



Seminar (Master)
**Current Topics in Public Economics:
Changing Contours of International Economic Interdependence**
Summer 2023

Topics

1. Global Value Chains (GVCs) as a Development Engine

World Trade Organization, 2019, *Technological Innovation, Supply Chain Trade, and Workers in a Globalized World*, Global Value Chain Development Report 2019, Geneva, Chapter 4.

2. Effects of GVCs on Workers in Advanced Countries

David H. Autor, David Dorn, and Gordon H. Hanson, 2016, The China Shock: Learning from Labor-Market Adjustment to Large Changes in Trade, *Annual Review of Economics* 8, 205–40.

World Trade Organization, 2019, *Technological Innovation, Supply Chain Trade, and Workers in a Globalized World*, Global Value Chain Development Report 2019, Geneva, Chapter 2.

3. Effects of GVCs on Workers in Developing Countries

Dani Rodrik, *New Technologies, Global Value Chains, and the Developing Economies*, Pathways for Prosperity Commission Background Paper Series no. 1, Oxford, United Kingdom.

World Trade Organization, 2019, *Technological Innovation, Supply Chain Trade, and Workers in a Globalized World*, Global Value Chain Development Report 2019, Geneva, Chapter 3.

4. Challenges to Tax Collection from GVCs

Michael P. Devereux, 2008, Business Taxation in a Globalized World, *Oxford Review of Economic Policy* 24, 625-638.

5. The Impact of Trade Wars in a Globalized World

Pablo D. Fajgelbaum and Amit K. Khandelwal, 2022, The Economic Impacts of the US-China Trade War, *Annual Review of Economics* 14, 205-228.

6. Climate Policy in a Globalized World

William Nordhaus, 2015, Climate Clubs: Overcoming Free-riding in International Climate Policy, *American Economic Review* 105, 1339–1370.

7. Multilateral Bargaining and International Conflict

Robert Powell, 2002, Bargaining Theory and International Conflict, *Annual Review of Political Science* 5, 1-30.

Background paper: McKinsey Global Institute, 2022, *Global Flows: The Ties that Bind in an Interconnected World*, Discussion Paper, London.

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Time Line

Enrollment / allocation of topics: April 18, 2023, 4 pm (place: tba)

Seminar with presentations: May 25-26, 2023

Submission of seminar paper: June 30, 2023

Grading

Seminar paper (60% of final grade)

The seminar paper should clearly state the research question, provide seminar participants with an overview of the main results and elaborate on the methods used in the research papers.

Presentation (40% of final grade):

Each participant is going to present his/her seminar paper to the other participants and act as a discussant for one of the other presentations.

Enrolment in HISQIS

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