

Call for Presentations

EGOS 2026 Local Hub – Tilburg University

Tilburg University is proud to announce that it will serve as a Local Hub for the 42nd EGOS Colloquium, July 9–11, 2026. While the main academic program hosted by the University of Bergamo will take place primarily online, our Local Hub in Tilburg offers a dedicated space for face-to-face connection, intellectual exchange, and community building. This initiative represents a collective effort of Tilburg University, Eindhoven University of Technology, and Maastricht University to provide scholars from their neighboring regions with a platform to present their research and receive support from the EGOS community in person. We invite researchers in Organization Studies based at universities in northern Belgium and the south/center of the Netherlands to apply to present their work at our Pre-Colloquium Workshop on Wednesday, July 8, 2026. We are looking for researchers who wish to present their works in a supportive, developmental environment. This workshop is designed to bridge the gap between individual online participation and the collective experience of a physical colloquium. In contrast to the EGOS conference, which is organized around subthemes, we will have one (larger) group to stimulate cross-theme and cross-disciplinary exchange based on 15-20 minute presentations.

More information available at: [EGOS - Local Hub The Netherlands - University of Tilburg, Tilburg - European Group for Organizational Studies](#)

Who Should Apply?

- ✓ Scholars located in the south/center of the Netherlands and northern Belgium who want to share their work-in-progress studies with the EGOS community and can travel to Tilburg on Wednesday, July 8, 2026.
- ✓ Senior or early career researchers seeking a friendly forum for feedback before presenting at the main EGOS Online Colloquium.

How to Apply?

You need to provide an up to 250-word abstract of your envisioned paper presentation, a short introduction of the authors, and a brief statement on what you hope to gain from the local workshop. Please note that neither the payment of the EGOS membership nor the Colloquium fees is required to join the presentation-day at the local hub. However, to attend the main Colloquium and receive a certificate of attendance, both fees must be paid.

Key Dates

- Application Period Opens: January 20 to March 31, 2026
- Notification of Acceptance to Present at Pre-Colloquium: Mid-April, 2026
- Pre-Colloquium Workshop (Presentation Day): Wednesday, July 8, 2026
- Main EGOS Online Colloquium: July 9–11, 2026

Have You Got Any Questions?

Please contact the Organizing Committee via Farshad Hajiakbari: s.hajiakbari@tue.nl

Join Us in Tilburg!

Let's make the "Bergamo Experiment" a success by building a vibrant, local, and sustainable scholarly community right here in the Netherlands. We look forward to welcoming you to Tilburg University this July.

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