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**Workshop „Europe’s Crisis: The Conflict-Theoretic Perspective “
Freiburg, September 25-26, 2014**

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Conference venue:

University of Freiburg, “Haus zur Lieben Hand”, Löwenstraße 16, 79098 Freiburg, Germany
(Website: <http://www.swfr.de/en/food-beverages/campus-catering/haus-zur-lieben-hand/>)

Thursday, September 25, 2014

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| 8:30 – 9:15 | Registration |
| 9:15 – 9:45 | Welcome Address + Organizational Issues <i>Tim Krieger (University of Freiburg): Between Conflict and Cooperation: Europe’s Crisis from the Perspective of the Freiburg School of Economics</i> |
| 9:45 – 10:45 | Keynote Lecture + Discussion I <i>Gerald Schneider (University of Konstanz): The Euro Crisis, Austerity Measures and Strikes</i> |
| 10:45 – 11:15 | Coffee break |
| 11:15 – 12:35 | Session I: The Distributional Dimension of the Crisis <i>1. Rafał Ulatowski (University of Warsaw): Euro Crisis and the New Geography of the European Union</i> <i>2. Bernd Schlipphak (University of Münster): Widening the Gap between Winners and Losers? Citizens' Economic Perceptions and EU Attitudes in Times of Crisis</i> |
| 12:35 – 14:00 | Lunch break at “Haus zur Lieben Hand” (Casino) |
| 14:00 – 14:40 | Session II: Conflicting Interests on Europe’s Constitution(s) <i>Christian Joerges (Hertie of Governance, Berlin): Integration through Law as Ideology and the Alternative of Conflicts-Law Constitutionalism</i> |
| 14:40 – 15:20 | Session III: Political Bargaining in Europe <i>Martin A. Leroch (University of Mainz): Bargaining in Times of Crisis</i> |
| 15:20 – 15:50 | Coffee break |

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| 15:50 – 17:10 | <p>Session IV: Challenges to Implementing Reforms</p> <p>1. Maximilian Stephan (University of Freiburg): Does Collective Action Clause Discriminate Rational Holdout Investors?</p> <p>2. Francesco Nicoli (University of Trento): The Governance Trilemma: Functional and Economic Analysis of the Building of a European Fiscal Union</p> |
| 17:30 | Meet at entrance of workshop venue to leave for evening event at winery “Staatsweingut Freiburg” (Gutsbetrieb Freiburg, Merzhauser Str. 119, 79100 Freiburg, website: http://www.staatsweingut-freiburg.de/). To get there, we will take tram line no. 3 to stop “Peter-Thumb-Straße” (approx. 10 minutes). |
| 18:00 – 19:15 | Guided tour and wine tasting at “Staatsweingut Freiburg” |
| 19:15 – 21:30 | Conference dinner (at “Staatsweingut Freiburg”) |

Friday, September 26, 2014

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| 9:00 – 10:00 | <p>Keynote Lecture + Discussion II</p> <p>Kai Konrad (Max Planck Institute for Tax Law and Public Finance, Munich): Fiscal Architecture in Europe: the Samaritan’s Dilemma?</p> |
| 10:00 – 10:20 | Coffee break |
| 10:20 – 11:40 | <p>Session V: Greece and the Crisis</p> <p>1. Martha Kontodaimon (University of Freiburg): Two-Level Reform Games in Greece</p> <p>2. Moritz Sommer (Free University of Berlin): Attributing the Crisis. A Greek-German Comparison.</p> |
| 11:40 – 12:20 | <p>Session VI: Conflict, Law and Economic Policy</p> <p>Stefan Oeter (University of Hamburg): Conflict at the Interface of Economic Policy and Law – Cognitive Dissonance between European Central Bank und German Constitutional Court</p> |
| 12:20 – 13:20 | Lunch break at “Haus zur Lieben Hand” (Casino) |
| 13:20 – 14:00 | <p>Session VII: Populism and the Crisis</p> <p>Takis S. Pappas (University of Macedonia): Populism in Europe During Crisis</p> |
| 14:00 – 15:20 | <p>Session VIII: Federalism and the Crisis</p> <p>1. Peter Claeys (University of Barcelona): If You Want Me to Stay, Pay: A Model of Asymmetric Federalism in Centralised Countries</p> <p>2. Nicolas Mazuy (University of Strasbourg): Pros and Cons of Federal Transfers Financed thanks to EU Financial Transaction Tax</p> |
| 15:30 | End of workshop |