



Innovation workshop

Bergen April 28

Final program

PROGRAM

08.30-09.00 Coffee, Ground floor café Litteraturhuset, Østre Skostredet 5

09.00-09.05 Opening, UiB Rector Dag Rune Olsen

Part I: POLICY

09.05-09.45 *Can Innovation Help U.S. Manufacturing Firms Escape Import Competition from China?* Adrien Matray, Princeton
Discussant: Katrine Løken, UiB

09.45-10.25 *University Innovation and the Professor's Privilege.* Hans K. Hvide, UiB
Discussant: Thomas Hellmann, Oxford

10.30-10.45 Coffee

10.45-11.25 *Can Unemployment Insurance Spur Entrepreneurial Activity? Evidence From France.* Johan Hombert, HEC.
Discussant: Kjell G. Salvanes, NHH

11.30-12.30 Lunch at Colonialen/Litteraturhuset

Part II: FOUNDATIONS

12.30-13.10 *Learning and Success in Entrepreneurship.* Sabrina Howell, NYU
Discussant: Thomas Aastebro, HEC

13.10-13.50 *Living the American Dream in Finland: The Social Mobility of Inventors.* Philippe Aghion, Harvard (via Skype).
Discussant: Andreas R. Kostøl, Central Bank of Norway/UiB

13.50-14.00 Coffee break

14.00-14.40 *Firm Reputation and Employee Startups.* Jan Zabojsnik, Queens
Discussant: Eirik Kristiansen, NHH

14.40-15.20 *Does Economic Insecurity Affect Employee Innovation?* Timothy McQuade, Stanford.
Discussant: Carsten Bienz, NHH

15.20-15.30 Coffee break

15.30-16.10 *The Trade-off between Ownership and Investment: Evidence from Equity Crowdfunding.* Thomas Hellmann, Oxford
Discussant: Hans K. Hvide, UiB

19.30- Dinner at Restaurant 1877, Vetrilidsallmenningen 2 (speakers/discussants only)

25 minutes paper presentation, 5 minutes for discussants, 10 minutes general discussion.

Workshop venue: Litteraturhuset, Østre Skostredet 5. Room: Alver. Welcome!



Organization:

The workshop is co-organized by the Department of Economics, University of Bergen and the Argentum Center for Private Equity, NHH. Questions should be directed to Professor Hans K. Hvide, hans.hvide@uib.no.

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Welcome!



Bergen map. Workshop venue=orange triangle



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