

BARCELONA GSE SUMMER FORUM 2021 CALL FOR PAPERS

The Barcelona GSE organizes the Eighth **Barcelona GSE Summer Forum**. The Summer Forum is a series of independent workshops that cover the main fields of Economics. The Summer Forum 2021 will take place from June 7 to June 18, 2021. The venue will be [UPF Balmes Building](#), (Balmes, 132 – 08008) in central Barcelona.

We are regularly checking safety regulations related to the COVID-19 pandemic. If an in-person event is not possible, **we will hold the workshop online**. We will keep you posted as new information becomes available.

More detailed information on the Summer Forum 2021 and the previous editions is available on <http://www.barcelonagse.eu/summer-forum.html>

We would like to invite you to submit a paper to the workshop:

ORGANIZATIONAL ECONOMICS

The workshop will run for 2 days and will take place on **June 17-18, 2021** in Barcelona.

Brief description of the workshop: Organizational Economics uses economic modeling and empirical analysis, combined with a deep understanding of legal and political institutions, to understand the performance, design, and governance of organizations, including fundamental topics such as the boundaries of firms, coordination and motivation systems, relational contracting, and the role of managers.

We will welcome empirical and theoretical submissions of frontier research in all of the current topics of this field. We invite submissions from experienced researchers as well as promising young scholars in the field. A non-exhaustive list of relevant topics is: Relational contracts; Theory of the Firm; Incomplete Contracts; Internal Organization and Incentive Systems; Management practices, Leadership and Organizational Culture; Business Law and Economics.

The Keynote speaker for the workshop is:

- **Andrea Prat** (Columbia University)

The **deadline** for submissions is **March 14, 2021**. To submit a paper, please use this link <https://app-summerforum.barcelonagse.eu>. Submissions should include either a full paper or an extended abstract with the main results. Authors chosen to present papers will be notified approximately by the end of March. A preliminary program will be announced by the end of April.

Please note that the Barcelona Summer Forum is a series of independent workshops. When you submit your paper, you will be able to see the topics and dates of other workshops that will take place within the Summer Forum. **The same paper cannot be submitted to more than one workshop, but you are welcome to submit a different paper to another workshop.**

There is no registration fee, and meals during the workshop will be provided for participants.

The workshop organization **will not be able** to provide accommodation or travel support for speakers.

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Workshop Organizers

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