7th ETH Workshop on Democracy

ETH Zürich
3-4 June 2024

Day 1 - Monday, 4 June 2024

Time	Agenda
09:00	Meet in the Lobby – Hotel Plattenhof
09:15 – 09:45	Registration and Coffee/Tea/Pastries
09:45 – 10:00	Welcome by **Hans Gersbach** (ETH Zürich and CEPR)
10:00 – 11:30	Inequality, Polarization, and Culture Wars **Peter Buisseret** (Harvard University) Discussant: **Daniel Goldstein** (University of Oslo) Price & Choose **Matías Núñez** (CREST & CNRS) Discussant: **Elise-Flore Tchouanté-Ngamo** (Jean Monnet University)
11:30– 12:00	Morning Break
12:00 – 12:45	Irreversibility, Complementarity, and the Dynamics of Public Good Provision **Ying Chen** (Johns Hopkins University) Discussant: **Oriol Tejada** (University of Barcelona)
12:45 – 14:15	Lunch
14:15 – 15:45	Legislator Prerogative: A Model **Justin Fox** (Washington University in St. Louis) Discussant: **David Foster** (LSE) Partisan Traps **Wioletta Dziuda** (Harris School of Public Policy at the University of Chicago & CEPR) Discussant: **Elia Sartori** (CSEF & University of Naples Federico II)
15:45 – 16:15	Afternoon Break
16:15 – 17:00	Fact-checking Politicians **Andrea Mattozzi** (University of Bologna & CEPR) Discussant: **Charles Louis-Sidois** (Vienna University of Economics and Business)
17:00 – 18:30	Free
18:30 – 22:00	Apéro and Dinner

Day 2 - Tuesday, 4 June 2024

Time	Agenda
09:30 – 10:00	Coffee/Tea/Pastries
10:00 – 11:30	Information and Communication Technologies, Protests, and Censorship **Galina Zudenkova** (TU Dortmund & CEPR) Discussant: **Tinghua Yu** (Birkbeck, University of London) Do Public Goods Actually Reduce Inequality? **Micael Castanheira** (ECARES-ULB & FNRS & CEPR) Discussant: **Federico Trombetta** (Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore)
11:30 – 12:00	Morning Break
12:00 – 12:45	How Do People Vote Under Instant Runoff Voting? An Experiment on Complexity and Voting Behavior **Arnaud Dellis** (Université du Québec à Montréal) Discussant: **Anastasia Leontiou** (University of Vienna)
12:45 – 14:15	Lunch
14:15 – 15:45	Microtargeted Self-Discovery: Political Influence Through News **Sinem Hidir** (University of Warwick) Discussant: **TBD** Peer-to-Peer Information Sharing with Social Image Concerns – When Do Fake News Spread Faster? **Dana Sisak** (Erasmus University Rotterdam) Discussant: **Agustina Martínez** (University of Leicester - School of Business)
15:45 – 16:15	Afternoon Break
16:15 – 17:00	Why Do People Protest? A Theory of Emotions, Public Policy, and Political Unrest **César Martinelli** (George Mason University) Discussant: **Guadalupe Correa-Lopera** (Public University of Navarre)
17:00 – 18:00	Free
18:00 – 19:00	City Walk
19:00 – 22:00	Dinner