## Conference on Quantitative Economics: Visitors and New Faces at IER and Hitotsubashi 23rd Jan. 2019

@ IER conference room

Sponsored by Joint Usage and Research Center, Institute of Economic Research,

Hitotsubashi University

13:00-13:50 Makoto WATANABE (VU Amsterdam, Tinbergen Institute)

"Endogenous Repo Cycles"

13:50-14:40 Yuta TAKAHASHI (IER, Hitotsubashi)

"Nominal Wage Rigidity: Theory and Historical Evidence from Japan"

20 min. Coffee Break

## **15:00-16:15** Three PDs at IER

"Long-term Effects of Job Change on Wage Growth in Japan: Moderating Role of Employment Status and Gender" by Ryota MUGIYAMA "Railroads and Price Convergence: Evidence from Japan in the Meiji Era" by Takashi TSUJIMOTO

"Support for Public Services in A Multi-Identity Democracy" by Øivind SCHØYEN

## 10 min. Coffee Break

**16:25-17:15** Hidenori TAKAHASHI (Econ, Hitotsubashi)

"Bidding for Contracts under Uncertain Demand: Skewed Bidding and Risk Sharing"

17:15-18:05 Hitoshi SHIGEOKA (Simon Fraser)

"Free for Children? Patient Cost-sharing and Healthcare Utilization"

Adjourn

**Conference dinner (18:30-20:30)**