

# Workshop on “Institutions, Contracts and Growth: Links and Dynamics”

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**Keynote Speakers:** Philippe Aghion (Harvard University) and Ramon Marimon (EUI)

**CALL FOR PAPERS – deadline: March 1<sup>st</sup>, 2009**

You are invited to submit a paper proposal for, or express your interest in attending the workshop on “Institutions, Contracts and Growth: Links and Dynamics”.

The goal of the workshop is to bring together researchers and practitioners interested in institutions (broadly defined) and growth. Up to 8 papers will be selected and suitable topics may include, but are not limited to:

- How do contracts, organizations and institutions affect growth?
- Do contracts, organizations and institutions evolve with economic development?
- What are the appropriate institutions at different stages of growth?
- How do contracts and organizations interact with institutional change?
- Which factors affect the interaction between growth, contracts and institutions?

The deadline for submissions is March 1<sup>st</sup>, 2009. Please indicate in your reply whether you would like to attend the conference, and whether you would like to present a paper or act as a discussant. Authors interested in presenting should send a draft of the paper (abstracts accepted) as pdf-file to [wicg@iae.csic.es](mailto:wicg@iae.csic.es). Accepted papers will be notified by April 1<sup>st</sup>, 2009. Please be aware that it may not be possible to accept all applications to attend this conference.

Limited financial support for economy class air travel and lodging expenses will be available for presenters and discussants. Please indicate in your reply whether you will cover your own travel and accommodation costs or will require funding.

Yours sincerely,

The organizers: Alessandra Bonfiglioli (IAE-CSIC), Gino Gancia (CREI, UPF and CEPR) and Albert Marcet (IAE-CSIC and CEPR)