

School of BUSINESS ECONOMICS and SOCIAL SCIENCES



# **Political Economy: Theory meets Empirics**

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#### Workshop at the University of Graz

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### Location:

<u>SZ 15.22</u>, Resowi-Center, Tract G, 2<sup>nd</sup> floor

## Monday, 23<sup>rd</sup> September

8:45 - 9:00	Welcome address by the organizers
9:00 - 9:45	Antoine Loeper
	Universidad Carlos III de Madrid
	"Legislative Priorities and the Structure of Government" (with Wiola Dziuda)
9:45 - 10:30	Antonio Nicolo
	University of Padova
	"Learning it the Hard Way: Conflicts, Economic Sanctions, and Military Aid" (with Edoardo Grillo)
10:30 - 11:00	Coffee Break
11:00 - 11:45	Moritz Janas
	NYU Abu Dhabi
	"Gender and Self-Selection into Politics" (with Sebastian Fehrler and Maik T Schneider)
11:45 - 12:30	Yves Breitmoser
	University of Bielefeld
	"Why Committees Work"
12:30 - 14:00	Lunch (at Parks)
14:00 - 14:45	Anja Prummer
	Free University of Berlin
	"Value Design in Optimal Mechanisms" (with Francesco Nava)
14:45 - 15:30	Galina Zudenkova
	University of Dortmund
	"Information and Communication Technologies, Protests, and Censorship" (with Maxim Ananyev, Maria Petrova, and Dimitrios Xefteris)
15:30 - 16:00	Coffee Break
16:00 - 16:45	Sebastian Fehrler
	University of Bremen
	"Too Good to be True – Individual and Collective Decision-Making with Misleading Signals" (with Anna Hochleitner and Moritz Janas)
16:45 - 17:30	Steven Kivinen
	University of Graz
	"Renegotiation-proof Cheap Talk" (with Christoph Kuzmics)

### Tuesday, 24<sup>th</sup> September

09:00 - 09:45	Giovanni Andreottola	
	"A Theory of Political Fact-Checking" (with Charles-Louis Sidois)	
09:45 - 10:30	Oriol Tejada	
	University of Barcelona	
	"Information Acquisition in Deliberative Democracy"	
10:30 - 10:45	Coffee Break	
10:45 - 11:30	Jean-Francois Laslier	
	Paris School of Economics	
	"Mixed Systems of Representation Might Solve the Proportionality- Accountability Dilemma"	
11:30 - 12:15	Stefan Napel	
	University of Bayreuth	
	"Voting Rules and Voting Success in Weighted Committees and Shareholder Meetings" (with Alexander Mayer and Sven Hörner)	
12:15- 13:00	Lunch (at G2 in Resowi Building)	
13:00 - 13:45	Valeriia Chukaeva	
	University of Graz	
	"Polarization and Voter Mobilization" (with Christoph Kuzmics)	
13:45 - 14:30	Jan Zapal	
	CERGE-EI Prague	
	"The Dynamics of Protests" (with Fabio Michelucci)	
END OF WORKSHOP		

Further Information:

Welcome Drinks at Café Promenade (<u>https://promenade.aiola.at/</u>) on Sunday 22 Sept. at 19.00h.

Lunch on Monday 23 Sept will be at PARKS (<u>https://www.parks-graz.at/</u>).

The **Workshop Dinner** will be at **Aiola Upstairs** (<u>https://upstairs.aiola.at/</u>).

All information on the Workshop can also be found on the **workshop website**: <u>https://finanzwissenschaft.uni-graz.at/de/forschung/workshop-political-economy/</u>