

Berlin Behavioral Economics Workshop

Wednesday, February 20 2013

Schumpeter Hall, DIW Berlin, Mohrenstr. 58, 10117 Berlin

10:00 - 10:15 **Welcome & Coffee**

10:15 - 12:00 Session I

A New Rationale for the Firm as a Nexus of Contracts?

Alex Stomper (HU Berlin)

Multiplicative Compounding: A Lab Experiment.

Christian Zankiewicz (DIW Berlin)

Tax Evasion and Peer Effects: An Experiment in Belgium, France and the Netherlands.

Mathieu Lefebvre (Université de Liège)

12:00 – 13:00 Lunch

13:00 - 14:15 Session II: BBE Seminar

Base-Rate Neglect: Model and Applications.

Daniel Benjamin (Cornell University)

14:15 - 14:30 Coffee Break

14:30 – 16:15 Session III

The Distinction between First-Order and Second-Order Ambiguity Aversion.

Matthias Lang (HU Berlin)

Over-Caution of Large Committees of Experts.

Justin Valasek (WZB)

Cognitive Load Increases Risk Aversion.

Holger Gerhardt (Universität Bonn)

16:15 - 16:45 Coffee Break

16:45 – 17:55 Session IV

Information Acquisition in Private Value Auctions.

Thomas Giebe (TU Berlin)

Inferior Products and Profitable Deception.

Paul Heidhues (ESMT Berlin)

19:00 **Dinner – Kabir**, *Carmerstraße 17, 10623 Berlin*