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# Game Theory Perspectives in Sociology

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This special issue focuses on the formulation and/or application of game theoretical models that account endogenously for the formation of social preferences and/or beliefs, prior to and/or during the interactions being modeled. The models should formalize a psychological and/or evolutionary process through which formation occurs and reference the social science literature(s) from which they draw inspiration. The models should also identify important ways in which the modeled preferences and/or beliefs influence strategies in games. Empirical tests of existing or new models in this field are also welcome. Empirical tests may include, but are not limited to, field or lab experiments; analysis of structural, survey and/or event data; online network and content analysis; and/or computer simulation.

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