

2nd Development Economists Meeting – DevEconMeet

Department of Economics and Management, University of Florence

29th - 30th September 2022

CALL FOR PAPERS

The interest in development economics is on the rise at the global level and an increasing number of young scholars are choosing this field as a research topic also in Italy. The purpose of the meeting is to offer PhD students whose research focuses on development economics topics the opportunity of presenting their work, receiving feedback from established researchers in an open and collaborative environment, and to network with other Italian development economists.

This event is organized by a group of Italian universities, namely, the Universities of Firenze, Milano Bicocca, Pavia, Torino, Roma Tor Vergata, Roma Tre and Sapienza Università di Roma, but it is open to 2nd and 3rd year Development Economics students enrolled in any Italian PhD program in Economics.

The DevEconMeet will take place at the Department of Economics and Management of the University of Florence on September 29-30, 2022. The format is as follows:

- 2-day-long in-presence workshop;
- prospective participants must submit a full paper (although a limited number of almost final paper might be accepted);
- papers will be accepted according to their state of advancement and quality;
- each paper will get 20' for presentation + 20' for discussion;
- discussion will be opened by 1 senior discussant and 1 junior discussant (i.e. PhD student or post-doc);
- no funding will be provided to participants by the organizers.

PhD students whose papers have not been selected or who did not submit a paper can be admitted as part of the audience upon request to the local organizers.

Interested students should submit their papers to the local organizers at the following email addresses: giannaclaudia.giannelli@unifi.it and donato.romano@unifi.it (please write DevEconMeet in the object).

Important dates

- Submission deadline: **July 10**
- Notification of acceptance: **July 31**
- Final paper submission: **September 10**

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