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Historical Economics and the "Meridione"

24-25 MAY 2023

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24 MAY 2023

1:30PM

INTRODUCTION AND COFFEE

14:00PM

POLITICAL ELITES, URBAN INSTITUTIONS AND LONG-RUN PERSISTENCE: THE KING-OWNED TOWNS

ELISA BORGHI Bocconi University and **DONATO MASCIANDARO** Bocconi University

14:45PM

NAPOLEONIC ADMINISTRATIVE REFORMS AND DEVELOPMENT: LESSONS FROM THE ITALIAN MEZZOGIORNO

GIULIO CAINELLI University of Padua, **CARLO CICCARELLI** University of Roma, Tor Vergata, and **ROBERTO GANAU** University of Padua

15:30PM

COFFEE

15:45PM

QUESTIONE MERIDIONALE: ELITES AND CIVIL SOCIETY"

ALBERTO BISIN NYU and **GIOVANNI FEDERICO** NYU Abu Dhabi

16:30PM

PERSISTENT SPECIALIZATION AND GROWTH: THE ITALIAN LAND REFORM

RICCARDO BIANCHI-VIMERCATI Northwestern University, **GIAMPAOLO LECCE** Groningen University, and **MATTEO MAGNARICOTTE** Chicago University

17:15PM

COFFEE

17:30PM

THE LEGACY OF FEUDALISM AND SICILIAN LOW SOCIAL CAPITAL

CATERINA ALFONZO University of Bologna and **MARA SQUICCIARINI** Bocconi University

18:15PM

WHEN NATION BUILDING GOES SOUTH: DRAFT EVASION, GOVERNMENT REPRESSION, AND THE ORIGINS OF THE SICILIAN MAFIA

GIANNI MARCIANTE University of Bologna

25 May 2023

10:00AM – 12:00PM

QUESTIONE MERIDIONALE: PROSPETTIVE STORICHE

GUIDO ALFANI Bocconi University and **EMANUELE FELICE** IULM

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