

International workshop on the Chinese Economy: Trade, Growth and Productivity

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DATES: 12th-13th May 2016

**VENUE: Conference Room 2 (Room 303), Level 3
Technology & Innovation Centre (Strathclyde)
99 George Street, Glasgow, G1 1RD**

Programme

Day 1: Thursday 12th May 2016	
11.30-12.30	Registration, welcome and lunch
Session I: Trade liberalization	
12.30-13.15	Robert ELLIOTT (University of Birmingham) <i>'Trade liberalization, profits and wages in China: Are processing firms different'</i> (joint with Yi Liu and Michael Henry)
13.15-14.00	Shengyu LI (Durham University) <i>'Multi-dimensional effects of international trade: The experience of Chinese manufacturers'</i> (joint with Paul Grieco and Hongsong Zhang)
14.00-14.30	Coffee break
Session II: China and US trade	
14.30-15.15	Yi LU (National University of Singapore) <i>'Do Chinese imports influence American politics?'</i> (joint with Yi Che, Justin Pierce, Peter Schott, and Zhigang Tao)
15.15-16.00	Liang BAI (University of Edinburgh) <i>'Estimating the price effects of globalization: The case of US imports from China'</i> (joint with Sebastian Stumpner)
16.00-16.15	Coffee break
16.15-17.15	First Keynote Speech Kalina MANOVA (University of Oxford) <i>'Managing trade: Evidence from China and the US'</i>

Day 2: Friday 13th May 2016	
08.30-09.00	Coffee
Session III: Exports, imports and finance	
09.00-09.45	Zhihong YU (University of Nottingham) <i>'Volatility and diversification in exports: Theory and evidence'</i>
09.45-10.30	David DICKINSON (University of Birmingham) <i>'Time-varying discount rate, Q and firms' investment: The case of China during the global financial crisis'</i> (joint with Hong Cao, Dejing Kong, and Dayong Zhang)
10.30-11.00	Coffee break
Second Keynote Speech	
11.00-12.00	Larry QIU (University of Hong Kong) <i>'Intermediate input imports and innovation: Evidence from Chinese firms'</i> (joint with Qing Liu)
12.00-13.00	Lunch and group photo
Session IV: Entry and growth	
13.00-13.45	Puyang SUN (Nankai University) <i>'Foreign entry regulation and productivity dispersion in China: Theory and evidence'</i> (joint with Sai Ding and Guang Yang)
13.45-14.30	Kunwang LI (Nankai University) <i>'Entry of multinational retailers and manufacturing industry resource reallocation efficiency in China'</i> (joint with Xiaoxue Zhou and Yongjin Wang)
14.30-14.45	Coffee break
Third Keynote Speech	
14.45-15.45	Kjetil STORESLETTEN (University of Oslo) <i>'Firm entry and regional growth disparities: The effect of SOEs in China'</i> (joint with Loren Brandt and Gueorgui Kambourov)