
CLUSTER INSIDE 01/2021

Dear Cluster friends,

This newsletter informs you on a regular basis about upcoming events, new Cluster members, fellows and international faculty as well as other important news from the Universities of Bonn and Cologne.

You would like to inform our members about your Cluster activities? Please send an email to katrin.tholen@uni-bonn.de – we will consider your request for the upcoming newsletter.



ECONtribute – Der Wirtschaftspodcast

ECONtribute has launched a new podcast: “ECONtribute – der Wirtschaftspodcast”. Host Carolin Jackermeier discusses the most exciting topics of ECONtribute’s research and provides insights into the work of the Cluster of Excellence. In the first series, the podcast deals with questions of #gender in the world of economics with exciting insights from **Barbara Boelmann, Guido Friebel and Christine Laudenschach**.

The podcast is in German and is available on Spotify, Deezer and Soundcloud. ECONtribute has now also its own Instagram channel where you find most recent news on the podcast.

[Podcast](#)
[Instagram](#)



Welcome Farzad Saidi

As of first of April, **Farzad Saidi** joins ECONtribute and the University of Bonn as a **new professor in Financial Economics**. Farzad Saidi received his PhD in economics from New York University in 2013 after completing his master’s degree in econometrics & mathematical economics at the London School of Economics.

Farzad Saidi’s research focuses on issues in banking and financial intermediation. His office is located at Niebuhrstr 5.

[More information](#)



Selten Salon with Christiane Wopen

On 28th of April, Cluster member Christiane Wopen will hold this year's virtual Selten Salon on **"The pandemic and its major ethical questions"**. The Selten Salon addresses the general public. The talk will be held in German. We are looking forward to see many of you there!

Date & time: 28th of April, 17:00 – 18:30 h

[Registration](#)



Selten Salon with Christian Dustmann

Christian Dustmann (University College London) will hold a Selten Salon in fall 2021, on 23rd of September. The talk will reflect on the **migrant crisis 2015**. The event will be held at the University Club Bonn and be streamed live.

More information to follow soon.

ECONtribute hosts two ReStart Talks in Spring 2021

ECONtribute invites to two **Reinhard Selten Equal Opportunity Talks** ("ReStart"). Both events will be in German and open to the general public. **Christina Gathmann** (University of Heidelberg / LISER) will talk about how German citizenships helps female migrants and **Aline Bütikofer's** (Norwegian School of Economics) lecture focuses on flexible working hours and wage loss of mothers. Aline Bütikofer's talk will take place during the Diversity Week of the University of Cologne. The events will take place online and registration is already open.

Date & Time:

Restart Talk with Christina Gathmann: 26th of April, 17:00 – 18:30 h. [Registration](#)

ReStart Talk with Aline Bütikofer: 17th of June, 17:00 – 18:30 h. [Registration](#)

RESEARCH EVENTS



Call for Papers: Workshop on Social Image and Moral Behavior

ECONtribute invites to a **3-day workshop** that will bring together both senior experts as well as promising young researchers to present new ideas and novel evidence **on social image and moral behavior**. The organizers look forward to fruitful discussions and presentations on questions such as: How do markets shape image concerns? How are social norms and social image interrelated? How does moral image evolve in dynamic settings (e.g., moral hypocrisy, moral disengagement, moral licensing)? **Call for Papers and registration to the event are now open**. The event will take place online and is organized by Cluster members Bernd Irlenbusch, Arno Appfelstaedt and Louis Strang.

Date & time: 7.- 9. of June, 14:00 – 20:00 h

Deadline for Call for Papers: 1st of April

[More information and registration](#)

IZA/ECONtribute Human Capital Meeting

ECONtribute and IZA cordially invite to the annual IZA/ECONtribute Human Capital Meeting on March 26th from 9:15am to 4pm. There will be eight presentations of 30 min in 3 sessions. In between sessions, there will be lunch and coffee breaks in breakout rooms to allow for social interaction and exchange.

