

**The Research Centre of the Faculty of Economics**  
cordially invites you to a research seminar  
on **Thursday, 26<sup>th</sup> May 2016 at 1 p.m.** in room **P-212** at the  
**Faculty of Economics, University of Ljubljana**

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will present the article:

## **"Adopting breakthrough technologies: timing and coordination problems"**

“The paper discusses the adoption of new technologies, like electric cars or new ways of generating electricity, that provide a public good and have a decreasing cost of adoption: the technology benefits everyone, even those who have not invest on it, and it is cheaper to adopt when someone else has already invest on it. We show that coordination could be difficult and even if the technology would be beneficial for everyone we find situations in which it could be not fully or immediately adopted. Policy recommendations are then suggested.”

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**We look forward to seeing you!**