

Social Policy and Clientelism

Workshop, November 7th 2015 at
Cologne Center for Comparative Politics, University of Cologne

Workshop organizer:

Herbert Kitschelt, *Duke University*
Sarah Berens, *University of Cologne*

Workshop location:

[Gottfried-Keller-Str. 6](#)

Building #203

Room #2

50931 Cologne

Program

[09:00– 09:30] Welcome address

Session 1: *Clientelism and Social Policy*

[09:30 – 10:20] **Herbert Kitschelt**, Duke University
Titel: Social Policy, Democratic Linkages, and Political Governance

Discussant: Simon Bornschie, University of Zurich

[10:20 – 10:30] *Coffee break*

[10:30 – 11:20] **Elin Bergman**, University of Gothenburg
Titel: Vote buying and welfare in Brazil: the political motivations
behind antipoverty programs

Discussant: Saskia P. Ruth, University of Zurich

[11:20 – 11:30] *Coffee break*

[11:30 – 12:20] **Haohan Chen**, Duke University
Titel: Clientelism and Demand for Social Policy: A Substitute?

Discussant: Sarah Berens, University of Cologne

[12:20 – 13:30] *Lunch*

[13:30 – 14:20] **Sarah Berens**, University of Cologne
Titel: ‘Perverse Responsiveness?’ How Clientelism Hinders Progressive Social Policy in Latin America (co-authored by Saskia P. Ruth)

Discussant: Irene Menéndez, University of Zurich

[14:20 – 14:30] *Coffee break*

Session 2: *Informal workers, the poor and the choice of social policy designs*

[14:30 – 15:20] **Irene Menéndez González**, University of Zurich
Titel: When Dualization Benefits Outsiders: Explaining the Rise of Non-Contributory Cash-Transfers Programs in the Developing World (co-authored with Santiago López-Cariboni)

Discussant: Jan Sauermann, University of Cologne

[15:20 – 15:30] *Coffee break*

[15:30 – 16:20] **Melina Altamirano**, Duke University
Titel: Economic Informality and Clientelistic Strategies

Discussant: Alisha Holland, Harvard University – via Skype

[16:20 – 16:30] *Coffee break*

[16:30 – 17:20] **Alisha Holland**, Harvard University – via Skype
Titel: Public Opinion in Truncated Welfare States

Discussant: Melina Altamirano, Duke University

[19.00] *Dinner*