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**INDUSTRIAL POLICY
TASK FORCE MEETING
THURSDAY, 17 MARCH – SATURDAY, 19 MARCH 2005**

AGENDA

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OVERVIEW ITINERARY

Accommodations:

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Meetings:

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Thursday 17 March 2005

10.00 AM – 1.15 PM	Task Force Meeting
1.15 PM – 3.00 PM	Lunch
3.00 PM – 6.45PM	Task Force Meeting
8.00 PM	Dinner <i>Porção</i> Barao da Torre, Ipanema

Friday 18 March 2005

10.00 AM – 1.15 PM	Task Force Meeting
1.15 PM – 3.00 PM	Lunch
3.00 PM – 6.45PM	Task Force Meeting
8.00 PM	Dinner <i>O Arabe na lagoa</i>

Saturday 19 March 2005

10.00 AM – 2.00 PM	Task Force Meeting
2.00 PM	Lunch

DETAILED ITINERARY

Thursday, March 17

- 10.00 – 11.30** **The Interpretative Framework**
Based on a note by M. Cimoli, G. Dosi, R. Nelson and J. Stiglitz
- 11.45 – 12.30** **The Role of Research and Training Institutions in Technological Catching-up and Economic Development**
R. Nelson
Discussant: L. Soete
- 12.30 – 13.15** **The Subtle Boundaries Between ‘infant protection’, ‘Schumpeterian’ Incentives and Exploitations of Monopoly Rents: The Role of (Implicit or Explicit) Competition Policies.**
A. Amsden and M. Possas
Discussant: M. Khan
- 15.00 – 15.45** **Policies Affecting the Entry of New Firms (and lato sensu fostering entrepreneurship): A Comparative Assessment**
M. Hobday and F. Perini
Discussant: J. Ferraz
- 15.45 – 16.30** **Intellectual Property Right (IPR) Regimes: Incentives and Constraints for Technological and Industrial Development, and Their Social Implications**
B. Coriat, M. Cimoli and A. Primi
Discussant: S. Winter
- 16.30 – 17.00** **The Role of Finance and Financial Institutions in Economic Development.**
C. Meyer (in absentia)
Discussant: G. Dosi
- 17.15 – 18.00** **The changing role of the State in industrial development. A comparison between East Asian and Latin American experience.**
S. Blankenburg, M. Khan and G. Palma
Discussant: A. Amsden
- 18.00 – 18.45** **The ‘political economy’ of incentives and constraints to growth and learning capabilities. Lessons from a large economy (Brazil)**
B. de Castro
Discussant: M. Cimoli

Friday, March 18

- 10.00 – 10.45** **Industrial policy in Latin America in the last fifteen years. The political economy of consensus building around specific policy schemes.**
W. Perez
Discussant: B. de Castro
- 10.45 – 11.30** **The ‘liberalisation’ policy shock in Latin America: a comparative assessment of consequences across different countries, different industries and some tentative policy implications.**
S. Blankenburg, M. Khan and G. Palma
Discussant: W. Perez
- 11.45 – 13.00** **The impact of trade policies on domestic development [ranging from ‘infant-industry’ inspired protection against imports to export support policies ...]**
S. Blankenburg and G. Palma
Discussant: W. Peres
- 15.00 – 15.45** **Public policies and patterns of industrial development: shared features and specificities across East Asian countries.**
A. Amsden
Discussant: R. Nelson
- 15.45 – 17.00** **Do different ‘identities’ of economic agents affect their learning processes and behavioural patterns? A comparison between MNCs and domestically owned companies.**
A. Amsden and T. Hikino
Discussant: S. Winter
- 17.00 – 17.45** **From macro policy shocks to microeconomic behaviours: the Argentinean experiences over the last three decades**
B. Kosacoff
Discussant: G. Palma

Saturday, March 19

- 10.00 – 10.45** **Globalization and “neodualism” in contemporary developing economies: the role of policies**
M. Cimoli, A. Primi
Discussant: R. Nelson
- 10.45 – 11.30** **An overall assessment of the role of non-market institutions and policies in industrial development.**
A collective exercise
- 11.45 – 13.00** **The current international arrangements: constraints, opportunities and reform requirements [... regarding e.g. WTO, TRIPS, etc. ...] and the Policy Challenges (including of course the assessment of the degrees of freedom and constraints, the implied trade-offs, etc.)**
A collective exercise
- 13.00 – 14.00** **Plans ahead for the completion of the book and other initiatives with policy makers**
A collective exercise