BEAM 2023
May 11-12, 2023 at Yale University
Conference Program

Thursday, May 11, 2023

8:30-9:15  Breakfast Buffet On Site
9:15-9:30  Opening Remarks
9:30-10:15 Ned Augenblick: “Budget Neglect in Consumption Smoothing: A Field Experiment on Seasonal Hunger” (joint with Kelsey Jack, Supreet Kaur, Felix Masiye, and Nicholas Swanson)
10:15-11:00 Kate Orkin: “Aspiring to a Better Future: Can a Simple Psychological Intervention Reduce Poverty?” (joint with Robert Garlick, Mahreen Mahmud, Richard Sedlmayr, Johannes Haushofer, Stefan Dercon)
11:00-11:30 Break
11:30-12:15 Christine Exley: “The Gender Gap in Confidence: Expected But Not Accounted For” (joint with Kirby Nielsen)
12:15-2:00 Lunch On Site
2:00-2:45 Michael Thaler: “Overinference from Weak Signals and Underinference from Strong Signals” (joint with Ned Augenblick and Eben Lazarus)
2:45-3:30 Cary Frydman: “On the Source and Instability of Probability Weighting” (joint with Lawrence Jin)
3:30-4:00 Break
4:00-4:45 Chen Lian: “The Economics of Financial Stress” (joint with Dmitriy Sergeyev and Yuriy Gorodnichenko)

6:30 pm  Dinner at The Union League Cafe
1032 Chapel Street, New Haven
**Friday, May 12, 2023**

8:30-9:00  Breakfast Buffet On Site

9:00-9:45  **Kai Barron**: “Narrative Persuasion” (joint with Tilman Fries)

9:45-10:30  **Thomas Graeber**: “Stories, Statistics, and Memory” (joint with Christopher Roth and Florian Zimmermann)

10:30-11:00  Break

11:00-11:45  **Peter Schwardmann**: “Anticipatory Anxiety and Wishful Thinking” (joint with Jan Engelmann, Maël Lebreton, Nahuel Salem-Garcia, and Joël van der Weele)

11:45-12:30  **John Conlon**: “Not Learning from Others” (joint with Malavika Mani, Gautam Rao, Matthew Ridley, and Frank Schilbach)

12:30-2:00  Lunch On Site