



ALMA MATER STUDIORUM - UNIVERSITÀ DI BOLOGNA
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PhD in Economics – 1st year Forum
July 6th and 7th, 2016
Seminar Room

Wednesday July 6th

- 09,30 - 10,15 **PhD Student:** Armando Petruccio
Topic: *Macroeconometric Short-Term Forecasts with Economic Indicators*
Supervisor: Roberto Golinelli
- 10,15 - 11,00 **PhD Student:** Graziano Moramarco
Topic: *Measuring global macroeconomic uncertainty*
Supervisor: Paolo Manasse e Roberto Golinelli
- 11,00 - 11,15 Break
- 11,15 – 12,00 **PhD Student:** Yanjun Li
Topic: *Political Tournament and Local Political Outcomes*
Supervisor: Paolo Masella
- 12,00 - 12,45 **PhD Student:** Robson Douglas Tigre Santos
Topic: *Are Educated Candidates “High Quality” Politicians?*
Supervisor: Paolo Masella
- 12,45 - 14,00 *Lunch*
- 14,00 - 14,45 **PhD Student:** Alexander Lehner
Topic: *The Long-Term Effects of different Colonial Regimes: 450 years of Portuguese (non-)influence in India*
Supervisor: Matteo Cervellati
- 14,45 - 15,30 **PhD Student:** Ankush Asri
Topic: *The rise of China and regional inequality: Evidence from Brazil*
Supervisor: Alireza Naghavi
- 15,30 - 16,15 **PhD Student:** Yu Bai
Topic: *The Long-run Effects of Cultural Revolution in China*
Supervisor: Daniela Iorio



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Thursday July 7th

- 09,15 - 10,00 **PhD Student:** Romina Safojan
Topic: *The effects of international trade on labor informality*
Supervisor: Giulio Zanella
- 10,00 - 10,45 **PhD Student:** Marcello Colasante
Topic: *Minimum relative entropy: applications across estimation and portfolio construction*
Supervisor: Massimiliano Marzo
Co-supervisor: Attilio Meucci
- 10,45 - 11,00 Break
- 11,00 – 11,45 **PhD Student:** Anh Nguyet Tran Thi
Topic: *Estimating the Technology of Human Capital Formation*
Supervisor: Chiara Monfardini
- 11,45 – 13,00 **Research Seminar** - Prof.ssa Cassar
Achieving Objectives through Goals, Incentives and Support Groups: A Field Experiment in Medellin, Colombia
- 13,00 - 14,00 *Lunch*
- 14,00 - 14,45 **PhD Student:** Anastasia Arabadzhyan
Topic: *Efficiency of drug seizures as a measure to reduce drug consumption*
Supervisor: Paolo Vanin