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Applied Microeconomics
Munich, 22 – 23 March 2019

Programme

Friday, 22 March 2019

09:10 – 09: 25   **Welcome & Introduction**
CHRISTIAN GOLLIER (Toulouse School of Economics)

Plenary Session 1 - Ludwig Erhard Room
CESifo Distinguished Affiliate Prize Lecture I
Chair: Christian Gollier

09:25 – 10:25   **Salience and Skewness Preferences**
MARKUS DERTWINKEL-KALT (Frankfurt School of Finance)

10:25 – 10:55   Coffee Break

Parallel Session 2a – Ludwig Erhard Room
Mechanisms and Urban Development
Chair: Paul Schweinzer

10:55 – 11:40   **Competitive Procurement with Ex Post Moral Hazard**
FAHAD KHALIL (University of Washington)

11:40 – 12:25   **On the efficient growth rate of carbon price under a carbon budget**
CHRISTIAN GOLLIER (Toulouse School of Economics)

12:25 – 13:10   **A threshold model of urban development**
PAUL SCHWEINZER (University of Klagenfurt)

Parallel Session 2b – Richard Musgrave Room
Emotions and Violence
Chair: Hale Utar

10:55 – 11:40   **The Effects of Induced Emotions on Social Sanctions**
MICHALIS DROUVELIS (University of Birmingham)

11:40 – 12:25   **Can Television Reduce Xenophobia? The Case of East Germany**
MARC RIEGER (University of Trier)

12:25 – 13:10   **Firms and Labor in Times of Violence: Evidence from the Mexican Drug War**
HALE UTAR (Bielefeld University)

13:10 – 14:10   Lunch Break

Plenary Session 3 – Ludwig Erhard Room
CESifo Distinguished Affiliate Prize Lecture II
Chair: Christian Gollier

14:10 – 15:10   **When Formal Contracts Fail**
                   RAÚL SÁNCHEZ DE LA SIERRA (UC Berkeley)

15:10 – 15:40   Coffee Break

Parallel Session 4a - Ludwig Erhard Room
Labor and Contests
Chair: Marco Sahm

15:40 – 16:25   **On the Strategic Role of Wage Secrecy Clauses in Labor Markets with Matching Frictions**
                   TOMER BLUMKIN (Ben Gurion University)

16:25 – 17:10   **The Work-Leisure Tradeoff: Identifying the Heterogeneity**
                   GIZEM KOSAR (FRB New York)

17:10 – 17:55   **Strategic Investment Decisions in Multi-stage Contests with Heterogeneous Players**
                   MARCO SAHM (University of Bamberg)

Parallel Session 4b – Richard Musgrave Room
Prices
Chair: Sjur Didrik Flåm

15:40 – 16:25   **Informative Advertising and Consumer Search:**
                   Evidence From a Price Transparency Regulation in Supermarkets
                   OREN RIGBI (Ben-Gurion University)

16:25 – 17:10   **Emergence of Price-taking Behavior**
                   SJUR DIDRIK FLÅM (University of Bergen)

19:30   Conference Dinner at Restaurant Isardoro

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Parallel Session 5a – Ludwig Erhard Room
Innovation
Chair: Markus Nagler

09:00 – 9:45   **How many life-years have new drugs saved? A 3-way fixed-effects analysis of 66 diseases in 27 countries, 2000-2013**
FRANK LICHTENBERG (Columbia University)

9:45 – 10:30   **The Disciplinary Effect of Post-Grant Review: Evidence from European Patent Opposition**
MARKUS NAGLER (LMU Munich)

Parallel Session 5b – Richard Musgrave Room
Contracts
Chair: Pierre Picard

09:00 – 9:45   **On vertical contracting and horizontal competition**
LAURENT LINNEMER (CREST)

9:45 – 10:30   **Insurance Law and Incomplete Contracts**
PIERRE PICARD (CREST-Ecole Polytechnique)

10:30 – 10:45   Coffee Break

Plenary Session 6 – Ludwig Erhard Room
Experimental Economics
Chair: Yves Le Yaouanq

10:45 – 11:30   **The Perks of Being in the Smaller Team: Incentives in Overlapping Contests**
MARCO SAHM and Christoph March (TU Munich)

11:30 – 12:15   **Learning About One's Self**
YVES LE YAOUANQ (LMU Munich)

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Plenary Session 7– Ludwig Erhard Room
Keynote Lecture
Chair: Christian Gollier

12:15 – 13:15 **Marriage, Labor Supply and the Dynamics of the Social Safety Net**
COSTAS MEGHIR (Yale University)

13:15 – 14:15 Lunch Break

Plenary Session 8 – Ludwig Erhard Room
Trade and Market Power
Chair: Vivek Ghosal

14:15 – 15:00 **On the Interaction of Product Labeling and Trade**
CHARLES MASON (University of Wyoming)

15:00 – 15:45 **The Rise and (Potential) Fall of U.S. Cartel Enforcement**
VIVEK GHOSAL (Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute)

15:45 **Parting Comments**
CHRISTIAN GOLLIER

End of Conference