



EUROPEAN SUMMER SYMPOSIUM IN ECONOMIC THEORY

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PROGRAMME WEEK 1 July 3rd – 7th 2023

Monday, 3 July

Focus Session on Challenges in Organizations

08.30 - 09.30	Formulas, promises, and stories in organizations *Robert Gibbons (Massachusetts Institute of Technology and CEPR)
09.30 – 10.30	Meaning in communication games *Andreas Blume (University of Arizona and CEPR)
10:30 -11:00	Coffee break
11:00 – 12:00	A theory of frontline management *Alex Frug (Universitat Pompeu Fabra) with Daniel Bird (Tel Aviv University)

Evening Parallel Sessions

20.30 – 21.30	Interactions across multiple games: cooperation, corruption, and organizational design	Recombinant search *Arjada Bardhi (Duke University) with Steven Callander (Stanford
	*Nicole Immorlica (Microsoft Research) with Jonathan Bendor (Stanford University), Lukas	University)
	Bolte (Stanford University), and Matthew Jackson (Stanford University)	

Tuesday, 4 July

Focus Session on Challenges in Organizations

08.30 - 09.30	Competing Models: Complexity and Persuasion	
	*Andrea Prat (Columbia University and CEPR) with José Montiel-Olea (Cornell)	

Evening Parallel Sessions

	Failored stories *Chiara Aina (University of Zürich)	Competition and herding in breaking news competition and herding in breaking news *Sara Shahanaghi (Toulouse School of Economics)
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Wednesday, 5 July



Focus Session on Challenges in Organizations

08.30 - 09.30	*Aislinn Bohren (University of Pennsylvania and CEPR) with Peter Hull (Brown University) and Alex Imas (University of Chicago)
9.30 – 10.30	Disclosure and incentives in teams
	*Paula Onuchic (Oxford University) with João Ramos (University of Southern
	California)
10.30 – 11.00	Coffee break
11:00 - 12:00	Organizational capacity and project dynamics
	*Dana Foarta (Stanford University and CEPR) with Michael Ting (Columbia
	University)

Evening Parallel Sessions

20.30 – 21.30	The behavioral foundations of model misspecification: a decomposition	On the origin and persistence of identity-driven choice behavior
	*Daniel N. Hauser (Aalto University and	*Caroline Liqui Lung (University of
	Helsinki GSE) with Aislinn Bohren	Cambridge)
	(University of Pennsylvania and CEPR)	

Thursday, 6 July

Focus Session on Challenges in Organizations

08.30 - 09.30

Calibrated clustering and analogy-based expectation equilibrium

*Philippe Jehiel (Paris School of Economics, University College London and CEPR) with Giacomo Weber (Paris School of Economics)

Evening Parallel Sessions

20.30 – 21.30	Shaping institutions *William Fuchs (University of Texas Austin and CEPR) with Satoshi Fukuda (Bocconi University)	Selecting the best when selection is hard: the persistent effects of luck *Margaret Meyer (University of Oxford and CEPR) with Mikhail Drugov (New Economic School and CEPR) and Marc Möller (Universität Bern)
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Friday, 7 July

Morning Session

08.30 - 09.30

Sources of authority

*George Mailath (University of Pennsylvania and Australian National University) with Stephen Morris (Massachusetts Institute of Technology and CEPR) and Andrew Postlewaite (University of Pennsylvania)

Morning Parallel Session

10.00 – 11.00	Political social-learning: short-term memory and cycles of polarisation	Organizing collective action: Olson revisited
	*Ronny Razin (London School of	*Marco Battaglini (Cornell University
	Economics and CEPR) with Gilat Levy	and CEPR) with Thomas Palfrey
	(London School of Economics and CEPR)	(California Institute of Technology)

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