SANTANDER INTERNATIONAL SUMMER SCHOOLS FOR DOCTORAL STUDENTS



## **FRONTIERS IN NEUROECONOMICS**

## HOW SOCIAL AND INDIVIDUAL CONTEXT MATTERS FOR THE BIOLOGICAL MECHANISMS OF BEHAVIOUR

## CALL FOR SCHOLARSHIP NOMINATIONS

DATE: APRIL 7 TO 17, 2014 VENUE: INTERNATIONALES WISSENSCHAFTSFORUM HEIDELBERG (IWH)

Twenty outstanding doctoral students from selected universities in Asia, Europe and Latin America will be invited to participate in the Santander International Summer School "FRONTIERS IN NEUROECONOMICS". The speakers are scientists from Heidelberg University as well as renowned experts from other Asian, European and Latin American universities.

The aim of the summer school is to bring together young researchers active in economics, behavioural, medical and human sciences with an interest in cutting-edge transdisciplinary research on specific aspects of the broader field of neuroeconomics. The summer school addresses personal factors, physical and mental health, and social and environmental factors that affect human decision making. It explores how biological factors of decision making interact with context factors and by that influence the process and the outcomes of decision making. Scientific directors of the summer school are Prof. Dr. Christiane Schwieren, Dr. Malte Stopsack and Dr. Knut Schnell from Heidelberg University and Dr. Santiago Sánchez-Pagés from Universitat de Barcelona. The invited speakers include Prof. Dr. Burkhard Schipper (USA), Dr. Paul Glimcher (USA) and Prof. Tatsuya Kameda (Japan).

Reasonable travel expenses (economy airfares etc.) will be reimbursed to the doctoral students upon submission of receipts. Accommodation will be provided free of charge. All doctoral students are expected to present their research projects in short talks and poster presentations.

Doctoral supervisors can nominate their students by email to the project coordinator at the International Relations Office of Heidelberg University (isabel.eisenmann@zuv.uni-heidelberg.de) by **December 1, 2013.** 

Nominations should include the following documents:

- letter of recommendation by the doctoral supervisor
- Application Form, filled in by the doctoral student
- short description of the doctoral student's research project (max. 5 lines)
- letter of motivation for participation from the doctoral student

Participants will be selected by a scientific committee.

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