"The Impact of Decentralization in Humanitarian Operations"

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About the Speaker:

Dr. Jessica Heier Stamm is currently the assistant professor at Kansas State. She graduated from Industrial and Systems Engineering department at Georgia Institute of Technology on 2010, and she was the former student of Professor Ergun Ozlem. Her research focus is on the application of operations research and industrial engineering techniques to humanitarian relief and public health. She is specifically interested in the design and analysis of systems with decentralized decision makers and the development of methods that lead to decentralized solutions that approximate the performance of centrally optimal decision making. Her work also involves characterizing existing practices and decision making processes in humanitarian supply chains.