

## MCO Conference Program

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Wednesday, June 28, 2023

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9:00 AM - 5:00 PM	<a href="#">Organisational Economics Workshop (OEW)</a> <a href="#">CLICK HERE</a> for program information
5:30 PM - 7:30 PM	<a href="#">Welcome Reception at Parliament House</a>

Thursday, June 29, 2023

	Room: CBE LT1	Room: CBE LT2	Room CBE LT3	Room: CBE LT4	Room: Arndt LT1
	<a href="#">HEALTH I</a> Convenors: Damien Eldridge and Rohan Pitchford	<a href="#">INDUSTRIAL ORGANISAITION</a> Convenor: Rohan Pitchford	<a href="#">PUBLIC ECONOMICS I</a> Convenor: Rohan Pitchford	<a href="#">ELECTRICITY MARKETS</a> Convenor: David Stern	<a href="#">FIRMS AND CONTRACTING I</a> Convenor: Rohan Pitchford
9:00 AM - 9:30 AM	<a href="#">A shirking theory of referrals - Damien Eldridge</a> <a href="#">HEALTH I</a> Convenors: Damien Eldridge and Rohan Pitchford	<a href="#">Regulating platform fees - Chengsi Wang</a> <a href="#">INDUSTRIAL ORGANISAITION</a> Convenor: Rohan Pitchford	<a href="#">Uneven Growth, Redistribution and Inequality: Lessons from Australia's Three Decades of Uninterrupted Growth - Chung Tran</a> <a href="#">PUBLIC ECONOMICS I</a> Convenor: Rohan Pitchford	<a href="#">Can Real-Time Pricing Be Progressive? Identifying Cross-Subsidies under Fixed-Rate Electricity Tariffs - Gordon Leslie</a> <a href="#">ELECTRICITY MARKETS</a> Convenor: David Stern	<a href="#">Nothing But the Truth? Information and Reporting on Corporate Social Responsibility - Jean De Bettignies</a> <a href="#">FIRMS AND CONTRACTING I</a> Convenor: Rohan Pitchford
9:30 AM - 10:00 AM	<a href="#">Contagion Management through Information Disclosure - Carlos Oyarzun</a> <a href="#">HEALTH I</a> Convenors: Damien Eldridge and Rohan Pitchford	<a href="#">Collusion and Price Discrimination with Dominant Retailers - Heiko Gerlach</a> <a href="#">INDUSTRIAL ORGANISAITION</a> Convenor: Rohan Pitchford	<a href="#">Externalities induced education subsidy - Cagri Kumru</a> <a href="#">PUBLIC ECONOMICS I</a> Convenor: Rohan Pitchford	<a href="#">Electrifying public transportation: the charging dilemma - Kelvin Say</a> <a href="#">ELECTRICITY MARKETS</a> Convenor: David Stern	<a href="#">I'll Pay You Later: Backloading to Sustain Opportunistic Relationships - Marta Troya-Martinez</a> <a href="#">FIRMS AND CONTRACTING I</a> Convenor: Rohan Pitchford
10:00 AM - 10:30 AM		<a href="#">Gas Games with Electricity - Kelly Neill</a> <a href="#">INDUSTRIAL ORGANISAITION</a> Convenor: Rohan Pitchford	<a href="#">Wealth Taxation and Life Expectancy - Andres Bellofatto</a> <a href="#">PUBLIC ECONOMICS I</a> Convenor: Rohan Pitchford	<a href="#">Electricity markets with speculative storage and stochastic generation and demand - Akshay Shanker</a> <a href="#">ELECTRICITY MARKETS</a> Convenor: David Stern	<a href="#">Optimal Retail Contracts - Xiaojian Zhao</a> <a href="#">FIRMS AND CONTRACTING I</a> Convenor: Rohan Pitchford

