

Volkswagen Summer School

Program

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27.09, 1st day

Arrival

28.09, 2nd day

- 09:00-09:15. Welcome, goals and program, organization (*Klaus Hoffmann-Holland, VP 3 FU Berlin*)
- 09:15-10:45. Lecture: *Russian Revolution & the Soft Budget Constraint* (*Theocharis Grigoriadis, FU Berlin*)
- 11:00-12:30. Course: *Modern Methods in Decision-making: Theory & Applications I* (*Fuad Aleskerov, HSE Moscow*)

Lunch

- 13:30-15:00. Lecture: *Russian Foreign Policy & the Ukrainian Crisis* (*Nikita Lomagin, EUSPb/SPbU*)
- 15:15-16:45. *Definition of Topics, Team Building (at least 4 groups)*

29.09, 3rd day

- 09:00-10:30. Course: *Modern Methods in Decision-making: Theory & Applications II* (*Fuad Aleskerov, HSE Moscow*)
- 10:45-12:15. Course: *Modern Methods in Decision-making: Theory & Applications III* (*Fuad Aleskerov, HSE Moscow*)

Lunch

- 13:30-15:00. Lecture: *Inclusive Organizational Culture of Social Services in Russia: Formal Rules vs. Informal Practices* (*Victoria Antonova, HSE Moscow*)
- 15:15-16:45. Keynote Lecture: *Ethnicity, Diversity & Conflict* (*Klaus Desmet, SMU*)
- 17:00-18:00. *Preparation Work (by team)*

30.09, 4th day

- 09:00-10:30. Course: *Modern Methods in Decision-making: Theory & Applications IV* (*Fuad Aleskerov, HSE Moscow*)
- 10:45-12:15. Lecture: *Modern Methods in Decision-making: Theory & Applications V* (*Fuad Aleskerov, HSE Moscow*)

Lunch

- 13:30-15:00. Lecture: *Informal Entrepreneurial Activity in Transition Economies* (*Alexander Chepurenskiy, HSE Moscow*)
- 15:15-16:45. *Preparation Work (by team)*

01.10, 5th day

1. 09:00-10:30. Lecture: *Challenges to Anti-corruption Research: Studying Georgia's "Success Story"* (Lilli DiPuppo, HSE Moscow)
2. 10:45-12:15. Lecture: *"Bad Enough Governance" in post-Soviet Autocracies: A Comparative Analysis* (Andrei Melville, HSE Moscow)

Lunch

3. 13:30-15:00. Lecture: *The Economics of Health Behavior & Policy: The Case of Smoking in Russia* (Christopher Gerry, HSE St. Petersburg/UCL)
4. 15:15-16:45. Lecture: *The Dualization of Europe* (Anke Hassel, Hertie School of Governance)
5. 17:00-18:00. *Preparation Work (by team)*

02.10, 6th day

1. 09:00-10:30. Lecture: *Policy Networks and Governance of Complex Societies: A Relational and Policy-Centric Perspective for Germany and Russia* (Volker Schneider, University of Konstanz)
2. 10:45-12:15. Lecture: *On the Economic Origins of Segregation & Nationalism* (Nikolaus Wolf, HU Berlin)

Lunch

3. 13:30-15:00. Lecture: *Social Science Research on Western and Eastern Europe: Designing a German-Russian Graduate School* (Katharina Bluhm, FU Berlin)
4. 15:15-16:45. *Preparation Work (by team)*

03.10, 7th day

Weekend

04.10, 8th day

Weekend

05.10, 9th day

1. 09:00-10:30. Lecture: *The Political Economics of Redistribution* (Panu Poutvaara, Ifo Munich/LMU Munich)
2. 10:45-12:15. Lecture: *European-wide Inequality in Times of Financial Crisis* (Carsten Schröder, DIW Berlin/FU Berlin)

Lunch

3. 14:30-16:00. Lecture: *Fiscal Devaluation in a Monetary Union* (Philipp Engler, FU Berlin)
4. 16:15-17:45. *Preparation Work (by team)*

06.10, 10th day

1. 09:00-10:30. Lecture: *Multilevel security hierarchies: Germany, Russia & Eurasian integration* (Yuval Weber, HSE Moscow)
2. 10:45-12:15. Lecture: *Institutional and Ideological Foundations of an Alienation: German-Russian Relations in Crisis* (Klaus Segbers, FU Berlin)

Lunch

3. 14:00-15:30. Visit to DIW Berlin.
4. 16:15-17:45. Visit to WZB.

07.10, 11th day

1. 09:00-10:30. Lecture: *Eurozone Governance and Global Financial Stability* (David Woodruff, LSE)
2. 10:45-12:15. Lecture: *Repeated Contracts in Public Procurement: Evidence from Russia* (Andrei Yakovlev, HSE Moscow)

Lunch

3. 13:30-15:00. Lecture: *Good Governance and Bad Neighbors? The European Union's Fight against Corruption in Southern Caucasus* (Tanja Börzel, FU Berlin)
4. 15:15-16:45. Lecture: *Institutions and Finance in Global Perspective* (Vladimir Zuev, HSE Moscow)
5. 17:00-18:00. *Preparation Work (by team)*

08.10, 12th day

1. 09:00-10:30. Lecture: *The Political Economy of Inequality* (Alexey Zakharov, HSE Moscow)
2. 10:45-12:15. Lecture: *How Does Internet Transform Politics (and Political Science)?* (Aron Buzogany, FU Berlin)

Lunch

3. 13:30-15:00. Lecture: *Varieties of Governance in Russian Regions* (Sabine Kropp, FU Berlin)
4. 15:15-18:00. *Preparation Work (by team)*

09.10, 13th day

1. 09:00-10:30. *Team Presentations & Discussion*
2. 10:45-12:15. *Team Presentations & Discussion*

Lunch

3. 13:30-15:00. *Team Presentations & Discussion*
4. 15:15-16:45. *Certificates Award.*

10.10, 14th day

Departure