

4th Annual Conference of the Development Economics Network Switzerland, St.Gallen, September 3-4, 2020

Thursday September 3 – Hotel Einstein (Wienerberg Raum 4.5.1/4.5.2)

09:25-9:30 Welcome address

09:30-10:10 **Charles Gottlieb (University of St.Gallen)**
Lockdown Accounting OR Gender, Work and Structural Transformation

10:10-10:50 **Regina Pleninger (ETH Zurich)**
Measuring Inequality using Geospatial Data

10:50-11:20 Coffee Break (Einstein)

11:20-12:00 **Timo Boppart (University of St. Gallen)**
The Macroeconomics of Intensive Agriculture

12:00-12:40 **Salvatore di Falco (University of Geneva)**
Counterfeit Seeds, Labor Supply and Economic Returns: Experimental Evidence from Tanzania

12:40-13:40 Lunch (Einstein)

13:40-14:20 **Konstantin Büchel (University of Bern)**
The Relative Effectiveness of Teachers and Learning Software: Evidence from a Field Experiment in El Salvador

14:20-15:00 **Christelle Dumas (University of Fribourg)**
Lower castes reservations and investment in schools in India

15:00-15:40 **Noémie Zurlinden (University of St.Gallen)**
Local effects of World Bank aid on infant mortality

15:40-16:10 Coffee Break (Einstein)

16:10-16:50 **Katharina Michaelowa (University of Zurich)**
The Teflon effect of political power: When criminal charges do not stick

16:50-17:30 **Kathrin Durizzo (ETH Zurich)**
Scaling up health insurance in low-income settings: analysis of the Tanzanian national insurance claims

18:30 Dinner (Restaurant Militärkantine)

Friday September 4 – Hotel Einstein (Wienerberg Raum Nr. 4.5.1/4.5.2)

9:00-9:40	Jérémy Lucchetti (University of Geneva) <i>Sexual violence as a weapon of war</i>
9:40-10:20	Kai Gehring (University of Zurich) <i>Insurgent strategy and propaganda: Evidence from Afghanistan</i>
10:20-10:50	Coffee Break (Einstein)
10:50-11:30	Ulrich Schetter (Harvard & University of St.Gallen) <i>A Structural Ranking of Economic Complexity</i>
11:30-12:10	Paul Schaudt (University of St.Gallen) <i>Colonial structure, local representation, and economic success</i>

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Presentation and discussion rules:

- Presentations should last no more than 30 minutes, so that we have 10 minutes for discussion at the end of the presentation.

Covid-19 measures:

- You must not participate if you have flu-like symptoms.
- We encourage everyone to wear masks during the sessions.
- We will make sure that the minimum distance of 2m can be adhered to.
- We will provide hand sanitizers and disposable masks at the venue.
- We will keep the maximum number of windows open at all times (barring thunderstorms or heavy rain). Hence, if you are getting cold easily, please bring some warmer clothes as well.

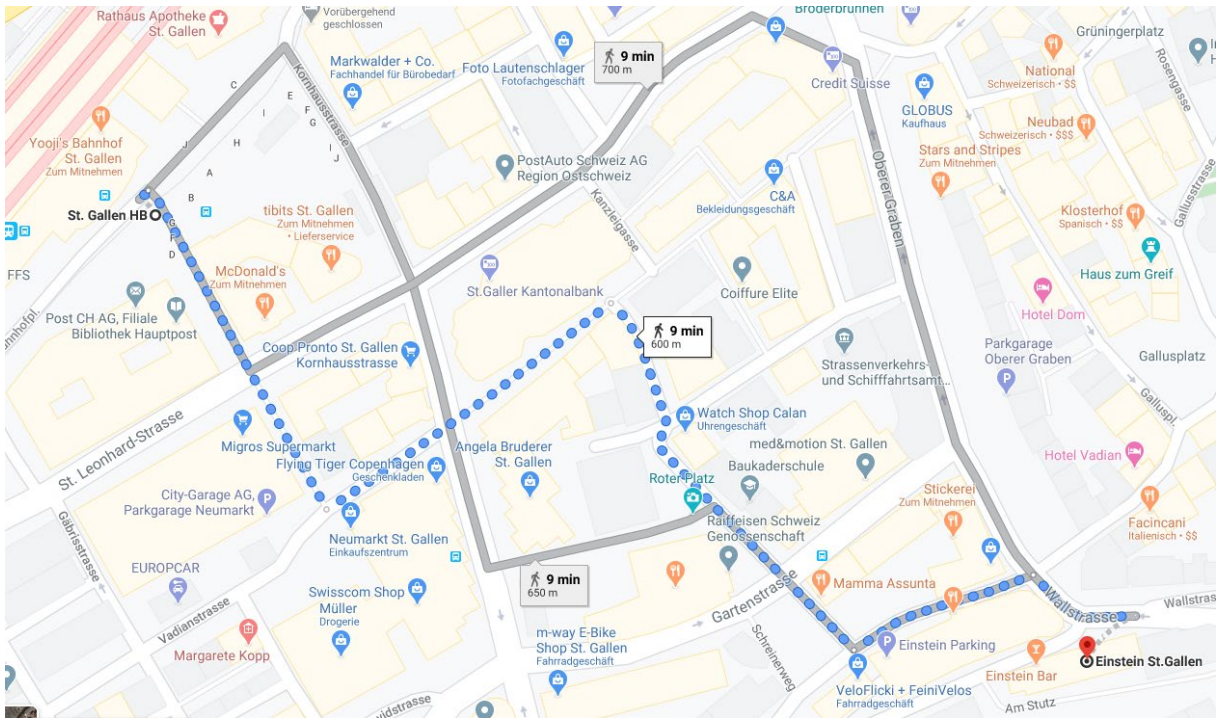
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Directions:

Train station to conference venue:



Conference venue to dinner location:

