



## Matching Markets and Inequality Workshop

June 20–21, 2024

Exeter, UK

### Preliminary Programme

Department of Economics  
University of Exeter Business School

Organisers:

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### Thursday, June 20

8:30 AM Breakfast and welcome

9:00 AM School Choice

“Market Design for Distributional Objectives in (Re)assignment: An Application to Improve the Distribution of Teachers in Schools”  
Julien Combe (CREST)

“Inequity in Centralized College Admissions with Public and Private Universities: Evidence from Albania”  
Iris Vrioni (University of Michigan)

“Distributional Impacts of Centralized School Choice”  
Suk Joon Son (University of Tokyo)

10:30 AM Coffee Break

11:00 AM Housing

“Pricing in Markets without Money: Theory and Evidence from Home Exchanges”  
Julius Goedde (Paris School of Economics)

“Applicant choice in the design of social housing allocations: Evidence from France”

Lisa Botbol (Toulouse School of Economics)

12:00 PM

Lunch

1:30 PM

Keynote lecture by Frederic Vermeulen (KU Leuven)

2:30 PM

Coffee Break

2:45 PM

Marriage

“Migration for Marriage”

Shadi Farahzadi (London School of Economics)

“Collective models and the marriage market”

Simon Weber (University of York)

3:45 PM

Coffee Break

4:00 PM

Commitment and Breakup

“Repeated Matching Games: An Empirical Framework”

Jeremy Fox (Rice University)

“The welfare implications of divorce”

Stefan Hubner (University of Bristol)

5:00 PM

Time to go to hotel, walk to dinner.

6:00 PM

Workshop dinner at Harry’s, 86 Longbrook St, EX4 6AP (by invitation only)

## **Friday, June 21**

8:30 AM

Breakfast

9:00 AM

Keynote lecture by Leeat Yariv (Princeton University)

10:00 AM

Coffee Break

10:15 AM

Matching at a distance

“Public insurance and marital outcomes: Evidence from the Affordable Care Act’s Medicaid expansions”

Tom Potoms (University of Sussex)

“The death of distance in hiring”  
Maria Balgova (IZA)

“Spatial Sorting and the Rise of Geographic Inequality”  
Lukas Mann (Princeton University)

11:45 AM      Lunch and workshop picture

1:30 PM      Beyond the Classroom

“Correlation of Rankings in Matching Markets”  
Rémi Castera (Université Grenoble Alpes)

“School Choice, Housing, and Inequality”  
Georgy Artemov (University of Melbourne)

“School choice and neighborhood sorting: Equilibrium consequences of  
geographic school admissions”  
Ellen Greaves (European University Institute)

3:00 PM      Coffee break

3:20 PM      Keynote lecture by Christopher Neilson (Yale University)

4:20 PM      Farewell