

Lancaster Game Theory Conference 2015 (LGTC2015)

Programme

6th – 7th November 2015: Lancaster University Management School (LUMS)

Local organisers: Alexander Matros and Sonali Sen Gupta

Day 1: Friday 6th November 2015

Venue: Lecture Theatre 2 (LT2), LUMS Building

13:00 Registration and Welcome

13:30 Plenary Talk 1

Jean-Pierre Benoit (LBS): Theoretical bases of experiments

14:15 Break (Coffee and Tea)

14:30 Regular Session 1

Maria Montero (Nottingham): Legislative bargaining with heterogeneous disagreement values: theory and experiments

Alex Possajenikov (Nottingham): Private value bargaining with naive players: an experiment

Jiawen Li (Lancaster): A non-cooperative approach to the Talmud solution for bankruptcy problems

16:00 Break (Coffee and Tea)

16:15 Regular Session 2

Tigran Melkonyan (Warwick): Contests with ambiguity

David Rietzke (Lancaster): Contests on networks

Alexandros Rigos (Leicester): A beauty contest with flexible information acquisition

17:45 Break (Coffee and Tea)

18:00 Plenary Talk 2

Ken Binmore (Bristol & UCL): Mixed strategies aren't muddled enough! Ambiguity aversion in game theory

18:45 Departure for conference dinner (LHH Hotel)

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Day 2: Saturday 7th November 2015

Venue: Lecture Theatre 1 (LT1), LUMS Building

09:00 Plenary Talk 3

Chris Wallace (Leicester): Information use and acquisition in price-setting oligopolies

09:45 Break (Coffee and Tea)

10:00 Regular Session 3

Indrajit Ray (Cardiff): Testable restrictions in strategic market games

Abhimanyu Khan (Cambridge): Imitation and price competition in differentiated market

Sergey V. Popov (Belfast): Same sex marriage, the great equalizer

Vasco Alves (Lancaster): Cutting queues: customer and system behaviour in a repeated Game

12:00 Break (Lunch)

13:00 Regular Session 4

Yuan Ju (York): Bidding for ex-post efficiency with budget balance

Xiaogang Che (Durham): Collusion, multiple agents and supervision with soft information.

Tatiana Babkina (Scoltech): A pocket laboratory for 2 x 2 games

14:30 Break (Coffee and Tea)

14:45 Regular Session 5

Irina Kirysheva (Nazarbayev): Optimal prize allocation in contests with sabotage

Martin K. Jensen (Leicester): Existence, uniqueness, and comparative statics in contests

15:45 Break (Coffee and Tea)

16:00 Plenary Talk 4

Ed Hopkins (Edinburgh): Inequality, gender and risk-taking behaviour

16:45 Farewell

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