Workshop

**European banking landscape between diversity, competition and concentration**

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DIW Berlin, Joan Robinson, Room 3.3.002 ABC, Mohrenstr. 58, 10117 Berlin

**Program**

9.30 – 9.35   Dorothea Schäfer: Welcome

9.35 - 10.35 Uhr   **Keynote 1: Diversity in Finance: An Overview**
R.H. Schmidt (Goethe University Frankfurt)

**Keynote 2: Bank business models and financial stability**
Rym Ayadi (Cass Business School, London)

10.35 – 10.45   Break

10.45 – 11.15   Giovanni Ferri (LUMSA Rome) and Doris Neuberger (University of Rostock): How does Banking Diversity Fit in the General Vision Inspiring the Joint Process of Banking Union and Capital Markets Union?

11.15 – 11.45  Andreas Bley (BVR): Limited diversity – business models of German cooperative banks

11.45 – 12.45  **Lunchtime**

12.45 – 13.15  Horst Gischer (University of Magdeburg) and Christian Ilchmann (University of Magdeburg): Banking Sector Diversity and Socioeconomic Structure – Criteria for Matching Pairs

13.15 – 13.45  Franz Flögel (IAT) and Stefan Gärtner (IAT): Lost Diversity - Business lending in the centralized banking system of the UK

13.45 – 14.00  Break

14.00 – 14.30  Mechthild Schrooten (HSB): Finance and growth – reconsidered

14.30 – 15.00  Christopher F Baum (Boston College and DIW Berlin), Caterina Forti Grazzini (DIW Berlin) and Dorothea Schäfer (DIW Berlin): Bank stability and banking sector diversity – Evidence from bank-level data of EU countries

15.00 – 15.15  Break


15.45 – 17.00  Panel Discussion with
Rym Ayadi, Horst Gischer, Hans Helmut Kotz, Karl-Peter Schackmann-Fallis, Reinhardt H. Schmidt (Moderation: Dorothea Schäfer)

17.00   End of Workshop

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