



1:00–2:30 pm

***** Lunch—Open to all participants *****

(HQ2 Conference Hall 2)

Luncheon Speaker

Kaushik Basu (World Bank)

2:30–4:15 pm

Sectoral Productivity and Macroeconomic Performance

Chair: Anoop Singh (IMF)

“The Agricultural Productivity Gap in Developing Countries”

Douglas Gollin (University of Oxford)

“Structural Change through Diversification”

Fidel Perez-Sebastian (University of Alicante)

“The Size Distribution of Farms and International Productivity Differences”

Diego Restuccia (University of Toronto)

4:15–4:30 pm

***** Coffee Break *****

4:30–6:00 pm **Panel: “Policies for Diversification and Structural Transformation”**

Moderator: Olivier Blanchard (Economic Counsellor, IMF)

Panelists:

Ricardo Hausmann (Harvard University)

Sean Nolan (IMF)

Dani Rodrik (Harvard University)

Richard Rogerson (Princeton University)

Arvind Subramanian (Peterson Institute)

6–7:30 pm

***** Reception—Open to all participants *****

(HQ2 Cafeteria)

Registration not required for IMF – WB staff.

Organizing Committee: Chris Papageorgiou and Nikola Spatafora (IMF)