

EVIDENCE-BASED ECONOMICS



SUMMER MEETING 2018

JUNE 28-30, 2018

Ammersee, Bavaria (Germany)



THURSDAY, JUNE 28

11:30

Arrival & Welcome

(Foyer)

Coffee

Those presenting posters in session 1 or 2
should set up their posters in the 'Poster Area'.

12:30

Buffet

13:30 – 15:00

Keynote Lecture

(Lecture Room)

DANIELE NOSENZO (U NOTTINGHAM)

The Behavioural Logic of Rule-Following

15:00 – 16:00
Poster Session 1
(Poster Area)
Coffee & Cake

FLORIAN AUFEROTH (EBE & U ERLANGEN-NUREMBERG)
*The impact of tracking interactions on group performance
and stress levels in an experiment*

SEBASTIAN BORDT (U MUNICH)
*The Econometrics of Individual Heterogeneity in
Repeated Public Goods Experiments*

BENJAMIN BUSCHMANN (EBE & U ERLANGEN-NUREMBERG)
Protest voting in democratic elections

KADIJA CHARNI (CNAM–CEET & U AIX-MARSEILLE)
*Do Employment Opportunities Decrease
for Unemployed Older Workers?*

FELIX PETERHAMMER (EBE & U REGENSBURG)
Social Interaction as a Driver of Information Avoidance

JOHANNA SOPHIE QUIS (U BAMBERG)
*Health Effects of Instruction Intensity: Evidence from a
Natural Experiment in German High-Schools*

AXEL WOGROLLY (U BONN)
The dynamics of households' stock market beliefs

16:00 – 17:30
Parallel Session 1
(A: Lecture Room, B: Seminar Room)

A: Health

KONSTANTIN KUNZE (UC DAVIS)
*The Effect of Medicaid Expansions on Employment of
Low Income Women*
Discussant: Johanna Sophie Quis

JACQUELINE DODD (UC SANTA BARBARA)
Downsizing Mental Health Hospitals and Suicide
Discussant: Simon Reif

B: Political Economy I

ERIC MELANDER (U WARWICK)
*Creating 'Us and Them':
Racial Propaganda, Insularity and Right-Wing Ideology*
Discussant: Lukas Hensel

STEFFEN MUELLER (U HAMBURG)
The generation gap in direct democracy
Discussant: Benjamin Buschmann

17:30 – 18:30
Poster Session 2
(Poster Area)

LUKAS HENSEL (U OXFORD)
*How Strategic are Political Activists? Evidence From a
Natural Field Experiment*

JOHANNES MOSER (EBE & U REGENSBURG)
*Hypothetical thinking and the winner's curse:
An experimental investigation*

SIMON REIF (EBE & U ERLANGEN-NUREMBERG)
It's about time - Emergency ambulances drive the distance to hospital

TOBIAS ROSSMANN (EBE & U MUNICH)
Updates of Stock Market Expectations

CHRISTOPH WINTER (EBE & U MUNICH)
*Arriving at the Wrong Time: The Long-term Consequences of
Economic Conditions at the Time of Immigration*

18:30
Conference Dinner at the Conference Venue
(Barbecue)

20:00
Get-Together
(and also FIFA World Cup Live Stream, for those interested)

FRIDAY, JUNE 29

07:30 – 08:45
Breakfast

08:45 – 10:15
Parallel Session 2
(A: Lecture Room, B: Seminar Room)

A: Information

DOMINIK FISCHER (U MUNICH)

Motivation by Naïveté

Discussant: Johannes Moser

YI-SHAN LEE (U ZURICH)

Revealed Privacy Preferences: Are Privacy Choices Rational?

Discussant: Sven Simon

B: Migration

CHRISTOPH ALBERT (U POMPEU FABRA)

Immigrants' Residential Choices and their Consequences

Discussant: Christoph Winter

NAVID SABET (EBE & U MUNICH)

The Political Economy of Immigrant Legalization:

Evidence from the 1986 IRCA

Discussant: Konstantin Kunze

10:15 – 11:15
Poster Session 3
(Poster Area)
Coffee & Cake

LAILA AITBIHIOUALI (AIX-MARSEILLE SCHOOL OF ECONOMICS)
Partial Unemployment Insurance and Hour Decisions

MICHAEL EICHENSEER (EBE & U REGENSBURG)
*Leadership in a Dynamic Public Goods Game:
An Experimental Study*

ANNEMARIE GRONAU (EBE & U MUNICH)
Interaction between monetary and non-monetary incentives

SVEN SIMON (MPI TAX MUNICH)
*Compliance in Teams –
Implications of Joint Decisions and Shared Consequences*

MATTHIAS WILHELM (EBE & U MUNICH)
Incentives for Exploration in Science

ZHAOXIN PU (EBE & MPI INNOVATION MUNICH)
Openness as Platform Strategy

11:15 – 12:45

Parallel Session 3

(A: Lecture Room, B: Seminar Room)

A: Industrial Organization

ALESSANDRO SFORZA (LSE)

Shocks and the organization of the firm: Who pays the bill?

Discussant: Axel Wogroly

SHUO LIU (U ZURICH)

Confusion, Polarization and Competition

Discussant: Kadja Charni

B: Labor

SONJA SETTELE (U FRANKFURT)

How Do Beliefs about the Gender Wage Gap

Affect the Demand for Public Policy?

