



# **Incentives for Conflict and Cooperation**

## **Workshop on Game Theory and Applications**

**University of Bristol, May 9 and 10, 2016**

### **Programme**

The workshop takes place on the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor of D Block, Priory Road Complex, Priory Road  
BS8 1TU (click on link below for a map)

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**Monday, 9th of May**

**10:30-11:30 Arrival and Registration**

**11:30-12:20 Sessions 1 and 2**

Room 2D1

David Kelsey (Exeter): “Ambiguity and the Centipede Game”

Peter Hammond (Warwick): “Rational Decisions in Enlivened Trees” (Session Chair)

### Room 2D3

Brit Grosskopf (Exeter): “Do you mind me paying less? Measuring Other-Regarding Preferences in the Market for Taxis”

Maija Halonen-Akatwijuka (Bristol): “Joint versus Common Ownership of Public Goods” (Session Chair)

### **12:20-1:30 Lunch and Poster Session, Priory Road Cafe**

### **1:30-2:50 Plenary Session 1, Room 2D1**

Larry Samuelson (Yale): “The Implementation Duality”

Session Chair: Francesco Giovannoni (Bristol)

### **3:00-3:50 Sessions 3 and 4**

#### Room 2D1

David Reinstein (Exeter): “Exclude the Bad Actors or Learn About the Group”

Sarah Smith (Bristol): “Relational Altruism and Giving in Social Groups” (Session Chair)

#### Room 2D3

Francesco Giovannoni (Bristol): “Communication with Language Barriers”

Surajeet Chakravarty (Exeter): “Communicating with an Uncertain Agent” (Session Chair)

### **3:50-4:30 Coffee Break and Poster Session, Priory Road Café**

### **4:30-5:20 Sessions 5 and 6**

#### Room 2D1

Kaustav Das (Exeter): “Strategic Experimentation under Competition with Private Arrival of Information”

Peter Postl (Bath): “Efficiency and Incentive Compatibility of Cardinal Matching Mechanisms” (Session Chair)

#### Room 2D3

Leandro Magalhaes (Bristol): “Wars and the Transition to Absolutism”

Simone Meraglia (Exeter): “Trade, Law and Order, and Political Liberties: Theory and Application to English Medieval Boroughs” (Session Chair)

### **5:30-6:20 Sessions 7 and 8**

#### Room 2D1

Joshy Easaw (Cardiff): “The Dual Role of Democracy: Property Rights, Size of Government and the Distribution of Income”

Maik Schneider (Bath): “Who writes the bill? The role of the agenda-setter in legislative lobbying” (Session Chair)

#### Room 2D3

Sarah Le Roux (Oxford Brookes): “Strategic Substitutes, Complements and Ambiguity: An Experimental Study”

Mike Peacey (New College of the Humanities): “How do Universities Differentiate Themselves?” (Session Chair)

**8:00 Dinner at Bordeaux Quay, V-Shed, Canons Way, Avon, Bristol BS1 5UH**

**Tuesday, 10th of May**

**9:00-9:30 Coffee, Priory Road Cafe**

### **9:30-10:50 Sessions 9 and 10**

#### Room 2D1

Ted Turocy (UEA): “Doing Statistical Game Theory: (Towards) the Missing Manual”

Rahul Savani (Liverpool): “Game Theory Explorer - Software for the Applied Game Theorist”

Vincent Knight (Cardiff) “Measuring the Price of Anarchy in Critical Care Units” (Session Chair)

#### Room 2D3

Jon Eguia (Michigan State and Bristol): “Equilibrium Selection in Sequential Games with Imperfect Information”

Javier Rivas (Bath): “Common Value Elections with Private Information and Informative Priors: Theory and Evidence”

In-Uck Park (Bristol): “Talking out of Moral Hazard” (Session Chair)

### **11:00-12:20 Plenary Session 2, Room 2D1**

Philippe Jehiel (UCL and PSE): “Investment strategy and selection bias: An equilibrium perspective on overconfidence”

Session Chair: Rajiv Sarin (Exeter)

### **12:20-1:30 Lunch and Poster Session, Priory Road Cafe**

### **1:30-2:50 Plenary Session 3, Room 2D1**

Francoise Forges (Paris-Dauphine): “Information Transmission with Participation Constraints”

Session Chair: Indrajit Ray (Cardiff)

### **3:00-3:50 Sessions 11 and 12**

#### Room 2D1

Guilhelm Lecoteaux (Bristol): “The Rationale of Team Reasoning”

Cecilia Chen (Exeter): “Group gender composition, gender stereotype and the contribution of ideas: an experiment” (Session Chair)

#### Room 2D3

Tobias Wenzel (Bath): “Hidden Prices”

Rajiv Sarin (Exeter): “A Model of Satisficing Behaviour” (Session Chair)

### **3:50-4:30 Coffee Break and Poster Session, Priory Road Café**

### **4:30-5:20 Sessions 13 and 14**

#### Room 2D1

Samir Okasha (Bristol): “Hamilton's rule, social evolution, and inclusive fitness maximization in symmetric two-player games”

Ken Binmore (UCL, Warwick and Bristol): “Suicidal Punishment in the Ant *Acromyrmex Versicolor*” (Session Chair)

#### Room 2D3

Elnaz Bajoori (Bath): “Distributional Perfect Equilibrium in Bayesian Games with Application to Auctions”

Eugene Jeong (Bristol): “Multidimensional Second-Price and English Auctions” (Session Chair)

### **5:30-6:20 Sessions 15 and 16**

#### Room 2D1

Naoki Masuda (Bristol): “Reinforcement Learning Explains Conditional Cooperation and its Moody Cousin”

Paolo Zeppini (Bath): “An Evolutionary Environmental Game” (Session Chair)

#### Room 2D3

Robertas Zubrickas (Bath): “Negotiated Transfer Pricing and Wages”

Indrajit Ray (Cardiff): “Equilibria in Japanese Auctions with Discrete Bid Levels” (Session Chair)

## **POSTERS**

Anne Marie Go (Bath) “Incumbent Competition and Private Agenda”

Anthi Chondrogianni (Bristol) “Venture Capital Markets with Career Concerns”

Salomo Hirvonen (Bristol) “Spending of Majority versus Coalition Governments: Evidence from Finnish Municipalities”

Bing Chao (Exeter) “Optimal corporate governance and financial structure”

Vikas Chaudhary (Exeter) “Learning in Contests”

Atisha Ghosh (Exeter) “Role of Institutions in Determining Immigration and Investment”

Shaun Grimshaw (Exeter) “An Experimental Test of a Simple Model of Lying”

Graeme Pearce (Exeter) “Measuring Other-Regarding Preferences in the Market for Taxis”

Lorenz Hartmann (Exeter) “Optimism and Pessimism in Games in the Alpha-Maxmin Expected Utility Model”