



# NEWSLETTER

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## RATIONALITY & COMPETITION

### Upcoming Conferences Funded by the CRC

Date	Organizer (Project, Affiliation)	Conference Title, Place
11.-12.06.2026	Klaus Schmidt (B01, LMU Munich) and Matthias Lang (B02, LMU Munich)	organize a workshop on Recent Advances in Behavioral Economics in Riederau.
16.-19.07.2026	Florian Englmaier (B05, LMU Munich)	organizes the <a href="#">Organizational Economics Summer Symposium (OESS) 2026</a> in Ohlstadt.  <a href="#">Call for Applications</a>
24.-25.08.2026	Kai Barron (A02 and A06, WZB Berlin), Valeria Burdea (B01, LMU Munich), Tilman Fries (A01 and B01, LMU Munich), and Yiming Liu (A06, HU Berlin and WZB Berlin)	organize the 2026 Workshop on Cognitive Economics in Herrsching am Ammersee (with Yves Le Yaouanq).  <b>Submission deadline: April 19, 2026</b>  <a href="#">Submission Link</a>
08.-10.09.2026	Davide Pace (B01, LMU Munich), Renke Schmacker (A02, DIW and WZB Berlin), Peter Haan (A02, DIW), and Georg Weizsäcker (A02, HU Berlin)	organize a workshop on " <a href="#">People's Understanding of and Support for Economic Policies</a> " in Riederau am Ammersee (with Stefano Carattini).  There will be a limited number of participation slots for CRC members. Interested participants are requested to write to <a href="#">Davide Pace</a> or <a href="#">Renke Schmacker</a> .

### Upcoming CRC Seminars

Date, Seminar	Speaker (Affiliation)	Title
13.04.2026, 10:30 - 11:45am, <a href="#">Berlin Micro Theory Seminar</a>	Pauli Murto (Aalto University)	TBA
13.04.2025, 12:00 - 1:15pm, <a href="#">Micro Workshop LMU Munich</a>	Tomáš Jagelka (University of Bonn)	TBA
13.04.2026, 2:00 - 3:15pm, <a href="#">Berlin Applied Micro Seminar</a>	Franziska Valder (University of Copenhagen)	TBA

15.04.2026, 12:15 - 12:45pm, <a href="#">LMU Micro Brown Bag Seminar</a>	Matylda Trocinska (LMU Munich)	Does Power Shape (Im)moral Preferences? Evidence from Professionals
15.04.2026, 12:45 - 1:15pm, <a href="#">LMU Micro Brown Bag Seminar</a>	Valeria Burdea (LMU Munich)	Interacting Mental Models
15.04.2026, 5:00 - 6.15pm, <a href="#">Forschungskolloquium Wirtschafts- und Sozialgeschichte</a>	Richard Franke (University of Cologne)	TBA
20.04.2026, 10:30 - 11:45am, <a href="#">Berlin Micro Theory Seminar</a>	In-Uck Park (University of Bristol)	TBA
20.04.2026, 2:00 - 3:15pm, <a href="#">Berlin Applied Micro Seminar</a>	Philine Widmer (Paris School of Economics)	TBA
22.04.2026, 3:00 - 4:15pm, <a href="#">MPI Innovation and Entrepreneurship Seminar</a>	Antonin Bergeaud (HEC Paris)	Escaping Labor Scarcity - Innovation and Human Capital after WW1 in France
22.04.2026, 5:00 - 6.15pm, <a href="#">Forschungskolloquium Wirtschafts- und Sozialgeschichte</a>	Elisabeth Allgoewer (University of Hamburg)	TBA
27.04.2026, 10:30 - 11:45am, <a href="#">Berlin Micro Theory Seminar</a>	Arina Nikandrova (City St George's)	TBA
27.04.2025, 12:00 - 1:15pm, <a href="#">Micro Workshop LMU Munich</a>	Hannah Trachtmann (Hebrew University of Jerusalem)	TBA
27.04.2026, 2:00 - 3:15pm, <a href="#">Berlin Applied Micro Seminar</a>	Michael Amior (King's College London)	TBA
28.04.2026, 4:15 - 5:45 pm, <a href="#">BSoE Berlin Macro Seminar</a>	Ernesto Pastén (Central Bank of Chile)	Pricing Under Distress
30.04.2026, 3:00 - 4:15pm, <a href="#">MPI Innovation and Entrepreneurship Seminar</a>	Fabian Gaessler (Pompeu Fabra University)	TBA

## New CRC Discussion Papers

Number	CRC member (Project, Affiliation)	Title, Coauthor(s)
566	Tomasz Sulka (B05, HU Berlin)	Providing Benefits to Uninformed Workers
567	Hiroshi Kumanomido (B04, LMU Munich)	Exchange Rate Appreciation and Structural Adjustment: Evidence from the Plaza Accord
568	Christina Borner (A07, LMU Munich), Uwe Sunde (A07, LMU Munich)	The Global Variation in Risk and Time Preferences (with Anke Becker, Thomas Dohmen, Armin Falk, and David Huffman)
569	Nastasia Gallitz (A05, LMU Munich), Martin Spann (A05, LMU Munich)	How Platform Endorsement Shapes Consumer Search and Choice in Online Retail (with Markus Lill and Lucas Stich)

## Upcoming CRC Guests

Date	Visitor (Affiliation)	Details
May-July 2026	Michael Kosfeld (Goethe University Frankfurt)	will visit the A06 Project at HU Berlin, hosted by Jonas Radbruch (A06, HU Berlin).

## New Publications

Journal, Vol., pp	CRC Member (Project, Affiliation)	Title, Coauthor(s)
Journal of Law, Economics, and Organization	Klaus Schmidt (B01, LMU Munich)	State-Ownership Biases Government Support – Evidence from the Financial Crisis (with Elena Ashtari Tafti and Clarissa Mang)
Journal of Behavioral and Experimental Economics 122	Fabian Gerstmeier (A04, TU Berlin and Berlin School of Economics), Michel Tolksdorf (A04, TU Berlin and Berlin School of Economics)	“Making the Cut”: Introducing Rebate Rules in Reward-Based Crowdfunding (with Yigit Özcelik)
Nature 652 (Pages 135-142)	Ciril Bosch-Rosa (B07, TU Berlin)	Investigating the Analytical Robustness of the Social and Behavioural Sciences (Crowd-sourced project with several hundred coauthors, please consult the full list of authors <a href="#">here</a> ).

## Miscellaneous

Date	CRC Member (Project, Affiliation)	Details
March 2026	Silvia Castro (B05, LMU Munich), Evelina Griniute (B05, LMU Munich)	received the “OpenAI Research Grant and Technical Support” for the Project “Generative AI in Knowledge Work: Experimental Evidence from the Global South”, in collaboration with Hoa Ho, Svenja Friess, and Maren Mickeler.

March 2026	Silvia Castro (B05, LMU Munich), Evelina Griniute (B05, LMU Munich)	received the " <a href="#">Connex Grant</a> " from the Hans Riegel Foundation for the project "Generative AI in Knowledge Work: Experimental Evidence from the Global South", in collaboration with Hoa Ho, Svenja Friess, and Maren Mickeler.
March 2026	Silvia Castro (B05, LMU Munich), Evelina Griniute (B05, LMU Munich)	received a Research Grant from the Siemens Stiftung for the project "Who Is Watching? Social Audiences and Demand for Menstrual Health Technologies".
March 2026	Hiroshi Kumanomido (B04, LMU Munich)	received the <a href="#">Kanematsu Prize</a> , jointly awarded by Kobe University and Kanematsu Corporation.  The ceremony will take place on June 1 in Japan.

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