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Experimental Economics

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Objectives

Not so long ago economics was considered as a purely deductive and non-experimental science. This view has been challenged by the overwhelming success of experimental economics during the last decades. In this seminar, a short introduction to experimental economics is given. Some of the most important results ("exhibits") are introduced and critically reconsidered from a methodological point of view. Potential applications in the field of ecosystem research and the marine realm are discussed. The seminar participants will also be given the chance to collect some practical experiences in the Laboratory for Experimental and Empirical Economics Research.

Topics

- Basic principles of experimental economics
- The methodology of experimental economics
- An Application: The linear public goods game and the voluntary contribution mechanism
- Analysing experimental data
- Practical exercises in the laboratory

Methods

Lecture and practical exercise

Location and Time

- 09.00 – 13.00 MARUM, University of Bremen, Leobener Strasse, 28359 Bremen,
Room 2060
- 14.00 – 16.00 Laboratory (Labor für experimentelle und empirische Wirtschaftsforschung),
Wiwi-Building, Hochschulring 4, Room Wiwi 0.03.

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