

SPACE|ECONOMY PhD Workshop

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Last mile's diverse economies: Taking back the technology
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Remote work and fertility plans
The impact of the EU-ETS on the career patterns of workers
Cultural infrastructures between centres and peripheries
Territorial classifications for the identification of urban peripheries
The impact of floods, cyclones, and tornadoes on gender-based violence
A toast to health? The unintended impact of pesticides
Geographies of waste-related environmental injustice
Exposure to heat, workplace safety and the labor market
Linguistic minorities, social cohesion and local development

SPECIAL PANEL | March 7th 11 am

Competitiveness or cohesion?

The Draghi Report on the future of EU in territorial perspective

with: Roberta Capello (Pólimi), Andrea Filippetti (CNR), Elena Granaglia (ForumDD)
Dario Guarascio, Alberto M. Radici & Jacopo Tramontano (Sapienza)

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March 6th

10:00 | Critical perspectives on innovation | *Chair:* Filippo Celata (Sapienza)

Francesco Castellano (Sapienza) | **Shaping the geographies of innovation: A mobility network analysis on mRNA Covid-19 vaccines' inventors** | *Discussant:* Alberto Maria Radici (Sapienza)

Laura Eccher (GSSI) | **Last mile's diverse economies: taking back the technology in Barcelona and Bologna** | *Discussant:* Gianluca Bei (Sapienza)

11:45 | Cities, inequalities and urban policies | *Chair:* Andrea Ascani (GSSI)

Christian J. González-Cuatianquis (GSSI) | **Inequalities and life satisfaction in European cities** | *Discussant:* Miriam Berretta (GSSI)

Flavia D. Carino (Sapienza) | **What shapes the EU Cohesion Policy Urban Development Strategy? Evidence from a text mining analysis** | *Discussant:* C.J. González-Cuatianquis (GSSI)

14:30 | Labour markets and policies | *Chair:* Augusto Cerqua (Sapienza)

Dario Pantano (Sapienza) | **Piracy as an alternative: Unintended consequences of labor market policies in Indonesia** | *Discussant:* Giulia Martinelli (GSSI)

Thea Jansen (GSSI) | **Remote work and fertility plans: A dual-income household analysis** | *Discussant:* Gabriele Pinto (Sapienza)

Francesca M. Dematteis (Sapienza) | **The impact of the EU-ETS on the career patterns of workers: Evidence from Italian manufacturing firms** | *Discussant:* Federico Zampollo (GSSI)

16:50 | New perspective on urban peripheries | *Chair:* Alessandra Faggian (GSSI)

Luca Torchia (Sapienza) | **Cultural Deserts: Accessibility and potential of cultural infrastructures in Italy between centers and peripheries** | *Discussant:* Laura Eccher (GSSI)

Filippo Accordino (Sapienza) | **Territorial classifications for the identification of urban peripheries** | *Discussant:* Ilaria Rossi (Sapienza)

March 7th

09:30 | Social consequences of environmental shocks | *Chair:* Valerio L. Sciabolazza (Sapienza)

Miriam Berretta (GSSI) | **Disaster's shadow: The impact of floods, cyclones, and tornadoes on gender-based violence in Mexico** | *Discussant:* Costanza Giannantoni (Sapienza)

Giuliano Rolle (GSSI) | **A toast to health? The unintended impact of pesticides in Italy's Prosecco region** | *Discussant:* Giorgia Scognamiglio (Sapienza)

11:00 | **Competitiveness or cohesion?**

The Draghi Report on the future of EU in territorial perspective

Chair: **Dario Guarascio** (Sapienza) | *Questions:* **Alberto M. Radici & Jacopo Tramontano** (Sapienza) | *Panelists:* **Roberta Capello** (Polimi), **Andrea Filippetti** (CNR), **Elena Granaglia** (ForumDD).

15:00 | Geographies of environmental challenges | *Chair:* Alessandro Palma (GSSI)

Giorgia Scognamiglio (Sapienza) | **Geographies of waste-related environmental injustice in Campania** | *Discussant:* Luca Buzzanca (GSSI)

Giulia Martinelli (GSSI) | **Exposure to heat, workplace safety and the labor market: evidence from a policy experiment** | *Discussant:* Francesca Dematteis (Sapienza)

Luca Buzzanca (GSSI) | **Speaking ourselves closer: Linguistic minorities, social cohesion and local development in Italian inner areas** | *Discussant:* Barbara Brollo (Sapienza)

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