

The 20th SCANCOR PhD Workshop and Public Morning Lectures on Institutional Analysis



This year's SCANCOR PhD Workshop on Institutional Analysis will be hosted by the University of Hamburg in collaboration with the University of Mannheim.

Join the daily public morning lectures on institutional analysis.

26th-30th August 2024 University of Hamburg
Daily 09:00 AM - 12:30 PM

International as well as local faculty present and discuss recent research broadly within the field of institutional theory. At the 20th SCANCOR PhD workshop on Institutional Analysis, international faculty will present recent and ongoing research, discuss the current state of institutional theory, and suggest future directions and methodological tools that deepen the institutional agenda. Special attention is given to contemporary social, political, and economic challenges as well as challenges of theorizing to understand institutional change. We approach these challenges from a wide range of theoretical lenses including temporal dynamics, power, world society, and social movement theory.

Public Morning Lectures

In the public morning lectures international faculty will present and discuss research within the field of institutional theory. The lectures are open to the public and guests are highly welcome to join lectures:

Daily program:

09:00 - 10:30 First talk + discussion

10:30 - 11:00 Break

11:00 - 12:30 Second talk + discussion

12:30 - 14:00 Networking opportunity with faculty, PhD students, and guests

Participation in the morning lectures is free of charge. For those seeking to attend, we kindly ask to [register below](#).

Speakers

[Walter W. Powell, Stanford University](#)



Woody Powell is Jacks Family Professor of Education, and Professor of Sociology, Organizational Behavior, Management Science and Engineering, and Communication at Stanford University, and a faculty fellow at the Center for Advanced Study in the Behavioral Sciences. He was a founding co-director of the Stanford Center on Philanthropy and Civil Society in 2006, and currently shares the Marc and Laura Andreessen Co-Directorship with Rob Reich and Robb Willer. [more...](#)

[Patricia Bromley, Stanford University](#)



Patricia Bromley is Associate Professor of Education, Environmental Social Science, and (by courtesy) Sociology at Stanford University. She is also Co-Director of Stanford's Center on Philanthropy and Civil Society (PACS), and Director of the Scandinavian Consortium for Organizational Research (SCANCOR). Tricia's research spans a range of fields including comparative education, organization theory, sociology of education, and public administration and policy. [more...](#)

Bruce G. Carruthers, Northwestern University



Bruce G. Carruthers is the John D. MacArthur Professor of Sociology at Northwestern University and a Long-term Fellow at the Swedish Collegium for Advanced Study. He received his PhD from the University of Chicago in 1991 and works in the areas of economic sociology, comparative-historical sociology, and the sociology of law, with research funding from the National Science Foundation, the American Bar Foundation, the Russell Sage Foundation, the Institute for New Economic Thinking, and the Tobin Project. [more...](#)

Gilli S. Drori, Hebrew University of Jerusalem



Gili S. Drori is professor of sociology and anthropology and since 2022 serves as Dean of the Faculty of Social Sciences at The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Israel. Gili earned her academic education at Tel Aviv University (BA 1986; and MA 1989) and Stanford University (PhD, 1997, sociology). Before joining the faculty of The Hebrew University in 2011, Gili served as Director of IR Honors Program and taught at Stanford University for a decade. [more...](#)

Gernot Grabher, HafenCity University Hamburg



Gernot Grabher is Professor of Urban and Regional Economics and member of the Graduate Training School Urban Future-Making: Professional Agency across Time and Scale at the HafenCity University Hamburg (HCU). Previously he held positions at the University of Konstanz, the University of Bonn, the Wissenschaftszentrum Berlin (WZB) and King's College London. [more...](#)

Renate E. Meyer, Vienna University of Economics and Business



Renate E. Meyer is Professor of Organization Studies at WU Vienna University of Economics and Business. At WU Vienna, she is the Head of the Institute for Organization Studies and Co-Director of the Research Institute for Urban Management & Governance. Renate is also Part Time Professor in Institutional Theory at Copenhagen Business School and holds visiting positions at Saïd Business School, Oxford University, and University of Alberta. [more...](#)

Achim Oberg, University of Hamburg



Achim Oberg studied Business Informatics at the University of Mannheim and the University of St. Gallen, and completed his doctoral studies in Organizational Sociology at the Friedrich-Schiller-University Jena under the supervision of Prof. Dr. Peter Walgenbach (University of Jena) and Prof. Dr. Dr. h.c. Alfred Kieser (University of Mannheim). He conducted research and teaching at the University of Mannheim, KIT Karlsruhe, and RWTH Aachen. [more...](#)

Sarah A. Soule, Stanford University



Sarah A. Soule is the Morgridge Professor of Organizational Behavior and the Sara Miller McCune Director of the Center for Advanced Study in Behavioral Sciences. Sarah's research applies social movement theory to organizational processes, and organizational theory to social movement processes. For example, some of her research has looked at how social movements matter to organizational practice and policy change, net of the effects of diffusion. [more...](#)

Silviya Svejenova, Copenhagen Business School



Silviya Svejenova is Professor of Leadership and Innovation at the Department of Organization, Copenhagen Business School, and academic co-director of the CBS Leadership Centre and of imagine. Creative Industries and Institutions research centre. Silviya's research examines questions about, among others, the expansion of new CXO roles, category emergence, renewal of creative work, and organization for sustainable futures, often through temporality and multimodality perspectives. [more...](#)

Dominika Wruk, University of Mannheim



Dominika Wruk is assistant professor for Sustainable Entrepreneurship at the University of Mannheim, Germany, where she also received her diploma in business administration and her doctorate. In her work she combines applies organizational theories to research questions that are relevant for society. [more...](#)