



## **NBR Spring Institute 2018**

Keynote speaker:  
Egon Zakrajsek (Federal Reserve Board)

Venastul, March 5<sup>th</sup> - 7<sup>th</sup> 2016

### **Monday, March 5**

**16:00-19:00** Train Oslo S – Ringebu (after which 20 minutes to get some snacks at the supermarket)

**19:20-19:40** Taxi to Venastul

**20:00** Dinner

**21:00** Team competition

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### **Tuesday, March 6**

**08:00-08:30** Breakfast

**08:30-09:30: Keynote presentation**

Egon Zakrajsek: “Financial Heterogeneity and Monetary Union”

**09:45-10:45, Session 1: Media and central bank talk**

Saskia ter Ellen: “Forward guidance through interest rate projections: impact versus intentions”

Vegard Larsen: “Business cycle narratives”

**10:45-14:30** Time for XC skiing, lunch, shower, etc. (Buffet lunch from 13:00 to 14:00)

**14:30-16:00, Session 2: Labor markets**

Jin Cao: "Fertility cost, intergenerational labor division, and female employment "

Sigurd Galaasen: "Mismatch and the consequence of job loss"

Francesco Furlanetto: "Job to job transitions and wage dynamics"

**16:15-17:15, Session 3: Housing**

Andre' Anundsen: "Regional housing bubbles"

Knut Are Aastveit: "Time-varying housing supply elasticities and US housing cycles"

**17:30-18:30, Session 4: Macro**

Drago Bergholt: "Revisiting R-star? A trend-agnostic approach"

Leif Anders Thorsrud: "Dutch disease dynamics reconsidered"

**19:00-20:00** Dinner

**20:30-...** Table tennis competition

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**Wednesday, March 7**

**08:00-09:00** Breakfast

**09:00-10:00, Session 5: Computational economics**

Junior Maih: "Leaning against the wind in an estimated DSGE model"

Herman van Dijk: "Bayes Estimates of Multimodal Density Features in DNA and Economic Data"

**10:15-10:45, Session 6: Credit and leverage**

Kasper Roszbach: "Bad Times, Good Credit"

**11:30** Group 1 leaves for train station, train leaves 12:07

**14:00** Lunch buffet for group 2

**16:25** Group 2 leaves for train station, train leaves at 17:02

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## **Trains**

Oslo S – Ringebu: Wagon 2, seats 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76,

77, 78, 79, 80

Train Group 1: Kjersti, Drago, Andre, Herman, Jin (Wagon 4, seat 57, 58, 59, 60, 61)

Train Group 2: Francesco, Leif, Kasper, Junior, Egon, Knut Are, Vegard, Saskia, SeHyouun, Ingomar (Wagon 2, seat 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69)

Train Egon: Wagon 2, seat 70

Train Gunnar: Wagon 3, seat 34

*Train reservation code: 254410378*

## **Team competition** (Monday evening – ‘\*’ for team captains)

Team A: Kasper\*, Ingomar, Sigurd

Team B: Junior\*, Andre, Jin, Leif

Team C: Egon\*, Francesco, Vegard, Drago

Team D: SeHyouun\*, Gunnar, Knut Are, Herman