KITE Open Lecture

Epistemic Economics and Organization: Forms of Rationality and Governance for a Wiser Economy

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Anna Grandori is Full Professor of Business Organization at Bocconi University. She has been visiting professor at a number of universities in Europe and the US: from Stanford to Copenhagen and Zurich; She has been Director of two Bocconi Research Centers; Scientific Director of several international research programs, and Editor of international journals in Organization and Management. Her approach integrates organizational economics and organization theory, with a knowledge governance perspective. This integrated perspective has been applied to different topics such as innovative decision making, organization design, inter-firm networks and firm governance and presented in articles in ASQ, JEBO, JOIE, Rationality & Society, Organization Science, Organization Studies, Human Relations; and several important books: ‘Organization and economic behavior’ Routledge, 2001; ‘Corporate Governance and Firm Organization’, Oxford University Press, 2004; ‘Organizing Entrepreneurship’, Routledge, 2011. In this KITE Open Lecture, Anna will focus on her new book: ‘Epistemic economics and organization: Forms of rationality and governance for a wiser economy’, published at Routledge in March 2013.

Research in the KITE Program focuses on knowledge integration and innovation in an internationalized economy – see the recent book “Knowledge Integration and Innovation: Critical Challenges Facing International Technology-Based Firms” (Oxford University Press, 2011). Several papers by Anna Grandori have been influential for KITE researchers, especially the article ‘Neither Hierarchy nor Identity: Knowledge-Governance Mechanisms and the Theory of the Firm’ (Journal of Management and Governance, 2001).

We are proud to welcome Anna to this new Spring’s KITE Open Lecture!

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Registration is compulsory: to Lena Donnerfalk (lena.donnerfalk@liu.se) no later than 22 April (and you will receive the introductory chapter of the book).

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