



Paul Schreyer to receive the Julius Shiskin Award

Dr. Paul Schreyer, Director of Research and Enterprise at the Economic Statistics Centre of Excellence (ESCoE) at King's College London, has made extraordinary contributions to the fields of productivity measurement, national accounts, and economic statistics. His career spans international public service, academic research, and the development of statistical standards used by governments and institutions worldwide. He received his Doctorate in Mathematical Economics with distinction from the University of Innsbruck, Austria in 1986.

At the OECD, where he served for over three decades in progressively senior roles — culminating as Chief Statistician and Director of the Statistics and Data Directorate (2020–2024) — Dr. Schreyer led and shaped the international standards that underpin how countries measure economic output, capital, and productivity. He is the author of two definitive OECD Manuals, *Measuring Productivity* (2001) and *Measuring Capital* (2009), which remain the methodological foundations for national statistical agencies across the globe. His research advanced the price measurement of information and communication technology, the statistical treatment of free digital services, natural capital in productivity accounts, and the measurement of health and education output. As Rapporteur for the Stiglitz-Sen-Fitoussi Commission on the Measurement of Economic Performance and Social Progress, and through co-authored work with leading economists, Dr. Schreyer consistently bridged rigorous statistical methodology with the broader interpretation of economic and social well-being.