

Conference on Voting and Governance

Institution for Social and Policy Studies

77 Prospect Street, New Haven, CT

April 26-28, 2023

Schedule

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 26

6:30-8:30 PM	Guest Reception in the Majestic Room The Graduate New Haven Hotel, 1151 Chapel Street, New Haven, CT Serving New Haven-style pizza, salad, wine, and local craft beers
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THURSDAY, APRIL 27

8:30 AM	Light Breakfast available, ISPS Room A001
9:00-9:15 AM	Opening Remarks , ISPS Room A002 Conference Organizers: Laurent Bouton, Adam Meirowitz, and Shaoting Pi
9:15-10:30 AM	Presentation 1: Nadya Malenko , University of Michigan “Creating Controversy in Proxy Voting Advice” Discussant: Hulya Eraslan, Rice University
10:30 AM	Break , ISPS Room A001
10:45 AM – 12:00 PM	Presentation 2: Gabriel Lopez Moctezuma , California Institute of Technology “Reputation in a Committee with Multiple Principles: The Case of FOMC” Discussant: Dan Bernhardt, University of Illinois
12:00 PM	Lunch , ISPS Room A001
1:00-2:15 PM	Presentation 3: Alon Brav , Duke University “Shareholder Monitoring Through Voting: New Evidence from Proxy Contests” Discussant: Matias Iaryczower, Princeton University
2:15 PM	Break , ISPS Room A001

2:30-3:45 PM	Presentation 4: John Duggan , University of Rochester “Accountability in Markovian Elections” Discussant: Dimitrios Xeferis, University of Cyprus
3:45 PM	Break , ISPS Room A001
4:00-5:15 PM	Presentation 5: Lydia Mechtenberg , Universität Hamburg “When Do Proxy Advisors Improve Corporate Decisions?” Discussant: Navin Kartik, Columbia University
5:15 PM	Break : Free to return to hotel
7:00-10:00 PM	Conference Dinner : Barcelona Wine Bar, 155 Temple Street, New Haven, CT

FRIDAY, APRIL 28

8:00 AM	Light Breakfast available, ISPS Room A001
8:30-9:45 AM	Presentation 6: Enrichetta Ravina , Northwestern University “Proxy Voting and The Rise of ESG” Discussant: Nolan McCarty, Princeton University
9:45 AM	Break , ISPS Room A001
10:00-11:15 AM	Presentation 7: Shaoting Pi , Iowa State University “Information Acquisition Before Voting and Trading” Discussant: Nicola Persico, Northwestern University
11:15 AM	Break , ISPS Room A001
11:30 AM – 12:45 PM	Presentation 8: Cesar Martinelli , George Mason University “Razor-Thin Elections” Discussant: Philip Bond, University of Washington
12:45 PM – 1:00 PM	Closing Remarks Conference Organizers: Laurent Bouton, Adam Meirowitz, and Shaoting Pi
1:00 PM	Lunch , ISPS Room A001

Conference Co-Organizers:

- Laurent Bouton, Georgetown University
- Adam Meirowitz, Yale University
- Shaoting Pi, Iowa State University

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