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wir freuen uns, Sie per Newsletter über die neuesten Entwicklungen des FIW-Projekts informieren zu dürfen.

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2. Call for Papers – 7. FIW-Forschungskonferenz

Der Forschungsschwerpunkt Internationale Wirtschaft – FIW veranstaltet am **12. Und 13. Dezember 2014** gemeinsam mit dem Institut für Ost- und Südosteuropaforschung (IOS), dem ifo Institut, der Universität Ljubljana und der Hungarian Academy of Sciences (MTA KRTK) die 7. Forschungskonferenz "International Economics". Theoretische, empirische sowie wirtschaftspolitische Arbeiten sind herzlich willkommen (JEL Codes F, O).

Einreichfrist:	30. September 2014
Veranstaltungsort:	WU (Wirtschaftsuniversität Wien) Welthandelsplatz 1, 1020 Wien
Kontakt:	FIW Projektbüro (fiw-pb@fiw.at)
Keynote Lecture:	Prof. Elhanan Helpman (Harvard University)

Besonders junge ForscherInnen werden ermutigt, ihre Arbeiten vorzustellen. Der beste Konferenzbeitrag sowie der beste Beitrag einer/eines jungen Forscherin/Forschers werden mit **jeweils 1.000 Euro** prämiert.

Diese Konferenz bietet jungen ÖkonomInnen die Möglichkeit in einer offenen Atmosphäre, mit ExpertInnen aus dem Bereich „International Economics“, über Ihre Forschung zu diskutieren.

Die Teilnahme an der Konferenz ist kostenlos.

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<http://www.fiw.ac.at>

Reminder: FIW-Seminar in International Economics am 17. September 2014

Das FIW bietet regelmäßig Vorlesungen in Form eines Seminars in "International Economics" an.

Ort: wiiw Wiener Institut für Internationale Wirtschaftsvergleiche, Rahlgasse 3, 1060 Wien

Wednesday, September 17th, 4 pm

wiiw, Rahlgasse 3, 1060 Vienna, lecture hall (entrance from the ground floor)

Gains from Deep Trade Integration: The Case of the Transatlantic Trade and Investment Partnership

Gabriel Felbermayr (with Rahel Aichele and Inga Heiland)
ifo Institut and LMU München

Abstract

Since July 2013, the EU and the US are negotiating a comprehensive and ambitious agreement that has the objective of fostering transatlantic trade and investment. Simulations of the potential economic impact of such a Transatlantic Trade and Investment Partnership (TTIP) have led to diverging results due to differences in methods and in scenarios. In this paper, we propose to structurally estimate a new multi-industry quantitative trade model and to simulate the trade and welfare effects of a fully implemented TTIP. In doing so, we seek consistence with existing CGE-based approaches, but we apply a top-down approach to the treatment of non-tariff measures (NTMs). We find welfare effects that are comparable to those obtained in structurally estimated single-sector models and that are substantially higher than those obtained when using a bottom-up treatment of NTMs.

Keywords: Structural gravity, free trade agreements

JEL Classification: F13, F14, F17

This seminar series is an activity in the framework of FIW ('Forschungsschwerpunkt Internationale Wirtschaft'), which is a project designed to build a center of excellence in research on International Economics, funded by the Austrian Ministry of Science, Research and Economy (BMWFW).

The seminar programme is regularly updated. Please visit our website for the current version of the programme at:

<http://wiiw.ac.at/fiw-wiiw-seminars-in-international-economics-es-6.html>

<http://www.fiw.ac.at/index.php?id=748>

(Papers and Powerpoint presentations, as far as available, are posted on our homepage after the respective seminars.)

Mit freundlichen Grüßen,
Alexander Hudetz
FIW - Projektbüro

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Dear Ladies and Gentlemen!

We are glad to inform you about the latest news on the FIW project.

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2nd Call for Papers – 7th FIW-Research Conference

The Research Centre International Economics - FIW announces its 7th Research Conference, taking place on **December 12-13 2014**, that is jointly organized with the Institute for East and Southeast European Studies (IOS) Regensburg, the Ifo Institute, the University of Ljubljana and the Hungarian Academy of Sciences (MTA KRTK). Theoretical, empirical and policy-oriented contributions in the fields of 'International Economics' (JEL Codes F and or O) are welcome.

Submission Deadline: **September 30, 2014**
Venue: **WU (Vienna University of Economics and Business),**
 Welthandelsplatz 1, 1020 Wien
Contact: **FIW Project Office (fiw-pb@fiw.at)**
Keynote Lecture: **Prof. Elhanan Helpman (Harvard University)**

The conference encourages especially young economists to participate. There will be a '**Best Conference Paper Award 14**' and a '**Young Economist Award 14**' of **€ 1000** for each award.

The conference offers young economists the opportunity to interact in a dynamic and open atmosphere and to discuss their research ideas with experts in the field of 'International Economics'.

Attendance is free.

For detailed information please visit our homepage
<http://www.fiw.ac.at>

Reminder: FIW-Seminar in International Economics: September 17th, 2014

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