Thursday, 21 May 2026

Faculté de Droit, Sciences économiques et Gestion de Nancy - 13 place Carnot

08:30 **Registration**

Amphi Geny

09:00 **Welcome Remarks** - *Maxime Desmarais-Tremblay, Université de Lorraine, BETA, & Samuel Ferey, Université de Lorraine, BETA*

09:15 **Keynote Lecture: Rules That Make Their Own Data: Paradoxes and Impossibilities in Strategic Classification** - *Elizabeth Maggie Penn, Emory University*

10:15 **Coffee break**

10:45 **PARALLEL SESSION #1**

AR05

NORMATIVE ECONOMICS

Chair: Antoinette Baujard, Université Jean-Monnet (ÉPSCPE)

› **The Invention of Homo Œconomicus: a Non-Linear Exclusion of Ethics from Economic Science**
Philippe Gillig, Université de Strasbourg, BETA

› **The Normative Foundations of Kaldor-Hicks Reasoning: Why Willingness-To-Pay Both Avoids and Does Not Avoid The Problem of Interpersonal Utility Comparisons**
Patricia Marino, Department of Philosophy, University of Waterloo

› **The paradoxes and contradictions of the positive-normative distinction in economics**
Ute Schmiel, University of Duisburg-Essen & Michaela Haase, Free University of Berlin

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RECONSTRUCTION-DECONSTRUCTION

Chair: Judith Favereau, Université Lumière - Lyon 2

› **William James: Classical Liberal or New Liberal?**
Mario Rizzo, New York University

› **Neoliberalism: A Lakatosian Rational Reconstruction**
Aleksander Ostapiuk

› **Too Paradoxical? Deconstructive Epistemology as Economic Methodology**
Giustino De Michele, Université Paris 8 Vincennes-Saint-Denis, Centre Interdisciplinaire d'Étude des Littératures d'Aix-Marseille

B112

RATIONALITY

Chair: Luc Bovens, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

› **Against the teleological conception of practical reason**
Victor Mardellat, Centre d'Études Sociologiques et Politiques Raymond Aron

› **The Paradox of Rational Contradiction: On the Relevance of Existentialism and the Concept of Bad Faith to Economics**
Yannick Lacroix, Université Grenoble Alpes, Faculté d'Économie de Grenoble

› **On Being Rational and Responsible yet Ineffective, a Reappraisal of the Kagan-Nefsky Debate**
Mathieu Guigourez, Centre d'économie de la Sorbonne

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KNOWLEDGE

Chair: Magdalena Małecka, University of Copenhagen

› **Common Knowledge Paradox and Coordination of Expectations**
Do Youn Won, Taejae University, AI Education Research Center, Korea University, University College

› **Models as Frameworks for Thinking: The Production of Ignorance through Signaling Theory**
Arnaud Niedbalec, Pôle de recherche interdisciplinaire en sciences du management

› **Contradiction without Incoherence: Jain Logic and Structured Pluralism in Economics**
Ragupathy Venkatachalam, Goldsmiths University of London - Diviya Diviya, Azim Premji University

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THE ALLAIS PARADOX

Chair: Bertrand Munier, Fondation Maurice Allais

› **An Allaisian Triple Grasp of the 'so-called Paradox'**
Bertrand Munier, Fondation Maurice Allais

› **Rationality and normative decision theory**
Mikael Cozic, Université Jean Moulin Lyon 3

› **What Kahneman and Tversky made of Allais' 'rational man'**
Jean-Sébastien Lenfant, Université Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne

› **What the Allais Paradox can still teach us about economics after 75 years**
Seán Muller, University of Johannesburg

› **Theoretical Critique and 'Experimentum crucis': What Do Maurice Allais's Archives Teach Us About the 'Paradox'?**
Samuel Ferey, BETA-CNRS & Dorian Jullien, CES-CNRS

12:15 **Lunch** - Salle d'honneur des Universités

13:45 **PARALLEL SESSION #2**

AR05

TEACHING PHILOSOPHY TO ECONOMISTS PANEL

***Maxime Desmarais-Tremblay**, Université de Lorraine*
***Judith Favereau**, Université Lumière - Lyon 2*
***Don Ross**, University College Cork, University of Cape Town, Georgia State University*
***Sina Badiei,** Université de Strasbourg*
***Magdalena Małecka**, University of Copenhagen*
***Carsten Herrmann-Pillath**, Erfurt University*
***Ricardo F. Crespo**, Universidad Austral*
***Giancarlo Ianulardo**, University of Exeter Business School*

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MORAL PHILOSOPHY

Chair: Thomas Ferretti, University of Greenwich

› **How is paradox of blackmail paradoxical?**
Igor Wysocki, Nicolaus Copernicus University

