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We are excited to present the new FEB Research newsletter. This newsletter is published every other month, with a break over the summer. With this new format, we are able to keep you updated on FEB research, news and appointments regularly.

In this issue you can learn more about FEB's new professor Ulrike Schultze, and assistant professor Lucia Bellora-Bienengräber explains what organizations can do to create less egoistic workplaces. In recent years, more interdisciplinary PhD projects have started at FEB and Tamool Muhamed talks about her interdisciplinary PhD project that she is doing with along with the University Medical Centre Groningen (UMCG).

We hope you enjoy this first issue of the FEB Research Newsletter.

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## New in Groningen: Ulrike Schultze



Ulrike Schultze recently joined the Faculty of Economics and Business as Professor of Business Information Systems. In her research, she takes an interdisciplinary approach while focusing on the application of information technology and its implications for work and social life. “Letting the situated use of a given technology guide me to the relevant research questions means that I have explored a wide variety of social phenomena.”

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## Interdisciplinary PhD's: enabling precise scientific input and professional collaboration



Innovative research is often a collaborative effort between multiple disciplines. Thus, [AK1] in the past year, several PhD candidates have started interdisciplinary projects that are a collaboration between the Faculty of Economics and Business and other faculties of the University of Groningen. Tamool Muhammed is one of them. Her project on child health outcomes in targeted socioeconomic status groups involves both FEB's Economics, Econometrics, and Finance department and the UMCG. [Read further](#)

## Award-winning research that finds instruments to generate better, less egoistic, workplaces



Assistant professor of Accounting Lucia Bellora-Bienengräber and two colleagues from Clemson University in the US recently received an award for a paper focused on how ethically focused management control systems influence counterproductive work behaviors and work climate. In their study, the authors provide concrete design recommendations for current and future managers interested in capitalizing on their management control systems to decrease undesirable behaviors and outcomes. “For an ethical control system to function, it is key to understand that the type of managers hired and retained in the organization are crucial.” [Read further](#)



# News



## Swedish grant for Jutta Bolt

The Swedish Research Council (Vetenskapsrådet) has awarded a grant of € 420,000 to FEB professor Jutta Bolt and colleagues from Wageningen University and Lund University. The researchers received the grant for their research into the origins of health inequalities in Sub-Saharan Africa between 1900 and 1960. [Read further](#)

## Eugenia Rosca received NWO grant

The Dutch Research Council (NWO) has awarded a grant of € 300,000 to Eugenia Rosca, Cheng-Yong Xiao and 3 colleagues from Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam (VU). The researchers received the grant for their research projects on inclusion and resilience in organizations and the Dutch society as a whole.

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## 2022 AIS Fellow Award for Ulrike Schultze

During the annual ICIS conference, Ulrike Schultze received one of the 2022 AIS Fellow Awards. This award recognizes individuals who have made outstanding contributions to the information systems discipline in terms of research, teaching and service.

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## Recent publications

**Below we list a few examples of recent publications.**

van den Berg, Gerard J. ; Vikstrom, Johan. / Long-Run Effects of Dynamically Assigned Treatments : A New Methodology and an Evaluation of Training Effects on Earnings. In: *Econometrica*. 2022 ; Vol. 90, No. 3. pp. 1337-1354.

<https://onlinelibrary.wiley.com/doi/full/10.3982/ECTA17522>

de Haan, Jakob ; Wiese, Rasmus. / The impact of product and labour market reform on growth : Evidence for OECD countries based on local projections. In: *Journal of Applied Econometrics*. 2022 ; Vol. 37, No. 4. pp. 746-770.

<https://onlinelibrary.wiley.com/doi/full/10.1002/jae.2890>

Czura, Kristina ; Klonner, Stefan. / Financial market responses to a natural disaster : Evidence from credit networks and the Indian Ocean tsunami. In: *Journal of Development Economics*. 2023 ; Vol. 160, 102996

<https://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/pii/S0304387822001389>

Distel, Andreas ; Sofka, Wolfgang ; de Faria, Pedro et al. / Dynamic capabilities for hire – How former host-country entrepreneurs as MNC subsidiary managers affect performance. In: *Journal of International Business Studies*. 2022 ; Vol. 53, No. 4. pp. 657-688.

