

Symposium on Economic Experiments in Developing Countries - 2021

Preliminary program

Welcome to this year's SEEDC.

Each paper is presented and discussed in 30 minutes: presenters have 20 minutes, discussants have 5 minutes and there are five additional minutes for discussion.

The last presenter in the session will be the chair of the session.

Presenters should send their papers directly to their discussant.

Please contact fair@nhh.no if you have questions.

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| Welcome | 09:55 | 10:00 | 00:55 | 01:00 | 18:55 | 19:00 |
| Session 1 | 10:00 | 12:00 | 01:00 | 03:00 | 19:00 | 21:00 |
| Break | 12:00 | 12:30 | 03:00 | 03:30 | 21:00 | 21:30 |
| Session 2 | 12:30 | 14:30 | 03:30 | 05:30 | 21:30 | 23:30 |
| Break | 14:30 | 15:00 | 05:30 | 06:00 | 23:30 | 00:00 |
| Session 3: Alistair Munro | 15:00 | 16:00 | 06:00 | 07:00 | 00:00 | 01:00 |
| Break | | | | | | |
| Session 4: Sule Alan | 17:30 | 18:30 | 08:30 | 09:30 | 02:30 | 03:30 |
| Break | 18:30 | 19:00 | 09:30 | 10:00 | 03:30 | 04:00 |
| Session 5 | 19:00 | 21:00 | 10:00 | 12:00 | 04:00 | 06:00 |
| Break | 21:00 | 22:00 | 12:00 | 13:00 | 06:00 | 07:00 |
| Session 6 | 22:00 | 00:00 | 13:00 | 15:00 | 07:00 | 09:00 |
| Break | 00:00 | 00:30 | 15:00 | 15:30 | 09:00 | 09:30 |
| Session 7 | 00:30 | 02:30 | 15:30 | 17:30 | 09:30 | 11:30 |
| Closing | 02:30 | 02:35 | 17:30 | 17:35 | 11:30 | 11:35 |

Session 1

1A: Health and COVID

| Presenter | Title | Affiliation | Discussant |
|------------------|--|--------------------------------|-------------------|
| Manuel Hoffmann | Vaccines at Work | Stanford University | Abu Siddique |
| Emma Riley | The Role of Mobile Banking amid the COVID-19 Crisis in Ghana | University of Washington | Manuel Hoffmann |
| Abu Siddique | Improving Women's Mental health During a Pandemic | Technical University of Munich | Emma Riley |

1B: Corruption and Dishonesty

| Presenter | Title | Affiliation | Discussant |
|-------------------------|--|---------------------------------|-------------------------|
| Anastasiia Faikina | Using Mobile Salary Payments to Reduce Corruption and Promote Financial Development in Afghanistan | UC San Diego | Utteeyo Dasgupta |
| Nor Izzatina Abdul Aziz | Social status and public spiritedness in representation: Experimental evidence from Borneo | National University of Malaysia | Anastasiia Faikina |
| Utteeyo Dasgupta | Republic of Beliefs: An Experimental Investigation | Fordham University | Nor Izzatina Abdul Aziz |

1C: Identity and Discrimination

| Presenter | Title | Affiliation | Discussant |
|----------------------|---|--|----------------------|
| Subha Mani | Games of Prejudice - Experiments at the Extensive and Intensive Margin | Fordham University | Ashish Shenoy |
| Sandra Rozo | How Does It Feel to Be in the Migrant's Shoes? Impacts of Perspective Taking on Prosocial Behaviours | Development Research Group, The World Bank | Subha Mani |
| Halefom Yigzaw Nigus | Markets and socially responsible behavior: Do punishment and religion promote social responsibility in markets? | UNU-MERIT, Maastricht University | Sandra Rozo |
| Ashish Shenoy | The Role of Implementer Identity in Program Evaluation | UC Davis | Halefom Yigzaw Nigus |

1D: HumanCapital

| Presenter | Title | Affiliation | Discussant |
|------------------|---|--------------------------------|-------------------|
| Lelys Dinarte | Non-Cognitive Skills Development and School-Based Violence Reduction in Central America | World Bank Research Department | Valentina Duque |
| Christina Brown | Inducing Positive Sorting through Performance Pay: Experimental Evidence from Pakistani Schools | University of Chicago | Lelys Dinarte |
| Deepak Saraswat | When Goal Setting Forges Ahead but Stops Short: Evidence from an at scale RCT in Tanzania | University of Connecticut | Christina Brown |
| Valentina Duque | The Effects of Free Public Housing on Children | University of Sydney | Deepak Saraswat |

