Pre-Conference Workshop on Economics of Obesity  
Sunday 14th July  
Venue: Kollegienhaus - Horsaal 116

Programme

0820-0840: Arrival and registration

0840-0850: Introductions and plans for the day

MORNING SESSION: DRAWING ON MULTI-COUNTRY EXPERIENCES

0850-0910: Estimating the Lifetime Benefits of Childhood Obesity Interventions: A Dynamic Microsimulation Model. **Presenter:** Gabriella Conti

0910-0930: Do consumers respond to “sin taxes” heterogeneously? New evidence from the tax on sugary drinks using retailer scanner data. **Presenter:** Toni Mora

0930-0950: Intergenerational Transmission of Body Mass in Australia. **Presenter:** Alfredo Paloyo

0950-1000: Q&A/Discussion

1000-1030: COFFEE/TEA BREAK

1030-1050: The Hidden Role of Piped Water in the Prevention of Obesity. Experimental and Non-Experimental Evidence from Developing Countries. **Presenter:** Patricia Ritter

1050-1110: The social return on investment of ‘the Healthy Primary School of the Future’ initiative. **Presenter:** Marije Oosterhoff

1110-1200: Small group work

1200-1300: LUNCH

AFTERNOON SESSION: ECR/PHD RESEARCH

(10 min discussion from senior economist, 10 min Q&A from floor)

1300-1320: Heterogenous peer effects in body weight, physical activity and dietary choices: does type of peers matter? **Author:** Ivan Tzintzun. **Discussant:** Bruce Hollingsworth

1320-1340: Bariatric Surgery is a Cost-saving Treatment for Obesity – A Comprehensive Meta-Analysis and Updated Systematic Review of the Health Economic Evaluation of Bariatric Surgery. **Author:** Qing Xia. **Discussant:** TBC

1340-1400: The causal effect of body mass index on inpatient hospital costs: Genetic instrumental variable (Mendelian Randomization) analysis of the UK Biobank cohort. **Author:** Padraig Dixon. **Discussant:** John Cullinan
1400-1420  Cost-effectiveness of the CHIRPY DRAGON obesity prevention intervention in Chinese primary school-aged children: A cluster-randomised controlled trial. **Author:** Mandana Zanganeh. **Discussant:** Alison Hayes

1420-1430  Q&A/Discussion

1430-1500  COFFEE/TEA BREAK

1500-1520  The potential of fiscal policy to curb overweight and obesity in Colombia. **Author:** Andres I. Vecino-Ortiz. **Discussant:** TBC (Laura Cornelson – provisional)

1520-1540  Utility values for economic evaluation of obesity interventions in children and adolescents. **Author:** Anagha Killedar. **Discussant:** Emma Frew

1540-1550  Q&A/Discussion

1550-1630  Reflections on the day