

BRUEGEL'S FUTURE OF WORK WORKSTREAM

FUTURE OF WORK AND INCLUSIVE GROWTH

An ambitious three-year research-to-action project (2020-2023), in collaboration with the Mastercard Impact Fund and Mastercard Center for Inclusive Growth (CFIG)



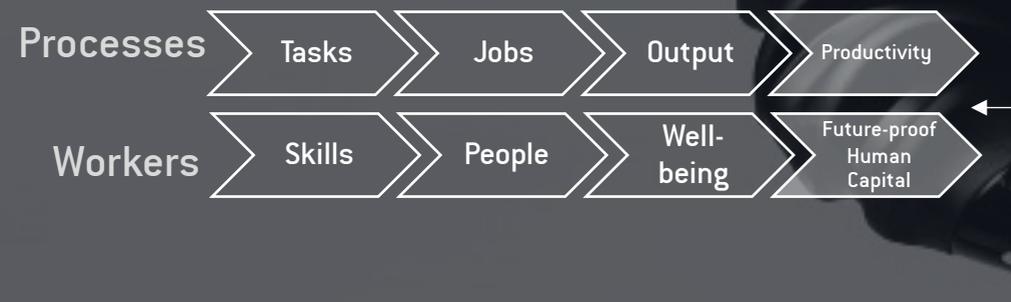
RESEARCH

ACTION

NETWORK



CONCEPTUAL FRAMEWORK



POLICY INTERVENTIONS REQUIRED

- Directed technological change
- Education & Reskilling
- Reducing switching costs
- Taxation and Redistribution
- Employment Protection
- Social Protection
- Competition and Regulation

KEY RESEARCH QUESTIONS

Impact of AI, the emergence of the data economy and technological advancement on work environment and the quality of jobs

AI and its distributional effects: inequality, job polarization, effects on skill upgrading

The impact of rising technology: What will be the returns to investments on education and human capital in the era of AI and COVID-19?

The "gig" economy: How to design a proper policy response to address the challenges of flexible workers?

RESEARCH OUTPUT

THE DASHBOARD PROJECT

A framework to group labour market indicators by **topics** of interest, showing current state of affairs -

- ✓ Constantly updated
- ✓ Live data, Innovative data sources
- ✓ Easy to use



Skills



Technology Adoption



Worker Transition

CASE STUDIES

Multi-level case studies to illustrate and share best practices from across Europe

- ✓ Challenges affecting future of work
- ✓ Innovative & instructive cases
- ✓ Scientifically rigorous

Surveys in EU countries on adoption of technologies & impact on workers

BRUEGEL PUBLICATIONS



Policy Contributions, Blogposts, Opinion Pieces
Live streamed Podcasts and Clubhouse talks with experts

OUTREACH & CONVENING

- Dissemination of project output through social media
- A designated project webpage [Future of Work and Inclusive Growth](#)
- **Events** to discuss research findings with strategic stakeholders, including - Public events, Roundtable discussion & Online workshops

CORE TEAM

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EXCELLENCE NETWORK

Academics

Private sector representatives, Start-ups & Innovation labs

Policy & civil society representatives

ADVISORY COMMITTEE

- 8-member committee
- Role: to provide intellectual guidance and direction
- Provides useful feedback on defining project's priorities