Workshop on the “Political Economy of Development and Conflict”

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Program

THURSDAY, MAY 9

13:15-14:30 Buffet Lunch, Registration

14:30-15:45 Guido Tabellini
“Emotions and Political Unrest” (with Francesco Passarelli)
Discussant: Giacomo Ponzetto gponzetto@crei.cat

15:45-17:00 Francesco Caselli f.caselli@lse.ac.uk
“The Geography of Inter-State Resource Wars”.
Discussant: Davide Ticchi davide.ticchi@imtlucca.it

17:00-17:30 Coffee break

17:30-18:45 Carles Boix cboix@princeton.edu
“The Roots of the Industrial Revolution: Political Institutions of (Socially Embedded) Know-How?” (with Scott Abramson)
Discussant: Frederick van der Ploeg rick.vanderploeg@economics.ox.ac.uk

Conference Dinner

FRIDAY, MAY 10

9:30-10:45 Mathias Thoenig Mathias.Thoenig@unil.ch
"Networks and conflicts: Theory and Evidence from Rebel Groups in Africa" (with Michael Koenig, Dominic Rohner and Fabrizio Zilibotti)
Discussant: Uwe Sunde uwe.sunde@econ.lmu.de

10:45-12:00 Elias Papaioannou eliaspapaioannou@london.edu
“National Institutions and Sub-national Development in Africa” (with Stelios Michalopoulos)
Discussant: Joachim Voth jvoth@crei.cat
12:00-12:15 Coffee Break

12:15-13:30 Fabrizio Zilibotti fabrizio.zilibotti@econ.uzh.ch
“War Signals: A Theory of Trade, Trust and Conflict” (with Dominic Rohner and Mathias Thoenig)
Discussant: Nicola Gennaioli nicola.gennaioli@unibocconi.it

13:30-14:30 Buffet Lunch

14:30-15:45 Pierre Yared pyared@columbia.edu
"A Theory of Political and Economic Cycles" (with Laurence Ales and Pricila Maziero)
Discussant: Gino Gancia ggancia@crei.cat

15:45-17:00 Melissa Dell melissadell@fas.harvard.edu
“Path Dependence in Development: Evidence from the Mexican Revolution”
Discussant: Erik Meyersson erik.meyersson@hhs.se

17:00-17:30 Coffee break

17:30-18:45 David Laitin dlaitin@stanford.edu
“How persistence is armed conflict?” (with James Fearon)
Discussant: Hannes Mueller hannes.mueller@iae.csic.es

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