



3rd Croatian Health Economics Workshop
8th-9th September 2025
Split, Croatia



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KEYNOTE SPEAKERS

Professor Tom van Ourti

The main workshop keynote lecture (at the end of day 1) will be delivered by Tom van Ourti. Tom is Professor of Applied Health Economics at the Erasmus University of Rotterdam, with a focus on health and inequality. His research focuses on understanding the socio-economic health gradient, with specific interest in impact evaluation, preventive care, mental health, perinatal health, measurement theory of health inequalities, and the elicitation of social preferences for income and health. He has published in journals including the Review of Economics and Statistics, Journal of Health Economics, and the Bulletin of the World Health Organisation. He teaches applied econometrics and health economics and organizes a yearly PhD summer school on inequalities in health and health care. He obtained his PhD from the University of Antwerp and has held visiting positions at the university of Melbourne, and the George Washington University.

Professor Daniel Maceira

The keynote for the themed session (after lunch on day 2) will be delivered by Daniel Maceira, Professor at the Economic Department, National University of Buenos Aires (UBA), Argentina, Independent Researcher of the National Council of Scientific and Technological Research (CONICET), Senior Researcher at the Center for the Study of State and Society (CEDES), Director of the MBA-Health of the University of San Andrés and Board Member and Chair for The Americas of Health Systems Global (HSG) between 2016-2024.

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Workshop Programme (this version: 02/09/2025)

Day 1: Monday 8th September 2025

Session nr.		
1	09:00-09:35	<i>Health Shocks and Risk-Taking Behavior: Evidence from Longitudinal Experimental Data</i> Presenter: Pauline Mente (University of Hamburg) Discussant: Doriane Mignon (University of Manchester)
2	09:40-10:15	<i>School Entry Age Policy and Adolescent Risk-Taking</i> Presenter: Cristina Lopez-Mayan (University of Barcelona) Discussant: Luke Munford (University of Manchester)
	10:15-11:00	<i>Coffee break</i>
3	11:00-11:35	<i>Family Spillovers of Miscarriage</i> Presenter: Lea-Karla Matic (JKU Linz & University of Zagreb) Discussant: Caroline Chuard-Keller (CSS Institute)
4	11:40-12:15	<i>Health-State Dependence varies with Income</i> Presenter: Philippe De Donder (Toulouse School of Economics) Discussant: Igor Francetic (SUPSI & University of Manchester)
	12:15-13:15	<i>Lunch break</i>
5	13:15-13:50	<i>A Doctor's Holiday Keeps the Patient Away? The Effect of Primary Care Availability on Patient Demand</i> Presenter: Nicolas Schreiner (CSS Institute) Discussant: Katrin Zocher (JKU Linz)
6	13:55-14:30	<i>Patients with mental health conditions in a pressured primary care context: access, experience and inequalities</i> Presenter: Doriane Mignon (University of Manchester) Discussant: Nicolas Schreiner (CSS Institute)
7	14:35-15:10	<i>The Effect of Heat on Mental Health: Evidence from Austria</i> Presenter: Katrin Zocher (JKU Linz) Discussant: Giulia Montresor (University of Verona)
	15:10-15:30	<i>Coffee break</i>
8	15:30-16:05	<i>Under the Weather: The Impact of Temperatures on Workplace Safety in Spain</i> Presenter: Giulia Montresor (University of Verona) Discussant: Shaolin Wang (University of Manchester)
9	16:10-16:45	<i>The Impact of Informal Caregiving on the Well-being of Older Adults in Europe</i> Presenter: Marie-Louise Leroux (University of Quebec) Discussant: Valentina Rotondi (SUPSI & University of Oxford)
Main Keynote	16:50-17:50	<i>Health and inequalities</i> Prof. Tom van Ourti (Erasmus University Rotterdam)
	18:30	<i>Guided city tour. Meeting point is at Obala Hrvatskog narodnog preporoda 23, 21000, Split, by the city plaque: https://maps.app.goo.gl/4bgFpqBaRL3aC1uG8</i>
	20:00	<i>Workshop dinner</i>

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Day 2: Tuesday 9th September 2025

Session nr.		
Short presentations session	09:00-10:00	1. Moral Narratives in Television and Their Association with Well-Being: A Multilevel Analysis Using TV Series and World Values Survey Data - Valentina Rotondi (SUPSI & University of Oxford) 2. The Effect of Premium Subsidies on Health Insurance Choices and Healthcare Utilization - Christian Schmid (CSS Institute)
10	10:05-10:40	Unpacking Regional Variation in Health Care: Insights from Internal Migration in Switzerland Presenter: Caroline Chuard (CSS Institute) Discussant: Laura Anselmi (University of Manchester)
	10:40-11:00	Coffee break
11	11:00-11:35	The Role of Healthy Lifestyles in driving health and healthcare utilisation inequalities in Switzerland Presenter: Sam Khavandi (SUPSI) Discussant: Matt Sutton (University of Manchester)
12	11:40-12:15	Socio-economic and ethnic inequalities in general practice appointments in England Presenter: Laura Anselmi (University of Manchester) Discussant: Christian Schmid (CSS Institute)
Special Session Keynote	12:15-13:15	Prof. Daniel Maceira (National University Buenos Aires)
	13:15-14:15	Lunch break
S1	14:20-14:55	Pension-linked health insurance: impacts on financial protection of the elderly in Argentina Presenter: Juan Virdis (University of Manchester) Discussant: David Lugo-Palacios (LSHTM)
	15:00-15:30	Coffee break
S2	15:30-16:05	The impact of maternal health shocks on children's educational outcomes: heterogeneities and mechanisms Presenter: Balázs Mayer (Corvinus University) Discussant: Cristina Lopez-Mayan (University of Barcelona)
S3	16:10-16:45	Economic Impact of Obesity and Weight Loss Interventions: Evidence from Croatia, the Most Affected Country in Europe Presenter: Vanesa Benković (Novo Nordisk & University of Zagreb) Discussant: Zia Sadique (LSHTM)
	16:50	Closing remarks and farewell

Regular sessions last 35 minutes, with about 15 minutes for authors, 15 minutes for discussants, and 5 minutes for Q&A. Short presentation last 20/25 minutes, with about 5/10 minutes of Q&A with the audience for each speaker.

Workshop venue:

Faculty of Economics, Business and Tourism, Room 6, University of Split, Cvite Fiskovića 5, 21000, Split. Google Maps location: <https://maps.app.goo.gl/T2p6GKVVzdT8xwHz5>.

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