



INSTITUT D' ANÀLISI ECONÒMICA



## Workshop

### “Towards Sustained Economic Growth: Evidence and Theory”

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## PROGRAMME

### FRIDAY, 29th OCTOBER

09: 09:30 – 13:00 Session 1 Chaired by Joachim Voth (ICREA, UPF & CREI)

09:30 **Longevity and Lifetime Labor Supply: Evidence and Implications Revisited**

Matteo Cervellati\*, University of Bologna  
Uwe Sunde, University of St. Gallen

10:30 **The Role of Mortality in the Transmission of Knowledge**

Michael Bar, San Francisco State University  
Oksana Leukhina\*, University of North Carolina

11:30 Coffee break

12:00 **Longevity and Education Externalities: a Macroeconomic Perspective**

Francesco Ricci, Université de Poitiers  
Marios Zachariadis\*, University of Cyprus

13:00 Lunch

15:00 – 19:30 Session 2 Chaired by Matthias Doepke (Northwestern U.)

15:00 **Culture and Economics in the Fertility Transition**

Davide Cantoni, Universitat Pompeu Fabra  
Francesco Cinnirella\*, Ifo Institute for Economic Research  
Oliver Falck, Ifo Institute for Economic Research  
Stephan Heblich, Max Planck Institute of Economics

16:00 **Human Capital and the Demographic Transition: Why Schooling Became Optimal**

Edgar Vogel, University of Mannheim

17:00 Coffee break

17:30 **The Child Quantity-Quality Trade-off: Evidence from the Population History of England**

Marc Klemp, University of Copenhagen  
Jacob Weisdorf\*, University of Copenhagen

18:30 **The Longevity of Famous People: 1000 to 1809**

David de la Croix\*, Université catholique de Louvain  
Omar Licandro, Institut d'Anàlisi Econòmica

20:30 Dinner

**SATURDAY, 30th OCTOBER**

09:30 – 13:00 Session 1 Chaired by David de la Croix (U. Catholique de Louvain)

09:30 **Does Female Empowerment Promote Economic Development?**

Matthias Doepke\*, Northwestern University  
Michèle Tertilt, Stanford University

10:30 **The Agricultural Basis of Comparative Development**

Dietrich Vollrath, University of Houston

11:30 Coffee break

12:00 **“Divide and Rule”, or “The Rule of the Divided”? Evidence from Africa**

Stelios Michalopoulos\*, Tufts University  
Elias Papaionnou, Harvard University

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