

XXIII Scientific Conference

University of Verona-Vicenza Univr Hub, Italy, June 13-14, 2024

Detailed Programme

In Uncertain Times: Economic Development, (De)Globalization and Vulnerability

Thursday, June 13

8:00 – 9:00 Arrival and Registration

8:30 – 9:00 Welcome and Introduction

[Sala 3]

Dario Sciulli [D'Annunzio University of Chieti-Pescara and AISSEC President], **Roberto Ricciuti** [University of Verona]

9:00 – 10:30 Parallel Sessions A1, A2

A1 Comparative perspectives

[Sala 3]

Chair: **Vittorio Valli** [University of Turin]

Ilan Bizberg [El Colegio de México]: “Four Worlds of Welfare State in Latin America”

Andrea Boltho [Magdalen College, University of Oxford]: “Trends in Revealed Comparative Advantage in Emerging Markets”

Claudio Marciano [University of Turin and University of Genoa]: “Opening the black box of Protein Vaccines Against Covid-19. The case of Covid-19 protein vaccines between Cuba, India, and US”

Vittorio Valli [University of Turin]: “Knowledge and economic development: the comparison between Italy and South Korea”

A2 Development economics

[Room VM1]

Chair: **Sara Caria** [Università degli Studi di Modena e Reggio Emilia]

Sana Khan [University of Florence], Gianna Claudia Giannelli, and Lucia Ferrone: “Can Maternal Education Enhance Children’s Dietary Diversity and Nutritional Outcomes? Evidence from 2003 Education Reform in Kenya”

Alina Machado [Universidad de la República de Uruguay] and Ana Ines Balsa: “The effects of elementary school instructional time on medium term schooling and labour market outcomes”

Lukas Mogge [RWI – Leibniz Institute for Economic Research], Svenja Fluhrer, Julian Roeckert, and Kati Kraehnert: “Charity hazard in climate disaster response: The effect of humanitarian cash transfers on demand for agricultural insurance”

Sara Caria [Università degli Studi di Modena e Reggio Emilia]: “New opportunities or old dependencies? Continuities and breaking points of Chinese development finance”

10:30 – 11:00 Coffee Break

11:00 – 12:00 Keynote Lecture I

[Sala 3]

Oliver Morrissey [University of Nottingham]: “Tax Performance and Accountability in Sub-Saharan Africa”

Introduction and discussion: **Antonio Savoia** [University of Manchester]

12:00 – 13:15 Parallel Sessions B1, B2, B3

B1 Environmental and resource economics

[Sala 3]

Chair: **Tania Masi** [D’Annunzio University of Chieti-Pescara]

Sandro Rondinella [University of Calabria], Tommaso Oliviero, and Alberto Zazzaro: “Are green firms more financially constrained? The sensitivity of investment to cash flow”

Marco Catola [Maastricht University], Nicola Campigotto, Simone D’Alessandro, Pietro Guarneri, and Lorenzo Spadoni: “Curbing Energy Consumption through Voluntary Quotas: Experimental Evidence”

Tania Masi [D’Annunzio University of Chieti-Pescara] and Roberto Ricciuti: “Natural Resources, Democracy and Public Sector”

B2 The economic impacts of climate change and natural hazards

[Room VM1]

Chair: **Federico Favaretto** [University of Urbino Carlo Bo]

Alessandro Bellocchi [University of Urbino Carlo Bo] and Giuseppe Travaglini: “Shallow Lakes and Loading Constraints”

Lucia Errico, **Andrea Mosca** [University of Bergamo], and Sandro Rondinella: “The Role of Natural Hazard on Income Inequality”

Federico Favaretto [University of Urbino Carlo Bo], Andrea Bacchiocchi, Germana Giombini, and Fabio Tramontana: “Greenflation, Climateflation and Monetary Policy: The Dynamics of Sustainable Transition”

B3 NEETs and School-to-work transition

[Room VM3]

Chair: **Antonella Rocca** [Parthenope University of Naples]

Roberto Leombruni [University of Turin], Tiziano Razzolini, and Federico Scarscelli: “Follow the ant: a new measure of skills match quality of graduates entering the labour market”

