



1st UniCatt Political Economy Workshop

Venue for the workshop: rooms G.142 and G.242, main campus, Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore, Largo Gemelli 1.
 Please use the Largo Gemelli entrance to reach the seminar rooms.

Lunch and refreshments are provided for all the registered attendees.

Registration link: <https://forms.gle/XL9G9cno1pw8Y5EB6>

Registration deadline: 17th December 2023.

Date: 20th December 2023.

The Organising Committee (Davide Cipullo, Tommaso Colussi, Domenico Rossignoli, Federico Trombetta)

<i>Registration and greetings</i>	9.00-9.15	Room G. 142
<i>Inequality and discrimination (chair: Luca Colombo)</i>	9.15-11.15	Room G.242
Larcinese Valentino	London School of Economics	Income inequality and campaign contributions: evidence from the Reagan tax cut
Tabellini Marco	Harvard Business School	Black Empowerment and White Mobilization: The Effects of the Voting Rights Act
Barilari Francesco	Tor Vergata University of Rome	Political Rhetoric, and Racial Discrimination in Arrests for Drugs
Solé-Ollé Albert	Universitat de Barcelona & IEB	The power of developers: evidence from California
<i>Populism and extremism (chair: Tommaso Colussi)</i>	9.15-11.15	Room G.142
Ferroni Matteo	Boston University	Election Results and Democratic Discontent: Expectations, Extremism, and Democratic Values in Post-Election Brazil
Nibourel Chloe	IIES, Stockholm University	How Do Voters and Parties Respond to the Radical Right?
Piemontese Lavinia	Bocconi University	Who Becomes a Populist? Proximity to Immigrants and Refugees and Individual Voting Behaviour
Gamalerio Matteo	Universitat de Barcelona	The Political Economy of Open vs Closed Borders Theory and Evidence on the role of Electoral Rules

Coffee break	11.15-11.30	Room G.141
<i>Keynote 1 (chair: Domenico Rossignoli)</i>	11.30-12.30	Room G. 242
Gratton Gabriele	University of New South Wales	The Fragility of Liberal Democracy
Lunch	12.30-14.15	University canteen, Via Necchi 9
<i>Political agents (chair: Lorenzo Cappellari)</i>	14.15-15.45	Room G. 242
Miglino Enrico	Bank of Italy	Tenure-Dependent Benefits and Politicians' Integrity
Boffa Federico	Free University of Bolzano	Strategic Use of Social Media by Political Parties: Evidence from Italy
Brandimarti Eleonora	Harvard Business School	Credit and Voting
<i>The politics of information & accountability (chair: Federico Trombetta)</i>	14.15-15.45	Room G. 142
Blumenthal Benjamin	ETH Zürich	Voter Information and Distributive Politics
Mikhailishchev Sergei	Durham University	Why Is Promise of Stability Bad for Voters?
Devdariani Saba	University of Chicago	External Shocks and Anticipatory Pandering
<i>Keynote 2 (chair: Davide Cipullo)</i>	15.45-16.45	Room G. 242
Pons Vincent	Harvard Business School	Electoral Turnovers
Coffee break	16.45-17.00	Room G.141
<i>Institutions (chair: Mario Maggioni)</i>	17.00-18.30	Room G.242
Mueller Joris	National University of Singapore	State-Building in a Diverse Society
Vannoni Matia	King's College London	A Complex Compromise: Ideology and Regulatory Complexity in the US Federal Bureaucracy
Rosenberg Michele	University of Essex	Factory Location: Resistance to Technology Adoption and Local Institutions

<i>Dynamics & experiments</i> <i>(chair: Massimo Bordignon)</i>	17.00-18.30	Room G.142
Macé Antonin	Paris School of Economics (along with CNRS & ENS-PSL)	Repeated Majority Voting
Lee Barton	ETH Zürich	From Gridlock to Polarization
Monte Daniel	University of Turin	Post-Conflict History Writing