
13th edition of the **Field Days - Experiments Outside the Lab**

October 17th - 18th 2024

Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam and Tinbergen Institute

Date and Location

The workshop takes place at the [Tinbergen Institute](#) (Gustav Mahlerplein 117, Amsterdam) on Thursday October 17 and Friday October 18. The Tinbergen Institute lies at a two-minute walk from the public transport station Amsterdam Zuid. Jump off at Amsterdam Zuid Station, take the south exit towards Gustav Mahlerplein; you'll find yourself in a large square with offices. At the far end, there are two orange high rises. The TI is in the [left one](#). TI is located on the first floor of the Symphony's Offices, use the second revolving doors, and take the staircase to the first floor. You will see a second revolving door, voilà, you have found TI.

From Amsterdam Zuid, there is a direct 6-minute train to Schiphol Airport and there are metro and tram connections to all of Amsterdam.

To enter and exit the metro you can simply tap any debit card at the gates. If your debit card does not work, you can get a single or day ticket at the counter at station Amsterdam Zuid.

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Program

Thursday October 17 (room 1.01)

9.30-10.00	COFFEE AND WELCOME
10.00 - 12.15	SESSION 1: Education 1
	The impact of intensive coaching on long-term outcomes: Evidence from a randomized experiment
	Nienke Ruijs, Maastricht University (joint with Ilja Cornelisz, Chris van Klaveren, Marc van der Steeg, Dinand Webbink)
	A Library in the Palm of your Hand? A Reading Intervention with Low-Income Children
	Thomas Siedler, University of Potsdam, BSoE and IZA (joint with Silke Anger, Shushanik Margaryan, Malte Sanders, Frauke Peter, Agata Galkiewicz, Bernhard Christoph)
	Math skills, perceptions of fit, and occupational choice
	Anne Brenøe, University of Zurich (joint with Melanie Wasserman)
12.15-13.15	LUNCH
13.15 - 15.30	SESSION 2: Development
	The Power of Labelling: Enhancing the Impact of Cash Transfers through Mental Accounting
	Patricio Dalton, Tilburg University (joint with Till Wicker and Daan van Soest)
	Keeping the Peace while Getting Your Way: Information, Persuasion and Intimate Partner Violence
	Karlijn Morsink, Utrecht University (joint with Dan Anderberg, Rachel Cassidy, Anaya Dam, Wendy Janssens, Anouk van Veldhoven)
	Leveraging Edutainment and Social Networks to Foster Interethnic Harmony
	Abu Siddique, Royal Holloway University of London (joint with Michael Vlassopoulos, Yves Zenou)
15.30 - 16.00	COFFEE BREAK
16.00-17.30	SESSION 3: Markets and information
	Expected Re-employment Wages and Job Search
	Steffen Altmann (joint with Robert Mahlstedt, Malte Jacob Rattenborg, Alexander Sebald, Sonja Settele, and Johannes Wohlfahrt)
	Nudging Consumers to Reduce Inertia: A Survey Experiment in the Dutch Health Insurance Market
	Robert Dur, Erasmus University Rotterdam (joint with Peter Dijkstra, Misja Mikkers, Annemieke Tuinstra)

Friday October 18 (room 1.01)

9.00 - 10.30	SESSION 4: Job search 1 Wage Information and Applicant Selection Marc Witte, VU Amsterdam (joint with Maria Balgova, Lukas Hensel, Tsegay G. Teklessassie) Feedback, Overconfidence and Job Search Behavior Jonas Radbruch, Humboldt Universität Berlin (joint with Lukas Hensel, Ingo Isphording, Jonas Radbruch, Marc Witte, Tsegay G. Teklessassie)
10.30-11.00	COFFEE BREAK
11.00 - 12.30	SESSION 5: Job search 2 RCT's at PES Netherlands: set-up, implementation and policy advice Marloes Lammers and Marcel Spijkerman, UWV (Dutch Employee Insurance Agency) (joint with Suzanne Lagerveld) Advising Job Seekers in Occupations with Poor Prospects: Field Experiments on Information and Buddy Support Paul Muller, VU Amsterdam (joint with Michèle Belot, Yvonne Engels, Didier Fouarge, Bart de Koning, Mario Keer, Philipp Kircher and Sandra Phlippen)
12.30-13.30	LUNCH
13.30-15.00	SESSION 6: Politics Everybody loves a winner: A field experiment providing information on polls in South Africa Brynde Kreft, Oxford University (joint with Kate Orkin) The Value of Fun at Work: A Field Experiment Michele Belot, Cornell University (joint with Guglielmo Briscese)
15.00-15.30	COFFEE BREAK
15.30-17.00	SESSION 7: Education 2 Publicly targeting disadvantaged groups limits their take-up of educational opportunities Manu Munoz, Luxembourg Institute of Socio-Economic Research (LISER) Peer Creativity and Academic Achievement Max van Lent, Leiden University
17.00	DRINKS