

Einladung zum Colloquium Gesundheitsökonomie an der Gesundheit Österreich.
Prof. Simone Ghislandi spricht zum Thema:

**“Victims do not go on weeping all the time.”
Adaptation to poverty in long-run panel data**

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Vortrag in englischer Sprache

“A thoroughly deprived person, leading a very reduced life, might not appear to be badly off in terms of the mental metric of utility, if the hardship is accepted with non-grumbling resignation.” (Amartya Sen, 1990). We consider the link between poverty and subjective well-being, and focus in particular on potential adaptation to poverty. We use panel data on almost 54,000 individuals living in Germany from 1985 to 2012 to show first that life satisfaction falls with both the incidence and intensity of contemporaneous poverty. We then reveal that there is little evidence of adaptation within a poverty spell: poverty starts bad and stays bad in terms of subjective well-being. We cannot identify any cause of poverty entry which explains the overall lack of poverty adaptation.

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