› **Meritocracy: a critical discussion of its paradoxical aspects**
Annalisa Fabretti, Università degli Studi di Roma Tor Vergata

› **Effort, Performance and Generosity in Dictator Games**
Adam Oliver, London School of Economics and Political Science

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MID-CENTURY ECONOMICS

Chair: Ragupathy Venkatachalam, Goldsmiths, University of London

› **Rationality and Utility: Janina Hosiasson's Decision Theory Between 1931 and 1935**
Dillon Lamarche, McMaster University

› **Savage's Riddle: Savage's acts and real options**
Vita Kudryavtseva, London School of Economics and Political Science

› **The Nomenclature Postulate and the Characteristics of Commodities**
Julien Gradoz, Centre lyonnais d'Histoire du droit et de la pensée politique

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INSTITUTIONS

Chair: Nathanael Colin-Jaeger, European School of Political and Social Sciences, Lille

› **Stakeholder capitalism and the trilemma of capitalist governance**
Sandrine Blanc, INSEEC

› **Conceptualizing Common Property Rights: An Institutionalist Reading of Elinor Ostrom**
Massimo Cervesato, Université Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne, Centre d'Economie de la Sorbonne

› **Institutional Tensions: Why Institutions Need Benevolent Troublemakers**
Konrad Werner, University of Warsaw

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LA TERRE

Chair: Jean-Sébastien Gharbi, Université de Reims Champagne-Ardenne

› **La conception walrasienne de la justice sociale par la nationalisation des terres**
Tristan Ferreira Rocha, University of Barcelona

› **L'art d'associer les ménages à la gestion des communaux et des climatures**
Gaëtan Fustec, Université Catholique de l'Ouest

› **La croissance verte comme idéologie géosociale**
Guillaume Quiquerez, Laboratoire d'Économie et de Sociologie du Travail

15:15 **Coffee break**

15:45

PARALLEL SESSION #3

AR05
REASSESSING SOCIAL CHOICE AND WELFARE ECONOMICS THROUGH HISTORY

Chair: Herrade Igersheim, Université de Strasbourg

› **The uses of paradoxes in social choice**
Jean-François Laslier, Paris School of Economics

› **Why a comprehensive approach to the history of welfarism is important for revisiting welfare economics**
Antoinette Baujard, Groupe d'analyse et de théorie économique, Université Jean Monnet (EPSCPE)

› **Games and Social Choice**
Juan Carvajalino, Université Paris 8 Vincennes-Saint-Denis & Herrade Igersheim, Université de Strasbourg, BETA

› **The Maurice Salles Archives: An Inventory**
Vincent Robert Merlin, Centre de recherche en économie et management & Benoit Walraevens, Centre de recherche en économie et management

B111
EPISTEMIC ISSUES

Chair: Scott Scheall, University of Austin

› **Holding the Paradox: Frank H. Knight on the Foundations of Economic Inquiry**
Varvara Rogozhnikova, Lomonosov Moscow State University

› **Austrian Economics and the Paradox of Insignificant Apodictic Truth**
Krzysztof Turowski, Jagiellonian University

› **Economic order and the paradox of absolute contingency**
Leonardo Ivarola, University of Buenos Aires

› **A game-theoretical approach to Obscurantism**
Filip Buekens, Institute of Philosophy, KU Leuven

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DECISION THEORY

Chair: Sébastien Massoni, Université de Lorraine

› **A puzzle about checklist reasoning**
Marco Grossi, University of Oxford

› **Going beyond Newcomb's problem with Kant hand in hand**
Michal Pawlowski, Economics Department, European University Institute

› **Intransitive Preferences**
Luc Bovens, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

› **A Meta-Precautionary Solution to the Paradox of Precaution**
Roberto Fumagalli, King's College London

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DEMOCRATIC INSTITUTIONS

Chair: John Patty, Emory University

› **The Constitutional Public Good: Public Choice, Public Reason, and the Risk of Democratic Sectarianism**
Cyril Hédoin, URCA - UFR des Sciences économiques, sociales et de gestion

› **Will Mechanism Design Set Us Free? Algorithmic Institutions and Hayekian Freedom**
Kevin Leportier, University of Caen Normandie - CREM

› **The Paradox of Deficits**
Marc Morgan, University of Geneva

› **The Rhetorical Straitjacket of Economic Discourse: Monetary Theory, Fiscal Discipline and Democratic Constraints**
Tiago Mendonça dos Santos, Universidade do Vale do Itajaí (UNIVALI)

› **Walking a Mile in your Shoes: Partial Agreement in Plural Societies**
Constanze Binder, Erasmus University Rotterdam

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TRANSITION

Chair: Verónica Acurio Vásconez, Université de Lorraine

› **Une approche structurale des modèles fondateurs de la macroéconomie des ressources**
Hugo Mosneron Dupin, École normale supérieure - Paris, Centre International de Recherche sur l'Environnement et le Développement

