

Mannheim Empirical Economic and Social Research Workshop

Date: June, 8th 2016, Place: MZES, A5, 6, Room A231

09:15 – 09:30 Welcome & Introduction

Session 1 – Chair: A. Peichl

- 09:30 – 09:45 **M. Tertilt** (VWL), M. Doepke "Does Female Empowerment Promote Economic Development?"
- 09:45 – 10:00 **N. Breznau** (MZES) "Immigrant Presence, Group Boundaries and Support for the Welfare State in Western European Societies"
- 10:00 – 10:15 **M. Debus** (PoW) "The impact of EU regional policy on the support of European integration on the regional and local level: Analysing changes in positions of political parties"
- 10:15 – 10:30 **S. Munzert** (MZES) "Paying Attention to Attention: Media Exposure and Opinion Formation in the Age of Information Overload"

10:30 – 10:50 Coffee Break

Session 2 – Chair: I. Kogan

- 10:50 – 11:05 **K. Kaufmann** (VWL), M. Messner "Birth order effects on personality: Origins and long run consequences"
- 11:05 – 11:20 **D. Ponattu** (PoW) "Youth Enfranchisement and Educational Spending - Theory and Evidence from India"
- 11:20 – 11:35 **L. Leszczensky** (MZES), S. Pink, F. Kalter "The Interplay of Young Immigrants' National Identification and Their Friendships with Natives"
- 11:35 – 11:50 **M. Dolls** (ZEW), C. Fuest, D. Neumann, A. Peichl "An Unemployment Insurance Scheme for the Euro Area? A Comparison of Different Alternatives Using Micro Data"
- 11:50 – 12:05 **J. Partheymüller** (MZES) "Agenda dynamics during the campaign period"

12:05 – 13:00 Lunch Break

Session 3 – Chair: M. Tertilt

- 13:00 – 13:15 **J. Shen** (MZES), I. Kogan "Financial Well-Being and the Non-Pecuniary Cost of Unemployment: How Do Immigration Status and Gender Matter in Life Satisfaction of the Unemployed Population in the United Kingdom, 2009-2015?"
- 13:15 – 13:30 **F. Exler** (VWL) "A Quantitative Analysis of Consumer Debt Traps"
- 13:30 – 13:45 **J. Dollmann** (MZES), F. Kalter "Children of Immigrants Longitudinal Survey in Four European Countries (CILS4EU)"
- 13:45 – 14:00 **V. Fetscher** (PoW) "Building an Egalitarian Society. An Institutional Approach towards Explaining Preferences for Redistribution by High-Income Earners"

14:00 – 14:20 Coffee Break

Session 4 – Chair: M. Debus

- 14:20 – 14:35 **P. Hufe** (ZEW), A. Peichl "Beyond Equal Rights: Equality of Opportunity in Political Participation"
- 14:35 – 14:50 **N. Marinov** (PoW) "Does Social Media Promote Civic Activism? Evidence from a Field Experiment in Bulgaria"
- 14:50 – 15:05 **M. Schierholz** (MZES), M. Gensicke, N. Tschersich "Occupation Coding during the Interview"
- 15:05 – 15:20 **D. Müller** (VWL/SFB) "Distributional Preferences and Social Groups"

15:20 – 16:00 Final Discussion