

CONFERENCE

Contextual Thinking in Economics

Wednesday and Thursday
September 11th/12th, 2019
University of Siegen

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Contextual Thinking in Economics

The main aim of the conference is to promote fruitful exchange between academics working on contextual approaches to economics. We would like to facilitate serious intellectual exchange about the viability of contextual approaches to the topics usually covered by mainstream economics. The goal is to create a permanent network of

intellectuals interested in contextual approaches to social science and to strengthen cooperation between diverse ways of doing economics. We do not only encourage debates about issues of contextualism in the practice of economics, but also about ways of implementing it in one's own research- and teaching-agenda.

Wednesday, September 11th, 2019

01:30 PM

Registration and Coffee, Seminar room US-A 120

02:00 PM

Welcome address and Introduction

Nils Goldschmidt, University of Siegen and Aktionsgemeinschaft Soziale Marktwirtschaft

John B. Davis, Marquette University, Milwaukee, and University of Amsterdam

Session 1

Culture and Economics

02:15 PM

Eelke de Jong, Radboud University Nijmegen

Matthias Klaes, University of Buckingham

Session 2

Economic Inequality

03:15 PM

Gert G. Wagner, Max Planck Institute for Human Development

Michael Hüther, German Economic Institute (IW Köln)

04:15 PM

Coffee Break

Session 3

Economic Education

04:45 PM

Hans-Peter Klös, German Economic Institute (IW Köln)

Alexander Lenger, Catholic University of Applied Sciences Freiburg

Session 4

Development Economics

05:45 PM

Svenja Flechtner, University of Siegen

Nils Goldschmidt, University of Siegen and Aktionsgemeinschaft Soziale Marktwirtschaft

07:00 PM

Dinner, Restaurant Bar, Löhrrstraße 51

Thursday, September 12th, 2019

Session 5

Economic Methodology

09:30 AM

Ivan Boldyrev, Radboud University Nijmegen

Blaz Remic, Erasmus University Rotterdam

Session 6

Entrepreneurship and SMEs

10:30 AM

David Audretsch, Indiana University Bloomington

Arndt Werner, University of Siegen

11:30 AM

Coffee Break

Session 7

Health Economics

12:00 PM

John B. Davis, Marquette University, Milwaukee, and University of Amsterdam

Roland Fritz, University of Siegen

01:00 PM

Closing Remarks

01:15 PM

Light Lunch & Snacks on Campus, departure at will