

## 8th Economics of Media Bias Workshop

May 8–9, 2025, in Frankfurt, Germany

### Thursday, May 8

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9.15	-	9.30	Reception and opening remarks
9.30	-	11.00	<b>Session 1</b> (chair: Marcel Garz)  Jaime Marques Pereira (Lancaster University): Trumping the News: A High-Frequency Analysis  Arianna Ornaghi (Hertie School): The Returns to Viral Media: The Case of US Campaign Contributions (with J. Böken, M. Draca, and N. Mastrorocco)  Carlo Schwarz (Bocconi University): Stemming the Tide: The Political Effects of Sharing Limits on Social Media
11.00	-	11.30	Break
11.30	-	12.30	<b>Session 2</b> (chair: Maja Adena)  Marita Freimane (KU Leuven and Uni Zurich): Gender Bias, Feedback, and Productivity  Nicole Venus (USI Lugano): The representation of female economists on Wikipedia
12.30	-	14.00	Lunch
14.00	-	15.00	<b>Keynote</b> (chair: Felix Chopra)  Elliott Ash (ETH Zurich): AI, Preferences, and Economics
15.00	-	15.30	Break
15.30	-	16.30	<b>Session 3</b> (chair: Ulrich Matter)  Nikita Melnikov (Nova School of Business & Economics): Mobile Internet and Political Polarization  Timo Wochner (LMU Munich): Media Capture and Voters: Evidence from Austria
19.00			Dinner

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## Friday, May 9

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9.30	-	11.00	<b>Session 4</b> (chair: Arianna Ornaghi)
			Fabian Roeben (University of Cologne): Language Customization and the Market for News (with F. Chopra, I. Haaland, C. Roth, and V. Sticher)
			Maja Adena (WZB Berlin): Enhancing Responsible Citizenship Through News Consumption: an Experiment on Newsfeed Composition (with S. Jeworrek)
			Rafael Jiménez-Durán (Bocconi University): Social media advertising loads as prices (with G. Beknazar-Yuzbashev, A. Simonov, and M. Stalinski)
11.00	-	11.30	Break
11.30	-	12.30	<b>Session 5</b> (chair: Jaime Marques Pereira)
			Bei Qin (Hong Kong Baptist University): Picking the “Right” Drama (with S. Pai Xu)
			Thiemo Fetzer (University of Warwick): Social and Genetic Ties Drive Skewed Cross-Border Media Coverage of Disasters (with P. Garg)
12.30	-	14.00	Lunch
14.00	-	15.00	<b>Session 6</b> (chair: Nikita Melnikov)
			Ulrich Matter (Bern University of Applied Sciences): The Anatomy of Censorship and Propaganda: Evidence from Russian Wikipedias (with V. Avetian, R. Durante, and E. Zhuravskaya)
			Maxence Castiello (Université Paris-1 Panthéon-Sorbonne): Spread the Word: Mass Media, Language and Propaganda in Fascist Italy
15.00	-	15.30	Farewell

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- Venue: Frankfurt School of Finance & Management, Adickesallee 32-34, 60322 Frankfurt am Main
- There are 20 minutes for each presentation (only clarifying questions), plus 10 minutes for discussion
- The session chairs make sure that the schedule remains on track
- Scientific committee: Felix Chopra, Milena Djourelova, Marcel Garz, and Sophie Hatte