PROGRAMME
WASH Economics Conference - May 21-22, 2024
Venue: AMSE, 5 boulevard Maurice Bourdet, 13001 Marseille

Tuesday, May 21

09:30  Welcoming coffee and registration

10:00 Welcoming session

10:10  Anna TOMPSETT, Stockholm University
       Participation can increase sustainability
       Discussant: Bansi MALDE, University of Kent and IFS

11:00  Ahasan HABIB, NGO Forum for Public Health
       Training caretakers to clean community wells is a highly cost-effective way to reduce exposure to
       coliform bacteria
       Discussant: Marion DOVIS, Aix-Marseille Université, AMSE

11:50  Claire LEPAULT, Paris School of Economics - CIRED
       Is urban wastewater treatment effective in India? Evidence from water quality and infant mortality
       Discussant: Nathalie FERRIÈRE, Sciences Po Aix, AMSE

12:40 Lunch

14:10  Christophjer NICOLETTI, Splash [ONLINE]
       Operations and Maintenance Pilot Study Report. Results from a three-arm experimental trial in
       Addis Ababa
       Discussant: Guy HUTTON, Innate Values Ltd

15:00  Emily PAKHTIGIAN, Penn State University [ONLINE]
       Early warning systems, mobile technology, and cholera aversion: Evidence from rural Bangladesh
       Discussant: Christophjer NICOLETTI, Splash

15:50  Bansi MALDE, University of Kent and IFS
       Neighbourhood spatial networks and sanitation adoption. Does proximity matter?
       Discussant: Habiba DJEBBARI, Aix-Marseille Université, AMSE

16:40 Coffee break

17:00 Keynote Lecture
       Molly LIPSCOMB, University of Virginia
       Can crowd-out explain the range of results that we have on the effectiveness of sanitation interventions?

18:10 Discussion
       Nouria OUIBRAHIM, COO Finish Mondial & Anna TOMPSETT, Stockholm University

19:00 End of the day / drinks

20:00 Dinner at Les Arcenaulx, 25 Cours Honoré d'Estienne d'Orves, 13001 Marseille
Wednesday, May 22

09:00 **Upasak DAS**, Global Development Institute, University of Manchester [ONLINE]
*Valuing Open Defecation Free Surroundings: Experimental Evidence from a Norm Based Intervention in India*
Discussant: Chloé LECLERE, Lycée Clemenceau-Reims

09:50 **Lisa CAMERON**, University of Melbourne
*Behavioural Adaptation to Improved Environmental Quality: Evidence from a Sanitation Intervention in Lao PDR*
Discussant: Britta AUGSBURG, Institute for Fiscal Studies

10:40 Coffee break

11:00 **Caleb DOHOU**, World Bank, DIME
*Effects of a community-driven water, sanitation, and hygiene intervention on child health, water and sanitation infrastructure, access, behavior, and governance: a cluster-randomized controlled trial in rural Democratic Republic of Congo*
Discussant: Armand MBOUCHOUANG, University of Dschang, Iméra Research Fellow

11:50 **Joseph COOK**, Washington State University
*Improving payment for essential services - A field experiment in Nairobi, Kenya*
Discussant: Anne BRIAND, Université Rouen Normandie, LASTA

12:40 Lunch

13:40 **Ian ROSS**, London School of Hygiene & Tropical Medicine
*Trading off what people value about sanitation - a discrete choice experiment in urban Mozambique*
Discussant: Joseph COOK, Washington State University

14:30 **Julia YuJung LEE**, Colorado State University and **Kazuki MOTOHASHI**, Hitotsubashi University [ONLINE]
*Gendered and Distributional Impacts of Clean Water Access: Evidence from Tap Water Policy in India*
Discussant: Upasak DAS, Global Development Institute, University of Manchester

15:20 Coffee break

15:40 **Guy HUTTON**, Innate Values Ltd [ONLINE]
*Costs of Health Care Associated Infections from Inadequate Water and Sanitation in Health Care Facilities in Eastern and Southern Africa*
Discussant: Ian ROSS, London School of Hygiene & Tropical Medicine

16:30 **Edoardo MASSET**, National Institute of Economic and Social Research
*Effectiveness and sequencing of water, sanitation and hygiene interventions to reduce mortality: a multicomponent network meta-analysis*
Discussant: Mohammed ABU-ZAINEH, Aix-Marseille Université, AMSE

17:20 Closing remarks

17:30 End of conference