

School of Business, Economics and Social Sciences, University of Graz
Courses open for CESENET in Winter Semester 2020 - Scheduled Dates

335.300 Decision and Game Theoretic Modelling: Agency Theory

Type	Seminar
Lecturer	Georg Schneider
Department	Accounting and Reporting
ECTS	Credits for PhD studies: 6
Content	In the course the students present papers that apply agency–theory to accounting. The seminar provides an in-depth knowledge of decision- and game-theoretic models in accounting research. It mainly covers information economic models. Using current issues it discusses applicability, typical issues, results, and limitations of such models.
Previous knowledge expected:	none

Day	Date	from	to	Place	Comment
Mon	02.03.2020	10:00	12:00	015G010028	regular class
Mon	09.03.2020	08:00	12:00	015G010028	regular class
Fri	15.05.2020	12:00	16:00	015G010028	regular class
Fri	26.06.2020	12:00	18:00	015G010028	regular class
Sat	27.06.2020	08:00	16:00	015G010028	regular class

320.501 Analytical Methods: Theory of Incentives

Type	Lecture/Practical
Lecturer	Ronald Wendner
Department	Economics
ECTS	Credits for PhD studies: 6
Content	Economics of information and game theory: The role of asymmetric information in a principal-agent setting; incentive mechanisms; rent extraction-efficiency tradeoff; adverse selection; moral hazard, signaling.
Previous knowledge expected:	Microeconomics; basics in game theory.

Day	Date	from	to	Place	Comment
Mon	02.03.2020	18:00	20:00	LS 15.03	regular class
Mon	09.03.2020	18:00	20:00	LS 15.03	regular class
Mon	16.03.2020	18:00	20:00	LS 15.03	regular class
Mon	23.03.2020	18:00	20:00	LS 15.03	regular class
Mon	30.03.2020	18:00	20:00	LS 15.03	regular class
Mon	20.04.2020	18:00	20:00	LS 15.03	regular class
Mon	27.04.2020	18:00	20:00	LS 15.03	regular class
Mon	04.05.2020	18:00	20:00	LS 15.03	regular class
Mon	11.05.2020	18:00	20:00	LS 15.03	regular class

Mon	18.05.2020	18:00	20:00	LS 15.03	regular class
Mon	25.05.2020	18:00	20:00	LS 15.03	regular class
Mon	08.06.2020	18:00	20:00	LS 15.03	regular class
Mon	15.06.2020	18:00	20:00	LS 15.03	regular class
Mon	22.06.2020	18:00	20:00	LS 15.03	regular class

320.514 Research Seminar (Economics)

Type	Seminar
Lecturer	A. Darmann, M. Finus, C. Gehrke, R. Hill, C. Klamler, J. Kleinert, M. Kreimer, C. Kuzmics, H. Manner, R. Wendner
Department	Accounting and Reporting
ECTS	Credits for PhD studies: 6
Content	Critical evaluation of accepted thesis topics of doctoral students in economics and public economics with regard to scientific benefit and methodological correctness
Previous knowledge expected:	Mathematical and statistical methods. Research methods in economics and social sciences

Day	Date	from	to	Place	Comment
Tue	03.03.2020	17:15	18:45	SR 15.4B	Economics Research
Wed	04.03.2020	13:30	15:00	SR 15.4C	regular class
Tue	10.03.2020	17:15	18:45	SR 15.4B	Economics Research
Wed	11.03.2020	13:30	15:00	SR 15.4C	regular class
Tue	17.03.2020	17:15	18:45	SR 15.4B	Economics Research
Wed	18.03.2020	13:30	15:00	SR 15.4C	regular class
Tue	24.03.2020	17:15	18:45	SR 15.4B	Economics Research
Wed	25.03.2020	13:30	15:00	SR 15.4C	regular class
Tue	31.03.2020	17:15	18:45	SR 15.4B	Economics Research
Wed	01.04.2020	13:30	15:00	SR 15.4C	regular class
Tue	21.04.2020	17:15	18:45	SR 15.4B	Economics Research
Wed	22.04.2020	13:30	15:00	SR 15.4C	regular class
Tue	28.04.2020	17:15	18:45	SR 15.4B	Economics Research
Wed	29.04.2020	13:30	15:00	SR 15.4C	regular class
Tue	05.05.2020	17:15	18:45	SR 15.4B	Economics Research
Wed	06.05.2020	13:30	15:00	SR 15.4C	regular class
Tue	12.05.2020	17:15	18:45	SR 15.4B	Economics Research
Wed	13.05.2020	13:30	15:00	SR 15.4C	regular class
Tue	19.05.2020	17:15	18:45	SR 15.4B	Economics Research
Wed	20.05.2020	13:30	15:00	SR 15.4C	regular class
Tue	26.05.2020	17:15	18:45	SR 15.4B	Economics Research
Wed	27.05.2020	13:30	15:00	SR 15.4C	regular class
Wed	03.06.2020	13:30	15:00	SR 15.4C	regular class
Tue	09.06.2020	17:15	18:45	SR 15.4B	Economics Research
Wed	10.06.2020	13:30	15:00	SR 15.4C	regular class
Tue	16.06.2020	17:15	18:45	SR 15.4B	Economics Research

