

PRIORAT WORKSHOP IN THEORETICAL POLITICAL SCIENCE

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PROGRAM

Thursday June 5

14:30-16:00 Parties and politicians I

Daniela Iorio *The Fiscal Effects of Political Tenure* (with Andrea Mattozzi)

Peter Buisseret *Electoral Control and the Human Capital of Politicians* (with Carlo Prato)

16:00-16:15 coffee break

16:15-17:45 Parties and politicians II

Bernardo Moreno *Representative versus direct democracy, a new look*

John Patty *Giving Advice vs. Making Decisions: Transparency, Information, and Delegation* (with Sean Gailmard)

Friday June 6

9:15-11:30 Voting and Elections I

Karine van der Straeten *Electoral Coalitions in Runoff Elections* (with Michel Le Breton and Nicolas Sauger)

Dana Sisak *Do Polls Create Momentum in Political Competition?* (with Philipp Denter)

Carlo Prato *The Voters' Curses; Why we need Goldilocks voters* (with Stephane Wolton)

11:30-12:00 coffee break

12:00-13:30 Voting and Elections II

Adam Meirowitz *Informative Voting in Large Elections* (with Avidit Acharya)

Sébastien Turban *The Minority Paradox*

13:30 Lunch

15:30-17:00 Authority and Leadership

Eric Dickson *Leadership, Legitimacy, and Endogenous Group Norms*

Allan Drazen *Does Being Chosen to Lead Induce Non-Selfish Behavior? Experimental Evidence on Reciprocity*

Saturday June 7

9:15-11:30 Political Development

Barry Weingast *The Violence Trap: A Political-Economic Approach To the Problems of Development* (with Gary Cox and Douglass North)

Amrita Dhillon *Sovereign debt default in democracies* (with K. Katayama and T. Sjosrom)

Ernesto dal Bo *Consolidating Order and Prosperity: State Formation with Endogenous Military and Productive Capabilities* (with Pablo Hernandez and Sebastian Mazzuca)

11:30-12:00 coffee break

12:00-13:30 Lobbying and Influence

Alex Hirsch *Competitive Policy Development* (with Kenneth W. Shotts)

Laurent Bouton *A Theory of Campaign Contributions in Multicandidate Elections* (with Micael Castanheira and Allan Drazen)

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