

Summer Term 2011/2012



Monday 18 June 2012

Complexity in the Social Sciences

Organisers: Celia Lury (Centre for Interdisciplinary Methodologies), Stefan Grosskinsky (Warwick)
All talks will be in Room B3.02, Mathematics Institute, University of Warwick

There will be four contributed sessions on: What are the important questions for us related to Complexity?
Focusing on: What natural scientists would like to know from social scientists and vice versa.

12:15-13:00 Lunch in Room B1.01, Mathematics Institute

13:00-13:40 *Contributions from the Complexity DTC*

Thomas House, Colm Connaughton, Matthew Turner

13:40-14:20 *Contributions from Economics and Business School*

Sayantana Ghosal, Graham Loomes, Chengwei Liu

14:20-15:00 *Contributions from Sociology and Politics*

Celia Lury, Emma Uprichard, Jan Scholte

15:00-15:30 Tea in the Mathematics Institute Common Room

15:30-16:10 *Contributions from Psychology and Medical School*

Thomas Hills, Gordon Brown, Frances Griffiths

16:10-17:30 *Summary and Discussion*

- Summary of contributed sessions (Celia Lury, Stefan Grosskinsky)
- Robert MacKay: short contribution on the use of metaphors in science
- Discussion of plans for a shared DTC module

17:30 Drinks and snacks in the Complexity Common Room

Talks will be held in the Mathematics Institute, Zeeman Building, University of Warwick
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