

WORKSHOP “POLITICAL ECONOMY OF DEVELOPMENT AND CONFLICT IX”

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Sala de Graus Albert Calsamiglia, Roger de Llúria Building (40.035)

PROGRAM THURSDAY, OCT 5

Room 40.035 (Sala de Graus Albert Calsamiglia)

Building 40

09:00-09:30 *Registration and coffee*

09:30-10:30 Dear Brothers and Sisters: Pope's Speeches and the Dynamics of Conflict in Africa (with Sophie Hatte, Lucile Laugerette and Tommaso Sonno).

MATHIEU COUTTENIER (Ecole Normale Supérieure de Lyon - CEPR)

10:30-11:30 Medication Against Conflict (with Andrea Berlanda, Matteo Cervellati, Elena Esposito and Uwe Sunde).

DOMINIC ROHNER (U. Lausanne – CEPR)

11:30-12:00 *Coffee Break*

12:00-13:00 Population and Conflict Revisited (with David Kreitmeir and Thomas Überfuhr).

UWE SUNDE (U. Munich – CEPR)

13:00-14:00 Revolutionary Contagion.

SAUMITRA JHA (Stanford Graduate School of Business)

14:00-15:30 *Buffet Lunch*

15:30-16:30 Bourbon Reforms and State Capacity in the Spanish Empire (with Giorgio Chiovelli, Leopoldo Fergusson, Luis Martinez, and Juan David Torres).

FELIPE VALENCIA CAICEDO (Vancouver School of Economics at the U. British Columbia – CEPR)

16:30-17:30 "Fear to vote: Explosions and elections in Colombia"

JUAN F. VARGAS (University of Turin)

17:30-18:00 *Coffee Break*

18:00-19:00 "From the death of God to the rise of Hitler" (with Sascha Becker)

HANS-JOACHIM VOTH (U. Zurich – CEPR)

PROGRAM FRIDAY, OCT 6

Room 40.035 (Sala de Graus Albert Calsamiglia)

Building 40

09:00-10:00 Fighting Together: Coordination frictions between NATO allies in Afghanistan (with Thiemo Fetzer and Austin Wright).

OLIVER VANDEN EYNDE (Paris School of Economics - CEPR)

10:00-11:00 "Hidden Hostility, Donor Attention and Political Violence" (with Siwan Anderson, Patrick Francois, Dominic Rohner, Rogerio Santarrosa).

PATRICK FRANÇOIS (Vancouver School of Economics at the U. British Columbia)

11:00-11:30 *Coffee Break*

11:30-12:30 Stay, Split or Strike: Theory and Evidence on Secessionist vs Centrist Conflict (with Joan Esteban, Sabine Flamand and Dominic Rohner).

MASSIMO MORELLI (Bocconi U. – CEPR)

12:30-13:30 "Trade policy in the shadow of war: a quantitative toolkit for geoeconomics".

MATHIAS THOENIG (School of Business and Economics, University of Lausanne – CEPR)

13:30-14:30 *Buffet Lunch*

All speakers are members of the CEPR Preventing Conflict: Policies for Peace RPN

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