Date & time: 26th of March, 9:15 – 16:00 h

[More information & registration](#)

Call for Papers: CEPR Women Workshop in Micro and Applied Micro Economics

ECONtribute and CEPR cordially invite submissions to the inaugural Micro- & Applied Microeconomics workshop, under [the CEPR's Women in Economics initiative](#). The aim is to host presentation and foster **interaction between female researchers**. Submissions by female researchers in the following areas are invited, but other related areas may also be considered: Crime and risky behaviours, Inequality, discrimination and equal opportunity. Depending on the pandemic situation, the workshop will either be in a hybrid format or virtual. The workshop is organized by **Cluster member Anna Bindler**.

Date & Time: 9.- 10. of September / University of Cologne / Hybrid format

Deadline for the Call for Papers: 16th of April

[More information and registration](#)

NEW PUBLICATIONS

Our [website](#) informs on new Publications by our members and fellows.

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AUTHORS	TITLE	JOURNAL	RESEARCH AREA
Klaus M. Schmidt, Axel Ockenfels	Focusing Climate Negotiations on a Uniform Common Commitment Can Promote Cooperation	Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America (PNAS)	Organizational Design & Behavior, Market Design & Behavior
Francesco Fallucchi, Abhijit Ramalingam, Bettina Rockenbach , Marcin Waligora	Inequality and Competitive Effort: The Roles of Asymmetric Resources, Opportunity and Outcomes (forthcoming)	Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization	Markets & Values
Joris Lammers , Eileen Pauels, Alexandra Fleischmann , Adam D. Galinsky	Why People Hate Congress but Love Their Own Congressperson: An Information Processing Explanation (forthcoming)	Personality and Social Psychology Bulletin	Behavioral Foundations
Joris Lammers , Matthew Baldwin	Two Sides of the Same Coin: A New Look at Differences and Similarities across Political Ideology (forthcoming)	Cambridge handbook of political psychology	Behavioral Foundations
Anna Kerkhof, Johannes Münster	Detecting Coverage Bias in User-Generated Content (forthcoming)	Journal of Media Economics	Consumer Protection, Political Economy
Johannes Buckenmaier, Eugen Dimant , Ann-Christin Posten, Ulrich Schmidt	Efficient Institutions and Effective Deterrence: On Timing and Uncertainty of Formal Sanctions	Journal of Risk and Uncertainty	Behavioral Foundations

NEW PUBLICATIONS

AUTHORS	TITLE	JOURNAL	RESEARCH AREA
Farzad Saidi, Daniel Streitz	Bank concentration and Product Market Competition	The Review of Financial Studies	Financial Stability, Distribution
Mark Kassis, Sascha L. Schmidt, Dominik Schreyer, Matthias Sutter	Psychological Pressure and the Right to Determine the Moves in Dynamic Tournaments – Evidence from a Natural Field Experiment	Games and Economic Behavior	Markets & Values, Market Design & Behavior, Consumer Protection
Pooyan Khashabi, Matthias Heinz , Nick Zubanov, Tobias Kretschmer, Guido Friebe	Market Competition and the Effectiveness of Performance Pay	Organization Science	Organizational Design & Behavior
Zeno Enders, Hendrik Hakenes	Market Depth, Leverage, and Speculative Bubbles (forthcoming)	Journal of the European Economic Association	Financial Stability
Vikram Manjunath, Alexander Westkamp	Strategy-Proof Exchange under Trichotomous Preferences (forthcoming)	Journal of Economic Theory	Theoretical Foundations, Market Design & Behavior
Felix Papier, Ulrich W. Thonemann	The Effect of Social Preferences on Sales and Operations Planning (forthcoming)	Operations Research	Organizational Design & Behavior
Kathrin Manthei, Dirk Sliwka , Timo Vogelsang	Performance Pay and Prior Learning – Evidence from a Retail Chain (forthcoming)	Management Science	Organizational Design & Behavior

