

# Economics Seminar Programme

## Spring 2009

Seminars are on Thursdays in Arts 3.27 from 4.15pm to 5.45pm unless otherwise stated.

Date	Speaker	Title
8 January	Ganna Pogrebna (Columbia)	Preference Reversals with Ambiguous Lotteries
15 January	Rongili Biswas (University of Eastern Piedmont)	The segregative properties of endogenous jurisdiction formation with a central government
22 January	Maarten Janssen (Vienna)	On mergers in consumer search markets
29 January	Michael Roos (ECO - UEA)	Caught in the past: The role of historical data in expectation formation
5 February	No seminar	
12 February	Yannis Vailakis (Exeter)	Collateral, default penalties and endogenous debt constraints (joint with Victor Filipe Martins-da-Rocha)
19 February	Lionel Page (Westminster)	Momentum effect in competitions: field evidence from tennis matches
26 February	Klaus Waelde (Glasgow)	(How to avoid) Roads into poverty in the UK
5 March		
12 March	Dirk Engelmann (Royal Holloway)	A Shock Therapy Against the "Endowment Effect" (joint with Guillaume Hollard)
19 March	Rachel Griffith (IFS and UCL)	Empirical estimates of the impact of a tax on saturated fats in differentiated product oligopoly (joint with Lars Nesheim and Martin O'Connell)
26 March		
2 April	Ulrich Schmidt (Kiel)	TBA
EASTER BREAK		
7 May		
14 May	Frans de Vries (Stirling)	International Environmental Agreements and Knowledge Transfers: Evidence from Sulfur Protocols (joint with T. Dekker, H. Vollebergh and C. Withagen)
21 May	Erica Seki (Aberdeen)	Voluntary contribution to public goods with heterogeneous productivities
28 May		
4 June	Daniel Zizzo (ECO - UEA)	TBA
11 June	Odile Poulsen (ECO - UEA)	Management compensation, skill composition and income inequality

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