Wed	17.06.2020	13:30	15:00	SR 15.4C	regular class
Tue	23.06.2020	17:15	18:45	SR 15.4B	Economics Research
Wed	24.06.2020	13:30	15:00	SR 15.4C	regular class

320.515 Doctoral Colloquium 1 (Economics)

Type	Doctoral Colloquium
Lecturer	B. Bednar-Friedl
Department	Economics
ECTS	Credits for PhD studies: 3
Content	Ph.D. candidates present their dissertation projects which will be discussed. The focus of DQ1 is on the general problem tackled, a literature review, the central research questions and the employed methods in the dissertation. All supervisors of the participating candidates have to take part in this colloquium, but all other Ph.Ds. in economics are also be invited. Besides the students' presentations invited guest speakers will give talks on their current research topics.
Previous knowledge expected:	none

Day	Date	from	to	Place	Comment
Wed	04.03.2020	13:30	15:00	SR 15.4A	intended date
Wed	11.03.2020	13:30	15:00	SR 15.4A	intended date
Wed	18.03.2020	13:30	15:00	SR 15.4A	intended date
Wed	25.03.2020	13:30	15:00	SR 15.4A	intended date
Wed	01.04.2020	13:30	15:00	SR 15.4A	intended date
Wed	22.04.2020	13:30	15:00	SR 15.4A	intended date
Wed	29.04.2020	13:30	15:00	SR 15.4A	intended date
Wed	06.05.2020	13:30	15:00	SR 15.4A	intended date
Wed	13.05.2020	13:30	15:00	SR 15.4A	intended date
Wed	20.05.2020	13:30	15:00	SR 15.4A	intended date
Wed	27.05.2020	13:30	15:00	SR 15.4A	intended date
Wed	03.06.2020	13:30	15:00	SR 15.4A	intended date
Wed	10.06.2020	13:30	15:00	SR 15.4A	intended date
Wed	17.06.2020	13:30	15:00	SR 15.4A	intended date
Wed	24.06.2020	13:30	15:00	SR 15.4A	intended date

Type	Doctoral Colloquium
Lecturer	M. Finus, C. Gehrke, R. Hill, C. Klamlar, J. Kleinert, M. Kreimer, C. Kuzmics, H. Manner, R. Wendner
Department	Economics
ECTS	Credits for PhD studies: 3
Content	The content depends on the presented working and research areas. All supervisors of the participating candidates have to take part in this colloquium, but all other Ph. Ds. in economics are also invited.
Previous knowledge expected:	none

Day	Date	from	to	Place	Comment
Wed	04.03.2020	13:30	15:00	SR 15.4B	regular class
Wed	11.03.2020	13:30	15:00	SR 15.4B	regular class
Wed	18.03.2020	13:30	15:00	SR 15.4B	regular class
Wed	25.03.2020	13:30	15:00	SR 15.4B	regular class
Wed	01.04.2020	13:30	15:00	SR 15.4B	regular class
Wed	22.04.2020	13:30	15:00	SR 15.4B	regular class
Wed	29.04.2020	13:30	15:00	SR 15.4B	regular class
Wed	06.05.2020	13:30	15:00	SR 15.4B	regular class
Wed	13.05.2020	13:30	15:00	SR 15.4B	regular class
Wed	20.05.2020	13:30	15:00	SR 15.4B	regular class
Wed	27.05.2020	13:30	15:00	SR 15.4B	regular class
Wed	03.06.2020	13:30	15:00	SR 15.4B	regular class
Wed	10.06.2020	13:30	15:00	SR 15.4B	regular class
Wed	17.06.2020	13:30	15:00	SR 15.4B	regular class
Wed	24.06.2020	13:30	15:00	SR 15.4B	regular class

320.517 Economic Modelling

Type	Lecture/Practical
Lecturer	Michael Finus
Department	Economics
ECTS	Credits for PhD studies: 3
Content	The art of economic modeling and applications (migration, relative deprivation, etc.).
Previous knowledge expected:	none

Day	Date	from	to	Place	Comment
Wed	04.03.2020	15:15	16:45	LS 15.02	regular class
Wed	11.03.2020	15:15	16:45	LS 15.02	regular class
Wed	18.03.2020	15:15	16:45	LS 15.02	regular class
Wed	25.03.2020	15:15	16:45	LS 15.02	regular class
Wed	01.04.2020	15:15	16:45	LS 15.02	regular class
Wed	22.04.2020	15:15	16:45	LS 15.02	regular class
Wed	29.04.2020	15:15	16:45	LS 15.02	regular class
Wed	06.05.2020	15:15	16:45	LS 15.02	regular class

320.518 Economic Modelling

Type	Seminar
Lecturer	Michael Finus
Department	Economics
ECTS	Credits for PhD studies: 6
Content	The art of economic modeling and applications (migration, relative deprivation, etc.).
Previous knowledge expected:	none

