

EUROPEAN SUMMER SYMPOSIUM IN ECONOMIC THEORY

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PROGRAMME

WEEK 1

Monday, 4 July

Focus Session on Developments in Mechanism Design I

08.30 – 09.30	Information and Market Power *Stephen Morris (Princeton University) With Dirk Bergemann (Yale and CEPR)
09.30 – 10.30	Robust Mechanism Design of Exchange *Tomasz Sadzik (UCLA) With Pavel Andreyanov (UCLA)
10.30 – 11.00	Coffee break

Evening Parallel Session

20.30 – 21.30	Information Aggregation in Democratic Mechanisms *Hans Gersbach (ETH Zürich and CEPR) With Volker Britz (ETH Zürich)	Dynamic Adverse Selection with a Patient Seller *Marc Möller (University of Bern) With Juan Beccuti (University of Bern)
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Tuesday, 5 July

Focus Session on Developments in Mechanism Design II

08.30 – 09.30	Market Power and Welfare in Asymmetric Divisible Good Auctions *Xavier Vives (IESE Business School and CEPR) With Carolina Manzano (Universitat Rovira i Virgili Tarragona)
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Evening Parallel Session

20.30 – 21.30	Sophisticated Sincerity under Incomplete Information *Andreas Kleiner (University of Bonn) With Benny Moldovanu (University of Bonn and CEPR)	Selecting Applicants *Alexander Frankel (Booth, University of Chicago)
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Wednesday, 6 July

Morning Session

08.30 – 09.30

Gaming and Strategic Opacity in Incentive Provision

*Margaret A Meyer (University of Oxford and CEPR)

With Florian Ederer (Yale) and Richard Holden (University of New South Wales)

Evening Parallel Session

20.30 – 21.30

Dynamic Demand and Sequential Monopoly: A Model of Endogenous Screening

*Venkataraman Bhaskar (University of Texas at Austin and CEPR)

With Nikita Roketskiy (University College London)

A Theory of Crowdfunding - a mechanism design approach with demand uncertainty and moral hazard

*Roland Strausz (Humboldt University and CEPR)

Thursday, 7 July

Focus Session on Developments in Mechanism Design III

08.30 – 09.30

Efficient Bilateral Trade

*Marek Pycia (UCLA)

With Rod Garratt (UCSB)

09.30 – 10.30

Social Learning and Information Design with Model Misspecification

*Aislinn Bohren (University of Pennsylvania)

With Daniel Hauser (University of Pennsylvania)

10.30 – 11.00

Coffee break

Evening Parallel Session

20.30 – 21.30

Selection by Selection: The Case of University Admissions

*Ian Jewitt (University of Oxford and CEPR)

With Esteban Ortiz Ospina (Oxford)

Betting on Others' Bets: Unions of Surplus Extraction Mechanisms

*Alia Gizatulina (University of St Gallen)

Friday, 8 July

Focus Session on Developments in Mechanism Design III

08.30 – 09.30

Information Design

*Stephen Morris (Princeton University)

Morning Parallel Session

10.00 – 11.00

Failure of Common Knowledge of Language in Common-Interest Communication Games

*Andreas Blume (University of Arizona)

Selling to Advised Buyers

*Anton Tsoy (EIEF)

With Andrey Malenko (MIT)

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WEEK 2

Monday, 11 July

Focus Session on Games and Contracts: A Dynamic Perspective I

08.30 – 09.30	Even Up: Maintaining Relationships *Larry Samuelson (Yale) With Ennio S Stacchetti (New York University)
09.30 – 10.30	Bargaining with One-Sided Asymmetric Information and Nonstationary Behavioral Types *Ennio S Stacchetti (New York University) With Dilip Abreu (Princeton University) and David Pearce (New York University)
10.30 – 11.00	Coffee break

Evening Parallel Sessions

20.30 – 21.30	Strategic exit with random observations *Svetlana Boyarchenko (University of Texas at Austin)	Incentives for Endogenous Types: Taxation under Learning-by-Doing *Miltiadis Makris (University of Southampton) With Alessandro Pavan (Northwestern University)
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Tuesday, 12 July

Morning Session

08.30 – 09.30	Too Good to Fire: Non-Assortative Matching to Play a Dynamic Game *Thomas Wiseman (University of Texas at Austin) With Ben Sperisen (Tulane University)
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Evening Parallel Sessions

20.30 – 21.30	Private Learning and Exit Decisions in Collaboration *Anne-Katrin Roesler (Northwestern University) With Yingni Guo (Northwestern University)	Observation delays and cycles *Chantal Marlats (Université Panthéon-Assas, Paris II) With Sidartha Gordon (Paris-Dauphine University) and Lucie Ménager (Paris 2 University)
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Wednesday, 13 July

Morning Session

08.30 – 09.30	Recruiting Talent *Moritz Meyer-Ter-Vehn (UCLA) With Simon Board (UCLA) and Tomasz Szadzik (UCLA)
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Evening Parallel Sessions

20.30 – 21.30

Residual Deterrence

*Francesc Dilmé (University of Bonn)
With Daniel Garrett (Toulouse School of Economics and CEPR)

Career Concerns and Policy

Intransigence - A Dynamic Signaling Model

*Caroline Thomas (University of Texas at Austin)

Thursday, 14 July

Focus Session on Games and Contracts: A Dynamic Perspective II

08.30 – 09.30

Bayesian Experimentation and Learning Treatment Sets

*Martin William Cripps (University College London)

09.30 – 10.30

Implementation in Dynamic Environments

*Johannes Hörner (Yale and CEPR)

10.30 – 11.00

Coffee break

Evening Parallel Sessions

20.30 – 21.30

Optimal Adaptive Testing: Informativeness and Incentives

*Rahul Deb (University of Toronto)
With Colin Stewart (University of Toronto)

Experimenting with Career Concerns

*Marina Halac (Columbia University, University of Warwick and CEPR)
With Ilan Kremer (The Hebrew University and University of Warwick)

Friday, 15 July

Morning Session

08.30 – 09.30

Optimal Sequential Decision with Limited Attention

*Konrad Mierendorff (University College London)
With Yeon-Koo Che (Columbia University)

Morning Parallel Session

10.00 – 11.00

Incentive Compatibility with Endogenous States

*Suehyun Kwon (University College London)

Competing Mechanisms in Markets for Lemons

*Piero Gottardi (EUI)
With Sarah Auster (Bocconi University)

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