



24th, 25th and 26th of November 2020

South African Macroeconomic Network

1st Annual Workshop

(Virtual Workshop)

**New Data, New Methods, New Models for
Monetary Policy**

Announcement

The South African Macroeconomic Network 1st Annual Workshop will explore innovations in data, modelling and forecasting tools for Central Banking in emerging countries.

Themes of the workshop

- Micro data for forecasting and policy analysis
- Fiscal and monetary policy interaction: modelling and analysis
- Capital flows and foreign exchange intervention
- Identifying monetary policy transmission
- Identifying underlying long term trends

The workshop will be a combination of technical presentation and roundtable discussions between academics and policymakers. South African researchers are invited to submit contributions and papers related to the theme for the organizing panel to consider.

The deadline for paper submission is the 5th of November 2020.

Please email nicola.viegi@up.ac.za if you would like to receive the link for participation to the workshop and for paper submission.

Invited papers

Elias Albagli (Central Bank of Chile) “Bank of Chile Micro-data Strategy”

Mauricio Villamizar Villegas (Central Bank of Colombia) New Data, New Methods and New Models around FX Interventions

Juan Antolin Diaz. (London Business School) Advances in Nowcasting Economic Activity: Secular Trends, Large Shocks and New Data

Matteo Maggiori (Stanford University) Redrawing the Map of Global Capital Flows