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UNCERTAIN FUTURES AND THE ROLE OF IMAGINATION AND NARRATIVES IN ECONOMICS

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Richard Bronk will discuss the contribution that analytical imagination and literary theory can make to the discipline of economics; and he will explain the importance of narratives and imaginaries in structuring the expectations and behaviour of economic agents in conditions of uncertainty. Richard will champion a new form of narrative economics to explain the role played by contingent imaginaries and social narratives in determining economic outcomes; and he will demonstrate how an interdisciplinary approach can help us not only understand the nature of fictional expectations but also avoid the research and policy dangers of analytical monocultures.


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