

The DRUID Summer Conference 1997

Monday 9.00-12.30 Plenary Session 1

Competition and Industrial Dynamics

Chairman: Jens Frøslev Christensen

1. G. B. Richardson: Competition, Innovation and Increasing Returns Discussant: Ed Steinmueller
2. Giovanni Dosi/Orietta Marsili: Industrial Structures and Dynamics: Evidence, Interpretation and Puzzles Discussant: Michael Storper
3. Bo Carlson: Competition and Industrial Dynamics - Innovation, Entry, and Spillovers Discussant: Esben Sloth Andersen
4. Benjamin Coriat: Firms, competition and selection - Strengths and limits of the Evolutionary Approach Discussant: Patrick Llerena
5. Morris Teubal: Restructuring and Embeddness of the Business Sector - A Systems of Innovation Perspective on Diffusion Policy Discussant: Björn Johnson

Monday 16.00- 19.30 Parallel Sessions 2.1 and 2.2

Session 2.1: Competition and dynamics in IT-related sectors

Chairman: Benjamin Coriat

1. Massimo Colombo (with Paola Carrone): Capabilities in the Multimedia Regime -The case of Telecommunications Operators Discussants: Robin Mansell/Bent Dalum
2. Ed Steinmueller: The Evolution of Competitive Advantage in the Global Semiconductor Industry: 1947-1996 Discussants: Massimo Colombo/Mette Præst
3. Robin Mansell: Relocations of Competition in the field of Information and Communications Technology Discussants: Peter Lotz/Maj Andersen
4. Dieter Ernst: High-Tech Competition Puzzles. How Globalization Affects Firm Behavior and Market Structure in the Electronics Industry Discussants: Svend Hylleberg/Nana Køster

Session 2.2: Globalisation and changing patterns of competition

Chairman: Peter Maskell

1. Michael Storper: Social Impacts of Globalization - Production, Consumption and Inequality in Global Context.
Discussants: Poul H. Andersen/Mark Lorenzen

2. Claude Serfati (with Francois Chesnais) : Long Horizon Investment under a Globalised Finance Dominated Accumulation Regime. An Interpretation of the Levelling Off and Decline of R&D in the 1990s
Discussants: Michel Delapierre/Jesper Lindgaard Christensen/

3. Lynn Mytelka & Michel Delapierre: Industrial Dynamics, Knowledge-Based Networked Oligopolies and the Emergence of New Modes of Competition
Discussants: Jens Nyholm/Olman Segura

4. Franco Malerba (with Timothy Bresnahan): Industrial Dynamics and the Evolution of Firms' and nations' Competitive Capabilities in the World Computer Industry
Discussants: Morris Teubal/Gert Villumsen

Tuesday 9.00-12.30 Plenary Sessions 3.1 and 3.2

Session 3.1 (9.00-10.30)

Stability and change in industrial structures

Chairman: Patrick Llerena

1. Esben Sloth Andersen: The Schumpeterian Trade-off in an Evolutionary Model of Structural Economic Change

Discussants: Bo Carlsson/Henrik Sornn Friese

2. Peter Lotz: Stable Industries in Turbulent Environments

Discussants: Dieter Ernst/Klaus Lindegaard

3. Bengt-Åke Lundvall: Industrial Dynamics in a small open economy

Discussants: Franco Malerba/Keld Laursen

Session 3.2 (11.00-12.30)

Round table on the implications of globalisation, the learning economy and the information society for competition policy

Chairman: Bo Carlsson

Svend Hylleberg

Finn Lauritzen

G.B. Richardson

Ed Steinmueller

Bengt-Åke Lundvall

Lynn Mytelka

Format etc.:

The recommended format for presentations of papers will be decided by the chairman but it could be:

15-20 minutes introduction regarding the main ideas and results from the paper by the author

5-10 minutes comment from discussant 1 (mainly on major results and on how the paper contributes to the general theme of the conference)

5-10 minutes comment from discussant 2 (specific points in relation to methodological aspects)

Open discussion