

PhD Course in Behavioural Economics

CONFRONTING DECISION THEORY WITH EXPERIMENTAL DATA AND VICE VERSA

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ABOUT SHACHAR KARIV

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Kariv is also a Professor II at FAIR NHH. His research fields are economic theory, experimental economics and behavioural economics.

He has been the Department Chair (2014-17) and the Faculty Director of UC Berkeley Experimental Social Science Laboratory (2009-2014), a laboratory for conducting experiment-based investigations of issues of interest to social sciences.



ABOUT FAIR NHH

FAIR is a Centre for Experimental Research on Fairness, Inequality, and Rationality. The Centre is comprised of three research groups; the Centre for Empirical Labor Economics (CELE), The Choice Lab (TCL), and Development (DEV).



OUR AIM IS TO CONDUCT
GROUNDBREAKING EXPERIMENTAL
RESEARCH ON HOW TO ADDRESS
INEQUALITY IN SOCIETY.

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The course is organized by Centre Director Bertil Tungodden,
and Co-Director Alexander W. Cappelen.

MONDAY

AUDITORIUM C

09:45 - 10:00

REGISTRATIONS AND COFFEE

10:00 - 10:15

WELCOME TO FAIR

10:15 - 11:45

INTRODUCTION: THE (FUNDAMENTAL)
QUESTIONS CONCERNING (REVEALED)
PREFERENCES

11:45 - 12:00

COFFEE BREAK

12:00 - 13:30

RISK PREFERENCES I: THE HUNT FOR A
DESCRIPTIVE THEORY OF CHOICE
UNDER RISK

13:30 - 14:15

LUNCH





14:15 - 15:45

**RISK PREFERENCES II: THE
CONSISTENCY AND HETEROGENEITY
