungwook Kim , Executive Director, Center for International Development, KDI |
| | 20" | Evolution of Co-Patenting Networks in Korea: Key Features and Policy Implications Joonghae Suh , Visiting Senior Fellow, Center for International Development, KDI |
| | 20" | ESG Performance and Firm Productivity: Evidence from South Korea Jong Hwa Lee , Assistant Professor, Department of Finance, Dong-A University, Korea |
| | 20" | Technology Adoption and Productivity of Korean Firms Jinkook Lee , Fellow, KDI/Senior Economist, Markets, Competition and Technology, World Bank |
| | 15" | Discussants Harald Finger , Chief, Korea/Mongolia Division, Asia and Pacific Department, IMF Randall Jones , Professional Fellow, Center on Japanese Economy and Business, Columbia University/Nonresident Distinguished Fellow, Korea Economic Institute |
| | 10" | Q & A |
| Closing Session | | |
| 16:15- 16:25 | 10" | Closing Remarks Jungwook Kim , Executive Director, Center for International Development, KDI Zia Qureshi , Senior Fellow, Global Economy and Development, Brookings |