

VENICE SUMMER INSTITUTE 2022

Emergence and Dynamics of Personality and Attitudes over the Life Cycle

San Servolo, 27-28 June 2022

Organizers: David E. Bloom and Uwe Sunde

Program

Presenting authors are denoted in capital letters | Timing: 20 min presentation and 10 min discussion

Monday, 27 June 2022

09:00 – 09:15 Welcome & Introduction

Session 1

09:15 – 10:00 **Keynote Lecture:**
Fairness and morality in economics
BERTIL TUNGODDEN (NHH)

10:00 – 10:30 **Triggering Parental Time-Investments on Preschool Children through a mindful parenting program**
MARGHERITA FORT (University of Bologna), Maria Bigoni, Chaira Monfardini, Annalisa Guarini, Chiara Suttora and Alessandra Sansavini

10:30 – 11:00 **The Right Timing Matters: Identifying Sensitive Periods in the Formation of Socio-Emotional Skills**
DANIEL KAMHÖFER (University of Duesseldorf), Laura Breitkopf, Shyamal Chowdhury, Hannah Schildberg-Hörisch, Matthias Sutter

11:00 – 11:30 Coffee Break

Session 2

11:30 – 12:00 **The origins of gender differences in competitiveness and earnings expectations: Causal evidence from a mentoring intervention**
THOMAS BUSER (University of Amsterdam), Teodora Boneva, Armin Falk, Fabian Kosse

12:00 – 12:30 **Are Children's Socio-Emotional Skills Shaped by Parental Health Shocks?**
MIRIAM GENSOWSKI (Rockwool Foundation) and Esteban Garcia-Miralles

12:30 – 13:00 **Intergenerational Mobility in Socio-emotional Skills**
ALESSANDRO TOPPETA (UCL), Aureo de Paula, Orazio Attanasio

13:00 – 14:00 Lunch

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Session 3

- 14:00 – 14:30 **Self-Confidence and Motivated Memory Loss: Evidence From Schools**
VIVEK ROY-CHOWDHURY (University of Cambridge)
- 14:30 – 15:00 **The Effect of Having a Sister on Attitudes**
JOHANNA REUTER (Johannes Kepler University Linz) and Martin Habets
- 15:00 – 15:30 **Spillover effects across values**
FABIEN PETIT (Aix-Marseille School of Economics)
- 15:30 – 16:00 Coffee Break

Session 4

- 16:00 – 16:30 **Prosociality and competition: Evidence from a long-run field experiment**
FABIAN KOSSE (LMU Munich), Ranjita Rajan and Michela Tincani
- 16:30 – 17:00 **Shaking Preferences: Earthquakes, Time Preference and Household Savings**
KRISZTINA MOLNAR (NHH)
- 17:00 – 17:30 **Emotions and Risk Attitudes**
ARMANDO MEIER (University of Lausanne)
- 19:30 Conference Dinner on San Servolo

Tuesday, 28 June 2022

Session 5

- 09:00 – 9:45 **Keynote Lecture:**
Inequality, social environment and mentoring
ARMIN FALK (briq)
- 09:45 – 10:15 **The Effect of Education on Patience - Global Evidence from Compulsory Schooling Reforms**
THOMAS DOHMEN (University of Bonn), Radost Holler, Uwe Sunde
- 10:15 – 10:45 **Personal life events and individual risk preferences**
PAUL BOKERN (Maastricht University), Jona Linde, Arno Riedl, Hans Schmeets, Peter Werner
- 10:45 – 11:15 Coffee Break

Session 6

- 11:15 – 11:45 **How Property Shapes Distributional Preferences**
MARIA BIGONI (University of Bologna) and Marco Fabbri
- 11:45 – 12:15 **Does Demography Determine Democratic Attitudes?**
RAINER KOTSCHY (Harvard) and Uwe Sunde
- 12:15 – 12:45 **The Political Scar of Epidemics**
ORKUN SAKA (City University and LSE)

Lunch and End of Conference