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Radisson Royal Hotel, 49/2, Nevsky prospect

Conference Program

25.08.2014 (Monday):

9-30 – 12-00: Registration.

9-30 – 10-00: Morning Coffee.

10-00 – 12-00: **Plenary session** (session chair – Sergey Kichko).

10-00: **Kristian Behrens** (joint with Théophile Bougna and Mark Brown) «The Determinants of Agglomeration Redux: Transportation, Trade, and Input-Output Linkages»

11-00: **Federico Trionfetti** «Comparative Skill Premia».

12-00 – 12-30: Coffee break.

12-30 – 14-30: **Plenary session** (session chair – Kristian Behrens).

12-30: **Rainald Borck** (joint with Michael Pflüger) «Green cities: Urbanization, trade and the environment».

13-30: **Yasusada Murata** (joint with Ryo Nakajima and Ryuichi Tamura) «Testing for localization using micro-geographic data: A new approach».

14-30 – 16-00: Lunch (Restaurant Barbazan, Radisson Royal Hotel).

16-00 – 18-00: **Parallel Sessions**

	Session A: <i>Monopolistic Competition Theory</i>	Session B: <i>Urban and Regional economics</i>
16-00 – 16-40	Maxim Goryunov, Sergey Kokovin , Takatoshi Tabuchi «Spatial Monopolistic Competition and Clusters: Chamberlin and Hotelling Bridged».	Alexis Belianin , Dmitry Korzun, Lada Savina «Choosing transportation mode: structural modeling of preferences of the muscovites for public and private transport».
16-40 – 17-20	Dmitry Pokrovsky Alexander Shapoval «Influence of migrants onto the share of the entrepreneurs under monopolistic competition approach».	Sacha Sardadvar «A model of price setting in regional duopolies based on consumer loyalty: Theory and evidence from the Austrian newspaper industry».
17-20 – 18-00	Mathieu Parenti «Large and small firms in a global market: David vs. Goliath»	Pavel Chakraborty «Environmental Standards and Trade: Evidence from a Natural Experiment».

19-00 – **Gala Dinner** (Restaurant Barbazan, Radisson Royal Hotel).

26.08.2014 (Tuesday):

9-30 – 12-00: Registration.

9-30 – 10-00: Morning Coffee.

10-00 – 12-00: **Parallel sessions.**

	Session C: International trade	Session D: Oligopoly theory
10-00 – 10-40	<p>Natalia Ayzenberg, Sergey Kokovin, Evgeny Zhelobodko</p> <p>«Bilateral import tariffs under monopolistic competition: impact on welfare».</p>	<p>Marina Sandomirskaya</p> <p>«On a strategic motivation of tacit collusion: weakening of the Nash equilibrium concept».</p>
10-40 – 11-20	<p>Alexander Osharin, Valery Verbus</p> <p>«Heterogeneous consumers in the trade model of monopolistic competition».</p>	<p>Mathieu Parenti, Alexander Sidorov, Jacques-Francois Thisse</p> <p>«Cournot and Bertrand meet Ford: General Equilibrium with Oligopoly».</p>
11-20 – 12-00	<p>Francesco Di Comite, Antonella Nocco, Gianluca Orifice</p> <p>«Tariff reductions, trade patterns and the wage gap in a monopolistic competition model with vertical linkages».</p>	<p>Dmitry Levando</p> <p>«Duopoly with quality differentiation – mixed strategies equilibrium».</p>

12-00 – 12-30: Coffee break.

12-30 – 14-30: **Parallel sessions.**

	Session E: Economic Geography	Session F: Market Structure Studies
12-30 – 13-10	Vera Ivanova «Spatial interaction of Russian cities: an empirical study».	Denis Ivanov «Transition and path-dependence in knowledge-intensive industry location: case of the Russian professional services».
13-10 – 13-50	José Gaspar, João Correia-da-Silva, Sofia B. S. D. Castro «A simple, multi-regional agglomeration model».	Kristian Behrens, Sergey Kichko, Philip Ushchev «Trade liberalization and increasing markups: a general equilibrium approach».
13-50 – 14-30	Christian Ghiglini, Antonella Nocco «When Veblen meets Krugman».	Daniil Engels «Intensity of R&D competition and asymmetric vertical integration».

14-30 – 16-00: Lunch (Restaurant Barbazan, Radisson Royal Hotel).

16-00 – 18-00: **Plenary Session** (session chair – Jacques Thisse).

16-00: **Gabriel Ahlfeldt** (joint with Pantelis Koutroumpis and Tommaso Valletti) «Speed 2.0. Evaluating access to universal digital highways».

17-00: **Masahisa Fujita** (joint with Marcus Berliant) «The Fine Microstructure of Knowledge Creation Dynamics: Inventing a Robot Economist?».