OF CHOICE UNDER RISK AND
UNCERTAINTY**

15:45 - 16:00

COFFEE BREAK

16:00 - 17:00

STUDENT PRESENTATIONS

18:00 - 20:00

**DINNER AT BIEN CENTRO
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5014 BERGEN**

TUESDAY

AUDITORIUM C

09:15 - 10:45

RISK PREFERENCES III: SUBSTANTIVE
VERSUS PROCEDURAL (RULE-BASED)
RATIONALITY

10:45

COFFEE BREAK

11:00 - 12:30

TIME PREFERENCES: STATIONARITY,
TIME INVARIANCE, AND TIME
CONSISTENCY

12:30 - 13:15

LUNCH

13:15 - 14:45

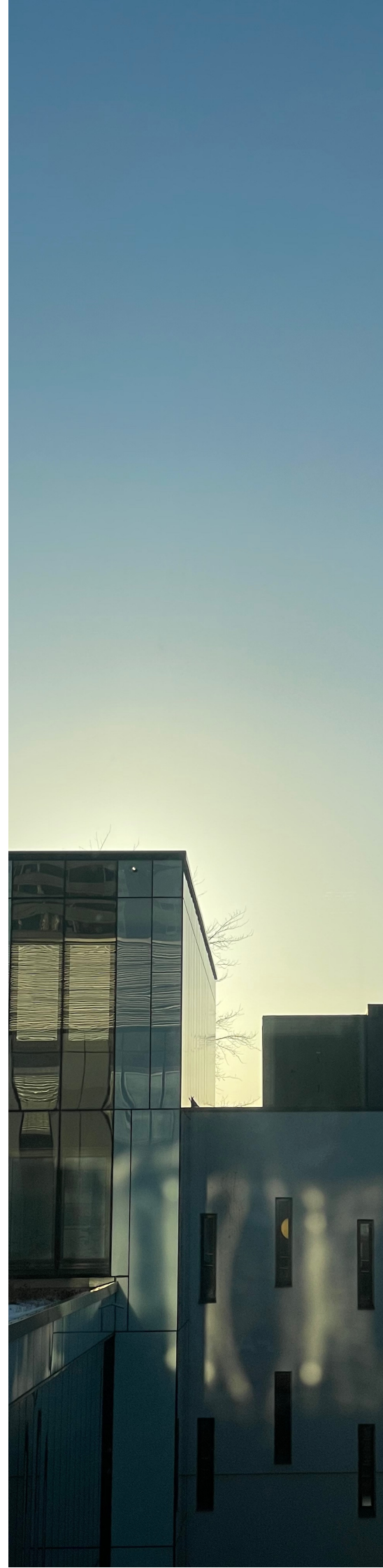
SOCIAL PREFERENCES I: INDIVIDUAL
PREFERENCES FOR GIVING

14:45 - 15:00

COFFEE BREAK

15:00 - 16:30

GENERAL DISCUSSION (Q&A)





WEDNESDAY

AUDITORIUM C

09:15 - 10:45

STUDENT PRESENTATIONS

10:45 - 11:00

COFFEE BREAK

11:00 - 12:30

SOCIAL PREFERENCES II: THE
DISTRIBUTIONAL PREFERENCES OF
THE GENERAL POPULATION (AND OF
THE ELITES)

12:30 - 13:30

LUNCH

13:30 - 15:00

SOCIAL PREFERENCES III: BEYOND
PREFERENCES FOR REDISTRIBUTION -
ENVIRONMENTAL, SOCIAL, AND
GOVERNANCE (ESG) FACTORS

15:00

HIKE TO STOLTZEKLEIVEN
(VOLUNTARY)

THURSDAY

AUDITORIUM B

10:00 - 10:15

COFFEE

10:15 - 11:45

LINKING PREFERENCES: LINKING
SOCIAL AND PERSONAL PREFERENCES
AND ATTITUDES TOWARD RISK AND
INEQUALITY

11:45 - 12:30

LUNCH

12:30 - 14:00

BEYOND ECONOMICS: WHAT CAN WE
LEARN FROM MACHINE LEARNING?

18:00 - 20:00

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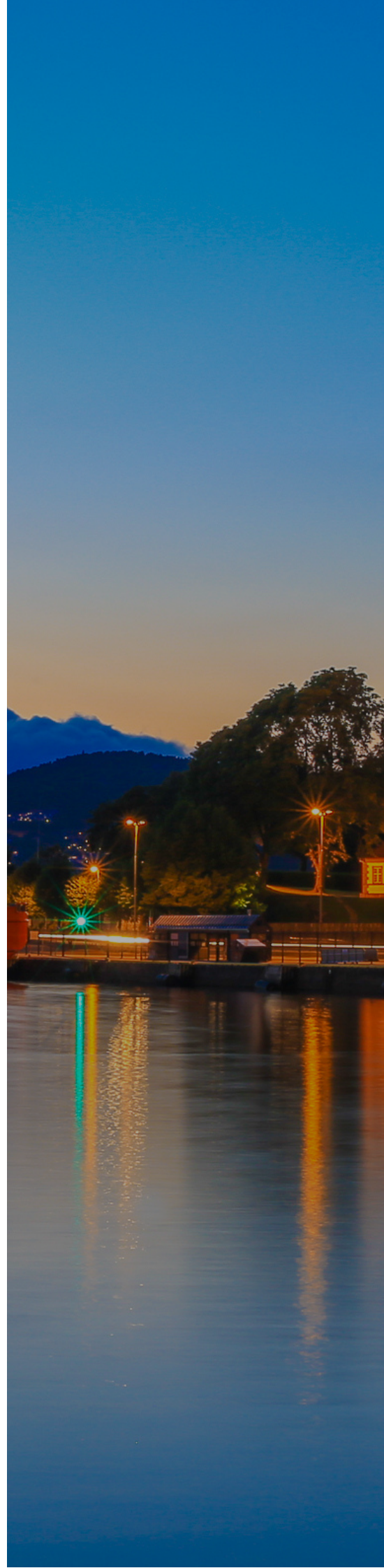




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