



9th Annual LSE-NYU Conference on Political Science and Political Economy

London, May 25-26 2018

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Location

Room 1.04, 32 Lincoln's Inn Fields (LSE)

Friday 25th May, 2018

09:00 - 09:45	Coffee and pastries
09:45 - 11:45	“Group Identity” Robert Akerlof (Warwick) <i>Discussant: Gilat Levy (LSE)</i> “The Fluidity of Race: ‘Passing’ in the United States, 1880-1940” Emily Nix (USC-Marshall) and Nancy Qian (Northwestern) <i>Discussant: Mariaelisa Epifanio (Liverpool)</i>
11:45 - 12:00	Coffee break
12:00 - 13:00	“Village Social Network Structures and Electoral Competition” Cesi Cruz (UBC), Julien Labonne (Oxford), and Pablo Querubin (NYU) <i>Discussant: Anja Prummer (QMU)</i>
13:00 - 14:00	Lunch
14:00 - 15:30	Graduate student panel - TBA
15:30 - 16:00	Coffee break
16:00 - 18:00	“Crashing the Party? Elites, Outsiders, and Elections” Peter Buisseret (Harris) and Richard Van Weelden (Pittsburgh) <i>Discussant: Dimitrios Xeftaris (University of Cyprus)</i> “Does Immigration Affect Who Runs for Office? Evidence from Migration Shocks” Sebastian Barfort (Copenhagen), David Dreyer Lassen (Copenhagen), and Katarina Jensen (Berkeley) <i>Discussant: Johanna Rickne (SOFI)</i>
18:00-18:45	Cheeky pints at the White Horse
19:00	Conference dinner - TBA



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Saturday 26th May, 2018

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| 09:30 - 10:30 | Coffee and pastries |
| 10:30 - 12:30 | “From Conquest to Centralization: Domestic Conflict and the Transition to Direct Rule”
Francisco Garfias (UCSD) and Emily Sellars (TAMU)
<i>Discussant: Livia Schubiger (LSE)</i>
“Elite Identity, Political Accountability and Institutions: A Tale of Ten Islands”
Jean-Paul Carvalho (UCI) and Christian Dippel (UCLA-Anderson)
<i>Discussant: Toke Aidt (Cambridge)</i> |
| 12:30 - 14:00 | Lunch |
| 14:00 - 15:00 | “The Survival and Demise of the State: A Dynamic Theory of Secessions”
Joan Esteban (IAE), Sabine Flamand (Rovira-i-Virgili), Massimo Morelli (Bocconi), Dominic Rohner (Lausanne)
<i>Discussant: Scott Tyson (Michigan)</i> |
| 15:00 - 15:30 | Coffee break |
| 15:30 - 17:30 | “Bias vs. Selection in Women’s Legislative Careers: Evidence from U.S. State Legislatures”
Alexander Fournaies (Harris), Andy Hall (Stanford), and Julia Payson (NYU)
<i>Discussant: Jack Blumenau (UCL)</i>
“Race, Representation and Local Governments in the US South: the Effect of the Voting Rights Act”
Andrea Bernini (Oxford), Giovanni Facchini (Nottingham), and Cecilia Testa (Nottingham)
<i>Discussant: Soledad Prillaman (Oxford)</i> |