

2025 A. Stockman University of Rochester Alumni Conference
(208 Harkness)

Thursday, September 25

7:30 pm Dinner at Grappa (faculty/alumni)

Friday, September 26

8:45 am Welcome Refreshments

9:15 am Opening Remarks

9:25 am Session I

9:25 am - 9:50 am: Yajie Wang – Do Financial Frictions Explain Chinese Firms' Misallocation

9:50 am – 10:15 am: Min Fang – Sex and the City: Spatial Structural Changes and the Marriage Market

10:15 am – 10:40 am: Coffee Break

10:40 am Session II

10:40 am – 11:05 am: Stepan Gordeev – Reaching the Novice or Nudging the Expert? Networks, Information, and the Experimental Returns to Migration

11:05 am - 11:30 am: Eunmi Ko – Hidden Hawkish-Dovish Factor in Monetary Policy Function

11:30 am - 1:15 pm: Lunch on campus

1:15 pm Session III

1:15 pm - 1:40 pm: Carter Mix – Trade Wars and Rumors of Trade Wars

1:40 pm - 2:05 pm: Chang Liu – World Financial Cycles and Global Trade

2:05 pm - 2:50 pm: Stockman Picture and Coffee Break

2:50 pm Session IV

2:50 pm - 3:15 pm: Chengyuan He – BKK Meets Romer: International Business Cycles in a Knowledge Economy

3:15 pm - 3:40 pm: Oscar Avila – The Macroeconomics of Gender Equality: Reducing Taste-Based Discrimination in a Developing Economy

3:40 pm - 4:05 pm: Gonzalo Castex – Anticipation Automation: Effects on Earnings and Human Capital

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4:05 pm - 4:25 pm: Coffee Break

4:25 pm - 5:25 pm: Marianna Kudlyak (San Francisco Fed)

6:00 pm Soccer: Alumni vs. Students ([North Field](#) at 500 Wilson Blvd) or Evening Run

8:00 pm Dinner at Aladdin's Natural Eatery (Pittsford)

Saturday, September 27

9:00 am Welcome Refreshments

9:25 am Session V

9:25 am - 9:50 am: Paulo de Carvalho Lins – Human Capital, Job Ladders and Life-Cycle Labor Supply

9:50 am - 10:15 am: Viviane Sanfelice – The Long-Run Effects of Maternal Labor Supply on Children: Evidence from Bunching

10:15 am – 10:40 am: Lorenz Ekerdt – The Role of R&D Factors in Economic Growth

10:40 am – 11:00am: Coffee Break

11:00 am Session VI

11:00 am - 11:25 am: Roman Merga – The Macroeconomic Consequences of Export Value-Added Tax Rebates

11:25 am - 11:50 am: Victor Hernandez – Fighting Income Inequality with International Trade

11:50 am - 1:15 pm: Lunch on campus (catered by Dinosaur BBQ)

1:15 pm – 2:15 pm: Juan Sanchez (St. Louis Fed)

2:15 pm Adjourn

Co-Organizers: Carter Mix (Federal Reserve Board) and Shafaat Khan (Syracuse)