

43rd Annual Monetary and Trade Conference

Tariffs, Uncertainty and Globalization



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Join experts from academia, finance, and policy for a deep dive into “**Tariffs, Uncertainty, and Globalization.**” Explore the impact of tariffs and sanctions on trade, the effects of economic uncertainty on consumers and businesses, and the role of globalization in investment decisions amid the threat of tariff wars. Featuring economists, investment strategists, and trade specialists and a special segment, “**The Fed and the Flu,**” with David Kotok of Cumberland Advisors.

When

April 23, 2025

Where

Drexel University’s LeBow College of Business

Gerri C. LeBow Hall
3220 Market Street
Philadelphia, PA 19104

Agenda

8 am // Registration & Opening Remarks

9 am // **Session 1:** The Impact of Tariffs and Sanctions on Trade

10 am // **Session 2:** Uncertainty and The US Economy

11 am // **Session 3:** Globalization, Investments, and Tariffs

11:45 am // **Special Feature:** The Fed and the Flu

12 pm // Concluding Remarks

Speakers



Michael Crook serves as the Chief Investment Officer at Mill Creek Capital Advisors, LLC, and the Chairperson of the firm’s Investment Committee.



George Tsetsekos, PhD serves as the Francis professor of Finance and Director of the Risk Management Center at the LeBow College of Business.



David Kotok co-founded Cumberland Advisors in 1973 and served as its Chief Investment Officer through 2024. He remains a Strategic Advisor at Cumberland.



Yoto Yotov, PhD is a Professor at the School of Economics of the LeBow College of Business, a Research Professor at the ifo Institute, Munich, and a member of the CEA of Bulgaria.



Erin McLaughlin is a Senior Economist at The Conference Board in the Economy, Strategy and Finance (ESF) Center.



Holly Wade is the executive director of the NFIB Research Center where she conducts original research and studies public policy effects on small businesses.



Jeremy Schwartz serves as Global Chief Investment Officer and leads WisdomTree’s investment strategy team.



Constantinos Syropoulos, PhD is the Trustee Professor of International Economics in the School of Economics at Drexel University (USA) and a Research Network Fellow at CESifo (Germany).

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