

Centre for Central Banking Studies (CCBS) Event Programme

ADVANCED ECONOMIC MODELLING AND FORECASTING

02 May 2007 - 04 May 2007

Event Director:	Dr Francesco Zanetti, Dr Ibrahim Stevens
Event Administrator:	Ms Maria Fitzpatrick, Miss Emily Bramwell
	Day 1 (02 May 2007)
08:30 - 09:00	Introduction and welcome
	Dr Ibrahim Stevens, Adviser, Centre For Central Bkg Studies, Bank of England Dr Francesco Zanetti, Adviser, Econometrics, Modelling And Forecasting, Centre For Central Bkg Studies, Bank of England
09:00 - 10:30	Development, methodology, and evaluation of DSGE models
	Dr Francesco Zanetti, Adviser, Econometrics, Modelling And Forecasting, Centre For Central Bkg Studies, Bank of England
10:30 - 11:00	Break
11:00 - 12:30	Time series modelling in central banks: VAR and the economy
	Dr Ibrahim Stevens, Adviser, Centre For Central Bkg Studies, Bank of England
12:30 - 14:00	Lunch
14:00 - 15:30	Computer exercise on VARs and SVARs
	Dr Ibrahim Stevens, Adviser, Centre For Central Bkg Studies, Bank of England
15:30 - 16:00	Break
16:00 - 17:30	Introduction to Winsolve
	Dr Francesco Zanetti, Adviser, Econometrics, Modelling And Forecasting, Centre For Central Bkg Studies, Bank of England
	Day 2 (03 May 2007)
09:00 - 10:30	The real business cycle (RBC) model
	Dr Francesco Zanetti, Adviser, Econometrics, Modelling And Forecasting, Centre For Central Bkg Studies, Bank of England
10:30 - 11:00	Break
11:00 - 12:30	RBC model exercise in Winsolve
	Dr Francesco Zanetti, Adviser, Econometrics, Modelling And Forecasting, Centre For Central Bkg Studies, Bank of England
12:30 - 14:00	Lunch

14:00 - 15:30	Unobserved components: state space and the Kalman
	Dr Ibrahim Stevens, Adviser, Centre For Central Bkg Studies, Bank of England
15:30 - 16:00	Break
16:00 - 17:30	Kalman filter exercise
	Dr Ibrahim Stevens, Adviser, Centre For Central Bkg Studies, Bank of England
19:00 - 21:00	Workshop Dinner
	Day 3 (04 May 2007)
09:00 - 10:30	Small New Keynesian (NK) models
	Dr Francesco Zanetti, Adviser, Econometrics, Modelling And Forecasting, Centre For Central Bkg Studies, Bank of England
10:30 - 11:00	Break
11:00 - 12:30	Small NK model exercise in Winsolve
	Dr Francesco Zanetti, Adviser, Econometrics, Modelling And Forecasting, Centre For Central Bkg Studies, Bank of England
12:30 - 14:00	Lunch
14:00 - 15:30	The generalised method of moments (GMM)
	Dr Ibrahim Stevens, Adviser, Centre For Central Bkg Studies, Bank of England
15:30 - 16:00	Break
16:00 - 17:30	Computer exercise on GMM: estimating an augmented DSGE model
	Dr Ibrahim Stevens, Adviser, Centre For Central Bkg Studies, Bank of England