Session 2

2A: Environment

| Presenter | Title | Affiliation | Discussant |
|-------------------------|---|--|-------------------------|
| Armenak Antinyan | Take me with you! Economic Incentives, Nudging Interventions, and Reusable Shopping Bags: Evidence from a Randomized Controlled Trial | Cardiff Business School and Zhongnan University of Economics and Law | Michelle Escobar Carias |
| Peiyao Shen | Igniting Deliberation in High Stake Decisions: A Field Study | ShanghaiTech University | Armenak Antinyan |
| Guojun He | Citizen Participation and Government Accountability: National-Scale Experimental Evidence from Pollution Appeals in China | University of Hong Kong | Peiyao Shen |
| Michelle Escobar Carias | The Effects of Temperature on Economic Preferences in Developing Countries | Monash University | Guojun He |

2B: Productivity

| Presenter | Title | Affiliation | Discussant |
|---------------|--|--|---------------|
| Arkadev Ghosh | Religious Divisions, Production Technology and Firm Productivity: Experimental Evidence from India | University of British Columbia | Lukas Hensel |
| Misha Sharma | Impact of Information Disclosure on Consumer Behaviour: Case of AT1 Bonds | Dvara Research | Arkadev Ghosh |
| Lukas Hensel | Formalized Employee Search and Labor Demand | Peking University and University of Oxford | Misha Sharma |

2C: Transfers

| Presenter | Title | Affiliation | Discussant |
|-----------------|--|--|-----------------|
| Sujata Visaria | Kin "Taxes"? How Filipina Domestic Workers in Hong Kong Navigate Family Expectations and Create Financial Discipline | Hong Kong University of Science and Technology | Tarun Jain |
| Prachi Jain | Are informal transfers driven by strategic risk-sharing or fairness? Evidence from an experiment in Kenya | Loyola Marymount University | Sujata Visaria |
| Carly Trachtman | Understanding Community-Based Targeting: The Role of Information | UC Berkeley | Prachi Jain |
| Tarun Jain | Gender and Third-Party Responses to Transgressions | Indian Institute of Management Ahmedabad | Carly Trachtman |

2D: Intrahousehold

| Presenter | Title | Affiliation | Discussant |
|------------------|--|-----------------------------|-------------------|
| Azhar Uddin | Spousal Bargaining: Evidence from a Field Experiment in India | Washington State University | Maria Recalde |
| Anindita Sen | Eliciting Preferences regarding the Idea of Love Marriage in Rural India: Results from a List Experiment | University of Calcutta | Azhar Uddin |
| Maria Recalde | Measurement of intra-household resource control: Exploring the validity of experimental measures | University of Melbourne | Anindita Sen |

Session 3: Alistair Munro “Towards a behavioural model of the household?”
Chair: Pushkar Maitra

Session 4: Sule Alan “Improving Workplace Climate in Large Corporations: A Clustered Randomized Intervention”
Chair: Bertil Tungodden

Session 5

5A: Credit & investments

| Presenter | Title | Affiliation | Discussant |
|------------------|---|---|-------------------|
| Muhammad Meki | Microequity and Mutuality: Experimental Evidence on Credit with Performance-Contingent Repayment | University of Oxford | Renate Strobl |
| Lisa Hoffmann | Large-scale agricultural investments and social conflict—experimental evidence from rural Liberia | German Institute for Global and Area Studies (GIGA) | Muhammad Meki |
| Lisa Spantig | Flexible Microcredit: Effects on Loan Repayment and Social Pressure | RWTH Aachen University | Lisa Hoffmann |
| Renate Strobl | Background risk, insurance and investment behaviour: Experimental evidence from Kenya | University of Basel - Switzerland | Lisa Spantig |

5B: Governance I

| Presenter | Title | Affiliation | Discussant |
|---------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Viola Asri | Improving State Capacity to Target Extreme Poverty: An Evaluation of a Randomized Intervention in Bangladesh | University of Konstanz | Josepa (Pepita) Miquel-Florensa |
| Ahana Basistha | Information, Beliefs and Anti-Corruption Activism: Experimental Evidence from India during COVID-19 | Indian Statistical Institute, Delhi | Viola Asri |
| Josepa (Pepita) Miquel-Florensa | Motivating Public Sector Employees: Public Good Contributions in Addis Ababa Water and Sewerage Authority | Toulouse School of Economics | Ahana Basistha |

5C: Labor

| Presenter | Title | Affiliation | Discussant |
|--------------------|---|------------------------------|--------------------|
| Smit Gade | Sotto Voce: The Impacts of Technology to Enhance Worker Voice | Good Business Lab | Michalis Drouvelis |
| Catalina Franco | Strategic Decisions have “Major” Consequences: Gender Differences in College Major Choicest | Norwegian School of Economic | Smit Gade |
| Michalis Drouvelis | Highly skilled tasks and competitiveness: Evidence from Botswana | University of Birmingham | Catalina Franco |