10:30 AM - 11:00 AM		<a href="#">Company-level GHG emissions and an institutional investor's active ownership objective: Long-term shareholder, socially responsible investor, common owner or stakeholder-oriented shareholder?</a> - Robert Annabel INDUSTRIAL ORGANISATION Convenor: Rohan Pitchford	<a href="#">Welfare Comparison of School Choice Mechanisms - Isa Hafalir</a> PUBLIC ECONOMICS I Convenor: Rohan Pitchford		
11:00 AM - 11:30 AM	Morning tea (Thursday)				
	HEALTH II Convenors: Damien Eldridge and Rohan Pitchford	MECHANISM DESIGN - APPLICATIONS I Convenor: Larry Samuelson	PUBLIC ECONOMICS: TAXATION Convenor: Ashley Craig	THE ECONOMICS OF WORKING CONDITIONS I Convenor: Kieron Meagher	
11:30 AM - 12:25 PM	<b>Keynote Presentation - Stability of Preferences: The Case of COVID-19 Vaccines in Australia - Emily Lancsar</b> HEALTH II Convenors: Damien Eldridge and Rohan Pitchford	<b>Keynote presentation - Robust Implementation with Costly Information - Harry Pei</b> MECHANISM DESIGN - APPLICATIONS I Convenor: Larry Samuelson	<b>Keynote Presentation - Tax Knowledge and Tax Manipulation: A Unifying Model - Ashley Craig</b> PUBLIC ECONOMICS: TAXATION Convenor: Ashley Craig	<b>Keynote Presentation - A simple model of burnout - Arghya Ghosh</b> THE ECONOMICS OF WORKING CONDITIONS I Convenor: Kieron Meagher	
12:25 PM - 12:55 PM	<a href="#">Substitution and Complementarity Between Online and Offline Healthcare - Yanan Wu</a> HEALTH II Convenors: Damien Eldridge and Rohan Pitchford	<a href="#">Dynamic Monopoly with Malleable Preferences - Juan Carlos Carbajal</a> MECHANISM DESIGN - APPLICATIONS I Convenor: Larry Samuelson	<a href="#">Cost of income sheltering behaviors and Elasticity of taxable income for high-income individuals - Arezou Zaresani</a> PUBLIC ECONOMICS: TAXATION Convenor: Ashley Craig	<a href="#">Microfoundations of work intensification and burnout - Vlad Smirnov</a> THE ECONOMICS OF WORKING CONDITIONS I Convenor: Kieron Meagher	
12:55 PM - 1:25 PM	<a href="#">Health Shocks, Health Insurance, and the Dynamics of Earnings and Health - Elena Capitana</a> HEALTH II Convenors: Damien Eldridge and Rohan Pitchford	<a href="#">Competing Sellers in Security-bid Auctions under Risk-Averse Bidders - Allan Hernandez Chanto</a> MECHANISM DESIGN - APPLICATIONS I Convenor: Larry Samuelson	<a href="#">Understanding Program Complementarities: Estimating the Dynamic Effects of Head Start with Multiple Alternatives - Marc Chan</a> PUBLIC ECONOMICS: TAXATION Convenor: Ashley Craig	<a href="#">The Impact of Working from Home on the Nature of Work, Well-being and Job Performance - Aeson Dela Cruz</a> THE ECONOMICS OF WORKING CONDITIONS I Convenor: Kieron Meagher	
1:25 PM - 2:30 PM	Lunch (Thursday)				
2:30 PM - 3:30 PM	PLENARY ADDRESS – Swan Lecture – Exit vs Voice: The economics of socially responsible investment, Sir Oliver Hart (Cinema, Kambri) Chair: Rohan Pitchford				
3:30 PM - 3:50 PM	Afternoon tea (Thursday)				
	INCOMPLETE INFORMATION INDUSTRIAL ORGANISATION IO (Session 1) Convenor: Simon Loertscher	SMART CONTRACTING Convenor: Richard Holden		THE ECONOMICS OF WORKING CONDITIONS II Convenor: Kieron Meagher	

3:50 PM - 4:45 PM	<a href="#"><u>Keynote presentation - Triple-IO: A (P)review - Simon Loertscher</u></a> INCOMPLETE INFORMATION INDUSTRIAL ORGANISATION IO (Session 1) Convenor: Simon Loertscher	<a href="#"><u>Keynote Presentation - Mechanism Design and Smart Contracts - Richard Holden</u></a> SMART CONTRACTING Convenor: Richard Holden	<a href="#"><u>Keynote Presentation - Employer vs Government Parental Leave: Labour Market Effects - Maria Racionero</u></a> THE ECONOMICS OF WORKING CONDITIONS II Convenor: Kieron Meagher
4:45 PM - 5:15 PM	<a href="#"><u>Information Sharing and Oligopoly Pricing: A Natural Experiment in Retail Gasoline - Andy Wu</u></a> INCOMPLETE INFORMATION INDUSTRIAL ORGANISATION IO (Session 1) Convenor: Simon Loertscher	<a href="#"><u>Protecting Antiquities: A Role for Long-Term Leases? - Tom Wilkening</u></a> SMART CONTRACTING Convenor: Richard Holden	<a href="#"><u>Worse Than You Think: Quantile Analysis of Gender Differences in Work Related Depression-Anxiety - Kieron Meagher</u></a> THE ECONOMICS OF WORKING CONDITIONS II Convenor: Kieron Meagher
5:15 PM - 5:45 PM	<a href="#"><u>Presentation title TBA - Aaron Barkley / James Hansen</u></a> INCOMPLETE INFORMATION INDUSTRIAL ORGANISATION IO (Session 1) Convenor: Simon Loertscher	<a href="#"><u>Score Disclosure - Mikhail Drugov</u></a> SMART CONTRACTING Convenor: Richard Holden	<a href="#"><u>Power up: A Cognitive Explanation of Heterogeneity in Preferences for Power - Andrew Wait</u></a> THE ECONOMICS OF WORKING CONDITIONS II Convenor: Kieron Meagher
6:30 PM - 10:30 PM	<b>Conference Dinner at The Marion</b> <b>DINNER SPEAKER : Michael Brennan, Chair, Productivity Commission</b>		

