



GDR *WKS* 2989



International Workshop

**FIRM PRODUCTIVITY,
TRADE AND DEVELOPMENT**

Provisional Program
(as of June 18, subject to change)

Day 1: Wednesday 8th of July

10:30-10:45 Registration

10:45-11:00 Opening Speech

Thierry Paul (Dean of Faculty), Gilles Nancy (Director of DEFI), Patrick Plane (Director of CERDI, representing GDR) and JL Reiffers (Femise & DEFI)

11:00-12:15 **Keynote Speech:** Jacques Mairesse (CREST, Maastricht University and Banque de France)

The Importance of R&D and Innovation for Productivity: A Re-examination in Light of the 2000 French Innovation Survey

12:15-13:15 Lunch

13:15-15:00 **Session 1. Developed countries (1)**

Chairman: P. Plane

Discussant: R. Lecat

R. Kneller (Nottingham University)

F. Daveri (University of Parme) & M.L. Parisi (University of Brescia)

M. DAVIS, P. Augier (DEFI, University of Mediterranean), O. Cadot (University of Lausanne)

15:00-16:45 **Session 2. Developed countries (2)**

Chairman: M. Gasiorek

Discussant: P. Musso

P.Ph. Combes (GREQAM, CNRS)

G. Cette (Banque de France & DEFI) & J. Lopez (Banque de France & GREQAM)

S. Dougherty, S. Ben Yahmed (OECD)

16:45-17:00 Coffee break

17:00-18:45 **Session 3. Developed countries (3)**

Chairman: G. Cette

Discussant: F. Daveri

G. Nicoletti (OECD)

F. Bellone (University of Nice), P. Musso (University of Savoie), L. Nesta (OFCE) & S. Schiavo (University of Trento)

R. Lecat (Banque de France), P.A. Chevalier (Banque de France) & N. Oulton (LSE)

20:00 Diner Restaurant Le Passage, Aix-en-Provence

Day 2: Thursday 9th of July

8:30-8:45 Registration

8:45-10:30 **Session 4. Developing/Emerging countries**

Chairman: JL Reiffers (to be confirmed)

Discussant: R. Kneller

L. Iacavone (Banque Mondiale)

Ch. Muller (University of Marne La Vallee)

K. Yilmaz (Koç University)

10:30-10:45 Coffee break

10:45-13:15 **Session 5. Mediterranean countries (1)**

Chairman: F. Blanc

Discussant: L. Iacavone

P. Plane (CERDI, University of Auvergne), M. Chaffai (University of Sfax)

M. Gasiorek (CARIS, Sussex University), P. Augier (DEFI, University of

Mediterranee & G. Varela (CARIS, Sussex University)

13:15-14:15 Lunch

14:15-16:00 **Session 6. Mediterranean countries (2)**

Chairman: P. Augier

Discussant: Mohamed Chaffai (to be confirmed)

J. Bouiyour (University of Pau) & S. Mouley (University of Tunis)

S. Ghali (University of 7 November, Carthage, Tunisia)

F. Mourji (Economics Faculty, LASAARE, Morocco)

16:00-16:15 Coffee break

16:15-17:00 Closing Remarks

JJ Reiffers, Gilbert Cette, J. Mairesse (to be confirmed)