BNU-CIID-UniMC Summer School

INCOME, INEQUALITY AND POVERTY ACROSS THE GLOBE

June 9th - June 14th, 2019

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Description of the School

Over the recent decades, the distribution of income has been evolving in many advanced and developing countries, leading to increased disparities between the rich and poor, a declining share of the middle class, and a growing public demand for redistribution. Furthermore, increasingly convincing evidence has been provided to show that growing income inequality has harmful effects on economic growth and poverty reduction and tends to amplify the risk of crisis. As a consequence, the subject of income inequality and poverty has featured prominently back in the economics research agenda, especially since the Great Recession (2008) and the consequent inability of the world economy to fully recover from the crisis.

The goal of the School will be to provide students with a better understanding of domestic and international patterns of income distribution, by delivering lectures from experts of both the China Institute for Income Distribution (Beijing Normal University, China) and the University of Macerata - as well as scholars from other Italian Universities - on the main approaches to the measurement of inequality and poverty, their main trends, and their fundamental determinants. During the School, students will also have the opportunity to present their own work and receive comments from faculty.

Web site: http://spocri.unimc.it/ss-bnuclid; contact e-mail: summerschool.spocri@unimc.it.
Venue

The sessions will be held in Aula Verde of “Polo Didattico Pantaleoni” (second floor), located in Via Pescheria Vecchia - see aerial map below for location.

The following is a more comprehensive map of the city center:

Wi-Fi connection is available in the main university buildings. To get to access to the Wi-Fi network:

- Enter your mobile phone number in the home screen (it is necessary to register only the first time); an SMS will be sent with a verification code that, once inserted, will recognize the device forever in each UniMC building (therefore, username and password will no longer have to be entered).
- The verification code is linked to the device; therefore, if you have multiple devices, you need to make multiple registrations (one for each device) - e.g. for a smartphone, a tablet and a laptop, three registrations will be required and three codes will be obtained, which, once inserted in the three devices, will be recognized by the system.
- Access to the Wi-Fi access is also available using your credentials from one of your favorite social networks (Google+, Twitter, Facebook, LinkedIn).
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Teaching Material

Lecture slides and teaching material will be made available to students through the following link: https://online.unimc.it. Access to the Portal is authorised with the same login credentials used during the phase of registration to the Summer School.

Agenda

**Sunday - June 9, 2019**

9:30 am to 2:30 pm    ARRIVALS IN MACERATA
2:30 pm to 8:00 pm    CHECK-IN

**Monday - June 10, 2019**

9:00 am to 9:30 am    WELCOME ADDRESS
9:30 am to 11:00 am   TUTORIAL 1 - Income Distribution, Inequality and Poverty: Measurement
                      Gianni Betti (University of Siena, Italy)
11:00 am to 11:30 am  COFFE BREAK
11:30 am to 1:00 pm   TUTORIAL 2 - Economic Inequality: Causes And Consequences
                      Enzo Valentini (University of Macerata, Italy)
1:00 pm to 2:30 pm    LUNCH BREAK
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<td>TUTORIAL 3 - Poverty And Inequality: Multidimensional Approach</td>
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<td>LECTURE 1 - Economic Transition and Redistribution Policies in China</td>
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<td>6:00 pm to 8:00 pm</td>
<td>SOCIAL EVENT 1 - Visit to the Mozzi-Borgetti Town Library</td>
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<td>LECTURE 2 - Robotization and Labour Dislocation in the Manufacturing Industries: A Panel VAR Approach</td>
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<td>11:00 am to 11:30 am</td>
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<td>11:30 am to 1:00 pm</td>
<td>LECTURE 3 - Inequality and Poverty in the Italian Experience of the Last 20 Years</td>
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<td>Nicoletta Pannuzi (Istat, Italian National Institute of Statistics, Italy)</td>
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<td>LECTURE 4 - Multidimensional Fuzzy Estimates: Empirical Evidences from EU-SILC Data</td>
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<td>Andrea Regoli (University of Naples “Parthenope”, Italy)</td>
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<td>STUDENTS’ WORKSHOP 1</td>
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<td>LABORATORY 1 - Using Survey Data to Estimate Poverty and Inequality</td>
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Wednesday - June 12, 2019

9:30 am to 11:00 am  
LECTURE 5 - Growth, Inequality and Poverty Reduction in Africa in the Last Two Decades  
Fabio Clementi (University of Macerata, Italy)

11:00 am to 11:30 am  
COFFE BREAK

11:30 am to 1:00 pm  
LECTURE 6 - An Empirical Investigation of the Income Share of the Middle Class over the Growth Process  
Francesco Farina (LUISS University, Italy)

1:00 pm to 2:30 pm  
LUNCH BREAK

2:30 pm to 4:00 pm  
LECTURE 7 - Dynamics of Income and Wealth Inequality in China  
Wan Haiyuan (China Institute for Income Distribution, Beijing Normal University, China)

4:00 pm to 4:30 pm  
COFFE BREAK

4:30 pm to 6:00 pm  
STUDENTS’ WORKSHOP 2

6:00 pm to 8:00 pm  
LABORATORY 2 - Estimating Income Inequality from Grouped Data  
Fabio Clementi (University of Macerata, Italy)

After 8:00 pm  
DINNER

Thursday - June 13, 2019

9:30 am to 11:00 am  
LECTURE 8 - Inequality Underestimation in a Changing Sub-Saharan Africa  
Fabio Clementi (University of Macerata, Italy)

11:00 am to 11:30 am  
COFFE BREAK

11:30 am to 1:00 pm  
LECTURE 9 - Long-Term Poverty Reduction and Anti-Poverty Policies in China  
Shen Yangyang (China Institute for Income Distribution, Beijing Normal University, China)

1:00 pm to 2:30 pm  
LUNCH BREAK

2:30 pm to 4:00 pm  
STUDENTS’ WORKSHOP 3

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| 4:30 pm to 6:00 pm | STUDENTS' INTERACTIVE SESSION  
Led by Elisabetta Croci Angelini (University of Macerata, Italy) |
| 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm | LABORATORY 3 - Top Income Shares and the Pareto Interpolation Method  
Fabio Clementi (University of Macerata, Italy) |
| After 8:00 pm   | DINNER                                                              |

**Friday - June 14, 2019**

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| 9:30 am to 11:00 am | LECTURE 10 - Brazil: From Illusion to Reality. Poverty, Growth and Income Distribution in the Last Two Decades  
Francesco Schettino (University of Campania “Luigi Vanvitelli”, Italy) |
| 11:00 am to 11:30 am | COFFEE BREAK                                                        |
| 11:30 am to 1:00 pm | LECTURE 11 - Cuba: Wealth Distribution in a Socialist Economy  
Francesco Schettino (University of Campania “Luigi Vanvitelli”, Italy) |
| 1:00 pm to 2:30 pm | LUNCH BREAK                                                          |
| 2:30 pm to 4:30 pm | FINAL EXAMINATION                                                    |
| 4:30 pm to 5:00 pm | CERTIFICATE DELIVERY CEREMONY AND CLOSING UP                         |
| 5:00 pm to 6:30 pm | SOCIAL EVENT 2 - Visit to the Bonaccorsi Palace                      |
| 6:30 pm to 8:00 pm | FREE TIME                                                            |
| After 8:00 pm   | SUMMER SCHOOL CLOSING DINNER                                        |

**Saturday - June 15, 2019**

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