

Thursday, November 9, 2023



09:00 – 09:30 Registration and opening remarks

Chair: Giacomo Ponzetto (CREI)

09:30 – 10:15 **Juan Vargas** (University of Torino and Collegio Carlo Alberto) “Fear to Vote: Explosions, Salience and Elections”, with Miguel E. Purroy, Felipe Coy, Sergio Perilla and Mounu Prem

10:15 – 11:00 **Antoine Zerbini** (LSE) “Segment and Rule: Modern Censorship in Authoritarian Regimes”, with Kun Heo

11:00 – 11:30 Coffee break

11:30 – 12:15 **Inbal Dekel** (Hebrew University) “Follow the Crowd: But Who Follows, Who Counteracts, and Which Crowd?”, with Moses Shayo

12:15 – 13:00 **Alex Moradi** (Free University of Bolzano) “Creating Identity”, with Matteo Ploner and Daniela Glätzle-Rützler

13:00 – 14:00 Lunch

Chair: Federico Boffa (Free University of Bolzano)

14:00 – 14:45 **Tommaso Giommoni** (ETH Zürich) “War Violence Exposure and Tax Compliance”, with Sergio Galletta

14:45 – 15:30 **Giacomo Battiston** (Rockwool Foundation, Berlin) and **Eugenio Levi** (Free University of Bolzano) “Strategic Use of Social Media by Political Parties: Evidence from Italy”, with Federico Boffa and Steven Stillman

15:30 – 16:00 Coffee break

16:00 – 16:45 **Giacomo Ponzetto** (CREI) “Social Capital, Government Expenditures and Growth”, with Ugo Troiano

16:45 – 17:30 **Federico Curci** (University Carlos III) “Factory Location: Resistance to Technology Adoption and Local Institutions”, with Michele Rosenberg

17:30 – 17:45 Break

17:45 – 18:45 Keynote address: **Massimo Morelli** (Bocconi University)

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09:15 – 09:45 Registration and opening remarks

Chair: Alberto Parmigiani (Free University of Bolzano)

09:45 – 10:30 **Vincenzo Galasso** (Bocconi University), “Fighting Populism on Its Own Turf: Experimental Evidence”, with Massimo Morelli, Tommaso Nannicini and Piero Stanig

10:30 – 11:15 **Alvaro Delgado Vega** (ETH Zürich) “The Politics of Repeal”, with Wioletta Dziuda and Antoine Loeper

11:15 – 11:45 Coffee break

11:45 – 12:30 **Amrita Dhillon** (King’s College) “Elections and Rural Road Construction: Theory and Evidence from India”, with Ahana Basistha and Arka Roy Chaudhuri

12:30 – 13:15 **Carlo Gallier** (Free University of Bolzano) “Enhancing the efficacy of the Paris Agreement: More frequent commitments promote cooperation”, with Axel Ockenfels and Bodo Sturm

13:15 – 14:15 Lunch

Chair: Steven Stillman (Free University of Bolzano)

14:15 – 15:00 **Nicola Mastrorocco** (University of Bologna) “State Capacity as an Organizational Problem. Evidence from the Growth of the U.S. State Over 100 Years”, with Edoardo Teso

15:00 – 15:45 **Enrico Cantoni** (University of Bologna) “Where You Grow Up Shapes Your Political Behavior: Evidence from Childhood Moves”, with Jacob R. Brown, Sahil Chinoy, Martin Koenen and Vincent Pons

15:45 – 16:15 Coffee break

16:15 – 17:00 **Tuuli Pauliina Tähtinen** (IFO Munich) “Making the Cut: Close Elections and Local Welfare Policy”, with Nikolaj Broberg and Thomas Walsh

17:00 – 17:45 **Giovanni Facchini** (University of Nottingham) “Black Empowerment and White Mobilization: The Effects of the Voting Rights Act”, with Andrea Bernini, Marco Tabellini and Cecilia Testa

17:45 – 18:15 Discussion and conclusions