

Climate Ethics And Climate Economics: Fat Tails - Imposing and Redistributing Risks

Workshop at the London School of Economics
Convened by Kai Spiekermann and Jonathan Aldred, supported by the ESRC
14-15 September 2016

Accompanied by public lectures given by Prof Pindyck and Prof Gardiner on the evening of the 13th and 15th of September

13 September 2016, Room CLM.2.02, 99 Aldwych, London, WC2B 4JF

18:30-20:00 Public lecture Professor Robert S. Pindyck, "Climate (and other) catastrophes", followed by a wine reception (sponsored by LSE's Department of Government)

14 September 2016, Room NAB.1.09, New Academic Building, 54 Lincoln's Inn Fields, London WC2A 3LJ

- 10:30-10:45 Coffee, Welcome and Introduction
- 10:45-12:00 Stephen Gardiner, title tbc. Discussant: John O'Neill
- 12:00-13:00 Eike Düvel, "Rights-based precautionary approaches and risk imposition in the context of climate change." Discussant: Eric Brandstedt
- 13:00-14:15 Lunch
- 14:15-15:15 Simon Dietz, "Spaces for Agreement: A Theory of Time-Stochastic Dominance and an Application to Climate Change." Discussant: Elizabeth Baldwin
- 15:15-16:30 Robert S. Pindyck, "The Economics of Catastrophic Climate Change." Discussant: Simon Dietz
- 16:30-17:00 Coffee break
- 17:00-18:00 Matthew Rendall, "Discounting, Tail Scenarios, and the Fallacy of Division." Discussant: Fergus Green

Workshop dinner

15 September, Room NAB.1.09

- 10:00-11:15 James Lenman, title tbc, Discussant: Discussant: Richard Bradley
- 11:15-11:45 Coffee break
- 11:45-12:45 Simon Beard, "Fat Tails and Fairness." Discussant: Rupert Read
- 12:45-14:00 Lunch
- 14:00-15:00 Jonathan Herington, "Extreme climate risks and the value of security", Discussant: Alex Marcoci
- 15:00-16:00 Vera Van Gool, "Environmental Fat Tails: what have ecosystems ever done for us?" Discussant: Nimrod Kovner
- 16:00-16:30 Coffee Break
- 16:30-17:30 Kian Mintz-Woo, "Scouting the Risks Ahead", Joe Mazon
- 18:30-20:00 Public lecture Professor Stephen M. Gardiner, "Climate ethics: embracing justice, avoiding extortion", Room CLM.2.02