

**Wallis Institute Conference
September 20-21, 2024
Bloch Alumni and Advancement Center
300 East River Road**

Friday, September 20

11:30 a.m. **Shuttle to Bloch Alumni and Advancement Center, 300 East River Road**

11:45 a.m. **Lunch**

1:15 p.m. **Speaker:** Alexander Hirsch, California Inst. of Technology (Co-Author: Kenneth Shotts), “Veto Players and Policy Development”

Discussant: Navin Kartik, Columbia University

2:30 p.m. **Speaker:** Christopher Li, Vanderbilt University (Co-Author: Brian Libgober), “Group Talk”

Discussant: Peter Buisseret, Harvard University

3:45 p.m. **Break**

4:15 p.m. **Speaker:** B. Pablo Montagnes, Emory University (Co-Authors: Zachary Peskowitz and Suhas A. Sridharan), “How Well Do Voting Choice Policies Represent Public and Investor Preferences?”

Discussant: Enrichetta Ravina

6:00 p.m. **Shuttle to the Strathallan**

7:00 p.m. **Cocktails (at the Strathallan – Century Club)**

7:30 p.m. **Dinner (at the Strathallan – Century Club)**

Saturday, September 21

8:45 a.m. **Shuttle to Bloch Alumni and Advancement Center, 300 East River Road**
9:00 a.m. **Breakfast**

9:30 a.m. **Speaker:** Marcus Berliant, Washington University (Co-Author: Miguel Gouveia), “On the Political Economy of Nonlinear Income Taxation”

Discussant: Adam Meirowitz, Yale University

10:45 a.m. **Break**

11:15 a.m. **Speaker:** Salvatore Nunnari, Bocconi University (Co-Authors: Eugenio Proto and Aldo Rustichini), “Cognitive Abilities and the Demand for Bad Policy”

Discussant: Kai Ou, Florida State University

12:30 p.m. **Lunch**

2:00 p.m. **Speaker:** Maria “Masha” Titova, Vanderbilt University, “Targeted Advertising in Elections”

Discussant: Richard Van Weelden, University of Pittsburgh

3:15 p.m. **Break**

4:00 p.m. **Speaker:** Nicolas Bonneton, Vanderbilt University, (Co-Authors: Emmanuelle Auriol and Mattias Polborn), “Shaking Up the System: When Populism Disciplines Elite Politicians”

Discussant: César Martinelli, George Mason University

5:40 p.m. **Shuttle to the Strathallan**
6:45 p.m. **Break into groups for dinner**