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AUTHORS	TITLE	JOURNAL	RESEARCH AREA
Anna Bindler , Randi Hjalmarsson	The Impact of the First Professional Police Forces on Crime (forthcoming)	Journal of the European Economic Association	Distribution
Guido Friebel, Matthias Heinz , Nikolay Zubanov	Middle Managers, Personnel Turnover and Performance: A Long-Term Field Experiment in a Retail Chain (forthcoming)	Management Science	Organizational Design & Behavior
Maria Zumbuehl, Thomas Dohmen , Gerard Pfann	Parental Involvement and the Intergenerational Transmission of Economic Preferences, Attitude and Personality Traits (forthcoming)	The Economic Journal	Behavioral Foundations
James J. Heckman, Tomáš Jagelka , Tim Kautz	Some Contributions of Economics to the Study of Personality	“Handbook of Personality: Theory and Research” in the Guildford Press	Behavioral Foundations
Andreas Lichter, Amelie Schiprowski	Benefit Duration, Job Search Behavior and Re-Employment	Journal of Public Economics	Behavioral Foundations

ECONTRIBUTE DISCUSSION PAPERS

LATEST PAPERS

Our Cluster has its own Discussion paper series, the ECONtribute Discussion Papers.

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NUMBER	AUTHORS	TITLE	RESEARCH AREA
071/2021	Felix Bierbrauer, Aleh Tsyvinski, Nicolas Werquin	Taxes and Turnout: When the Decisive Voter Stays at Home	Theoretical Foundations, Distribution, Political Economy,
070/2021	Gary Bolton, Kevin Breuer, Ben Greiner, Axel Ockenfels	Fixing Feedback Revision Rules in Online Markets	Market Design & Behavior
069/2021	Loukas Balafoutas, Mongoljin Batsaikhan, Matthias Sutter	Competitiveness of Entrepreneurs and Salaried Workers	Markets & Values, Organizational Design & Behavior
068/2021	Arno Apffelstaedt , Jana Freundt, Christoph Oslislo	Social Norms and Elections: How Elected Rules Can Make Behavior (In)Appropriate	Organizational Design and Behavior
067/2021	Carina Neisser	The Elasticity of Taxable Income: A Meta-Regression Analysis	Distribution

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066/2021	Christian Kubitz a, Loriana Pelizzon, Mila Getmansky Sherman	Loss Sharing in Central Clearinghouses: Winners and Losers	Financial Stability
065/2021	Johannes Buckenmaier, Eugen Dimant , Ann-Christin Posten, Ulrich Schmidt	Efficient Institutions and Effective Deterrence: On Timing and Uncertainty of Formal Sanctins	Behavioral Foundations
064/2021	Harold L. Cole, Dirk Krueger , George J. Mailath, Yena Park	Social Capital: A Double-Edged Sword	Distribution, Theoretical Foundations
063/2021	Francesc Dilmé	The Role of Discounting in Bargaining with One-Sided Offers	Theoretical Foundations
062/2021	Ivan T. Ivanov, Tom Zimmermann	The “Privatization” of Municipal Debt	Financial Stability
061/2021	Alina K. Bartscher, Moritz Kuhn, Moritz Schularick, Paul Wachtel	Monetary Policy and Racial Inequality	Financial Stability, Distribution, Political Economy

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060/2021	Giancarlo Corsetti, Keith Kuester, Gernot J. Müller, Sebastian Schmidt	The Exchange Rate Insulation Puzzle	Distribution
059/2021	Sarah Auster , Nicola Pavoni	Optimal Delegation and Information Transmission under Limited Awareness	Theoretical Foundations
058/2021	Zeno Enders, Hendrik Hakenes	Market Depth, Leverage and Speculative Bubbles	Financial Stability
057/2021	Anna Kerkhof, Johannes Münster	Detecting Coverage Bias in Unser-Generated Content	Consumer Protection, Political Economy
056/2021	Julian Freitag, Anna Kerkhof, Johannes Münster	Selective Sharing of News Items and the Political Position of News Outlets	Consumer Protection, Political Economy
055/2021	Lukas Kiessling, Shyamal Chowdhury, Hannah Schildberg-Hörisch, Matthias Sutter	Parental Paternalism and Patience	Behavioral Foundations, Market Design and Behavior

