

Sixth Luca D'Agliano Summer School
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- Title:** Economics of International Migration and the Host Economy
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- Schedule:** Four and a half hours of lectures – three 90-minute sessions.
Sept. 11 – Sept. 12.

This set of lectures will focus on the labor market effects of immigration and the endogenous formation of policy towards international migration. The time schedule is approximate. Core readings are designated by *. Other readings are indicated for those who wish to pursue a particular topics in greater depth. Many of the journal articles are available in JSTOR.

1. The gains from international migration: Theory and Evidence

- *Aydemir, Abdurrahman and George J. Borjas (2007) “Cross country variation in the impact of international migration: Canada, Mexico and the United States” *Journal of the European Economic Association* 5: 663- 708
- Berry, Roland A. and Albert Soligo (1969), “Some welfare effects of international migration”, *Journal of Political Economy* 77: 778--794
- Borjas, George J. (1987) “Self selection and the earnings of immigrants” *American Economic Review* 77: 531--553
- *Borjas, George J. (1995) “The Economic Benefits from Immigration” *Journal of Economic Perspectives* 9: 3--22.
- *Borjas, George J. (2003) “The Labor Demand Curve is Downward Sloping: Reexamining the Impact of Immigration on the Labor Market” *Quarterly Journal of Economics* 1335--1374
- *Card, David (1990) “The impact of the Mariel boatlift on the Miami labor market” *Industrial and Labor Relations Review* 43

- Chiquiar D. and G.H. Hanson (2005) "International migration, self selection and the distribution of wages: Evidence from Mexico and the United States" *Journal of Political Economy* 113: 239--281
- Friedberg, Rachel (2001) "The Impact of Mass Migration on the Israeli Labor Market" *Quarterly Journal of Economics* 116: 1373--1408
- Mishra P. (2007) "Emigration and wages in source countries" *Journal of Development Economics* 82:180-199
- Mundell, Robert A. (1957) "International Trade and Factor Mobility" *American Economic Review* 47, 321-335
- Ottaviano G.M. and G. Peri (2005) "Rethinking the gains from migration: Theory and Evidence from the U.S." mimeo, University of California at Davis

2. The political economy of migration policy

- *Benhabib, Jess (1996) "On the political economy of immigration" *European Economic Review* 40:1737-1743
- *Facchini, Giovanni and G. Willmann (2005) "The Political Economy of International Factor Mobility" *Journal of International Economics* 67: 201--219
- Hanson, Gordon H. and Antonio Spilimbergo (2001) "Political Economy, Sectoral Shocks, and Border Enforcement" *Canadian Journal of Economics* 34: 612--638.
- Ortega, Francesc (2005) "Immigration Policy and Skill Upgrading", *Journal of Public Economics* 89: 1841--1863
- *Razin, Assaf, E. Sadka and P. Swagel (2002) "Tax burden and migration: A political economy theory and evidence" *Journal of Public Economics* 85:167--190
- *Razin, Assaf and E. Sadka (1999) "Migration and pension with international capital Mobility", *Journal of Public Economics*, 74: 141--150

3. Individual opinions and migration policy

- *Mayda, A.M. (2006) "Who is Against Immigration? A Cross-Country Investigation of Individual Attitudes Toward Immigrants", *Review of Economics and Statistics*, forthcoming
- *Facchini, Giovanni and A.M. Mayda (2006) "Individual attitudes towards immigrants: Welfare state determinants across countries" CEPR Working Paper 5702