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## **Newsletter No. 2**

# February 2015

#### SFB/TR 15 Seminars

Bonn		
Date	Speaker (Institution)	Title
February 3	Winand Emons (University of Bern)	"Why Plaintiffs' Attorneys Use Contingent and Defense Attorneys Fixed Fee Contracts"
Munich		
Date	Speaker (Institution)	Title
February 3	Botond Köszegi (CEU Budapest)	"Unrealistic Expectations and Misguided Learning"
Berlin		
Date	Speaker (Institution)	Title
February 2	Nicolas Schutz (Uni Mannheim)	"Merger Policy in a Quantitative Model of International Trade"
Mannheim		
Date	Speaker (Institution)	Title
February 24	Frank Rosar (Bonn University)	tba

#### **Conferences Organized by SFB/TR15 Members**

A4 (Schmidt)		
Name	Topic	Dates
Klaus Schmidt	Conference in Honor of Urs Schweizer, University of Bonn	January 9, 2015

### **External Research Visits, Lectures and Seminars of SFB/TR 15 Members**

A4 (Schmidt)		
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Klaus Schmidt	"Auctions vs Renegotiation", Conference in honor of Urs Schweizer, University of Bonn,	January 9, 2015

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#### **Publications**

A8 (Rady)		
Name	Topic	Dates
Godfrey Keller, Sven Rady	"Breakdowns", Theoretical Economics 10(1), pp. 175-202	January, 2015
B4 (Kräkel)		
Name	Topic	Dates
Matthias Kräkel and Petra Nieken	"Relative Performance Pay in the Shadow of Crisis", European Economic Review	forthcoming

## **New/Leaving Staff**

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Name	Topic	Dates
Tamilla Benkelberg	Replaces Alexandra Frank and is now administrating the SFB. The email address of the SFB office is unchanged: sfb-tr15@econ.lmu.de	February 1, 2015

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