

CEPII -CESIFO-DIW-OFCE Conference 15-16 June 2017

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Thursday 15 June

12:30-13:25 Lunch

13:25-13:30 **Welcome address: Prof. Marcel Fratzscher, PhD**

13:30-14:30 **Keynote speech: Philipp Steinberg (Federal Ministry for Economic Affairs and Energy):**
"The future of the Eurozone - on wrong alternatives and incremental reforms"

14:30-14:45 Coffee break

14:45-16:15 **Session 1: Institutional reforms of the EU and the Eurozone**

Presentation 1: How to handle the crisis in Greece? Empirical evidence based on a survey of economics experts, Niklas Potrafke (ifo)

Presentation 2: Anne-Laure Delatte and Christophe Destais (CEPII)

Discussion: *Xavier Timbeau (OFCE)*

Moderation: DIW (t.b.a.)

16:15-16:45 Coffee break

16:45-18:15 **Panel: The populist upturn - Implications for the European and the world economy**

Participants: The presidents of the four institutes

19:30 Dinner

Friday 16 June

09:00-10:00 Press conference

10:00-10:15 Coffee break

10:15-11:45 **Session 2: Monetary policy: The pending exit from the zero interest rate policy – when and how?**

Presentation 1: Nikolay Hristov (ifo)

Presentation 2: The pending exit from unconventional monetary policy – why, when and how?
Christophe Blot (OFCE)

Discussion: Simon Junker (DIW)

Moderation: CEPII

11:45-12:00 Coffee break

12:00-13:30 **Session 3: Euro area business cycle (e.g. recovery after the crisis, implications of Brexit, implications of US protectionism)**

Presentation 1: Managing macroeconomic imbalances and public finances in the euro area: a dilemma?, Jerome Creel (OFCE)

Presentation 2: Fiscal Policy in a Recession, Philipp Engler (DIW)

Discussion: Christophe Destais (CEPII)

Moderation: ifo (t.b.a.)

13:30-14:30 Lunch

14:30-16:00 **Session 4: Bank Supervision, Regulation and Capital Markets Union in the euro area**

Presentation 1: European Financial Markets: Current Developments and Challenges for Stability,
Franziska Bremus and Philipp König (DIW)

Presentation 2: Christophe Destais and Fabien Tripier (CEPII)

Discussion: ifo (t.b.a.)

Moderation: Bruno Ducoudré (OFCE)

16:00 -16:15 Conference Summary: DIW