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**Arbeitskreis für
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der Deutschen Vereinigung für Politikwissenschaft (DVPW)

Annual Conference of the GPSA Workgroup Action and Decision Theory

Thur. 31. Mai & Fr. 1. Juni 2018
Schlaues Haus Oldenburg

Conference Site

Schlaues Haus Oldenburg gGmbH
Schlossplatz 16
26122 Oldenburg
Veranstaltungsraum V2

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Program

Thursday, 31. Mai 2018

13:15 – 13.30 Arrival and reception

Session 1

13:30 – 14:10 **Reform-induced personalization of electoral rules and parliamentary behavior**

Thomas Däubler (Uni Mannheim)

14:10 – 14:50 **Regression discontinuity designs, proportional representation electoral systems, and the incumbency advantage**

Michael Jankowski (Uni Oldenburg), Dominic Ponattu (Bertelsmann Stiftung) & Maciej A. Gorecki (Uni Warschau)

14:50 – 15.30 **Fairness or foresight: Why is majority rule stable?**

Jan Sauermann (Uni Köln)

15:30 – 16:00 Kaffeepause

Session 2

16:00 – 16:40 **Should I stay or should I go? A bayesian learning framework for explaining ideological change**

Nils Düpont (Uni Bremen)

16:40 – 17:20 **When do citizens perceive political parties as divided? Disunity perceptions between rationality and partisan allegiance**

Tristan Klingelhöfer (Johns Hopkins University) & Jochen Müller (Uni Greifswald)

17:20 – 18:00 **Does homeownership change vote choice? Patrimonial economic voting from a dynamic perspective in the UK**

Paul Beckmann (Uni Köln)

18:00 – 19:00 General assembly

19:30 Dinner in the *Bestial* (Theaterwall 20, 26122 Oldenburg)

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Friday, 1. Juni 2018

Session 1

- 08:00 – 08:40 **Risk attitudes, gender, and risk behavior: Evidence from two laboratory experiments**
Christine Prokop (Uni Oldenburg)
- 08:40 – 09:20 **The dark side of need-based justice**
Manuel Schwaninger (Uni Wien), Bernhard Kittel (Uni Wien) & Sabine Neuhofer (Uni Wien)
- 09:20 – 10:00 **Redistribution by lot. Evidence from a real-effort experiment**
Maximilian Lutz (Uni Oldenburg) & Markus Tepe (Uni Oldenburg)
- 10:00 – 10:30 Coffee break

Session 2

- 10:30 – 11:10 **The dogs that do not bark anymore, and if so only on command: Sponsorship centralization and specialization as a function of party organization**
Valentin Schröder (Uni Bremen)
- 11:10 – 11:50 **Business as usual? Party competition and government formation in Germany following the refugee crisis**
Thomas Bräuninger (Uni Mannheim), Marc Debus (Uni Mannheim), Christian Stecker (Uni Mannheim) & Jochen Müller (Uni Greifswald)
- 11:50 – 12:30 **How coalition formats shape voters' perceptions of the party system**
Holger Reinermann (Uni Mainz) & Thorsten Faas (FU Berlin)
- 12.30 – 13.00 Final discussion and prospect for future activities of the workgroup

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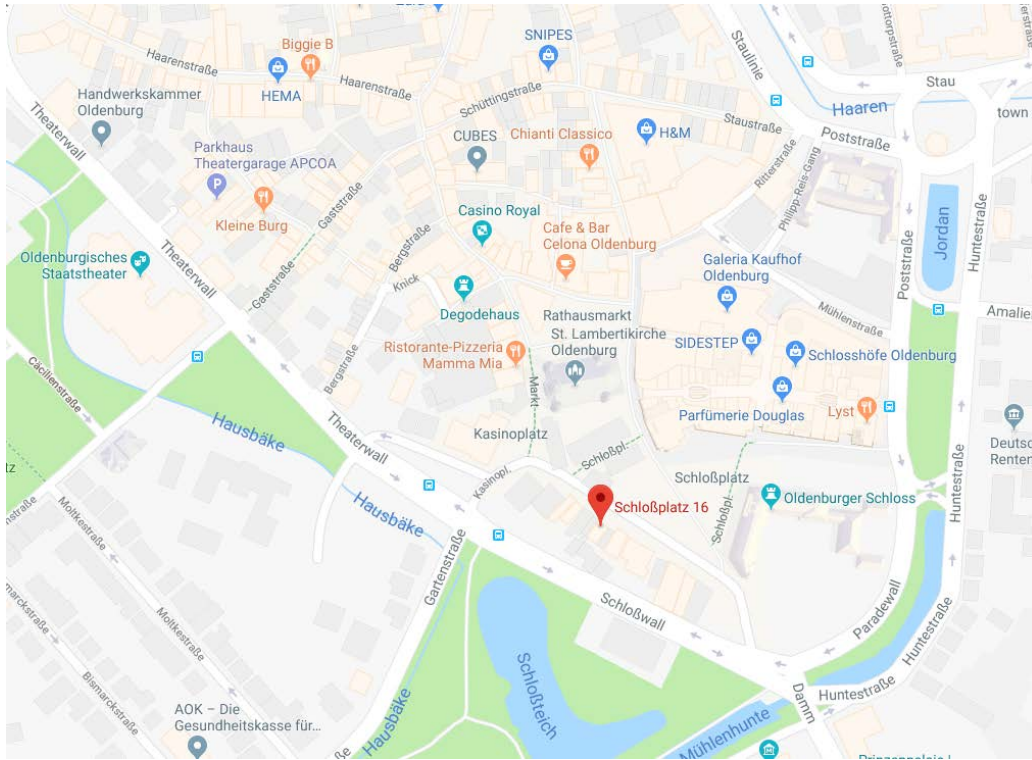
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Journey and directions

The route planner from Google Maps can be found [here](#).



By car

Take the exit Oldenburg/Westkreuz and drive in the direction of the City Centre. Take a right on Theaterwall and turn left onto Schloßplatz.

Parking possibilities can be found around Schloßplatz. Alternatively, there is a parking garage nearby in the Schloßhöfe.

By public transport

From the Central Station, you take the bus route 312/314/324 and get off at Pulverturm.