

# INDUSTRIAL ORGANIZATION PHD WORKSHOP

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## HELSINKI GRADUATE SCHOOL OF ECONOMICS

Economicum, seminar room 3-4

**Research proposals:** 15 min presentation, 5 min discussion

**Longer papers:** 25 min presentation, 5 min discussion

### Session 1

**9:30-10:00** Tuomas Markkula (Aalto University)

Labor Allocation, Public and Private Sector Interaction and Waiting Times

Discussant: Prottoy Akbar (Aalto University)

**10:00-10:30** Atte Pudas (Aalto University)

Innovation-Driven Value Creation and Rent-Sharing

Discussant: Elias Einiö (VATT)

**10:30-11:00** Milla Hägg (University of Helsinki)

Mergers in Nordic Pharmaceutical Markets

Discussant: Visa Pitkänen (Finnish Competition and Consumer Authority)

*Break*

### Session 2

**11:15-11:35** Joakim Wikström (Aalto University)

Patents and Follow-on Innovation: Evidence from Technology Standards

Discussant: Ari Hyytinen (Hanken)

**11:35-11:55** Helena Rantakaulio (Aalto University)

Evolution of National Bargaining Ability in Pharmaceutical Price Negotiations Over Time

Discussant: Geert Van Moer (Hanken)

*Lunch at Food & Co - Pääposti*

Session 3

**13:00-13:30** Le Hung (Aalto University)

Collusion Through Product Assortments in Sweden's Pharmaceutical Market

Discussant: Iivo Vehviläinen (Aalto University)

**13:30-14:00** Jaakko Markkanen (Aalto University)

Passthrough of Retail Price Regulation in the Market for Pharmaceuticals

Discussant: Tuomas Kosonen (VATT)

**14:00-14:30** Mikko Vanhala (University of Helsinki)

Strategic Timing of Product Upgrades: Evidence from the Subscription Video-on-Demand Market

Discussant: Jiekai Zhang (Hanken)

*Coffee break and snacks*

Session 4

**15:00-15:30** William Ogden (Aalto University)

Estimating Transaction Frictions in Car Markets

Discussant: Otto Toivanen (Aalto University)

**15:30-16:00** Eero Nurmi (Aalto University)

Redistribution Through Car Values: Microdata Evidence on the Effects of the 2022 Fuel Price Shock

Discussant: Markku Siikanen (Aalto University)

**16:00-16:30** Nhi Chao (Hanken)

Persistent Effects of Colonial Extraction

Discussant: Andrei Markevich (University of Helsinki)

*Drinks and food in Teerenpeli*