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Rational Choice Sociology: Theory and Empirical Applications

Seminar in Cooperation with Venice International University, San Servolo November 21 - November 24, 2016

Monday, November 21st

09.40-09.45

Welcome

Katrin Auspurg

09.45-10.15

What is wrong with "Hypotheses-Sociology"?

Katrin Auspurg and Josef Brüderl

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Mechanism-Explanations in Rational Choice and Analytical Sociology:

What is the Best Micro-Foundation?

Karl-Dieter Opp

11.15-11.45

Institutional Design and Human Motivation

Thomas Voss

11.45-12.15

Joining versus networking: shifts in mechanisms of tie formation

Siegwart Lindenberg, Rafael Wittek and Nardi Steverink

14.00-14.30

A Note on Rationality

Andreas Diekmann

14.30-15.00

Micro-Macro Models in Sociology: Antecedents of Coleman's Diagram

Werner Raub and Thomas Voss

15.00-15.30

When Prediction Fails. Reactions of Rational Choice Theory and Behavioral Economics to the

Unexpected Appearance of Framing-Effects

Hartmut Esser

16.00-16.30

Endogenous Peer Punishment Institutions in Prisoner's Dilemmas: The Role of Noise

Nynke van Miltenburg, Vincent Buskens and Werner Raub

16.30-17.00

Signals of trustworthiness in social exchange: A theoretical framework and

empirical evidence

Wojtek Przepiorka and Joel Berger

17.00-17.30

Advances in Dependent interViewing: Experimental Evidence

Ben Jann

18.00-20.00

APÉRO (Welcome reception with free snacks and drinks)

Tuesday, November 22nd

09.40-10.10

News from the DDD: How Fraudsters Cheat in the Social Sciences

Katrin Auspurg, Thomas Hinz and Andreas Schneck

10.10-10.40

Arbeitslosigkeit und Gesundheit – Ein Test kausaler Mechanismen unter Verwendung dynamischer und statischer Panelregressionen

Gerhard Krug and Andreas Eberl

11.10-11.40

The links between education and happiness over the life course

Fabian Kratz and Alexander Patzina

11.40-12.10

Effects of different life events on life satisfaction in the Swiss Houshold Panel *Gregori Baetschmann*

12.10-12.40

Estimating the Causal Effect of Children on Parents' Well-being:

Strengths and Weaknesses of an Instrumental Variable Approach

Gerrit Bauer, Thorsten Kneip and Dominik Steinbeißer

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14.15-14.45

How many dimensions can respondents actually account for? Consistency research within factorial surveys revisited

Christiane Gross

14.45-15.15

The Behavioral Validity of Vignette Studies: An Experimental Comparison of Survey and Field Experiments using the Misdirected Email Technique

Tobias Wolbring and Knut Petzold

15.15-15.35

POSTER INTRODUCTIONS (max. 2 minutes per poster)

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POSTER SESSION

16.45-17.15

The Ecology of Altruism and Trust: A Large-Scale Online Experiment to Bring Context Back into Experimental Sociology

Felix Bader and Marc Keuschnigg

17.15-17.45

Caretaker Penalties on the German Labor Market? Evidence for Normative Discrimination against Mothers from Field and Laboratory Experiments Lena Hipp

Wednesday, November 23rd

09.40-10.10

Usage of a common-pool groundwater resource

Heinrich Nax and Caleb Koch

10.10-10.40

Normative attitudes, beliefs and behavior: The new NS6 scale measuring social norms and a comparison with the social value orientation slider measure

Heiko Rauhut, Fabian Winter, Marc Höglinger and Jürgen Fleiss

11.10-11.40

The Dynamics of Exchange Networks

Thomas Gautschi

11.40-12.10

Bedarfsgerechtigkeit in sozialen Austauschnetzwerken

Bernhard Kittel, Sabine Neuhofer and Manuel Schwaninger

12.10-12.40

Equilibrium selection as a matter of norms and beliefs

Friedel Bolle and Jörg Spiller

14.15-14.45

Are Friendship Choices of Immigrant and Native Adolescents Affected by Immigrants' Host Country Identification? The Role of Relative Group Size

Lars Leszczensky

14.45-15.15

Improved employment chances for skilled immigrants? A factorial survey on the acceptance of officially recognized foreign certificates in German firms

Felix Stumpf, Martin Abraham, Andreas Damelang and Sabine Ebensperger

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Discounting the Future. Does it Increase Household's Energy Consumption?

