



Political Giving, Philanthropy and Democracy: ERC PARTICIPATE Closing Conference

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Simone Veil Amphitheatre

28 rue des Saints-Pères 75007 Paris

Programme

- 9:00 AM - 9:30 AM** ● **Introduction by Julia Cagé and Lou Safra**
Professor of Economics, **Sciences Po Paris** and
Assistant Professor of Political Psychology, **Sciences Po Paris**
- 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM** ● **Presentation by Malka Guillot**
Associate Professor of Economics, **HEC Liège**
Should Charitable and Political Donations Benefit from Similar Treatments?
Evidence from a Survey Experiment ([link](#))

● **Discussion by Bathylle Missika**
Founder and Leader of **OECD Centre on Philanthropy and netFWD**
- 10:30 AM - 10:50 AM** ● **Coffee break**
- 10:50 AM - 11:50 AM** ● **Presentation by Gabrielle Fack**
Professor of Economics, **Dauphine-PSL**
Charitable Giving, Tax Incentives and Tax Consent

● **Discussion by Laurence Lepetit**
Chief Executive of **France Générosités**
- 11:50 AM - 12:50 PM** ● **Presentation by Sarah Smith**
Professor of Economics, **University of Bristol**
Do crises increase parochialism? Evidence from donations during COVID ([link](#))

● **Discussion by Charlie Tronche**
Spokesperson of **HelloAsso**
- 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM** ● **Lunch**
- 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM** ● **Keynote address by Benjamin Lockwood**
Associate Professor of Business Economics, **University of Pennsylvania**

- 3:10 PM - 4:10 PM** ● **Presentation by Camille Urvoy**
Assistant Professor of Economics, **University of Mannheim**
Tax Incentives or Political Motivations? Evidence from Corporate Contributions ([link](#))
- **Discussion by François Debiesse**
President of **Admical**
- 4:10 PM - 4:30 PM** ● **Coffee break**
- 4:30 PM - 5:30 PM** ● **Presentation by Anne Monier**
Senior Researcher, Center on Philanthropy, **University of Geneva**
Funding vs investing? Exploring foundations' complexity in climate action
- **Discussion by Yaële Aferiat**
Director of the **Association Française des Fundraisers**
- 5:30 PM - 6:00 PM** ● **Concluding remarks by Julia Cagé**
Professor of Economics, **Sciences Po Paris**
- 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM** ● **Closing cocktail**

Please register [here](#) to attend.

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