Discussant: Benjamin Arold

LAURA HAHN (U BASEL)

Exchange Rate Effects on Labor Supply from Cross-Border Commuters

Discussant: Laila AitBihiOuali

12:45

Lunch

14:00 – 15:30

Parallel Session 4

(A: Lecture Room, B: Seminar Room)

A: Experimental

TOBIAS AUFENANGER (U NUREMBERG)

Machine Learning to Improve Experimental Design

Discussant: Paul Hufe

EGON TRIPODI (EUI & U BONN)

Sorting Into Incentives for Prosocial Behavior

Discussant: Michael Eichenseer

B: Public Economics

MARKUS NAGLER (U MUNICH)

Disclosure and Subsequent Innovation: Evidence

From the Patent Depository Library Program

Discussant: Felix Pöge

RAYMOND HAN (U CHICAGO)

*Voting Cultures: Network Effects and the Political Participation of
Naturalized Citizens in U.S. Elections*

Discussant: Sebastian Bordt

16:00

Hike to Kloster Andechs

Please meet at 16:00 (s. t.) at entrance of conference venue
(from 15:30 there is time for changing into comfortable clothes).

18:30

**Conference Dinner at Kloster Andechs
(Bergstraße 2, 82346 Andechs)**

SATURDAY, JUNE 30

07:30 – 08:45
Breakfast

09:00 – 10:30
Keynote Lecture
(Lecture Room)

LEONARDO BURSZTYN (U CHICAGO & NBER)
Appropriate Behavior: Social Norms, Morality, and Decision Making

10:30 – 11:30
Poster Session 4
(Poster Area)

BENJAMIN AROLD (IFO MUNICH)

Can Schools Change Religious Attitudes? Evidence from German State Reforms of Compulsory Religious Education

CARSTEN FEUERBAUM (EBE & U EICHSTÄTT-INGOLSTADT)

Migration and Automation Innovation

CORINNA HARTUNG (U MUNICH)

Personalized Risk Assessment in Health Care

PAUL HUFÉ (IFO MUNICH)

The Roots of Inequality: Estimating Inequality of Opportunity From Regression Trees

FELIX PÖGE (MPI INNOVATION MUNICH)

A Firm Scientific Community – Do Scientific Conferences Facilitate Knowledge Transmission to Private Firms

IBRAHIMA SARR (LAVAL U)

Life-cycle decisions, dynamic programming, and correlation neglect: Experimental analysis of alternative decision rules

11:30 – 13:00
Parallel Session 5
(A: Lecture Room, B: Seminar Room)

A: Behavioral

ROSALIA GRECO (U BOCCONI)
Redistribution, Polarization and Ideology
Discussant: Ibrahima Sarr

FELIX MAUERSBERGER (U POMPEU FABRA)
*Thompson Sampling: Endogenously Random
Behavior in Games and Markets*
Discussant: Tobias Rossmann

B: Political Economy II

SIDDARTH GEORGE (HARVARD U)
*How do political dynasties affect economic development?
Evidence from India*
Discussant: Annemarie Gronau

MILENA DJOURELOVA (U POMPEU FABRA)
*Media Attention and Political Timing:
Evidence from Presidential Executive Orders*
Discussant: Zhaoxin Pu

13:00
Lunch

14:00 – 15:30
Parallel Session 6
(A: Lecture Room, B: Seminar Room)

A: Education

MARIA LUCIA YANGUAS (UC LOS ANGELES)
Technology and Educational Choices: The case of Uruguay
Discussant: Matthias Wilhelm

BARBARA BOELMANN (UCL)
Like mother, like daughter? Societal determinants of maternal labor supply – An empirical analysis of the German reunification
Discussant: Corinna Hartung

B: Political Economy III

JORGE GARCIA HOMBRADOS (LSE)
Female Genital Cutting and Education: Theory and Causal Evidence from Senegal
Discussant: Florian Auferoth

MARC WITTE (U OXFORD)
Job referrals and strategic network formation
Discussant: Carsten Feuerbaum

15:00
End of conference

EBE Summer Meeting 2018 Travel Details

Conference Venue (incl. accommodation in single/ double rooms):

[Haus der bayerischen Landwirtschaft](#)

Rieder Str. 70

82211 Herrsching am Ammersee

Directions to the Venue

From either the Munich Central Station (München Hauptbahnhof) or the Munich International Airport, it is very easy to travel to the venue. It involves two simple steps:

1. From either the Central Station or the airport, take the S-Bahn (follow the signs that look like [this](#)) and take the S-8 in the direction of Herrsching. You need to make no changes or transfers and the last stop on the S-8 is Herrsching where you should get off. From the airport, this should take about 90 minutes and from the Central Station 50 minutes. The timetable of the S-8 from the airport can be found [here](#) and from the Central Station [here](#). A ticket from the airport costs €11.6 and from the Central Station €8.7.
2. Once in Herrsching, there are several options to get to the venue:
 - a) Walk from the S-Bahn station to the Bus station (approximately 90 meters). From the bus stop, take Bus 921 in the direction of Stegen (or Weßling). Get off at Herrsching-Lochschwab station. This is just 3 stops, so don't miss it. Once at Lochschwab, the venue is about 100 meters away. The timetable of this bus can be found [here](#). Your S-Bahn ticket is inclusive of this bus ride.
 - b) Depending on when you arrive, a shuttle will be organised to take participants from the S-Bahn station in Herrsching to the venue. **There will be 2 shuttles, at 11:20 and at 12:20 respectively.**
 - c) Failing those options, the S-Bahn station is 1.9 km away from the venue and the adventurous traveler might want to enjoy a nice scenic walk.

Directions from the Venue

The bus schedule from Herrsching-Lochschwab to Herrsching S-Bahn Station can be found [here](#). The S-Bahn schedule from Herrsching to Munich Airport and Central Station can be found [here](#).

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