

1st DevEconMeet

Department of Economics and Management

University of Florence

30th September - 1st October, 2021

Program

Thursday, September 30th, Building D6, Room 0.07

Arrival

13:00 – 14:00 *Lunch*

14:20 – 14:30 **Mavira Mancino**, DISEI Head *Welcome address*

14:30 – 16:30 Thesis Proposal Session

14:30 – 14:50 **Elisabetta Calabresi**, UNIFI

14:50 – 15:10 **Teresa Cappelli**, UNIFI

15:10 – 15:30 **Agnese Loy**, UNIFI

15:30 – 15:50 **Carlo Palleschi**, Sapienza

15:50 – 16:10 **Federica Petruccelli**, Sapienza

16:10 – 16:40 *Coffee Break*

16:40 – 18:40 Paper Session #1

16:40 – 17:40 **Lisa Capretti**, Sapienza

Agricultural technology, food security and nutrition: the role of female empowerment for oil palm growers in Ghana

Junior Discussant: Sveva Vitellozzi, UNIFI

Senior Discussant: Donato Romano, UNIFI

17:40 – 18:40 **Giulia Malevolti**, UNIFI

Poverty dynamics and poverty traps among refugee and host communities in Uganda

Junior Discussant: Lisa Capretti, Sapienza

Senior Discussant: Pierluigi Montalbano, Sapienza

20:00 – 22:00 *Dinner*

Friday, October 1st, Building D4, Room 1.03

9:00 – 11:00 Paper Session #2

9:00 – 10:00 **Arianna Vivoli**, UNIFI

Unpacking the role of firms' internationalization during the Covid-19 pandemic

Junior Discussant: Giulia Malevolti, UNIFI

Senior Discussant: Mario Biggeri, UNIFI

10:00 – 11:00 **Margherita Squarcina**, UNIFI

Identifying the transmission channels of COVID-19 impact on poverty and food security in refugee-hosting districts of Uganda

Junior Discussant: Elena Perra, UNIFI

Senior Discussant: Furio Camillo Rosati, Torvergata

11:00 – 11:30 *Coffee Break*

11:30 – 13:30 Paper Session #3

11:30 – 12:30 **Sveva Vitellozzi**, UNIFI

I have become comfortably numb: depression, economic preferences, and cognitive abilities in Mexico

Junior Discussant: Arianna Vivoli, UNIFI

Senior Discussant: Mariapia Mendola, Bicocca

12:30 – 13:30 **Elena Perra**, UNIFI

Roads to Tigrayanisation: Ethnic Favouritism, Road Infrastructure and the Case of Tigray

Junior Discussant: Margherita Squarcina, UNIFI

Senior Discussant: Luca Tiberti, UNIFI

13:30 – 14:30 *Lunch*

15:00 – 17:00 Paper Session #4

15:00 – 16:00 **Federico Colozza**, RomaTre

Relatedness and Global Value Chains as drivers of new specializations in the EU regions

Junior Discussant: Tulia Gattone, Sapienza

Senior Discussant: Giorgia Giovannetti, UNIFI

16:00 – 17:00 **Tulia Gattone**, Sapienza

Participation of smallholder farmers in market value chains: a tailored Antràs and Chor's positioning indicator for microanalyses

Junior Discussant: Federico Colozza, RomaTre

Senior Discussant: Carlo Pietrobelli, RomaTre

17:00 – 17:15 Concluding remarks

Departure

Location: Via delle Pandette - 50127 Firenze (<https://www.disei.unifi.it/vp-73-sedi.html>)

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