Day	Date	from	to	Place	Comment
Mon	02.03.2020	08:30	09:30	SR 15.4B	in agreement with course lecturer
Tue	03.03.2020	12:00	15:00	SR 15.42	in agreement with course lecturer
Tue	10.03.2020	12:00	15:00	SR 15.42	in agreement with course lecturer
Tue	17.03.2020	12:00	15:00	SR 15.42	in agreement with course lecturer
Tue	24.03.2020	12:00	15:00	SR 15.42	in agreement with course lecturer
Tue	31.03.2020	12:00	15:00	SR 15.42	in agreement with course lecturer
Tue	21.04.2020	12:00	15:00	SR 15.42	in agreement with course lecturer
Tue	28.04.2020	12:00	15:00	SR 15.42	in agreement with course lecturer

329.401 Mathematical and Statistical Methods (Mathematical Methods)

Type	Lecture/Practical
Lecturer	Johann Kellerer
Department	Statistics and Operations Research
ECTS	Credits for PhD studies: 6
Content	Linear algebra: determinants, eigenvalues and eigenvectors; functions of several variables, optimization of functions of several variables with or without constraints, Lagrange method and Kuhn-Tucker conditions; integrals
Previous knowledge expected:	Mathematics for Business Administration

Day	Date	from	to	Place	Comment
Mon	02.03.2020	17:30	20:00	SR 15.35	regular class
Wed	04.03.2020	18:00	20:30	SR 15.35	regular class
Wed	11.03.2020	18:00	20:30	SR 15.35	regular class
Wed	18.03.2020	18:00	20:30	SR 15.35	regular class
Mon	23.03.2020	17:30	20:00	SR 15.35	regular class
Wed	25.03.2020	18:00	20:30	SR 15.35	regular class
Wed	01.04.2020	18:00	20:30	SR 15.35	regular class
Mon	20.04.2020	17:30	20:00	SR 15.35	regular class
Wed	22.04.2020	18:00	20:30	SR 15.35	regular class
Wed	29.04.2020	18:00	20:30	SR 15.35	regular class

330.605 Empirical Methods (Accounting)

Type	Lecture/Practical
Lecturer	David Windisch
Department	Accounting and Control
ECTS	Credits for PhD studies: 6
Content	The core of the course is concerned with the theory and the application regarding widely used empirical methods in accounting research, such as classical (multiple) linear regression models; properties of regression coefficients and hypothesis testing; models for panel data; dummy variables; non-linear regression models; identification (e.g., diff-in-diff designs, IV approach, PSM matching, regression discontinuity designs, fixed effects). A second part of the course is dedicated to the critical review of selected empirical papers.
Previous knowledge expected:	none

Day	Date	from	to	Place	Comment
Wed	18.03.2020	13:00	15:00	SR 15.36	regular class
Mon	27.04.2020	12:00	17:00	SR 15.36	regular class
Mon	04.05.2020	12:00	17:00	SR 15.36	regular class
Wed	03.06.2020	13:00	17:00	SR 15.36	regular class
Wed	10.06.2020	12:00	17:00	SR 15.36	regular class
Wed	17.06.2020	12:00	17:00	SR 15.36	alternative date

346.300 Empirical Accounting Research - DART

Type	Seminar
Lecturer	Jürgen Ernstberger
Department	Center for Accounting Research
ECTS	Credits for PhD studies: 6
Content	The seminar provides a critical analysis and evaluation of academic papers in the fields of empirical Accounting research. Students will discuss typical issues, applicability, results and limitations of such models.
Previous knowledge expected:	Mathematical and statistical Methods

Day	Date	from	to	Place	Comment
Mon	20.04.2020	08:00	18:00	SR 15.36	regular class
Tue	21.04.2020	08:00	16:00	SR 15.36	regular class
Wed	22.04.2020	08:00	16:00	SR 15.36	regular class

346.400 Paper Writing Seminar

Type	Seminar
Lecturer	Ralf Ewert, Alfred Wagenhofer
Department	Center for Accounting Research
ECTS	Credits for PhD studies: 6
Content	The seminar provides a critical analysis and evaluation of academic papers in the fields Accounting/Reporting/Taxation. The focus is on information economic models. Simulating the referee process of academic writings students will discuss typical issues, applicability, results and limitations of such models. This seminar primarily aims at DART-participants; further allocations according to availability.
Previous knowledge expected:	none

Day	Date	from	to	Place	Comment
Tue	03.03.2020	13:00	18:00	SR 15.36	regular class

346.600 Accounting and Governance - DART

Type	Seminar
Lecturer	Michael Kopel, Alfred Wagenhofer
Department	Center for Accounting Research
ECTS	Credits for PhD studies: 6
Content	This research seminar is especially offered for collegiates enrolled in the DART-program (depending on available resources, the seminar may be opened to other (doctoral) students as well). Its focus is to make students familiar with selected and topical research issues in Accounting and Governance. Participants have to write a paper on a certain research area and to present this paper to the audience.
Previous knowledge expected:	The seminar is part of the program for the fourth DART-semester and requires the successful completion of the courses of the first year.

Day	Date	from	to	Place	Comment
Tue	10.03.2020	13:00	14:00	SR 15.36	preliminary meeting