

Silvaplana 2009, 18th Workshop in Political Economy

Invitation to submit a paper for presentation



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You are invited to submit a paper for consideration for presentation at the 2009 Silvaplana Workshop in Political Economy. The purpose of the workshop is to bring together young and established researchers with an interest in political economy and public choice. Papers can be theoretical and/or empirical. A primary criterion is that papers be interesting.

Dates: From Saturday afternoon 3.00pm 25 July, to Wednesday 1.00pm 29 July 2009.

Location: Albana Hotel, in Silvaplana, Switzerland (near St Moritz).

Total cost: Shared accommodation estimated cost SF460, single accommodation SF560. The cost covers accommodation for the duration of the workshop (4 nights), breakfast, and dinner at the Albana Hotel. Accommodation is at the Albana Hotel or the Julier Palace Hotel.

Program

Papers from 8.40 am to 1.00 pm.

Mountain walks and discussion (compulsory participation) 1.00 pm-6.00 pm.

Dinner 7.00 pm.

Evening presentations by invited speakers 8.30-9.30 pm.

Presentations will be followed by comments from two assigned discussion openers and a general discussion.

Dates

Submission of abstract and/or preliminary paper: before March 1, 2009.

Accepted papers should be sent before July 1, 2009.

Submissions: Send pdf files to both:

Helen Ovadia ovadiah@mail.biu.ac.il (conference administrator)

Pierre-Guillaume Méon pgmeon@ulb.ac.be (Université Libre de Bruxelles (ULB), conference organizer).

Program committee

Decisions regarding acceptance of papers for the workshop will be made by the conference organizer in conjunction with program committee, Toke Aidt (Cambridge), Hans Peter Grüner (Mannheim), Arye Hillman (Bar-Ilan), Heinrich Ursprung (Konstanz).

Additional information

There are no parallel sessions.

If your paper is not accepted, you may be invited to come as a discussant.

There is no conference fee, but attending the workshop is an obligation to attend all sessions and to participate in mountain walks. It is understood that participants who do not attend all sessions will not be considered for future conferences.

Authors of accepted papers from non-OECD countries can apply for a subsidy contingent on family personal wealth.

The Silvaplana workshop is sponsored by the *European Journal of Political Economy* and is the annual conference of the *Silvaplana Society for the Study of Political Economy*.