› **La nature paradoxale du processus métabolique de production**
François-Xavier Noire, CLERSE

› **Quantifier l'équité climatique : paradoxes métriques, inégalités historiques et colonialité du savoir**
Rachel Pierre-Léandre, Mines Paris - PSL (École nationale supérieure des mines de Paris)

› **Banques centrales et paradoxes de gouvernance : communication, crédibilité et pressions politiques**
Maxence Follot, Université de Bourgogne

Hôtel de Ville de Nancy - Place Stanislas

19:30 **Gala Dinner**

Friday, 22 May 2026

Amphi Geny

09:00 **Keynote Lecture: In Praise of the Ambiguous and Inexact – Even in Economics** - *Nancy Cartwright, Durham University and University of California San Diego*

10:00 **Coffee break**

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PARALLEL SESSION #4

AR05
CAUSALITY AND MODELS

Chair: Guilhem Lecouteux, Université Côte d'Azur

› **Model Selection as a Decision Problem**
Raffaello Seri, InsIDE Lab, Dipartimento di Economia Università degli Studi dell'Insubria

› **On the Causal Interpretation of Agent-Based Economic Models: Epistemic Entitlements and Inferential Use**
Massimo Rusconi, Dipartimento di Economia Università degli Studi dell'Insubria

› **Linking the Cogs: Justifying Mechanistic Explanations through Simulation**
Maciej Nogaj, University of Warsaw, Faculty of Economics

› **The Paradox of Representation Reframed**
Mario Chalita, Universidad Nacional de Córdoba

B111
POLITICS OF DISAGREEMENT

Chair: Cyril Hédoin, Université de Reims Champagne-Ardenne

› **Polycentricity, Cities' Autonomy, and the Fairness Objection**
Nathanael Colin-Jaeger, ESPOL-LAB

› **Laundered Preferences: An Unrealistic Path Toward Consensus (Also from a Liberal Philosophy Perspective)**
Jean-Sébastien Gharbi, Recherches en Économie Gestion AgroRessources Durabilité Santé

› **Gaus, Habermas, and modern unreasonableness**
Pablo Paniagua, King's College London, Universidad del Desarollo

› **Liberalism's Ouroboros: DOGE and the Transition Problem in Stark Relief**
Scott Scheall, University of Austin

B112
POLICY-MAKING

Chair: Dorian Jullien, Université Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne

› **Thin Numbers, Thick Deprivations: History and Methodology of Poverty Measurement**
Judith Favereau, Université Lumière - Lyon 2

› **Contradictory implications of monetary policy transparency: transparency as a help and hindrance to inflation anchoring**
Ellen Russell, Wilfrid Laurier University

› **Explaining Macroeconomic Policy Regimes Shifts Through Evolution: how the USA, the UK and France adopted Keynesianism and Neoliberalism**
Alexandre Tawil, Laboratoire d'économie et de gestion REGARDS

› **Between research and rhetoric: investigating the instrumental and strategic use of economic analysis in monetary policy making**
Lukasz Hardt, University of Warsaw, Faculty of Economic Sciences

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PREFERENCES

Chair: Adam Oliver, London School of Economics and Political Science

› **Economic Preferences and Practical Reason**
Ricardo F. Crespo, Universidad Austral & Giancarlo Ianulardo, University of Exeter Business School

› **The Neglected Heterogeneity in Cognitive Biases: The Epistemic Vices Behind**
Daniel Zarama Rojas, Bureau d'Économie Théorique et Appliquée (BETA)

› **Why be a frame-sensitive reasoner? On the epistemic foundations of ultraintensional preference formation**
James Grayot, Universidade do Porto = University of Porto

› **The Axiom of Choice Determination - A Philosophy of Science Perspective**
Justin Leduc, University of Vienna

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PARADOXES

Chair: Patrick Mardellat, Science Po Lille

› **Entre préexistence et indétermination : le paradoxe des opportunités chez Kirzner**
Christel Vivel, ESDES, Lyon Business School - UCLy

› **Le paradoxe d'Allais: origines et signification**
Francis Bismans, Bureau d'Économie Théorique et Appliquée

› **Le comportement des joueurs de jeux vidéo est-il philosophiquement paradoxal ?**
Emmanuel Petit, Bordeaux sciences économiques

› **Le paradoxe du Don: pauvreté ontologique et richesse de l'usage**
Patrick Mardellat, Centre lillois d'études et de recherches sociologiques et économiques

12:30 **Lunch** - Salle d'honneur des Universités

14:00 **PARALLEL SESSION #5**

AR05
RECLAIMING UTOPIA 1

Chair: Carsten Herrmann-Pillath, Erfurt University

› **Collectivizing the Hegel Master-Slave Dialectic while Upholding Methodological Individualism**
S.M. Amadae, Centre for the Study of Existential Risk, University of Cambridge

