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Announcement: MIEPP Research Module/Seminar
“**Farewell to Globalization?**”
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Globalization seems to have got into trouble. While the 1990s and early 2000s were characterized by a massive expansion of trade and capital movements, the recent years have seen a decline in international goods and service flows, reduced international investment, and – most importantly – political discussions and decisions that are replacing the goal of globalized markets by various forms of economic nationalism.

The goal of this seminar is to arrive at a better understanding of these developments by identifying...

- the **aggregate and distributional effects** of globalization
- the rationale and consequences of various types of **goods, services, and asset trade regulation**
- the **political-economic forces** that are driving the recent tendency towards more protectionism

Students participating in this seminar should have a solid background in international trade and international macroeconomics. They should be interested in both theoretical and empirical work, and be familiar with the respective concepts and methods.

Participants will write a term paper and give a presentation. Presentations are scheduled to take place on **January 11 and 12, 2018** (whole day).

A **mandatory (!) first meeting** will take place on October 24, 2017 at 4.15-5.45 p.m. in Room RW 6, Haus Recht und Wirtschaft I. The specific topics on which participants will work will be announced in this meeting.