

Preliminary Program: Spatial Dimensions of Stated Preferences 28 June 2017 09:00-16:00

Historical premises of the National and Kapodistrian University of Athens, Room 416 (4th floor)

- 9:00 Welcome and Introduction: The Relevance of Space for Stated Preference Design, Value Elicitation and Model Estimation (*Robert Johnston*)
- 9:15 When and Why Go Spatial in Stated Preference Analysis? An Overview and Outlook (30 minutes presentation + 15 minutes discussion)
Robert Johnston (Clark University)
Klaus Glenk (SRUC)
Jürgen Meyerhoff (Technische Universität Berlin)
Julian Sagebiel (Institute for Ecological Economy Research, Berlin)
- 10:00 Presentations on current topics concerning the spatial dimension of stated preferences (15 minutes presentation + 5 minutes discussion). Moderation: *Julian Sagebiel*.
- 10:00 Mixed Logit, Geographically Weighted Choice Models, or One-Step Bayesian Estimation? *Mikolaj Czajkowski and Wiktor Budziński (University of Warsaw)*
- 10:20 The Use of Semi-parametric Models to Account for Biases from Omitted Spatial Covariates. *Brett Day (University of Exeter)*
- 10:40 Coffee Break
- 11:00 Presentations continued (15 minutes presentation + 5 minutes discussion). Moderation: *Klaus Glenk*.
- 11:00 A new approach to capturing the spatial dimensions of value within choice experiments. *Tomas Badura (University of East Anglia)*
- 11:20 Distance decay and spatial preference heterogeneity: Combining stated and revealed preference data. *Jens Abildtrup (French National Institute for Agricultural Research)*
- 11:40 Does the functional form of distance decay depend on the different ecological endpoints that enter respondents' (heterogeneous) utility functions? *Søren Bøye Olsen (University of Copenhagen)*
- 12:00 Spatial preference heterogeneity in discrete choice site selection models. *Roy Brouwer (University of Waterloo)*
- 12:30 Lunch (will be provided)**

13:30 Panel Discussion: Questions and Frontiers in Spatial Dimensions of Stated Preferences - What are the questions that we need to answer, and what are the important research frontiers? (Moderation: *Robert Johnston*)

Panellists:

Roger H. von Haefen (North Carolina State University)

Ståle Navrud (Norwegian University of Life Sciences)

Toke Emil Panduro (University of Copenhagen)

Jette Bredahl Jacobsen (University of Copenhagen)

Eija Pouta (Natural Resources Institute Finland)

Each panellist spends about 10 minutes speaking on a specific topic, followed by 30 minutes of panel discussion with the audience.

14:45 Coffee Break

15:00 Group Discussion: Coordinating Approaches across the Literature and Steps towards Best Practice (Moderation: *Jürgen Meyerhoff*)

Key questions:

- (1) When and how are spatial dimensions a first-order concern for analysis?
- (2) Can we better coordinate myriad approaches across the literature and provide input on to when different approaches are relevant?
- (3) How can we better leverage theory to guide spatial analysis? And when is spatial analysis purely empirical?
- (4) Are there other key questions that have not yet been discussed?
- (5) Are best practice guidelines needed?

15:50 Next Steps and Announcements: *Jürgen Meyerhoff*

16:00 Workshop concludes

****Note:** In order to cover expenses for coffee breaks and lunch, we ask each participant to pay 15 Euros (please bring the exact amount, as we will not have the opportunity to change money)

Directions to the workshop

Room 416 on the 4th floor (elevator available)

Address

Historical premises of the National and Kapodistrian University of Athens
Sofokleous 1
Athens 105 59
<https://goo.gl/maps/uKzKxPY6MaP2>

By public transportation

Metro line 2

Metro station *Panepistimio*

Walk from the metro station *Panepistimio* (ΠΑΝΕΠΙΣΤΗΜΙΟ) (400m)

Upon exiting the metro station, continue straight and cross the street ahead (*Stadiou Street*). Turn right and continue until you reach the second street (*Pesmazoglou Street*), then turn left. Continue down this street, make a slight right and you have reached the venue.