Session 6

| 6A: Education I | | | |
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| Presenter | Title | Affiliation | Discussant |
| Ines Ferreira | The determinants of occupational sorting: Evidence from Mozambique | University of Copenhagen | karmini sharma |
| Friederike Lenel | Career goals and investments in education: Experimental evidence from Cambodia | University of Goettingen | Ines Ferreira |
| karmini sharma | Tackling Sexual Harassment: Evidence from India | University of Warwick | Friederike Lenel |

| 6B: Health | | | |
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| Presenter | Title | Affiliation | Discussant |
| Margarita de Vries Mecheva | Snacks, Nudges and Asymmetric Peer Influence: Evidence from Food Choice Experiments with Children in Indonesia | Erasmus University | Daniel Salicath |
| Kristina Czura | Social Norms and Misinformation: Experimental Evidence on Learning about Menstrual Health Management in Rural Bangladesh | University of Groningen | Margarita de Vries Mecheva |
| Lisa Norrgren | Time Preferences and Medication Adherence: A Field Experiment with Pregnant Women in South Africa | University of Gothenburg, Department of Economics | Kristina Czura |
| Daniel Salicath | Information intervention to promote safe water consumption: An RCT in areas affected by groundwater arsenic in India | Max Planck Institute for Research on Collective Goods | Lisa Norrgren |

| 6C: Cooperation | | | |
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| Presenter | Title | Affiliation | Discussant |
| Ebo Botchway | Cooperation as Adaptation to Persistent Risk of Natural Disasters: Evidence from a Natural Experiment | KU LEUVEN | Bruhan Konda |
| Gwen-Jiro Clochard | Low-Cost Contact Interventions Can Increase Inter-Ethnic Trust when Previous Contacts Were Scarce: Evidence from Senegal | CREST - Ecole polytechnique | Ebo Botchway |
| Joshua Hill | Bilinguals in the Lab: (Why) Does Randomising Language Affect Cooperation? | University of East Anglia | Gwen-Jiro Clochard |

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| Bruhan Konda | Does commonness fill the common fund? Experimental evidence on the role of identity for public good contributions in India | United Nations University - MERIT | Joshua Hill |
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Session 7

| 7A: Family | | | |
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| Presenter | Title | Affiliation | Discussant |
| Frank Schilbach | Learning in the Household | MIT | Liza von Grafenstein |
| Michael Keenan | Investment and Household Bargaining in Small-scale Farming Households - A Lab-in-the-Field Experiment from Rural Tanzania | Wageningen University and Research; Alliance of Bioversity and CIAT | Frank Schilbach |
| Sofia Amaral | Helping Families Help Themselves? Gender-differential Effects of an SMS Parenting Program | ifo Institute, LMU and CESifo | Michael Keenan |
| Liza von Grafenstein | Gender Differences in Parental Investment Decisions in Rural India | Georg August University of Göttingen | Sofia Amaral |

| 7B: Public | | | |
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| Presenter | Title | Affiliation | Discussant |
| Hanna Fuhrmann-Riebel | Boosting Recycling Behaviour Among Urban Households in Peru – A Field Experiment on the Role of Social Norms and Beliefs | German Development Institute & University of East Anglia | Cesar Mantilla |
| Clement Imbert | Public Works in Spatial Equilibrium: Experimental Evidence from Ethiopia | University of Warwick | Hanna Fuhrmann-Riebel |
| Cesar Mantilla | Environmental Valuation Using Bargaining Games: An Application to Water | Universidad del Rosario | Clement Imbert |

| 7C: Governance II | | | |
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| Presenter | Title | Affiliation | Discussant |
| Alexander Coutts | Measuring Corruption in the Field Using Behavioral Games | York University | Muhammad Yasir Khan |
| Danila Serra | Proud to Belong: The Impact of Ethics Training on Police in Ghana | Texas A & M University | Alexander Coutts |
| Muhammad Yasir Khan | “Good Politicians”: Experimental Evidence on Motivations for Political Candidacy and Government Performance | University of Pittsburgh | Danila Serra |

7D: Education II

| Presenter | Title | Affiliation | Discussant |
|----------------------|--|----------------------------|----------------------|
| Ana Garcia Hernandez | Wheels of Change: Transforming Girl's Lives with Bicycles | Universidad del Rosario | Jorge M Aguero |
| Heather Schofield | Cognitive Endurance as Human Capital | University of Pennsylvania | Ana Garcia Hernandez |
| Jorge M Aguero | Do Inclusive Education Policies Improve Employment Opportunities? Evidence from a Field Experiment | University of Connecticut | Heather Schofield |