Conference on Reason and Decision Making

Nuffield College, University of Oxford

Thursday, 3rd May 2012

Afternoon/Evening: Arrival of Participants.
19:00 Drinks (Senior Common Room) followed by Dinner (Fellows Dining Room) at Nuffield College

Friday, 4th May 2012

08:00-09:00 Breakfast

Chair: Lucy Barnes (Nuffield College)

09:00-10:30 Dominik Hangartner (London School of Economics). Direct Vs. Representative Democracy and Immigrant Discrimination.

Shanto Iyengar (Stanford University). Do Attitudes About Immigration Predict Willingness to Admit Individual Immigrants? A Cross-National Test of the Person-Positivity Bias.

10:30-10:45 Coffee Break

10:45-12:15 Rafa Hortala-Vallve (London School of Economics). The effects of district magnitude on voting behaviour: the expressive, the strategic and the conformist.

Ozan Aksoy (Department of Sociology/ICS Utrecht) Social Motives and Expectations in One-shot Asymmetric Prisoner’s Dilemmas

12:15-13:30 Lunch

Chair: Sven Steinmo (European University Institute)

13:00-14:30 Mathew McCubbins (University of Southern California). Consistently Inconsistent: Reason, Perfection, and Choice.

Erik Mohlin (University College London). Imitation in Theory, Lab, and Field.

14:30-14:45 Coffee Break

14:45-16:15 Raymond Duch (Nuffield CESS Oxford) and Hector Solaz (Nuffield CESS Oxford) Making Sense of the Macro-economy by Recovering Redistribution Preferences

Wojtek Przepiorka (Nuffield CESS Oxford). Take One for the Team: Inequality and the Evolution of Norms of Cooperation in a Volunteer's Dilemma

16:15-17:00 Wrap-up

19:00 High Table Dinner at Nuffield College