
**Joint Bank of Canada-John Deutsch Institute Workshop
on
Financial Intermediation and Regulation**

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**DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS
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PROGRAM

- 8:30-9:00** **CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST - ON SITE**
- 9:00-10:20** **SESSION I**
- Choice-Based Pension Plans and Arbitrary
Wealth Accumulation**
Itzhak Ben-David, Ohio State
Discussant: Gaston Illanes, Northwestern
- 10:20-10:40** **COFFEE BREAK**
- 10:40-12:00** **Learning by Trading: The Case of the US Market for
Municipal Bonds**
Giulia Brancaccio, Cornell
Discussant: Batchimeg Sambalaibat, Indiana
- 12:00-13:30** **LUNCH**
- 13:30-14:50** **SESSION II**
- Mortgage Pricing and Unconventional Monetary Policy**
Alessandro Gavazza, LSE
Discussant: Jean-François Houde, Wisconsin
- 14:50-15:10** **COFFEE BREAK**
- 15:10 - 16:30** **Collateral and Asymmetric Information in Lending Markets**
Nicola Pavanini, Tilburg
Discussant: Victor Aguirregabiria, Toronto
- 18:00 -** **RECEPTION AND DINNER**