Conference Call For Papers
“Job Reallocation, Productivity Dynamics and Trade Liberalization”

July 7 – 8, 2005
Universidad de Los Andes
Bogotá, Colombia

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The aim of this conference is to discuss the link between job reallocation, productivity dynamics and trade liberalization with a focus on empirical analyses for Latin American countries and for countries outside of the region. Papers that use firm-level or matched employer-employee data (or use statistics drawn from such datasets) are especially encouraged. Theoretical contributions will also be welcomed.

Abstracts or completed papers should be sent to the organizers via Marcela Eslava (local organizer) at meslava@uniandes.edu.co. Abstracts must be received by February 28th, 2005 to be considered for inclusion on the conference program. The program will be selected by March 15th, 2005.

The conference will be held at the Universidad de Los Andes in Bogotá, Colombia. Travel expenses for one author of each accepted paper will be covered.