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054/2021	Daniele Glätzle-Rützler, Philipp Lergetporer, Matthias Sutter	Collective Intertemporal Decisions and Heterogeneity in Groups	Behavioral Foundations, Market Design and Behavior
053/2021	Anna Bindler , Randi Hjalmarsson	The Impact of the First Professional Police Forces on Crime	Distribution
052/2021	Sarah Auster , Jeremy Kettering, Asen Kochov	Sequential Trading with Coarse Contingencies	Theoretical Foundations
051/2021	Matthias Flückiger, Erik Hornung , Maro Larch, Markus Ludwig, Allard Mees	Roman Transport Network Connectivity and Economic Integration	Political Economy
050/2020	Yuliyans Mitkov	A Theory of Debt Maturity and Innovation	Financial Stability
049/2020	Todd Keister, Yuliyans Mitkov	Allocating Losses: Bail-ins, Bailouts and Bank Regulation	Financial Stability

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048/2020	Stefania Bortolotti, Thomas Dohmen , Hartmut Lehmann, Frauke Meyer, Norberto Pignatti, Karine Torosyan	Patience, Cognitive Abilities , and Cognitive Effort: Survey and Experimental Evidence from a Developing Country	Behavioral Foundations
047/2020	Gary Charness, Ramón Cobo-Reyes, Erik Eyster, Gabriel Katz, Ángela Sánchez, Matthias Sutter	Improving Healthy Eating in Children: Experimental Evidence	Behavioral Foundations, Market Design and Behavior
046/2020	Felix Kölle , Thomas Lauer	Understanding Cooperation in an Intertemporal Context	Market Design and Behavior
045/2020	Jonas Radbruch, Amelie Schiprowski	Interview Sequences and the Formation of Subjective Assessments	Behavioral Foundations
044/2020	Hanno Kruse, Clemens Kroneberg	Contextualizing Oppositional Cultures: A Multilevel Network Analysis of Status Orders in School	Organizational Design & Behavior

ECONTRIBUTE POLICY BRIEFS

LATEST POLICY BRIEFS

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NUMBER	TITLE	AUTHORS	RESEARCH AREA
015/2021	The Cost of Populism: Evidence from history	Manuel Funke, Moritz Schularick , Christoph Trebesch	Distribution, Political Economy
014/2021	Monetary Policy and Racial Inequality	Alina K. Bartscher , Moritz Schularick , Paul Wachtel	Distribution, Political Economy
013/2021	Is it Time to Auction Slots at Congested Airports	Martin Bichler, Peter Cramton , Peter Gritzmann, Axel Ockenfels	Market Design & Behavior, Organizational Design & Behavior

ONLINE RESEARCH SEMINARS

Wednesdays, 16:00-17:15 h

ECONtribute Webinar in cooperation
with the Centre for Macroeconomic
Research

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Tuesdays, 12:00 – 13:00 h

ECONtribute and C-SEB Research Seminar

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ECONtribute Seminar, Wednesdays, 12:00 –
13:00 h.

Speakers for summer term 2021 now [online](#)

e.g. Aline Bütikofer, Paolo Pinotti, Tom
Wilkening

Tuesdays, 18:00 h

ECONtribute Law and Econ Workshop

[MORE ABOUT THE SEMINAR](#)



NEW FACES AT ECONTRIBUTE

Lara Hölzer, University of Cologne, Project Manager, Start: 03/2021

Lara Hölzer joins the Management Office as a new Project Manager at University of Cologne. She will be the parental leave cover for Lena Brüser who will be on leave from April onwards. Lara studied International Literature, Scandinavian Studies and German Studies in Tübingen, Stockholm and Cologne. She will be part of the Cluster's Management Office and the Research Unit D7 of the University of Cologne and will work Monday – Thursday.

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Ruben Dominguez-Diaz, University of Bonn, YEP Student , Start: 04/2021

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Kilian Huber, Booth School of Business, ECONtribute Research Fellow, 2021

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