

Shaping the Future of International Tax Cooperation



October 2, Paris School of Economics - 6-8pm

THURSDAY OCTOBER 2, 2025

6:00-6:10PM

● **Keynote (10 min.)**
Thomas Piketty, ICRICT.

6:10-7:00 PM

● **Panel1:** Who Shapes the Rules? Trade Wars, Tax Battles and the Future of Global Governance (50 min) - 2 rounds of questions (40 min) and of Q&A (10min).

International taxation is no longer a technocratic issue—it is caught in the crossfire of global power struggles. With the return of Trump, the U.S. is once again using tariffs and trade threats to dismantle Digital Services Taxes (DSTs) abroad, as well as the minimum tax on multinational corporations, defending its tech giants while undermining multilateral negotiations.

This panel will examine how the weaponization of trade policy intersects with ongoing processes on international tax reform—from the OECD/G20 to the United Nations—raising fundamental questions about sovereignty, fairness, and the balance of power in global governance. Speakers will reflect on what is at stake: whether unilateralism and trade wars will derail efforts to build a fairer international tax system and what pathways exist toward an inclusive and equitable framework that can withstand great-power politics.

● **Moderator:** Victor Goury-Laffont (POLITICO).

● **Joseph Stiglitz**, ICRICT Co-Chair .

● **Manon Aubry**, Co-chair of the Left Group in the European Parliament
Member of the ECON and FISC committees.

● **Valérie Hayer**, Présidente de Renew Europe au Parlement européen.

7:00-7:05 PM

● **Break and change of panel.**

7:05-7:50 PM

● **Panel 2:** Negotiating the details:

Key elements of the UN Framework Convention on International Tax Cooperation (45 min).

Building on the political discussion, this panel will take a closer look at the concrete elements under negotiation in the UN Framework Convention on International Tax Cooperation and its early protocols on taxation of cross-border services and dispute prevention and resolution. Experts will examine proposals on the table, alternative measures advanced by different countries and regions, and the contrasting realities between developed and developing countries. The discussion will explore the technical complexities underlying these negotiations and examine pathways toward a fairer and more effective international tax architecture.

● **Moderator:** Quentin Parrinello (EUTO).

● **José Antonio Ocampo**, ICRICT.

● **Tove Ryding**, Eurodad.

● **Ryad Selmani**, CCFD Terre Solidaire.

● **Wanda Montero** - UN Committee on Tax Cooperation.

7:50-8:00 PM

● **Closing remarks:** Eva Joly, ICRICT.