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- 9.00-9.35 Registration and coffee
9.35-9.45 Welcome address by **Flavio Toxvaerd** (University of Cambridge)

Session 1: Chair: **Dominique Lauga** (University of Cambridge)

- 9.45-10.30 **Jeanine Miklos-Thal** (Fred H. Gowen Professor of Economics and Management, Simon Business School, University of Rochester)
Price Discrimination Against Multi-Clouders
- 10.30-11.15 **Joe Harrington** (Patrick T. Harker Professor of Business Economics and Public Policy, Wharton School, University of Pennsylvania)
Anticompetitive Harm from Third-Party Pricing Algorithms: Sources and Remedies
- 11.15-11.30 Coffee break
- 11.30-12.15 **Chris Doyle** (Senior Economics Director, Competition and Markets Authority)
When Do Economists Get It Wrong?
- 12.15-13.30 Lunch

Session 2: Chair: **Christos Genakos** (University of Cambridge)

- 13.30-14.15 **Alon Eizenberg** (Professor of Economics, Hebrew University of Jerusalem)
An Empirical Analysis of Merger Efficiencies
- 14.15-15.00 **Simeon Thornton** (Director, Ofcom)
Online News, Media Plurality and Media Mergers
- 15.00-15.30 Coffee break

Session 3: Chair: **Emanuele Giovannetti** (Anglia Ruskin University & Hughes Hall)

- 15.30-16.15 **Chiara Criscuolo** (Principal Economist, Economic Policy Research Unit, IFC)
Effects of Competition Enforcement Along the Value Chain
- 16.15-17.00 **Emanuele Tarantino** (Chief Competition Economist, European Commission)
Competition Policy for An Innovative EU
- 17.00-18.00 Drinks reception

Venue

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