

Workshop
Financial Literacy around the World (FLat World)

December 20-21, 2010
Collegio Carlo Alberto, Moncalieri (Turin)

Program

December 20

9.30 - 9.45 Welcoming remarks

9.45 - 11.15

David Feslier (Retirement Commission) <VIA CONFERENCE CALL> *"Financial Literacy and Retirement Planning in New Zealand"* (with D. Crossan)

Discussant: Giovanna Nicodano (University of Turin and CeRP)

Rob Alessie (University of Groningen) *"Financial Literacy, Retirement Preparation and Pension Expectations in The Netherlands"* (with A. Lusardi and M. van Rooij)

Discussant: Franco Peracchi (University of Rome, Tor Vergata)

11.15 - 11.30 Break

11.30 - 13.00

Chiara Monticone (CeRP) *"Financial Literacy and Pension Plan Participation in Italy"* (with E. Fornero)

Discussant: Tullio Jappelli (University of Naples)

Shizuka Sekita (Osaka University) *"Financial Literacy and Retirement Planning in Japan"*

Discussant: Filippo Taddei (Collegio Carlo Alberto and CeRP)

13:00 - 14.30 Lunch

14:30 - 16:00

Annamaria Lusardi (Dartmouth College) *"Financial Literacy and Retirement Planning in the United States"* (with O. Mitchell)

Discussant: Agar Brugiavini (University of Venice)

Tabea Bucher Koenen (MEA) *"Financial Literacy and Retirement Planning in Germany"* (with A. Lusardi)

Discussant: Guglielmo Weber (University of Padova)

16.00 - 16.15 pm Break

16.15 - 17.45

Johan Almenberg (Ministry of Finance, Sweden) "*Financial Literacy and Retirement Planning in Sweden*" (with J. Säve-Söderbergh)

Discussant: Margherita Borella (University of Turin and CeRP)

George Panos (Essex Business School) "*Financial Literacy, Inclusion and Preparedness: Evidence from Russia*" (with L. Klapper)

Discussant: Raffaele Miniaci (University of Brescia)

6:00 pm Onorato Castellino Lecture* : Annamaria Lusardi
"Financial illiteracy: a (solvable) problem of our time"

December 21

9.00 - 10.30

Sumit Agarwal (Chicago Fed) "*Financial Literacy and Financial Planning: Evidence from India*" (with G. Amromin, I. Ben-David, S. Chomsisengphet, D. Evanoff)

Discussant: Esteban Jaimovich (Collegio Carlo Alberto)

Flore-Anne Messy (OECD) "*OECD project on financial education: A first international measure of financial literacy*" (with A. Atkinson)

Discussant: Tetyana Dubovyk (Collegio Carlo Alberto and CeRP)

10.30 - 10.45 Break

10.45 - 13:00 Discussion of next steps

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* The lecture will be given in Italian, with simultaneous translation in English.