

**JOINT RESEARCH WORKSHOP OF
NORGES BANK AND DEUTSCHE BUNDESBANK**

20 April 2016 in Frankfurt/M. at the Bundesbank, room: Kleiner Sitzungssaal West

9:00-9:50 *Has the Fed responded to house and stock prices? A time-varying analysis*
(K.A. Aastveit, F. Furlanetto*, F. Loria)
Discussant: S. Eickmeier

9:50-10:40 *Inflation expectations, disagreement and monetary policy* (M. Hoffmann*, P. Hürtgen)
Discussant: D. Bergholt

10:40-11:00 **Coffee break**

11:00-11:50 *Financial shocks and inflation* (A. Abbate, S. Eickmeier*, E. Prieto)
Discussant: F. Furlanetto

11:50-12:40 *Business cycles in commodity economies* (D. Bergholt*, V.H. Larsen)
Discussant: A. Kadow

12:40-13:50 **Lunch (Kardinalssaal, 13th floor, Bundesbank)**

13:50-14:40 *Forecasting commodity currencies: the role of fundamentals with short-lived predictive content* (C. Foroni*, F. Ravazzolo, P.J. Ribeiro)
Discussant: T. Götz

14:40-15:30 *What's the probability of deflation in the euro area? Evaluating path forecast densities with weighted scores* (I. Pirschel, C. Schumacher*)
Discussant: L.A. Thorsrud

15:30-15:50 **Coffee Break**

15:50-16:40 *Forecast uncertainty, disagreement, and linear pools of density forecasts* (M. Knüppel*, F. Krüger)
Discussant: C. Foroni

16:40-17:30 *Words are the news numbers. A newsy coincident index of business cycles*
(L.A. Thorsrud*)
Discussant: C. Schumacher

18:30-... **Dinner (Chairs, Gronauer Str. 1, 60385 Frankfurt/M., phone: +49 (0)69 484469, www.chairsffm.de)**

Further information:

Time for presenters and discussants are 30 and 10 minutes, respectively. Time for general discussion is 10 minutes.

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