

BE-CEMFI CONFERENCE ON AGING
GEORGETOWN UNIVERSITY GLOBAL ECONOMIC CHALLENGES (GEC) NETWORK
Madrid, November 17th 2023

Salón de Actos

9:00 – 9:30 | **Opening by the Governor of Banco de España Pablo Hernández de Cos and the Special Advisor to the President for International Engagement at Georgetown University, Francis Vella.**

9:30 – 11:00 | **SESSION 1**

TRENDS AND DRIVERS IN INEQUALITY OF MORTALITY

The American death problem.

Hannes Schwandt (Northwestern University).

Mortality trends in the United States: the roles of education and despair.

Christopher J. Ruhm (University of Virginia).

11:00 – 11:30 | Coffee break

11:30 – 13:00 | **SESSION 2**

RETIREMENT SECURITY, HEALTH INSURANCE

The accumulation and decumulation of private retirement wealth: policy issues.

James Banks (University of Manchester, IFS).

Pension reforms and National Health Service doctors.

Carol Propper (Imperial College London).

13:15 – 15:00 | **Lunch**

15:00 – 16:30 | **SESSION 3**

WORKFORCE AGING, SKILL DECLINE, AND THE ORGANIZATION OF WORK

Retirement, ageing and migration: connecting the dots.

Tito Boeri (Università Bocconi).

Self-employment at older ages.

Katharine G. Abraham (University of Maryland).

16:30 – 17:00 | Coffee break

17:00 – 18:30 | **SESSION 4**

THE MACRO PERSPECTIVE: AGING AND GROWTH

A longevity economy.

Andrew J. Scott (London Business School).

Policy responses to population aging: a welfare approach.

David Canning (Harvard University).

18:30 – 18:45 | Break

18:45 – 20:00 | **ROUND TABLE**

Chair: **Ángel Gavilán** (Banco de España).

21:00 | **CONFERENCE DINNER (BY INVITATION)**