

Economists can prove whatever they want and call it objective. Completely trusting these models is bad for society because they are biased by self interest and based on assumptions and value judgements. This leads to ^{bad} decisions that put the private interest of a few above the common good.

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It is important to understand that economists aren't objective but in fact allow bias in their economic modelling since they are hired to present a certain point of view. This results in a narrow perception of what the common good is.

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Economists are never in a position to be able to act objectively.

They act in their own self-interest or the interest of the people paying them.

This harms decision making because it hinders the ability of the people to have perfect information.

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The public is presented with a false choice with the perception it will work in their favor based around common Good, when in reality economists manipulate forecasting to work in their favor.

Economists speak for markets intentions and interpret them for the public, when in fact the market itself is unpredictable.

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Economist's assumptions are meant to benefit themselves, or who they're hired by. These models might not be fully accurate, or what's beneficial to the greater good for the economy. ~~These forecasts should be~~ TO fix this there should be an impartial body to oversee the assumptions being made.

The problem with trusting economists is context, values and questioning is ignored, ^{driven by} + their self interest.

(paid to present false choice, create false relationship between the 'market' and the economy)

Economists are like any other entity in the free-market because they are driven by self-interest, so when looking at economic models you should beware of those assumptions, bias views, and non-transparency.

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