



**Economic and Social Consequences of Industrial Restructuring in Russia and Ukraine**  
**Final Conference**  
**29-30 October 2009**

State University – Higher School of Economics  
Myasnitskaya ulitsa 20, 101000 Moscow

**Organizers:** Vladimir Gimpelson (CLMS, Higher School of Economics) and Hartmut Lehmann (University of Bologna and IZA)

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**Thursday 29 October 2009**

09.45 – 10.00 **Welcome by Sergey Shishkin (Vice-Rector, Higher School of Economics) and Tilman Brück (DIW Berlin and Humboldt University Berlin)**

**Morning Session: Chair: Tilman Brück (DIW and Humboldt University Berlin)**

10.00 – 11.00 **David Brown (Census Bureau and Heriot-Watt University)**, John S. Earle (Upjohn Institute and Central European University), Hanna Vakhitova (Kiev School of Economics) and Vitaliy Zheka (Kiev School of Economics)  
Innovation, Adoption, Ownership, and Productivity: Evidence from Ukraine

11.00 – 12.00 Vladimir Gimpelson, **Rostislaw Kapeliushnikov** and Anna Lukyanova (CLMS, Higher School of Economics)  
Stuck between Surplus and Shortage: Demand for Skills in the Russian Manufacturing Sector

12.00 – 13.00 Thomas Dohmen (ROA, Maastricht University and IZA), Melanie Khamis (IZA) and **Hartmut Lehmann (University of Bologna and IZA)**  
Risk Attitudes, Time Preferences and the Incidence of Informality: Evidence from a Transition Country

13.00 – 14.00 *Lunch*

**Afternoon Session: Chair: Rostislav Kapeliushnikov (CLMS, Higher School of Economics)**

14.00 – 15.00 **Alexander Muravyev (IZA)** and Lena Koerber (University Pompeu Fabra)  
Employer-Provided Training during Transition: Empirical Evidence from Ukraine

15.00 – 16.00 **Hartmut Lehmann (University of Bologna and IZA)** and Jonathan Wadsworth (Royal Holloway College and CEP, LSE)  
The Impact of Chernobyl on Health and Labour Market Performance in the Ukraine

16.00 – 16.15 *Coffee Break*

16.15 – 17.15 **Tatyana Karabchuk (CLMS, Higher School of Economics)**  
Standard and Non-Standard Employment: How Large is the Wage Gap?

17.15 – 18.00 **Carlos Bozzoli (DIW Berlin)** and Tilman Brück (DIW Berlin and Humboldt University Berlin)  
The Orange Revolution

### **Social Event**

18.00 -18.45 **Chamber concert performed by David Brown (violin) and John Earle (piano)**

**Friday            30 October 2009**

**Morning Session: Chair: Hartmut Lehmann (University of Bologna and IZA)**

10.00 – 11.00 David Brown (Census Bureau and Heriot-Watt University) and **John S. Earle (Upjohn Institute and Central European University)**  
Understanding the Contributions of Reallocation to Aggregate Productivity Growth

11.00 – 12.00 Marek Góra (Warsaw School of Economics and CASE), Oleksandr Rohozynsky (CASE), Irina Sinitsina (CASE) and **Mateusz Walewski (CASE)**  
The Social Security Driven Tax Wedge and Its Effects on Employment and Shadow Employment

12.00 – 13.00 **Vladimir Gimpelson**, Rostislav Kapeliushnikov, and Anna Lukyanova (CLMS, Higher School of Economics)  
Employment Protection Legislation in Russia: Regional Enforcement and Labour Market Outcomes

13.00 – 14.00 *Lunch*

**Afternoon Session: Chair: John Earle (Upjohn Institute and Central European University)**

14.00 – 15.00 **Inna Maltseva** and Daria Nesterova (Higher School of Economics and Urals State University)  
Within-Firm Gender Segregation

15.00 – 16.00 Hartmut Lehmann and **Anzelika Zaiceva** (University of Bologna and IZA)  
The Evolution of Labor Relations inside a Russian Firm during Transition: Evidence from Personell Data

16.00 – 16.15 *Coffee Break*

16.15 – 17.15 **Yana Roshchina (Department of Sociology, Higher School of Economics)**  
Accessibility of Professional Education

17.15 – 18.15 **Volodymyr Paniotto (Kiev International Institute of Sociology)**  
The Impact of the Financial and Economic Crisis on Poverty in Ukraine

18.15 – 18.30 **Concluding remarks by the organizers**