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Chapelle historique du Bon Pasteur,
100 Sherbrooke Est, Montréal**

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- 8:30 to 9:00** **Registration**
- 9:00 to 9:30** **Claude CASTONGUAY** (CIRANO, Québec)
The Ageing of the Population, a Fundamental Parameter of the Economy
- 9:30 to 10:15** **Jean-Yves DUCLOS** (Université Laval & CIRPÉE, Québec)
The Impact of Demographic Changes on the Income Distribution and on Public Finance : The Case of Québec
- 10:15 to 10:30** **DISCUSSION** : Québec and International Comparisons
- 10:30 to 10:45** **COFFEE BREAK**
- 10:45 to 11:45** **Michael HURD** (RAND & NBER, United States)
International Comparisons of Retirement and Saving Behavior
- 11:45 to 12:45** **Pierre PESTIEAU**, (Université de Liège, CREPP, CORE, TSE & CEPR)
The Economics of Long Term Care
- 12:45 to 14:00** **LUNCH**
- 14:00 to 15:00** **Olivia MITCHELL** (Wharton Business School & NBER, United States)
Financial Sophistication in the Older Population
- 15:00 to 16:00** **Susann ROHWEDDER** (RAND & NBER, United States)
Preparation for Retirement
- 16:00 to 16:45** **PANEL** : What are the Data Needs of Economists to Study Aging Issues
- 16:45** **Closing Remarks**