

Eighteenth CRC Retreat

Berlin-Schwanenwerder, May 18 – 20, 2026

Program

Monday, 18 May 2026

15:00 – 18:00 Young Economists' Workshop

18:00 – 19:00 Dinner

19:00 – 19:15 Welcome (Klaus Schmidt, Georg Weizsäcker)

19:15 – 20:45 Plenary Session

Session 1

Chair: Georg Weizsäcker

Room: Plenarsaal

ANJA SCHÖTTNER (B05, HU): **When Should a Firm Employ its Workers? A Relational Contracting Approach**
Discussant: Vincent Meisner (A04, HU)

VALERIA BURDEA (B01, LMU): **Disclosure of Conflict of Interests in Long-Run Relationships**
Discussant: Willy Lefez (B02, HU)

21:00 Social

Tuesday, 19 May 2026

09:00 – 10:30 Two Parallel Sessions

Session 2A

Chair: Monika Schnitzer

Room: Plenarsaal

ROBERT JOHANNES (B09, LMU): **From Sticks to Bricks: Construction Technology and Medieval Urban Development**
Discussant: Jan Balcerowski (B08, HU)

FELIX KERSTING (B08, HU): **The Making of the German Model of Industrial Relations**
Discussant: Carlos Romero Blázquez (B04, LMU)

Session 2B

Chair: Sebastian Wichert

Room: Wannsee II

JIAWEI ZHANG (B02, HU): **Disclosure Rules with Endogenous Costly Verification: Partially Informed Sender and Evidence Regimes**
Discussant: Marcel Quint (B01, LMU)

GERRIT MEYERHEIM (A07, LMU): **Robust Savings Taxation**
Discussant: Peter Haan (A02, DIW)

10:30 – 11:00 Coffee Break

11:00 – 12:30 Two Parallel Sessions and Board Meeting

Session 3A

Chair: Lara Andermann

Room: Plenarsaal

RENKE SCHMACKER (A02, DIW/WZB): **Fuel price elasticities: The role of price salience and expenditure misperceptions**

Discussant: Cankut Kuzlukluoglu (A01, HU)

DAVIDE PACE (B01, LMU): **Fairness Views about the International Distribution of Climate Change Costs**

Discussant: Arianna Ornaghi (B08, Hertie)

Session 3B

Chair: Willy Lefez

Room: Wannsee II

DOMINIK ASAM (B04, MPI): **Access to the Frontier: Open Source AI and Downstream Innovation**

Discussant: David Ronayne (A04, ESMT)

FABIAN GERSTMEIER (A04, TU): **Confidence and Algorithmic Advice**

Discussant: Leyi Tu (B07, LMU)

11:30 – 12:30 Board Meeting

Room: Dahlem

12:30 – 13:30 Lunch

13:30 – 14:30 Members' Meeting

Room: Plenarsaal

14:30 – 16:30 Joint Walk and time for Meetings in Small Groups and Enjoying the Weather in the Garden, with coffee

16:30– 18:00 Two Parallel Sessions

Session 4A

Chair: Maja Murr

Room: Plenarsaal

CIRIL BOSCH-ROSA (B07, TU): **The Path to a Lie**

Discussant: Irem Cetiner (A01, HU)

Session 4B

Chair: Julia Baumann

SNEHA P. (A09, ESMT): **Nudging Online Teacher Professional Development: Evidence from two RCTs**

Discussant: Martin Spann (A05, LMU)

JAKOB WEGMANN (A02, DIW): **Small Sample Diversity**

Discussant: Christina Borner (A07, LMU)

18:00 – 19:00 Dinner

19:00 – 20:30 Two Sessions

Session 5A

Chair: Dirk Engelmann

Room: Plenarsaal

CHI HYUN-KIM (A02, HU): **Measuring the Effects of Aggregate Shocks on Unit-Level Outcomes and Their Distribution**

Discussant: Frank Heinemann (B07, TU)

KLAUS SCHMIDT (B01, LMU): **Some Simple Fundamentals of Green Markets**

Discussant: Sunna Hügemann (A09, ESMT)

20:30 Social

Wednesday, 20 May 2026

09:00 – 10:30 Two Parallel Sessions

Session 6A

Chair: Luca Cocco

Room: Plenarsaal

ANDREAS HAUFLER (B07, LMU): **Tax competition for profit shifting with moral consumers**

Discussant: Emil Schmidek (B02, HU)

TOMASZ SULKA (B05, HU): **Providing Benefits to Uninformed Workers**

Discussant: Jinju Rhee (B02, LMU)

Session 6B

Chair: Simona Sartor

Room: Wannsee II

MAXIMILIAN SCHALLER (A02, DIW) **Adaptability Demands at Work and the Role of Resilience**

Discussant: Carmen Van Klaveren (B01, Hertie)

STEFAN SMUTNY (A09, ifo/LMU): **Corporate Tax Adoptions and Firm Relocations**

Discussant: Alexander Matusche (B07, TU)

10:30 – 11:00 Coffee Break

11:00 – 12:30 Two parallel sessions

Session 7A

Chair: Felix Wiesheu

Room: Plenarsaal

MIRA FISCHER (A06, WZB): **AI Tutoring Enhances Student Learning Without Crowding Out Reading Effort**

Discussant: Dogan Gülümser (B09, ESMT)

RADOSVETA IVANOVA-STENZEL (A04, TU): **Delegating in the Age of AI: Preferences for Decision Autonomy**

Discussant: Johanna Verenkotte (A05, LMU)

Session 7B

Chair: Clemens Scholz

Room: Wannsee II

LEA HEURSEN (A04/B05, TU): **Coordinated Discrimination**

Discussant: Matthias Lang (B02, LMU)

EGON TRIPODI (B01, Hertie): **Social Anxiety and Evaluative Interviews**

Discussant: Lavinia Kinne (A02, DIW)

12:30 – 13:30 Lunch