

Invited Sessions 3. 31 August, Friday 9:00 – 11:00

Microeconometrics

Aranytiz, B-4

Chair: Andrew Chesher (University College London)

- “*A New Approach to Latent Variable Models*”
Susanne M. Schennach (University of Chicago)
- “*Monotonicity Conditions, Separability Conditions, and Instrumental Variables*”
Edward Vytlacil (Columbia University)

INVITED TALKS: ESEM/Theory and Applied Economics

Fisher-Schultz Lecture: 27 August, Monday, 17:30 – 19:30, InterContinental

Matthew O. Jackson

Stanford University, USA

“*Segregation and Diversity in Social Structure: the Impact on Economic Welfare*”

Chair: János Kornai (Collegium Budapest and Central European University)

INVITED SESSIONS: ESEM/Theory and Applied Economics

Invited Sessions 1. 28 August, Tuesday, 9:00 – 11:00

Advances in Economic Theory

Aranytiz, B-13

Chair: Martin Hellwig (Max Planck Institute for Research on Collective Goods)

- “*Mindless Economics*”
Wolfgang Pesendorfer (Princeton University)
- “*Design of Matching Markets: Kidney Exchange*”
Utku Ünver (University of Pittsburgh)

Invited Sessions 2. 29 August, Wednesday, 9:00 – 11:00

Political Economy

Aranytiz, B-4

Chair: Salvador Barbera (Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona)

- “*Information Aggregation and Communication in Committees*”
David Austen-Smith (Northwestern University)
- “*Listening to Voters: the Welfare Effects of Participatory Democracy*”

Enriqueta Aragonés (Institut d'Anàlisi Econòmica, CSIC)

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Social Networks

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Chair: Eliana La Ferrara (Bocconi University and IGER)

- *“Matching in Marriage Markets: Theory and History”*
Maristella Botticini (Collegio Carlo Alberto, University of Torino and Boston University)
- *“Who is Connected to Whom and How Does it Matter: an Empirical Study of Social Networks”*
Goyal, Sanjeev (University of Cambridge)