



25 Years of IPD: The End of Neoliberalism and
The Transition Towards a Green and Digital Economy

Agenda

September 12 and 13, 2025, Columbia University SIPA, International Affairs Building
Room 1501, 420 W 118th St, New York, NY 10027

Professor Joseph Stiglitz will be the discussant for all panels

Friday, September 12, 2025

9:00 - 9:30 am	Registration and Breakfast
9:30 - 10:00 am	Introduction by Joseph Stiglitz , <i>University Professor, Columbia University; Co-President, Initiative for Policy Dialogue (IPD)</i>
10:00 - 11:50 am	<p>Panel 1: The Economic, Social, and Political System: How We Got Here and What Are the Most Important Threats to Our Society and the Global Economy</p> <p><u>Moderator:</u> John Cassidy, <i>Staff Writer, The New Yorker</i></p> <p><u>Panel:</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Kaushik Basu, <i>Professor of Economics and International Studies, Cornell University</i> 2. Jayati Ghosh, <i>Professor of Economics, University of Massachusetts at Amherst</i> 3. Ian Goldin, <i>Professor of Globalization and Development, University of Oxford</i> 4. Glenn Hubbard, <i>Professor of Economics, Columbia Business School and Department of Economics, Arts and Sciences</i> 5. David Kennedy, <i>Professor of Law, Harvard Law School</i> 6. Maria João Rodrigues, <i>President, Foundation for European Progressive Studies (FEPS)</i>
11:50 am - 12:00 pm	Coffee Break
12:00 - 1:30 pm	<p>Panel 2: A Global Architecture for Knowledge Creation and Diffusion, and Structural Transformation</p> <p><u>Moderator:</u> Jeronim Capaldo, <i>Senior Fellow, Boston University Global Development Policy Center</i></p> <p><u>Panel:</u></p>

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	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Bilge Erten, Associate Professor of Economics and International Affairs, Northeastern University and Eric Verhoogen, Professor of International and Public Affairs and of Economics, Columbia University (co-presenting) 2. Bruce Greenwald, Professor Emeritus, Columbia Business School 3. Robert Howse, Professor of International Law, NYU School of Law 4. Ebrahim Patel, Former Minister of Trade and Industry of South Africa
1:30 - 2:30 pm	Lunch
2:30 - 4:00 pm	<p>Panel 3: Inequality in Economic and Political Systems</p> <p><u>Moderator:</u> Peter Goodman, Global Economics Correspondent, The New York Times</p> <p><u>Panel:</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Winnie Byanyima, Executive Director, UNAIDS; Under-Secretary-General, United Nations 2. Ravi Kanbur, Professor, Cornell University 3. Branko Milanović, Professor, City University of New York (CUNY) 4. Binaifer Nowrojee, President, Open Society Foundations (OSF)
4:00 - 4:10 pm	Coffee break
4:10 - 6:00 pm	<p>Panel 4: Successes and Failures of Think Tanks; Making Think Tanks More Effective</p> <p><u>Moderator:</u> Kevin Gallagher, Professor, Boston University; Director, Global Development Policy Center</p> <p><u>Panel:</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Jason Bordoff, Founding Director, Center on Global Energy Policy at Columbia University SIPA 2. Bruce Chapman, Professor, Australian National University 3. Rob Johnson, President, Institute for New Economic Thinking (INET) 4. Miguel Soto Class, Founder and Board Chair, Center for a New Economy (CNE)

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6:00 - 7:00 pm	Reception in 1501 Lobby
7:00 - 9:00 pm	Dinner in SIPA room 1501

Saturday, September 13, 2025

8:30 - 9:00 am	Registration and Breakfast
9:00 - 10:30 am	<p>Panel 5: Globalization After Neoliberalism, Failed Progressives, and Trump: A Global System for Financing for Development, Climate Change and Prosperity.</p> <p><u>Moderator:</u> Richard Kozul-Wright, <i>Professor of Sustainable Structural Transformation, SOAS</i></p> <p><u>Panel:</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. José Antonio Ocampo, <i>Professor, Columbia University SIPA</i> 2. Shari Spiegel, <i>Director, Financing for Sustainable Development Office, UN-DESA</i> 3. Marilou Uy, <i>Non-Resident Senior Fellow, Boston University Global Development Policy Center</i>
10:30 am - 12:00 pm	<p>Panel 6: Inflation, Employment and International Macroeconomics</p> <p><u>Moderator:</u> Christian Moser, <i>Associate Professor, Columbia Business School</i></p> <p><u>Panel:</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Giovanni Dosi, <i>Professor of Economics, Institute of Economics, Scuola Superiore Sant'Anna</i> 2. Brad Setser, <i>Senior Fellow, Council on Foreign Relations</i> 3. Mark Weisbrot, <i>Co-Director, Center for Economic and Policy Research (CEPR)</i>
12:00 - 12:45 pm	Lunch
12:45 - 2:35 pm	<p>Panel 7: Market and Political Power in Economics, Artificial Intelligence, and the New Digital Rules</p>

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	<p><u>Moderator:</u> Rana Foroohar, <i>Global Business Columnist and Associate Editor, Financial Times</i></p> <p><u>Panel:</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Clement Bohr, <i>Adjunct Assistant Professor, UCLA Anderson School of Management</i> 2. Andrea Prat, <i>Professor of Business, Columbia Business School</i> 3. Jesse Schreger, <i>Associate Professor, Columbia Business School</i> 4. Lori Wallach, <i>Director, Rethink Trade Program at American Economic Liberties Project</i>
2:35 - 3:00 pm	Closing Remarks by Martin Guzman , <i>Professor, Columbia University SIPA; Co-President, Initiative for Policy Dialogue (IPD)</i>

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