

9h-9h30 Welcoming the participants

9h45-9h50 – Introductory address by

**Philippe Batifoulier**

(Director of CEPN, University Paris 13) and

**Mehrdad Vahabi**

(CEPN, University Paris 13, guest editor of the special issue of *Public Choice* « Predatory State »)

9h50-12h30 – Morning session

Introduction by the President of the morning session **Pascal Petit** (CEPN, University Paris 13)

10h-10h45 – « Pareto' minimality in the jungle »

**Bertrand Crettez**

(CRED, University Paris 2)

Discussant : **Jean-Michel Courtault**

(CEPN, University Paris 13)

*10h45-11h – Coffee Break*

11h-11h45 – « Regulating quack medicine »

**Peter Leeson** (George Mason University)

Discussant : **Samira Guennif**

(CEPN, University Paris 13)

11h45-12h30 – « A theory of predatory welfare state and citizen welfare : the French case »

**Philippe Batifoulier, Nicolas Da Silva and Mehrdad Vahabi**

(CEPN, University Paris 13)

Discussant : **Laurent Baronian**

(CEPN, University Paris 13)

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### Program

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14h-16h35 – Afternoon session

Introduction by the President of the afternoon session **Thierry Kirat** (CNRS, University Paris Dauphine)

14h05-14h50 – « For-profit states and big Gods »

**Stergios Skaperdas**

(University of California, Irvine),

Discussant : **Renaud Bellais**

(Institutional advisor of CEO, MBDA)

14h50-15h35 – « From raider to ruler in a predatory state : the case of Viking age England »

**Gert Tinggaard Svendsen**

(Aarhus University, Departement of Political Science)

Discussant : **Olivier Musy**

(CRED, University Paris 2)

*15h35-15h50 – Coffee break*

15h50-16h35 – « State predation in historical perspective : the case of Ottoman MÜSADERE practice during 1695-1839 »

**Antoine Pietri**

(Institute for strategic research, IRSEM)

**Mehrdad Vahabi**

(CEPN, University Paris 13)

Discussant : **Riccardo Magnani**

(CEPN, University Paris 13)

16h35-16h40 – Closing word,

**Nicolas Da Silva** (CEPN, University Paris 13)

