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# Topics in large-scale time series models for economics and finance

## Workshop in memory of Stefano Fachin

Thursday 22 February 2024

Location: Aula I, ground floor, Department of Statistical Sciences

Organizers: M. Franchi, B. Maggi, M.G. Pittau, R. Zelli

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### Program

**09:00 – 09:10: Registration**

**09:10 – 09:30: Welcome address**

Prof.ssa Giovanna Jona Lasinio, Head of the Department of Statistical Sciences.  
Prof. Luca Fanelli, President of the Italian Econometric Association (SIde).

**09:30 - 10:45: Presentations**

09:30-09:55: G. Cubadda, *The Time-Varying Multivariate Autoregressive Index Model*.  
09:55-10:20: G. Arbia, *Robust spatial correlation and spatial outlier detection*.  
10:20-10:45: P. Paruolo, *Inference on general permanent-transitory decompositions*.

**10:45 - 11:15: Coffee break**

**11:15 - 12:05: Presentations**

11:15-11:40: G. Storti, *Adaptive combinations of tail-risk forecasts*.  
11:40-12:05: G. Gallo, *Modeling volatility meaningful events and the classification of monetary policy announcements*.

**12:05 - 13:15: Memories of Stefano**

G. Arbia, F. Battaglia, S. Destefanis, F. Di Iorio, G. Gallo, A. Gavosto, F. Grasso, R. Lucchetti, E. Orsingher, E. Otranto, M. Vichi.

**13:15 - 14:45: Lunch**

**14:45 - 15:30: Invited lecture**

14:45 - 15:30: M. Lippi, *High-Dimensional Dynamic Factor Models do it better. A comparison with Structural VAR techniques*.

**15:30 - 16:20: Presentations**

15:30-15:55: G. Fiorentini, *Information matrix tests for multivariate Gaussian mixtures*.  
15:55-16:20: R. Lucchetti, *Revisiting the dynamic factor approach for yield curve modelling*.

**16:20 - 16:50: Coffee break**

**16:50 - 17:40: Presentations**

16:50-17:15: C. Ciccarelli, *Notes on the rate of regional industrial growth in Italy, 1861-1913*.  
17:15-17:40: F. Di Iorio, *Green TFP in OECD Countries: a panel stochastic frontiers approach*.

**17:40 – 17:45: Concluding remarks**