

Topics in Organizational Economics: AI and New technologies

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Gibbons and Roberts (2013) define organizational economics as "the use of economic logic and methods to understand the existence, nature, design, and performance of organizations, especially managed ones." They name the following constituent research topics within organizations: decision-making, distribution of power, influence activities, incentives, recruitment, structures and processes

In this seminar we deal with current research papers from the field of organizational economics. In particular we cover what AI (and soe other ew Technologies (robt, machine learning) will do to the productivity of organizations and the organization of production in organizations as well as the effects on future skill demand in diverse workplaces (and how Workers can be effectively re- and up-skilled.

Studiengang: <i>Program:</i>	BSc
Termin Vorbesprechung (tt.mm.jjjj): <i>Date of preliminary meeting (dd.mm.yyyy):</i>	Donnerstag 10.07.2025; 17:00; Kaulbachstr. 45
*Bearbeitungszeitraum für die Hausarbeit: <i>*Working period for term paper:</i>	4 Wochen bis 10. Oktober
*Seminartermin: <i>*Seminar date:</i>	30./31. Oktober 2025 (DO/FR)
Veranstaltungsort: <i>Venue:</i>	München, Kaulbachstr. 45
falls außerhalb: Kostenschätzung: <i>if out of Munich: estimated costs:</i>	n.a. €
Sprache: <i>Language:</i>	English
Empfohlene Vorkenntnisse: <i>Recommended courses:</i>	Mikroökonomie I und II; Empirische Ökonomie I und II; Mathematische Methoden der VWL; fluent English all the readings will be in English
Methodischer Schwerpunkt: <i>Methodological background:</i>	(Applied) Microeconomics
*Grundlagenliteratur: <i>*Basic references:</i>	R. Gibbons and J. Roberts (2013) "Handbook of Organizational Economics", Princeton University Press Bloom, Nicholas, Renata Lemos, Raffaella Sadun, Daniela Scur, and John Van Reenen. "JEEA-FBBVA LECTURE 2013: THE NEW EMPIRICAL ECONOMICS OF MANAGEMENT." Journal of the European Economic Association 12, no. 4 (2014): 835–76.

	J. Angrist and S. Pischke (2008) "Mostly Harmless Econometrics"
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* Optional (falls schon bekannt) / optionally (if already known)