Universität Basel

1st Joint Annual Conference of the GPSA Methods of Political Science Section and the SPSA Empirical Methodology Working Group

May 10/11, 2019
Faculty of Business and Economics
Room S13

Program

FRIDAY, MAY 10

11-45-12.45   **Pre-conference Lunch (@La Pausa)**

13.00-14.30	**PANEL 1**

Eszter Rita Katona, Renáta Németh, Zoltán Kmetty
Natural Language Processing in Social Sciences
Elena Labzina, Elliott Ash
Does Politicized Media Distort Political Discourse? Evidence from Fox News Channel
Dominic Nyhuis et al.
Beyond Text as Data: Automated Video Analyses for Research on Legislative Politics
Break

15.00-16.30	**PANEL 2**

Christoph Steinert, Andrea Ruggeri
Who Are Our Experts: Predictors of Responses in Expert Surveys
Aya Kachi, Rebecca Lordan-Perret
The Disparity between Swiss Citizens' Objective and Subjective Knowledge regarding Deep Geothermal Energy
T. Faas, A. Leininger, S. Roßteutscher, A. Schäfer
Becoming a Democratic Citizen. Quasi-Experimental Evidence on the Effects of Coming of Voting Age
Break

17.00-18.00	**PANEL 3**

Akisato Suzuki
Policymaking and Statistical Uncertainty: A Bayesian Decision-Analytic Framework
Thomas König, Xiao Lu
Player Heterogeneity and Equilibrium Multiplicity: Local Identification Using a Bayesian Strategic Quantile Model

18.00-19.00   **Meeting/ Mitgliederversammlung DVPW**
(All conference participants are invited to attend the meeting and vote for the new speaker)
20.00-   **Conference Dinner (@Restaurant Kohlmanns)**

SATURDAY, MAY 11

9.00-10.30	**PANEL 4**

Moritz Marbach, Dominik Hangartner
Profiling Compliers and Non-compliers for Instrumental Variable Estimation
Lukas Fesenfeld
Alone or Together – How Policy Packaging Affects Public Support. Insights from Choice Experiments on Climate Policies in the United States and Germany
Dalston Ward
The Long-Term Effect of University Education on Political Participation
Break

11.00-12.30	**PANEL 5**

Sönke Ehret
Strategic Complexity and Political Reflection in a Foreign Language
Alrik Thiem, Lusine Mkrtchyan
A Phantom Menace: Random Data, Model Specification and Causal Inference in Qualitative Comparative Analysis
David Sanchez
The Making of a Method: Social Dynamics in the Development of Qualitative Comparative Analysis (QCA)

Speakers

Sönke Ehret	*Nuffield College, University of Oxford*
Lukas Fesenfeld	*ETH Zurich*
Aya Kachi	*University of Basel*
Eszter Rita Katona	*Eötvös Loránd University*
Elena Labzina	*ETH Zurich*
Arndt Leininger	*Free University of Berlin*
Xiao Lu	*University of Mannheim*
Moritz Marbach	*ETH Zurich*
Dominic Nyhuis	*Leibniz University Hannover*
David Sanchez	*University of Lucerne*
Christoph Steinert	*University of Mannheim*
Akisato Suzuki	*University College Dublin*
Alrik Thiem	*University of Lucerne*
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