



Belief Based Utility – Flash Talks

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Friday 18 June | 15:00 – 18:30 CET

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Program:

15:00 – 15:05 Welcome

15:05 – 16:05: Session 1: Self-serving Information Acquisition

Si Chen (University of Vienna)	Motivated Information Acquisition
Alice Soldà (Heidelberg University)	Avoiding the Cost of your Conscience
Katharina Momsen (University of Innsbruck)	Expressive Voting vs. Self-Serving Ignorance
Davide Pace (University of Amsterdam)	Fair Shares and Selective Attention
Silvia Saccardo (Carnegie Mellon University)	Cognitive Flexibility or Moral Commitment? Evidence of Anticipated Belief Distortion
Felix Chopra (University of Bonn)	The Demand for Fact-Checking

16:05 – 16:25: Discussion Session 1

16:25 – 16:40: Break

16:40 – 17:40 : Session 2: Miscellaneous topics

Michael Thaler (Princeton University)	The Supply of Motivated Beliefs
Russell Golman (Carnegie Mellon University)	Acceptable Discourse: Social Norms of Beliefs and Opinions
Egon Tripodi (University of Essex)	Social Recognition: Experimental Evidence from Blood Donors
Gergely Hajdu (Vienna University of Economics and Business)	How do Choices Affect Beliefs?
George Loewenstein (Carnegie Mellon University)	Selling Stories: Do Narratives Affect Valuations?
Armin Falk (University of Bonn and BRIQ)	What's Worth Knowing? Economists' Opinions about Economics

17:40 – 18:00: Discussion Session 2

18:00 – 18:30: Meeting on spatial.chat