AGEING AND LONG-TERM CHALLENGES ACROSS LEVELS OF GOVERNMENT
OECD NETWORK ON FISCAL RELATIONS, CHÂTEAU ROOM E, 18 JUNE 2019, PARIS

OPENING (9:30-10am): Junghun Kim, Chair, OECD Network on Fiscal Relations
Juan Yermo, OECD Deputy Chief of Staff

SESSION 1 (10-11:30am): The effects of ageing on the tax system and productivity

- Bert Brys and Céline Colin (OECD Centre for Tax Policy and Administration)
"The impact of an ageing population on taxation in sub-central governments"

- Alexander Lembcke (OECD Centre for Entrepreneurship, SMEs, Cities and Regions)
"Ageing and productivity growth in OECD regions: combatting the economic impact of ageing?"
Discussants: Philipp Päcklar, Austria Ministry of Finance; Clara Welteke, German Ministry of Finance

COFFEE BREAK (11:30-11:45pm)

SESSION 2 (11:45-12:30pm): Fiscal challenges of ageing

- Fanny Annemarie Kluge (Max Planck Institute for Demographic Change)
“Pensions: The Fiscal Impact of Population Aging in Germany”
Discussant: Anne-Line Helsø, Denmark Ministry of Finance

LUNCH (12:30-2:30pm):

- Dorothee Rouzet (OECD Economics Department): G20 Report on Ageing and Fiscal Challenges

SESSION 2 con’t (2:30-4pm): Fiscal challenges of ageing

- Christine Wong and Yuan Randong (University of Melbourne)
"Social security reforms in China and financing across levels of government"

- Olli Kangas (University of Turku, Finland)
"The potential of Finland’s Basic Income experiment to address the challenge of ageing"
Discussants: Delphine Moretti, OECD Budgeting Division, Public Governance Directorate;
Herwig Immervoll, OECD Division for Social Affairs and IZA

COFFEE BREAK (4-4:15pm)

SESSION 4 (4:15-5:45pm): Demographic impacts on spending and transfers

- Fernando de Holanda Barbosa Filho (FGV and Ministry of Economy, Brazil)
"Public spending in Brazil: multi-level projections (for education, health, social programs and social security) based on the demographic transition"

- Bill Robson (CD Howe, Canada)
"Adaptability, Accountability and Sustainability: Intergovernmental Fiscal Arrangements in Canada"
Discussants: Jens Arnold and Andrew Barker, OECD Economics Department

CLOSING (5:45-6pm): Sean Dougherty, Head of OECD Fiscal Network Secretariat