



EINLADUNG ZUR NÄCHSTEN VERANSTALTUNG DES POTSDAM RESEARCH SEMINAR IN ECONOMICS

Sehr geehrte Damen und Herren,

Wir laden Sie herzlich zur nächsten Veranstaltung des Potsdam Research Seminar in Economics

am **14.11.2017** ein.

Das Seminar findet von **14.00 bis 16.00 Uhr (c.t.)** in Raum **3.01.231**, Campus Griebnitzsee statt.

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Thema des Vortrages:

Parental Education and the Offspring's Mental Health

Abstract:

We estimate the causal effect of parental education on a wide range of offspring's mental health outcomes. Theoretical considerations predict positive direct and indirect effects of parental education on mental health. But the relation between parental education and mental health outcomes is plagued by endogeneity. To circumvent this problem, we exploit exogenous variation in schooling which is completely unrelated to the offspring's mental health. In contrast to our theoretical considerations, we find negative effects of parental education on the offspring's mental health outcomes. The effects are large and relevant. In a next step, we will infer the underlying channels driving these results.

Wir freuen uns auf Ihre Teilnahme.