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# Back to Macro

## Alumni Workshop of the Macroeconomics Department

Thursday, December 17, 2026 · DIW Berlin, Anton-Wilhelm-Amo-Straße 58, 10117 Berlin

*Each talk: 30 minutes (approx. 25 min presentation, 5 min Q&A)*

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| 09:30 – 10:00 | Registration and coffee |
| 10:00 – 10:10 | Welcome — Alexander Kriwoluzky (DIW Berlin) |
| **10:10 – 11:10** | **Session 1** |
| 10:10 – 10:40 | **Anna Gibert** Bocconi University<br>*Debt Market Concentration, Selective Leniency and Credit Ratings* |
| 10:40 – 11:10 | **Stefan Gebauer** European Central Bank<br>*A Central Bank Balance Sheet Macro Model for the Euro Area* |
| 11:10 – 11:30 | *Coffee break* |
| **11:30 – 12:30** | **Session 2** |
| 11:30 – 12:00 | **Kristin Trautmann** DIW Berlin<br>*Catch Me If You Can: Technological Catch-Up, Innovation, and the Second China Shock* |
| 12:00 – 12:30 | **Mahmut S. İpek** Bilkent University<br>*A Conductive Measure of Chinese Monetary Policy* |
| 12:30 – 13:30 | *Lunch* |
| **13:30 – 14:15** | **Poster Session: DIW Doctoral Researchers (with coffee)** |
| | Nina Brehl · Alina Ermolaeva · Nadja Kockrow · Jo-Ya Kung · Marie Rullière · Ines Weyland · Jana Wittich |
| **14:15 – 15:15** | **Session 3** |
| 14:15 – 14:45 | **Pablo Anaya Longaric** European Central Bank<br>*From Brussels to Bangkok: How Investment Funds Transmit Financial Spillovers* |
| 14:45 – 15:15 | **Gökhan Ider** Banco de España<br>*Fiscal Policy Transmission: High-Frequency Evidence* |
| 15:15 – 15:35 | *Coffee break* |
| **15:35 – 16:35** | **Session 4** |
| 15:35 – 16:05 | **Frederik Kurcz** University of Bonn<br>*One Money, Many Fiscal Policies – Evidence from the Euro Area* |
| 16:05 – 16:35 | **Catalina Martinez Hernandez** European Central Bank<br>*Beware of large shocks! A non-parametric structural inflation model* |
| 16:35 – 16:45 | Closing remarks |
| **17:00 – 18:00** | **How to Publish — Workshop for young female researchers with Evi Pappa (Universidad Carlos III de Madrid)** |
| **evening** | **Conference dinner (invitation only; time and venue tba)** |

*The Macroeconometric Workshop follows on Friday, December 18, 2026.*