<https://link.springer.com/article/10.1057/s41267-019-00274-0>

Aresu, Simone ; Hooghiemstra, Reginald ; Melis, Andrea. / Integration of CSR Criteria Into Executive Compensation Contracts: A Cross-Country Analysis. In: *Journal of Management*. 2022.

<https://journals.sagepub.com/doi/epub/10.1177/01492063221110200>

Tong, Xun ; Linderman, Kevin ; Zhu, Qinghua. / Managing a portfolio of environmental projects : Focus, balance, and environmental management capabilities. In: *Journal of Operations Management*, 2023, 69 (1), 127-158

<https://onlinelibrary.wiley.com/doi/full/10.1002/joom.1201>

Arque-Castells, Pere ; Spulber, Daniel F. / Measuring the Private and Social Returns to R&D : Unintended Spillovers versus Technology Markets. In: *Journal of Political Economy*. 2022 ; Vol. 130, No. 7. pp. 1860-1918.

<https://www.journals.uchicago.edu/doi/full/10.1086/719908>

Holthöwer, Jana ; van Doorn, Jenny. / Robots do not judge : service robots can alleviate embarrassment in service encounters. In: *Journal of the Academy of Marketing Science*. 2022.

<https://link.springer.com/article/10.1007/s11747-022-00862-x#citeas>

Slager, Rieneke ; Gond, Jean Pascal. / The Politics of Reactivity : Ambivalence in corporate responses to corporate social responsibility ratings. In: *Organization Studies*. 2022 ; Vol. 43, No. 1. pp. 59-80 .

<https://journals.sagepub.com/doi/pdf/10.1177/0170840620964980>



## Recent PhD Graduates

### Mark van der Plaat

Promotores: Prof. J. de Haan, and Prof. L. Spierdijk  
Defended on January 12, 2023 [Download](#)

### Ziwei Rao

Promotor: Prof. R.J.M. Alessie, co-promotor Dr. M. Groneck  
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### Harm Rienks

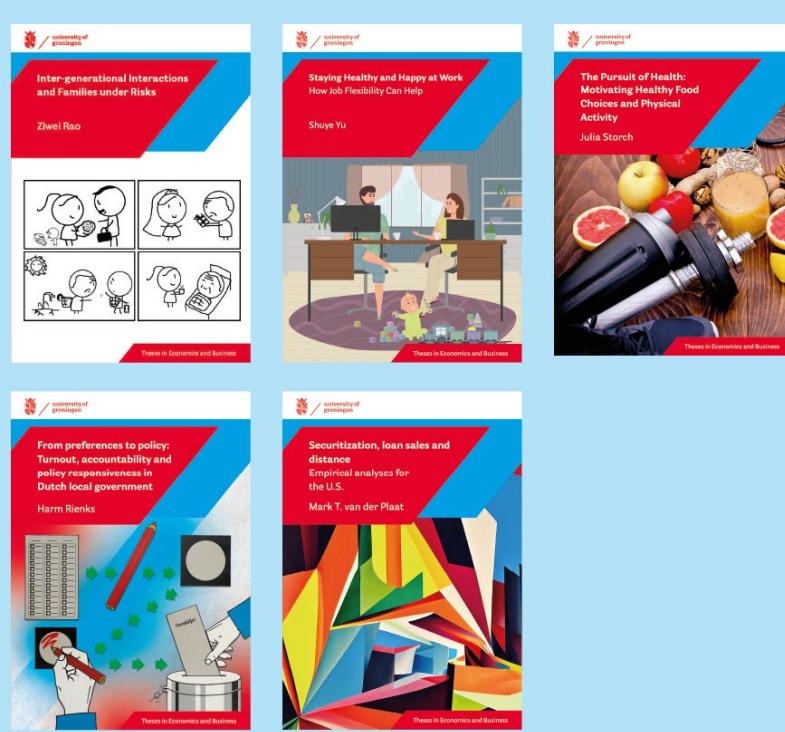
Promotor: Prof. M.A. Allers, co-promotor: Dr. R.M. Jong A Pin  
Defended on December 8, 2022 [Download](#)

### Julia Storch

Promotores: Prof. K. van Ittersum and Prof. J. van Doorn  
Defended on November 7, 2022 [Download](#)

### Shuye Yu

Promotores: Prof. R.J.M. Alessie, and Prof. J.O. Mierau, co-promotor: Dr. A. Postepska  
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