Corporate Behaviour and Institutional Constraints - Multidisciplinary Perspectives on Institutional Dysfunctions and Firm Behavior

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King’s College, London, UK,
930-1730, Old Committee Room, The Strand
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Overview
This one-day workshop brings together researchers from different disciplines to improve our theoretical, empirical and methodological understanding of institutional dysfunctions as well as their relationship with corporate behaviour under various perspectives and aspects. There is no fee for attending the workshop. Participants will be offered lunch, coffee and snacks during breaks, and are invited to a closing reception with wine and nibbles. Participants are however expected to cover for their travel and accommodation costs, as required.

Convenors and Queries
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Moderators: Tim Hinks, UWE Bristol (timothy.hinks@uwe.ac.uk) & Tony Edwards, Loughborough (t.edwards@lboro.ac.uk).

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You are cordially invited to our closing aperitivo, in Somerset House, starting at 17.00, at Fernandez and Wells.
Agenda:

9.40-10.10 Registration and welcome

The presentation slots are for 25 minutes, with no more than 15 minutes for presentation and the rest available for comments and discussion.

10.10-10.35 - Tax Enforcement, Tax Compliance and Tax Morale in Transition Economies: a Theoretical Model. Randolph L Bruno (SSEES, UCL) randolph.bruno@ucl.ac.uk [Discussant: Martin Petrin]

10.35-11.00 - Corporate Tax Avoidance – The Problem of Aggressive Tax-Planning. Martin Petrin (Faculty of Laws, UCL) m.petrin@ucl.ac.uk [Discussant: Tony Edwards]

11.00-11.25 - Responses to Institutional Complexity: an Exploratory Case-Study of Modern Slavery in the Construction Industry. Gabriela Gutierrez-Huerter O (King’s College, Business School) gabriela.gutierrez_huerter_o@kcl.ac.uk [Discussant: Muthu de Silva]

11.25-11.50 - Identifying Corporate Dysfunctions and How to Correct Them. Shann Turnbull (International Institute for Self-Governance) sturnbull@mba1963.hbs.edu [Discussant: Gabriela Huerter]

11.50-12.15 – Austerity as Violence: Measuring the Effects of Economic Austerity on Pro-Sociality. Elena Nikolova (SSEES, UCL) e.nikolova@ucl.ac.uk [Discussant: Jeremy Celse]

12.15-13.30 Lunch

13.30-13.55 - Crafting messages to fight dishonesty: A Field Investigation of the Effects of Descriptive Social Norms on Fare Evasion. Jeremy Celse (Burgundy School of Business) Jeremy.Celse@bsb-education.com [Discussant: Randolph Bruno]

13.55-14.20 - National Innovation System of Ukraine: Corruption, Trust and Institutional Voids. Lyubov Artemenko (Polish Academy of Science) lyubov.artemenko@gmail.com [Discussant: Julia Korosteleva]

14.20-14.45 - How City Type, Trust and Technology affect Corruption: a Multilevel Study. Julia Korosteleva (SSEES, UCL) j.korosteleva@ucl.ac.uk [Discussant: Tim Hinks]

14.45-15.15 - Coffee break

15.15-15.40 - Transcending the Pyramid: The role of Social Enterprises as Intermediaries in Value Creation. Muthu de Silva (BBK) m.desilva@bbk.ac.uk [Discussant: Elena Nikolova]

15.40-16.05 – Lobbying for regulation in Latin America, the case of Brazil. Alexander Pereira (King’s College, Brazil Institute) alexandre.pereira@kcl.ac.uk [Discussant: Shann Turnbull]

16.05-16.30 – Explaining Business Non-Participation in Voluntary Programmes in Emerging Markets: The Case of the ESR Programme in Mexico. Sofia Gonzalez De Aguinaga (King’s College, Department of International Development) sofia.gonzalez_de_aguinaga@kcl.ac.uk [Discussant: Lyubov Artemenko]

16.30-16.55 – Business Participation in the Green Car Policymaking and Change of Policy Coalition. Kahee Jo (King’s College, Department of International Development) kahee.jo@kcl.ac.uk [Discussant: Alexandre Pereira]

17.00 - Aperitivo: Fernandez and Wells, Somerset House
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