



# Political Economy: Theory meets Empirics

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Workshop at the University of Konstanz

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# Academic Program

Thursday, August 31<sup>st</sup>

(Room V-1001)

time	title	presenter
8:45-9:00	<b>Welcome address by the organizers</b>	
9:00-9:45	A Theory of Small Campaign Contributions	Laurent Bouton
9:45-10:30	Negative Campaigning: Theory and Some Stylized Facts	Daniel Seidmann
<b>coffee break</b>		
11:00-11:45	The Dynamics of Motivated Beliefs	Florian Zimmermann
11:45-12:30	Bad memory, bad policies?	Florian Schütt
<b>lunch</b>		
14:00-14:45	tba	Volker Hahn
14:45-15:30	Showing Off or Laying Low?	Dana Sisak
<b>coffee break</b>		
16:00-16:45	An (Almost) Unstructured Experiment in Multilateral Bargaining	James Tremewan
16:45-17:30	Honesty and Self-Selection into Cheap Talk	Maik Schneider

# Friday, September 1<sup>st</sup>

(Room V-1001)

time	title	presenter
9:00-9:45	Accountability or Representation? Democracy and Trade-Offs in Electoral Engineering	Carl G. Maier
9:45-10:30	tba	Kirill Pogorelskiy
<b>coffee break</b>		
10:45-11:30	Disliking to Disagree	Mark Le Quement
11:30-12:15	Fundamental Errors in the Voting Booth	Giacomo Ponzetto
<b>sandwiches</b>		
12:30-13:15	tba	Moritz Janas
13:15-14:00	Voter Turnout with Peer Punishment	Andrea Mattozzi
<b>the end</b>		

## Social Program

time	event
Wednesday, August 30 <sup>th</sup> 18:00 / 19:30	City Tour (roughly 90 min) and Welcome Reception @ Tamaras Weinstube zum Guten Hirten
Thursday, August 31 <sup>st</sup> 20:00	Dinner @ Hafenhalle, Port of Konstanz

## Distinguished Guests

<b>name</b>	<b>affiliation</b>
<b>Laurent Bouton</b>	ECARES Brussels & Georgetown University
<b>Moritz Janas</b>	University of Konstanz
<b>Mark Le Quement</b>	University of East Anglia
<b>Carl G. Maier</b>	University of Konstanz
<b>Andrea Mattozzi</b>	European University Institute
<b>Kirill Pogorelskiy</b>	University of Warwick
<b>Giacomo Ponzetto</b>	CREi Barcelona
<b>Florian Schütt</b>	Tilburg University
<b>Daniel Seidmann</b>	University of Nottingham
<b>Dana Sisak</b>	Erasmus University of Rotterdam
<b>James Tremewan</b>	University of Vienna
<b>Florian Zimmermann</b>	University of Zurich