› **Embodied Economics, Utopian Impulse, and Societal Transformation: Conceptual Pathways and Empirical Investigations**
Frederic Basso, London School of Economics and Political Science

› **Reinventing property for building concrete utopias of economic life**
Carsten Herrmann-Pillath, Max Weber Centre for Advanced Cultural and Social Studies, Erfurt University

B111
AI

Chair: Filip Buekens, KU Leuven

› **The paradox of explainability in artificial intelligence**
Annika Schuster, Technische Universität Dortmund

› **Protecting Employee Privacy in the Age of Workplace Analytics**
Thomas Ferretti, University of Greenwich

› **The Artificially Intelligent Paternalist: does AI respect individuals' preferences as stated by themselves?**
Guilhem Lecouteux, Université Côte d'Azur, CNRS, Gredeg

B112
PROBLEMS OF CAPITALISM

Chair: Yamina Tadjeddine, Université de Lorraine

› **Karl Polanyi's critique: The inherent ambiguity in the concept of "economy"**
Iliana Melero, Universidad de Zaragoza

› **Objective Hierarchies of Needs, Subjective Preferences, or Partial Hierarchies of Needs and Preferences?**
Sina Badiei, Université de Strasbourg, BETA

› **Krisis or Kairos? About crises and their paradoxes**
Dorina Patrunsu, University of Bucharest

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DAVID HUME

Chair: Margaret Schabas, University of British Columbia

› **David Hume on authority and commerce**
Rogerio Arthmar, Universidade Federal do Espirito Santo

› **Hume's Answers to Mandeville's Paradox**
Benoit Walraevens, Centre de Recherche en Economie et Management, Université de Caen Normandie

› **Beyond the Humean Mosaic: Hempel's Raven and the Epistemological Fragility of Neoclassical Economics**
Stefan Voss, Samuel Pufendor Gesellschaft e. V., Ludwig Maximilian University

Cancelled session
~~**B205**~~
~~**LE DON**~~

~~*Chair: Elodie Bertrand, CNRS*~~

~~› **Entre altruisme et rationalité : la figure du « bon donneur » d'organes**~~
~~*Ninon Laparra, Laboratoire Interdisciplinaire d'étude du Politique Hannah Arendt Paris-Est*~~

15:30 **Coffee break**

16:00 **PARALLEL SESSION #6**

AR05
RECLAIMING UTOPIA 2

Chair: Don Ross, University College Cork, University of Cape Town, Georgia State University

› **From values to utopias for political economy?**
Magdalena Małecka, University of Copenhagen

› **Economics: Spoiler or generator of transformative ideologies?**
Michiru Nagatsu, University of Helsinki

› **We are Keynes's grandchildren**
Don Ross, University College Cork, University of Cape Town, Georgia State University

B111
SCHOLASTICISM

Chair: Ricardo F. Crespo, Universidad Austral

› **Aristotle, Paradoxes, and Contradiction**
Esma Kayar, Istanbul Medeniyet University

› **Aristotle's paradox of reciprocal exchange: the poor pay more**
Gerhard Michael Ambrosi, Trier Universität

› **Thomas Aquinas on debt, beyond usury and just price**
Pierre Januard, Philosophie, Histoire et Analyse des Représentations Économiques, FASS - Université Pontificale Saint Thomas d'Aquin (Angelicum)

B112
MACROECONOMIC CONTRADICTIONS

Chair: Rodolphe Dos Santos Ferreira, Université de Strasbourg

› **Supposed paradoxes and real contradictions in macroeconomics**
Angel Asensio, CEPN

› **Post-growth as public satiation**
Gideon Frey, Erasmus Institute for Philosophy and Economics

› **Growing desires meet limits to growth: Hirsch's contradiction in Capitalism**
Jens Jørund Tyssedal, University of Bergen

› **The matter of wellbeing : the Easterlin paradox through the eyes of matter and energy flows**
Amine Messal, Ecole Normale Supérieure Paris-Saclay

B205
MARCHÉ ET INSTITUTIONS

Chair: Kevin Leportier, Université de Caen-Normandie

› **Monnaie et raison d'Etat : le marché comme lieu de véridiction de la valeur face au problème d'incomplétude de la valeur de vérité des jugements de valeur**
Yael Dosquet, École des hautes études en sciences sociales

› **La théorie de la mesure de Hegel: valeur et l'intrinsèque instabilité de l'économie de marché**
Gaëtan Le Quang, CNRS, EconomiX, Université Paris Nanterre

› **Externalité structurelle : proposition pour un nouveau concept**
Elodie Bertrand, Institut des Sciences Juridique et Philosophique de la Sorbonne