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**School of Economics**  
**Annual PhD Conference**  
**2023/24**

**PROGRAMME**

**Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> May | 10:00–18:00hs**  
**A21 Council Room, Trent Building**

**Chairs: Kevin Lee and Silvia Sonderegger (PGR Directors)**

- 10:00-10:40      **Yifan Li:** ‘The Role of Advice: An Experimental Study of Inertia and Reinforcement Heuristic in Decision Making’  
Supervisors: **Martin Sefton** and **Abigail Barr**
- 10:40-11:20      **Tong Fang:** ‘The Role of Payoffs in Repeated Prisoner’s Dilemma Games’  
Supervisors: **Daniel Seidmann** and **Martin Sefton**
- 11:20-12:00      **Pierce Gately:** ‘Rule Following and Cooperation’  
Supervisors: **Simon Gaechter** and **Robin Cubitt**
- 12:00-12:40      **Kieran Stockley:** ‘The emergence of pluralistic ignorance’  
Supervisors: **Simon Gaechter**, **Silvia Sonderegger** and **Seung-keun Martinez**
- 12:40–13:30**      **B R E A K**
- 13:30-14:10      **Marcelo Woo:** ‘Deliberate Avoidance of Information in Groups: Experimental evidence’  
Supervisors: **Silvia Sonderegger**
- 14:10-14:50      **Juan Siachoque:** ‘The Wage Work Penalty of Informal Employment’  
Supervisors: **Richard Upward** and **Jake Bradley**
- 14:50-15:30      **Sungwoon Moon:** ‘On-the-Job Search, Precautionary Savings and the Progressivity of Income Taxes’

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**15:30–16:00**

**B R E A K**

16:00-16:40

**Matias Golman:** 'The Value of Personality'

Supervisors: **Trudy Owens, Richard Upwards** and **Maria Garcia de la Vega**

16:40-17:20

**Sagarika Sengupta:** 'Impact of the 2004 Tsunami on Household Consumption Expenditure'

Supervisors: **Trudy Owens** and **Sarah Bridges**

17:20-18:00

**Cleopatra Ngoma:** 'Bank Heterogeneity and Monetary Policy Pass-Through in Zambia'

Supervisors: **Oliver Morrissey** and **Yoshi Morozumi**