

Master's theses topics 2023/2024 for English taught programmes

Supervisor's name, room number in Delta	Master's thesis topic (or subject, keywords)	Remarks
	<u>Chair of Entrepreneurship</u>	
Iuliia Trabskaia (4048)	Arts Entrepreneurship: Organizations and Business Models	
	Rethinking Strategic Orientation: Participatory Art Institutions	
Iuliia Trabskaia (4048), Ilona Pavlenkova	Technologies to Innovate Services in Art Institution	
	NFT Model in the Museum Settings	
Piia Vettik-Leemet (4046)	Entrepreneurial journey & venture creation - the topic will be specified according to the interest of the student in collaboration with supervisor	
	Technology entrepreneurship: entrepreneurial journey and it's length and trajectories (case study)	
	Perceived effect of entrepreneurial ecosystem in case of technological startups	
	Entrepreneurial process in case of technological startups	
	<u>Chair of Management</u>	
Anne Reino (4017)	Ethical Implications of Workplace Surveillance Technologies (company regulations, EU regulations compared other region/country)	Topics are taken I will not participate on 14.09., e-mail: anne.reino@ut.ee
Krista Jaakson (4049)	Why whistle-blowers (don't) need to be protected: socio-cultural factors explaining the adoption process of Directive on the protection of persons who report breaches of Union law	Article format preferred
Maaja Vadi (4051), Priit Vahter (4053)	Innovation failure at firms	Qualitative research
	The complementarities between automation at firms and organizational change	Qualitative research
Supriya Banerjee (4052)	Strategic management and organisational sustainability	

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	<u>Chair of Economic Modelling</u>	
Andres Võrk	Using causal random forest to evaluate labour market training programme	<u>Andres.vork@ut.ee</u>
	Predicting long-term unemployment using Coxi regression model	
	Effect of unemployment benefits on the duration of unemployment using quantile regression	
Annela Anger-Kraavi	Economic indicators for just transition	<u>annela.anger-kraavi@ut.ee</u>
	Impacts of green transition on economic sectors in Estonia	
Bianka Plüschke-Altöf, Helen Poltimäe (4018)	Topics related to green city, smart city, smart village	
Helen Poltimäe (4018)	Policy instruments to address NIMBY-effect based on the example of ...	
Hakan Eratalay	Temporal disaggregation of macroeconomic data from low-frequency to high frequency: what could go wrong? Econometric analysis, sensitivity analysis.	Will not participate on 14.09, email: <u>hakan.eratalay@ut.ee</u> Topic requires simulations and work with real data.
	Topics related to macroeconomic forecasting, financial econometrics	Will not participate on 14.09, email: <u>hakan.eratalay@ut.ee</u> To be specified with the student.
Jaan Masso (4021)	The economic performance of family enterprises	Article format preferred
	The effects of innovation on employment	Article format preferred
	Dispersion of productivity across the companies	Article format preferred
	The effects of imports on productivity and exports based on firm-level data	Article format preferred
	Electric energy use, pollution, CO2 emissions and firm performance (BEEPS or other firm-level data)	Article format preferred
	Overeducation, educational mismatch and labour market performance: based on individual-level data	Article format preferred
Liis Roosaar (4019)	Occupational mobility in Estonia	

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Luca Alfieri (4017)	Real time data over shipping transportation through automatic identification system (AIS) and trade shocks	Article format preferred
Tiiu Paas (4019)	New ways of working	
	Wage gap and its factors	
Tiiu Paas (4019), Merilen Laurimäe	Subjective well-being in the conditions of turbulent times	
	<u>Chair of Economic Theory</u>	
Anneli Kaasa (4040)	Cultural differences, migration, and its economic aspects - the topic will be specified according to the interests of the student in cooperation with supervisor	
Eve Parts (4039)	The need, opportunities and obstacles to move towards sustainable degrowth; factors influencing this process. The student formulates a specific research problem. Possible data sources: WVS, EVS, ISSP international databases	
	<u>Chair of Finance and Accounting</u>	
Mariia Chebotareva (4025)	Materiality Assessments in CSR Reporting	not available on 14.09, please, email to mariia.chebotareva@ut.ee
	A bibliometric analysis of circular economy research: consumer side	the topic is co-supervised with Associate Prof. D. Eerma
	Meeting the challenge of horizontal intergovernmental coordination – evidence from Estonia	the topic is co-supervised with Associate Prof. D. Eerma
Mark Kantšukov (4026)	Diversification potential of cryptocurrencies in investment portfolios	Article format preferred
	Stock markets short- and long-run real returns – an international comparison	

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Peeter Peda	Relationships with management control systems and organizational agility and performance. Analysis of management control practices	Will not participate on 14.09, contact email: peeter.peda@gmail.com
	Megaproject evaluation and factors influencing its performance/implementation	
	<u>Chair of International Business and Innovation</u>	
Anastasiia Pustovalova (4017)	Wage inequality and its causes	focus to be specified with the student
	Topics related to technological development and skills	to be specified with the student
	Peculiarities of part-time work (/ers)	e.g., in relation to the recent technological change, gendered aspects of part-time work, etc.
	Integration and adjustment of Ukrainian refugees	probably based on Estonian data
	The relationship between self-employment and unemployment	instead of unemployment, the focus could be e.g. on retiring and retired people and the problem of population aging
Oliver Lukason (4037)	Prediction of exporting start and end of European firms with financial ratios	
	Bankruptcy prediction of European firms with financial ratios	
Priit Vahter (4035)	How does automation affect productivity/firm performance? The role of complementarities and firm level capabilities	Econometric analysis, either using Estonian firm level panel data (available from Statistics Estonia) or, alternatively, sector-country level data from International Federation of Robotics.
	Topics related to international trade and global value chains, learning by exporting	Econometric analysis

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	Topics on determinants of productivity and innovation at firms or on effects of internationalization of firms: needs to be specified with supervisor	Econometric analysis
	Determinants of productivity dispersion at firms: the role of international trade and competition (topic needs to be specified further with supervisor)	Econometric analysis
	Topics related to determinants and effects of foreign direct investments (either based on aggregate or micro-level data), including determinants of FDI from emerging market economies	Econometric analysis
Tiia Vissak (4031)	Firms' measurement of internationalization success vs. failure: a case study	
	Making internationalization-related decisions in the VUCA world: a case study	
	<u>Chair of Public Economics and Policy</u>	
Diana Eerma (4014)	A bibliometric analysis of circular economy research: consumer side	the topic is co-supervised with Mariia Chebotareva
	Meeting the challenge of horizontal intergovernmental coordination – evidence from Estonia	the topic is co-supervised with Mariia Chebotareva
	Social accounting for evaluation of economic activities	
Kadri Ukrainski (4016)	Sectoral innovation policies in the EU	
	Evaluation of business readiness of technology based startups	