

# The Adam Smith Seminar

## Themen:

1. Adam Smith's 'model of man'
2. Adam Smith's view on political economy: what is it and what should it do?
3. Adam Smith's theory of wages and unemployment
4. Adam Smith's invisible hand and general equilibrium theory
5. The building blocks of Adam Smith's economic theory

## Themen und Betreuer:

Matrikel	Thema	Betreuer
5896596	invisible hand	Philipp Schliffke
5823718	theory of wages	Manfred J. Holler
5798365	political economy	Manfred J. Holler
1806349	political economy	Manfred J. Holler
6081758	model of man	Manfred J. Holler
5654312	model of man	Manfred J. Holler
5803040	building blocks	Philipp Schliffke

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## Basisliteratur:

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