

URPE at EEA 2008, Boston

Friday, March 7, 11:00am

[21] INTERNATIONAL DIMENSIONS OF CENTRAL BANKING AND CAPITAL ACCUMULATION (JEL Codes F, G)

First of Three Sessions Sponsored by the Union for Radical Political Economics (URPE)

Session Organizer and Chair: Scott Carter, The University of Tulsa

The Evolution of Central Banking in Venezuela: The Venezuelan Central Bank as a Constraint On or Opportunity for Heterodox Policies

Hasan Comert , University of Massachusetts, Amherst

Currency Crises in the U.S., Asia, and Latin America: Review and Comparisons

MarieDuggan, Keene State University

The Impact of Capital Inflows on Private Accumulation in the Presences of Real Exchange Rate Uncertainty: A Time-Series Analysis of Turkish Experience in Post-Capital Account Liberalization Period

Degar Eryar, University of Massachusetts, Amherst

Discussants:

Anil Duman, Central European University

Scott Carter , The University of Tulsa

Ramaa Vasudevan , Colorado State University

Friday, March 7, 2:00pm

[45] CRISES IN FINANCIAL AND LABOR MARKETS (JEL Codes F, J)

Second of Three Sessions Sponsored by the Union for Radical Political Economics (URPE)

Session Organizer: Scott Carter, The University of Tulsa

Session Chair: MarieDuggan, Keene State University

The Floating Dollar Standard: Financialization and the Role of Credit Money in International Settlements

Ramaa Vasudevan, Colorado State University

Unemployment Insurance and Labor Market Characteristics: An Analysis Over Time

Anil Duman, Central European University

“Sustainable” Speculative Bubbles and Crisis Endogeneity

Iren Levina, University of Massachusetts, Amherst

Discussants:

MarieDuggan, Keene State University

Scott Carter, The University of Tulsa

Hasan Comert, University of Massachusetts, Amherst

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[62] TOPICS IN POLITICAL ECONOMY (JEL Code B)

Third of Three Sessions Sponsored by the Union for Radical Political Economics (URPE)

Session Organizer: Scott Carter, The University of Tulsa

Session Chair: Anil Duman, Central European University

The Micro-Macro Synthesis in Veblen’s Institutional Economics

Tae-Hee Jo, Buffalo State College

The Life and Works of C.E. Ferguson

Scott Carter, The University of Tulsa

Progress in the Development of an Internet Simulation Macro Model Based on the Marxist Labor Theory of Value

Victor Kasper, Buffalo State College

Discussants:

MarieDuggan, Keene State University
RamaaVasudevan , Colorado State University
Scott Carter , The University of Tulsa