

## ESRC/HMRC/HMT Tax Administration Research Centre Inaugural Workshop

Monday 28<sup>th</sup> to Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> January 2013

### Preliminary Programme

**Monday, 28<sup>th</sup> January 2013**

Coach leaves hotel at **08:45** to take delegates to Business School

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| 09.00-10.00 | Registration  | Business School<br>Main Reception                                 |
| 10.00-10.30 | Welcoming Remarks<br>ESRC, HMRC, University of Exeter   | Building One, 1 <sup>st</sup><br>Floor Bateman<br>Lecture Theatre |
| 10.30-11.10 | John Hasseldine, University of New Hampshire<br>"Issues in measuring and using direct tax gap estimates"                      | Bateman   |
| 11.10-11.40 | <b>Coffee</b>   | Breakout Area<br>Outside Bateman<br>Lecture Theatre               |
| 11.40-12.20 | Chris Heady, University of Kent and TARC<br>"Does tax planning always reduce the government's ability to raise tax revenue?"  | Bateman   |
| 12.20-13.00 | Chris Evans, UNSW<br>"Towards the development of a tax system complexity index"   | Bateman   |
| 13.00-14.20 | <b>Lunch</b>  | Breakout Area<br>Outside Bateman                                  |
| 14.20-15.00 | Michael O'Doherty, HMRC<br>"Modelling taxpayer response to risk-profiling"  | Bateman   |
| 15.00-15.40 | Jane Frecknall-Hughes, Open University<br>"A model of UK tax practitioners' quality choices"                                  | Bateman   |
| 15.40-16.10 | <b>Tea</b>  | Breakout Area<br>Outside Bateman                                  |
| 16.10-16.50 | Matthew Rablen, Brunel University and TARC<br>"Incentivized Tax Disclosure Schemes: A Theoretical Analysis"                   | Bateman   |
| 16.50-17.30 | Mathieu Lefebvre, University of Liege<br>"Tax evasion and peer effects: an experiment in Belgium, France and the Netherlands" | Bateman   |
| 17.30-17.45 | <b>Break</b>  | Breakout Area<br>Outside Bateman                                  |
| 17.45-18.45 | Plenary Lecture<br>Mick Keen, International Monetary Fund<br>"Research in Tax Administration"                                 | Bateman   |

Coach leaves Business School at **19:00** to return to hotel.

Coach leaves Hotel at **19:30** to take delegates to Côte Brasserie restaurant

**19.45** –Inaugural Workshop Dinner at Côte Brasserie, Exeter

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Coach leaves dinner venue at **22:30** to return delegates to hotel

**Tuesday, 29<sup>th</sup> January 2013**

**Coach leaves hotel at 09:00 to take delegates to Business School**

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| 09.30-10.10 | Lynne Oats, University of Exeter and TARC<br>"The TOPS project"  | Bateman Lecture Theatre       |
| 10.10-10.50 | Sarah Smith, Bristol University<br>"The price elasticity of charitable giving: does the form of tax relief matter?"  | Bateman                       |
| 10.50-11.20 | <b>Coffee</b>  | Breakout Area Outside Bateman |
| 11.20-12.00 | Mirco Tonin, University of Southampton<br>"Reporting import tariffs (and other taxes)"   | Bateman                       |
| 12.00-12.40 | Miguel Fonseca, University of Exeter and TARC<br>"Experimental evidence on taxpayer compliance: evidence from students and taxpayers"  | Bateman                       |
| 12.40-13.50 | <b>Lunch</b>   | Breakout Area Outside Bateman |
| 13.50-14.30 | Unal Zenginobuz, Bogazici University<br>"Tax morale and compliance in Turkey: evidence from a nationwide survey"   | Bateman                       |
| 14.30-15.10 | Kim Scharf, University of Warwick<br>"Impure pro-social motivation in charity provision and technical efficiency: implications for public funding of non-profit organisations" | Bateman                       |
| 15.10-15.40 | <b>Tea</b>   | Breakout Area Outside Bateman |
| 15.40-16.20 | Kevin Holland, University of Southampton<br>"Investors' ability to interpret and assess tax legislation"   | Bateman                       |
| 16.20-17.00 | Richard Kneller, University of Nottingham<br>"Corporate taxation and productivity catch-up: evidence from European firms"  | Bateman                       |
| 17.00       | <b>Close</b>   |                               |

**Coach leaves Business School at 17:15 to drop off at St Davids Station and then on to Hotel.**