

Workshop: Technological Change, Employment and Skills. June 7, 2021

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Moderator: [Michaella Vanore](#) (UNU-MERIT & GLO)

14:00 Opening Remarks

Welcome: [Neil Foster-McGregor](#) (Deputy Director, UNU-MERIT)

Introduction: [Klaus F. Zimmermann](#) (UNU-MERIT, Maastricht University & GLO; Editor of the “Handbook of Labor, Human Resources and Population Economics”)

14:15 Aims and Scope

[Marco Vivarelli](#) (Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore & GLO; Editor of the Section: “Technological Changes and the Labor Market”)

14:30 Technology and Work: Key Stylized Facts for the Digital Age

[Mario Pianta](#) (Scuola Normale Superiore & GLO)

14:45 Innovation, Technology Adoption and Employment: Evidence Synthesis

[Mehmet Ugur](#) (University of Greenwich)

15:00 Innovation, Employment, and the Business Cycle

[Bernhard Dachs](#) (AIT Austrian Institute of Technology)

15:15 Technological Innovations and Labor Demand Using Linked Firm-Level Data

[Eva Hagsten](#) (University of Iceland)

15:30 General Discussion Introduced by [Alessio Brown](#) (UNU-MERIT & GLO)

16:00 Coffee/Tea Break

16:15 AI and Robotics Innovation

[Daniele Vertesy](#) (Joint Research Center & GLO)

16:30 Robots at Work: Automatable and Non-automatable Jobs

[Grace Lordan](#) (LSE)

16:45 Why do Employees Participate in Innovations? Skills and Organisational Design Issues and the Ongoing Technological Transformation

[Nathalie Greenan](#) (Conservatoire National des Arts et Métiers & GLO)

17:00 Skill-Sets for Prospective Careers of Highly Qualified Labor

[Dirk Meissner](#) (HSE University)

17:15 Quantity and Quality of Work in the Platform Economy

[Dario Guarascio](#) (Sapienza University of Rome & GLO)

17:30 General Discussion Introduced by [Pierre Mohnen](#) (UNU-MERIT & GLO)

18:00 Conclusions

Marco Vivarelli and Klaus F. Zimmermann