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INVITATION An Introduction to Public Goods Games and Experiments 16-17 March 2015 - East London

Over the last few decades, Experimental Economics and Economics Experiments have taken centre stage in research on human behaviour. The study of public goods represents an important field of study within Experimental Economics. To build capacity in this field and to encourage research in this area, Economic Research South Africa (ERSA) will be presenting an introductory workshop to public goods games and experiments.

Provisional programme:

16 March 2015 (Day 1)	Introduction: public goods games and experiments Design: public goods games and experiments Overview: case studies
17 March 2015 (Day 2)	Applications: mapping out ideas and designs

Presenters

Professors Jim Cox and Susan Laury (Experimental Economics Centre, Georgia State University)

Applications

The organisers are inviting expressions of interest from PhD students, Post-Doctoral Fellows and researchers wishing to attend the workshop. Expressions of interest must include a letter of motivation outlining the applicant's interest in this field. Expressions of interest from 2-3 person cluster teams from the same institution are particularly encouraged.

Inquiries regarding this workshop may be directed to Prof. Frikkie Booysen (booysenf@ufs.ac.za)

Applications to attend the workshop can be sent to <u>workshops@econrsa.org</u> with the subject title: **Public Goods Games**

Deadline for applications: 13 February 2015

Financial support

ERSA covers the travel and accommodation expenses for participants from South African institutions. Places are limited and funding to attend the workshop is at the discretion of the workshop organisers.

Financial support for private-sector participants is conditional on their active participation and at the discretion of the workshop organisers.

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