

Workshop on Reflexivity

October 8th, 2013

Central European University, Budapest

AGENDA

Note: The plenary session in the auditorium will be open to all interested participants. The workshop sessions in Nádor 13/room 001 will be open for invited participants only.

Time		Session	Location/Speaker
8:30	9:00	<i>Arrival and coffee</i>	<i>Auditorium</i>
9:00	10:00	Plenary Session	<i>Auditorium</i>
		Welcome	Mr. Eric Beinhocker, INET Oxford and CEU (moderator)
		Introduction to the Symposium: George's Soros's Theory of Reflexivity and the Methodology of Economic Science (15 min.)	Prof. D. Wade Hands, Univ. Puget Sound, co- editor <i>JEM</i>
		Fallibility, Reflexivity and the Human Uncertainty Principle: Remarks and Q&A (45 min.)	Mr. George Soros
10:00	10:30	<i>Coffee break</i>	
10:30	11:30	Workshop Session 1	<i>Nádor 13/001</i>
		Fallibility in Formal Macroeconomics and Finance Theory (15 min.)	Prof. Michael Goldberg, Univ. of New Hampshire
		Soros's Reflexivity Concept in a Complex World: Cauchy Distributions, Rational Expectations and Rational addiction (15 min.)	Prof. John Davis, Marquette Univ. and Univ. Amsterdam, co- editor <i>JEM</i>
		Discussion (30 min.)	Mr. Eric Beinhocker, INET Oxford and CEU (moderator)
11:30	12:30	Workshop Session 2	<i>Nádor 13/001</i>
		Reflexivity, Expectations Feedback and Almost Self-Fulfilling Equilibria (15 min.)	Prof. Cars Hommes, Univ. of Amsterdam
		Reflexivity Unpacked: Performativity, Uncertainty, and Analytical Monocultures (15 min.)	Mr. Richard Bronk, LSE

		Discussion (30 min.)	Prof. Katalin Farkas, CEU (moderator)
12:30	13:30	<i>Speakers' lunch and discussion</i>	<i>Mr. Soros's CEU Office</i>
13:30	15:00	<i>Break</i>	
15:00	16:00	Workshop Session 3	<i>Nádor 11/room 001</i>
		Reflexivity, Complexity and the Nature of Social Science (15 min.)	Mr. Eric Beinhocker, INET Oxford and CEU
		Reflexivity, Uncertainty and the Unity of Science (15 min.)	Prof. Alex Rosenberg, Duke Univ.
		Discussion (30 min.)	Prof. Katalin Farkas, CEU (moderator)
16:00	16:45	Workshop Session 4	<i>Nádor 11/room 001</i>
		Commentary and synthesis (15 min.)	Prof. Katalin Farkas, CEU
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		Discussion (15 min.)	Mr. Eric Beinhocker, INET Oxford and CEU (moderator)
16:45	17:00	Concluding Remarks	Mr. George Soros
17:00		<i>Workshop ends</i>	