

# 3<sup>rd</sup> Behavioral and Experimental Public Choice Workshop

University College Cork, Ireland  
April 24-25, 2019

## PROGRAM

### Workshop venue:

Council Room, North Quadrangle  
University College Cork main campus



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# Wednesday 24 APRIL, 2019

- 8:30-9:00am**      **Welcome Coffee and Opening**
- 9:00-9:45am**      **Timothy Cason** (*Purdue University*)  
Social Dilemmas with Agency Risk
- 9:45-10:30am**      **Johanna Mollerstrom** (*George Mason University*)  
Coordination for Good: The Source of Advice Matters
- 10:30-10:45am**      **Coffee Break**
- 10:45-11:30am**      **Marco Mantovani** (*University of Milan Bicocca*)  
Electing Moderates
- 11:30-12:15pm**      **Justin Valasek** (*Norwegian School of Economics*)  
A Rationale for Unanimity in Committees
- 12:15-2:00pm**      **Lunch**
- 2:00-2:45pm**      **Sandro Ambuehl** (*University of Toronto*)  
Projective Paternalism
- 2:45-3:30pm**      **Sonja Settele** (*Goethe University Frankfurt*)  
How Do Beliefs about the Gender Wage Gap Affect the Demand for Public Policy?
- 3:30-3:45pm**      **Coffee Break**
- 3:45-4:30pm**      **Vanessa Valero** (*University of Zurich*)  
Redistribution and Beliefs about the Source of Income Inequality
- 4:30-5:15pm**      **Brian Scholl** (*U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission*)  
The POSITER Investor Testing Initiative
- 7:30pm**              **Dinner**

# Thursday 25 APRIL, 2019

- 8:30-9:00am**      **Coffee**
- 9:00-10:00am**      **Louis Putterman** (*Brown University*), **keynote address**  
Accountable Government and Human Nature: Why Democracy Requires Sociality
- 10:00-10:15am**      **Coffee Break**
- 10:15-11:00am**      **Stefano Carattini** (*Georgia State University*)  
Voting and information: Evidence from a Large Survey and RCT
- 11:00-11:15am**      **Coffee Break**
- 11:15-12:00pm**      **Diego Aycinena** (*Universidad del Rosario*)  
Social Norms and Dishonesty Across Societies
- 12:00-1:45pm**      **Lunch**
- 1:45-2:30pm**      **Glenn Harrison** (*CEAR, Georgia State University*)  
Social Norms and Social Choice
- 2:30-3:15pm**      **Lucas Rentschler** (*Utah State University*)  
Tu Mihi Soli Places: An Experiment on the Competitiveness of All-Pay Auctions with Private Information
- 3:15-3:30pm**      **Coffee Break**
- 3:30-4:15pm**      **Bryan McCannon** (*West Virginia University*)  
Who Prefers Plea Bargaining? An Endogenous Institutions Experiment
- 4:15-5:00pm**      **Jason Aimone** (*Baylor University*)  
Risk, Ambiguity and False Confessions: An Experimental Laboratory Study of the Innocence Problem

# ABOUT THE WORKSHOP

## **Aim of the workshop**

The objective of the workshop is to gather researchers across disciplines to discuss how behavioral insights and the experimental method can improve our understanding of traditional public choice phenomena (bargaining, bureaucracies, elections, legislatures), as well as behavioral topics such as the role of culture, emotions and risk preferences in collective decision-making.

## **Workshop location**

Council Room, North Quadrangle, University College Cork main campus

## **Organizers**

Gregory J. DeAngelo (Claremont Graduate University), Glenn Harrison (CEAR, Georgia State University), Johanna Mollerstrom (George Mason University), Rustam Romaniuc (ETHICS, Catholic University of Lille), and Don Ross (University College Cork, University of Cape Town, and CEAR) are the organizers of this workshop. Funding is being provided by CEAR at Georgia State ([cear.gsu.edu](http://cear.gsu.edu)) and ETHICS at the Catholic University of Lille ([lillethics.com/](http://lillethics.com/)).

## **Contact**

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