

Columbia-SciencesPo Alliance Conference – Friday October 14, 2022***Demography, Technological Change, Inequality and the Internal Structure of Cities***

The event is sponsored by the Alliance Program with the participation of Sciences Po, Columbia and HEC.

Co-organizers: Don Davis (Columbia), Nicolas Coeurdacier (SciencesPo), Pierre-Philippe Combes (SciencesPo).

If you would like to attend, please contact Maria Ohlund (maria.ohlund@sciencespo.fr) for free registration.

Location: SciencesPo Department of Economics

Room H405, 28 rue des Saint - Pères, 75007 Paris.

8:45-9:00 *Welcome and Coffee*

09:00-10:00 **Don Davis** (Columbia), *Labor Market Polarization and the Great Divergence: Theory and Evidence*,
with Eric Mengus (HEC) and Tomasz Michalski (HEC).

10:00-11:00 **Florian Oswald** (SciencesPo), *Fertility, Housing Costs and City Growth*,
with Nicolas Coeurdacier (SciencesPo), Pierre-Philippe Combes (SciencesPo) and Laurent Gobillon (PSE).

11:00 *Coffee Break*

11:20-12:20 **Amrita Kulka** (Warwick University), *How to Increase Housing Affordability? Understanding Local
Deterrants to Building Multifamily Housing?*,
with Aradhya Sood (University of Toronto) and Nick Chiumenti (FRB Boston).

12:20-13.40 *Buffet Lunch*

13.40-14:40 **Milena Almagro** (Chicago Booth), *Urban Renewal, Gentrification, and Inequality: Evidence from
Chicago Public Housing Demolitions*,
with Eric Chyn (Dartmouth College) and Bryan Stuart (FRB Philadelphia).

14:40-15.40 **Conor Walsh** (Columbia University), *Urban-biased Growth: A Macroeconomic Analysis*,
with Fabian Eckert (University of California, San Diego) and Sharat Ganapat (Georgetown University).

15:40 *Coffee Break*

16:00-17:00 **Pierre-Philippe Combes** (Sciences Po), *The emergence, growth, and stagnation of cities: France
c. 1760-2020*,
with Gilles Duranton (University of Pennsylvania), Laurent Gobillon (PSE), and Clément Gorin (University
of Toronto).