

## **Theory and Theorizing in the Organizational Sciences**

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### **Course Overview:**

This course is designed to provide doctoral students across different disciplines a broad introduction to the meaning and nature of theory and theoretical contribution in informational and organizational sciences and to the modes of theorizing. The course is appropriate for both information systems (IS) and non-IS Ph.D. students. The readings in the course deepened the students' understanding of the role of theory in understanding emerging phenomenon driven by changes in technology and enhanced their ability to theorize within their own research area.