Marco Di Domizio [University of Teramo], Elena Fabrizi, and Antonella Rocca: “The labour market after the COVID-19 pandemic: All that glitters is not gold”

Lia Pacelli [University of Turin], Dalit Contini, and Marianna Filandri: “Persistency in the NEET state: a longitudinal analysis”

Antonella Rocca [Parthenope University of Naples] and Elena Fabrizi: “The effects of the COVID-19 crisis on the young people’s condition in the labour market”

13:15 – 14:15 Lunch

14:15 – 15:45 Parallel Sessions C1, C2, C3

C1 Perspective for Europe in time of crisis

Chair: **Riccardo Fiorentini** [University of Verona]

[Sala 3]

Roberto Tamborini [University of Trento]: “The ECB and the integrity of the euro area: Past and future”

Andrea Boitani [Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore]: “A new European degrowth and instability pact?”

Silvia Mattiozzi [Università Politecnica delle Marche] and Giulia Bettin: “Industrial Crises and Local Development: Evidence from an Italian Manufacturing Plant”

Riccardo Fiorentini [University of Verona]: “Economic crisis, democracy, and the future of the EU”

C2 Institutional change and persistence

[Room VM1]

Chair: **Adelaide Baronchelli** [University of Turin]

Fabio Monteforte [University of Messina], Emanuele Millemaci, and Jonathan Temple: “Have autocrats governed for the long term?”

Antonio Savoia [University of Manchester], Kunal Sen, and Abrams Tagem: “Institutional Change and Persistence: What does the long–run evidence tell us?”

Elira Karaja [University of Verona]: “The Rule of Karlowitz. Fiscal Change and Institutional Persistence”

Adelaide Baronchelli [University of Turin], Alessandra Foresta, and Roberto Ricciuti: “The Words that Keep People Apart. Official Language, Accountability and Fiscal Capacity”

C3 Migration issues

[Room VM3]

Chair: **Enzo Valentini** [University of Macerata]

Ekaterina Skoglund [Leibniz Institute for East and Southeast European Studies] and **Kseniia Gatskova**: “Motherhood during pandemics: experience of migrant women from post-soviet countries”

Davit Adunts [IAB, Nuremberg], **Kseniia Gatskova**, **Yuliya Kosyakova**, and **Silvia Schwanhäuser**: “The role of Uncertainty for Refugee Labor Market Integration”

Lucia Errico [University of Calabria], **Andrea Mosca**, and **Sandro Rondinella**: “Ethnic minorities and income inequality: The Albanian community in Italy”

Enzo Valentini [University of Macerata] and **Gabriele Morettini**: “South Asian Diaspora in Italy: settlement pattern and locational factors”

15:45 – 16:45 Keynote Lecture II

[Sala 3]

Klaus F. Zimmermann [UNU-MERIT, Maastricht University and GLO]: “Refugee Migration in Europe: Past and Present”

Introduction and discussion: **Alina Verashchagina** [D’Annunzio University of Chieti-Pescara]

16:45 – 17:15 Coffee Break

17:15 – 18:00 Roundtable to present the book "Collected Works of Domenico Mario Nuti", featuring **Milica Uvalic** (co-editor of the book), **Renzo Daviddi** [Retired official, European Institutions], and **Bruno Dallago** [University of Trento]

Chair: **Roberto Ricciuti** [University of Verona]

[Sala 3]

18:00 – 19:00 AISSEC Members’ meeting

[Sala 3]

20:00 – 23:00 Social dinner at the restaurant “Garzadori”, Contrà Piancoli n. 4, Vicenza

Friday, June 14

9:00 – 10:30 Parallel Sessions D1, D2, D3

D1 Food security

[Sala 3]

Chair: **Donatella Saccone** [University of Pollenzo]

Vito Frontuto [University of Turin], **Tommaso Felici**, **Vania Andreoli**, **Marco Bagliani**, and **Alessandro Corsi**: “Is there an Animal Food Kuznets Curve, and does it matter?”

Elena Vallino [University of Turin], **Adelaide Baronchelli**, **Silvana Dalmazzone**, **Luca Ridolfi**, and **Francesco Laio**: “The role of large enterprises in global staple food and cash crop markets: A quantitative analysis of rice and coffee through the virtual water perspective.”