Heidi Bruderer Enzler, Andreas Diekmann and Ulf Liebe

17.15-17.45

Mimicry, Empathy and Prosocial Behavior in Humans

Axel Franzen, Sebastian Mader and Jacqueline Mathys

21.00

GET-TOGETHER, Café Noir (Dorsoduro, 3805 - next to former Café Blue)

Thursday, November 24th

10.10-10.40

Neuere Weiterentwicklungen der Item-Count-Technik für heikle Fragen in Survey-Interviews: Empirische Befunde zum Potential der Item-Sum-Technik und der Person-Count-Technik Felix Wolter, Lucie Herold and Sina Lente

10.40-11.10

Uncovering a Blind Spot in Sensitive Question Research: False Positives Undermine the Crosswise-Model RRT

Marc Höglinger and Andreas Diekmann

11.40-12.10

Hiding Sensitive Topics by Design? An Experiment on the Reduction of Social Desirability Bias in Factorial Surveys

Sandra Walzenbach and Thomas Hinz

12.10-12.40

Do you want a burial by the church? Church Services as Cultural Residuum after the Secularization in Germany 1982-2002

Heiner Meulemann

12.40-13.00

BEST POSTER AWARD CEREMONY

POSTER SESSIONS

Tuesday, November 22nd

The impact of critical labor market transitions on social networks

- Sebastian Bähr

Hello, Neighbour! A Survey-Based Application of Schelling's Segregation Model

- Christiane Bozoyan and Andreas Schneck

Helping Behavior of Students towards Refugees

- Sebastian Lang

Offers beyond the negotiating dyad

- Bernhard Kittel, Sabine Neuhofer and Manuel Schwaninger

Academic misbehavior – Insights from a web survey at German universities

Martina Kroher

Solidarity, Punishment and Indirect Exchange – An Experimental Study

- Georg Kanitsar

Interaction of formal education, distress and employability as job-related health outcome

- Laura Schoger

Does economic uncertainty support fertility? An examination of the uncertainty reduction theory in 10 European countries

- Christoph Bühler

The Power of Churches: Using Denomination to Discriminate in the Social Services Sector

- Christiane Bozoyan, Laila Schmitt and Mark Trappman

The Transportability of Experimental Results – A Study Conducted in Leipzig and Munich in the Lab and Online

Felix Bader, Bastian Baumeister, Roger Berger,
 Marc Keuschnigg and Fabian Thiel

Disentangling the relationship between occupational characteristics and female representation in occupations

- Sabine Ebensperger and Andreas Damelang

The Emergence of Reputation

- Roman Hoffmann, Bernhard Kittel, Mattias Larsen

Wednesday, November 23rd

The social acceptance of 'fat-shaming'

- Philip Adebahr, Judith Lehmann and Peter Kriwy

Outsourcing Decisions of Households in Germany – Only a matter of time and money?

- Natascha Nisic

Reducing Energy Consumption and Promoting Green Electricity. The Role of Soft Incentives

- Jennifer Gewinner

Predictors of national CO2 emissions:

Do international commitments matter?

- Axel Franzen and Sebastian Mader

The Glass Ceiling in Germany - An empirical Analysis

- Matthias Collischon

Choosing the right layer. Does finer context-data improve insights into mechanisms of discrimination?

- Andreas Schneck and Maximilian Sonnauer

Diversity and Turnover: The influence of individual position on turnover

- Andreas Eberl and Michael Otto

Gendered effects of social origin on the paths to high occupational status

- Simon Seiler and Barbara Zimmermann

Die Rolle der Standardisierung der Promotionsförderung bei der Reduzierung von Ungleichheitsmechanismen

- Daniel Lachmann

Auslandsmobilität von Studierenden: sozial ungleiche Teilnahme und Erträge?

- Michael Grüttner

Effect of Parent's Unemployment on a Child's Personality and Emotions

- Sabine Düval

A structural view on the relation of social capital and deviant behaviour

- Benjamin Gröschl