Friday, June 30, 2023

	Room CBE LT1	Room CBE LT2	Room CBE LT3	Room CBE LT4
		<a href="#"><u>LAW AND ECONOMICS</u></a> Convenor: Jose Neto	<a href="#"><u>FIRMS AND CONTRACTING II</u></a> Convenor: Rohan Pitchford	<a href="#"><u>POLITICAL ECONOMY</u></a> Convenor: Ralph-Christopher Bayer
9:00 AM - 9:30 AM		<a href="#"><u>Reconciling Fairness and Efficiency: Bargaining under the Shadow of Eminent Domain - Dugyu Yengin</u></a> LAW AND ECONOMICS Convenor: Jose Neto	<a href="#"><u>Renegotiation with Ex-Post Competition in Procurement - Ruitian Lang</u></a> FIRMS AND CONTRACTING II Convenor: Rohan Pitchford	<a href="#"><u>The Wisdom of the Crowd: Uninformed Voting and the Efficiency of democracy - Ralph-Christopher Bayer</u></a> POLITICAL ECONOMY Convenor: Ralph-Christopher Bayer
9:30 AM - 10:00 AM		<a href="#"><u>Cross-Country Tax Differentials and Profit Shifting in the Extractives Sector - Devika Bhatia</u></a> LAW AND ECONOMICS Convenor: Jose Neto	<a href="#"><u>Informational Rents and Residual Control Rights - Murali Agastya</u></a> FIRMS AND CONTRACTING II Convenor: Rohan Pitchford	<a href="#"><u>Competing for Attention - The Effect of Talk Radio on Elections and Political Polarization in the US- Paul Raschky</u></a> POLITICAL ECONOMY Convenor: Ralph-Christopher Bayer

10:00 AM - 10:30 AM		<u>Delayed Punishment - Jose Neto</u> <u>LAW AND ECONOMICS</u> Convenor: Jose Neto	<u>Assignment mechanisms with public preferences and independent types - Francisco Silva</u> <u>FIRMS AND CONTRACTING II</u> Convenor: Rohan Pitchford	<u>The Civil War and Anti-Black Narratives: The Effect of War Casualties on Racial Violence and Attitudes in the US South - Federico Masera</u> <u>POLITICAL ECONOMY</u> Convenor: Ralph-Christopher Bayer
10:30 AM - 11:00 AM		<u>Contracts, Data Control and Market Power - Anil Kavuri</u> <u>LAW AND ECONOMICS</u> Convenor: Jose Neto	<u>Instructions and Incentives in Organizations - Suraj Prasad</u> <u>FIRMS AND CONTRACTING II</u> Convenor: Rohan Pitchford	
11:00 AM - 11:30 AM	Morning tea (Friday)			
	<u>INCOMPLETE INFORMATION INDUSTRIAL ORGANISATION IO (Session 2)</u> Convenor: Simon Loertscher	<u>MECHANISM DESIGN - APPLICATIONS II</u> Convenor: Larry Samuelson	<u>ORGANISATIONS AND CONTRACTING</u> Convenor: Rohan Pitchford	<u>SEARCH IN IO</u> Convenor: Sephorah Mangin
11:30 AM - 12:25 PM	<u>Keynote Presentation - A mechanism-design approach to property rights - Ellen Muir</u> <u>INCOMPLETE INFORMATION INDUSTRIAL ORGANISATION IO (Session 2)</u> Convenor: Simon Loertscher	<u>Keynote Presentation - Paying to overbid - Idione Meneghel</u> <u>MECHANISM DESIGN - APPLICATIONS II</u> Convenor: Larry Samuelson	<u>Keynote Presentation - Equilibrium Selection: A Unified Approach - Dave Frankel</u>	<u>Keynote Presentation - Personalized Pricing and Competitive Dispersion - Sephorah Mangin</u>
12:25 PM - 12:55 PM	<u>(In)complete information bargaining - Toan Le</u> <u>INCOMPLETE INFORMATION INDUSTRIAL ORGANISATION IO (Session 2)</u> Convenor: Simon Loertscher	<u>Strategic 'Mistakes': Implications for Market Design Research - Georgy Artemov and Siqi Pan</u> <u>MECHANISM DESIGN - APPLICATIONS II</u> Convenor: Larry Samuelson	<u>Hierarchy formation - Mert Kimya</u>	<u>Strategic Limitation of Market Accessibility: Search Platform Design and Welfare - Christopher Teh</u>
12:55 PM - 1:25 PM	<u>Optimal Indirect Regulation of Externalities - Zi Yang Kang</u> <u>INCOMPLETE INFORMATION INDUSTRIAL ORGANISATION IO (Session 2)</u> Convenor: Simon Loertscher	<u>Valuing Privacy And Safety In Central Bank Digital Currency - June Ma</u>	<u>Optimal task design: production and learning with moral hazard and adverse selection - Alexander Rodivilov</u>	
1:25 PM - 2:30 PM	Lunch (Friday)			
2:30 PM - 3:30 PM	<b>PLENARY ADDRESS – Gruen Lecture – Smart Contracting in Practice, Stephanie Hurder (Copland Theatre)</b> Chair: Jenny Gordon			
3:30 PM - 4:00 PM	Afternoon tea (Friday)			

Saturday, July 1, 2023

	The Canberra sightseeing tour is optional, and departs from ANU
9:00 AM - 1:30 PM	Canberra sightseeing tour