Andrea Pronti [Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore], Edoardo Baldoni, Dolores Rey, Dimitrios Kremmydas, and Pascal Tillie: “Drought effects on agricultural productivity across EU regions”

Donatella Saccone [University of Posenzo] and Marta Marson: “Food price shocks, poverty and inequality”

D2 Inequality and poverty

[Room VM1]

Chair: **Giovanni Gallo** [University of Modena and Reggio Emilia]

Claudio Zoli [University of Verona] and Francesco Andreoli: “Robust dissimilarity comparisons with ordered outcomes”

Stefano Filauo [Bocconi University] and Zachary Parolin: “Intergenerational Poverty Persistence in Europe: Challenges and Opportunities Using EU-SILC Data”

Violetta Tucci [University of Milan] and Marianna Filandri: “Dimensions of disadvantage for households at risk of poverty and in-work poverty in Europe”

Maria Cristina D’Aguanno [University of Modena and Reggio Emilia], Giovanni Gallo, and Michele Raitano: “Put yourself in one else’s shoes. The importance of family composition on income inequality and poverty”

D3 Peace economics

[Room VM3]

Chair: **Raul Caruso** [Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore]

Luca Bortolotti [University of Bologna] and Chiara Bonaiuti: “The drivers of EU arms exports between the first Gulf War and Ukraine War: Trade, Geopolitics and Ethics”

Christos Mavridis [D’Annunzio University of Chieti-Pescara], Orestis Troumpounis, and Maurizio Zanardi: “Protests and Police Militarization”

Roberto Ricciuti [University of Verona], Adelaide Baronchelli, Alessandra Foresta, Flavio Santi, and Tadele Tefera: “The effect of drone strikes on terrorist attacks in Somalia and Yemen”

Raul Caruso [Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore] and Anna Balestra: “Education and Military Expenditures: Countervailing Forces in Designing Economic Policy. A Contribution to the Empirics of Peace”

10:30 – 11:30 Keynote Lecture III

[Sala 3]

Milica Uvalic [University of Perugia and European University Institute]: “From Yugoslavia to the European Union: The Challenges of Development and Integration of the Western Balkans”

Introduction and discussion: **Giovanni Balcet** [University of Turin and OEET]

11:30 – 11:45 Francesco Pastore Young Economist Award

[Sala 3]

11:45 – 12:15 Coffee Break

12:15 – 13:45 Parallel Sessions E1, E2

E1 Labour market trends

[Sala 3]

Chair: **Chiara Mussida** [Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore]

Alina Machado [Universidad de la República de Uruguay] and Paola Azar: “Gender gaps in career opportunities: a look at graduates in the field of business and economics in Uruguay”

Irene Brunetti [INAPP], Massimiliano Bratti, Corvese, Agata Maida, and Andrea Ricci: “Did COVID-19 (permanently) raise the demand for “teleworkable” jobs?”

Maria Laura Parisi [University of Brescia], Enrico Fabrizi, and Chiara Mussida: “Material and social deprivation in working age single-adult households: the role of gender”

Chiara Mussida [Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore] and Dario Sciulli: “Low-pay dynamics in Europe: Evidence from the new century”

E2 Female employment and fertility

[Room VM1]

Chair: **Francesca Bettio** [University of Siena]

Eleonora Matteazzi [University of Verona] and Eliane Badaoui: “The interplay of gender norms, family policies, and wage-setting institutions with mothers' earnings in Europe”

Dario Sciulli [D’Annunzio University of Chieti-Pescara] and Chiara Mussida: “A wider look at female employment and childbirth in Italy”

Alina Verashchagina [D’Annunzio University of Chieti-Pescara], Debora Di Gioacchino, and Emanuela Ghignoni: “Career break around childbirth: the role of individual preferences and social norms”

Francesca Bettio [University of Siena]: “Which family policies in the face of demographic winter?”

13:45 – 15:00 Lunch and Farewell

15:30 – 18:00 Visit to the Palladio Museum and the Basilica Palladiana

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