

Workshop on "Global Challenges"

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Università degli Studi di Milano Bicocca

**Aula del Consiglio della Scuola di Economia e Statistica (n. 4064)
Fourth Floor, Building U7, Via Bicocca degli Arcimboldi 8, Milan**

Programme

- 9.30-10.15 **Antonio Ciccone** (University of Mannheim): "Second-Nature Geography, Trade, and Income"
- 10.15-11.00 **Axel Dreher** (University of Heidelberg): "Aid on Demand: African Leaders and the Geography of China's Foreign Assistance"
- 11.00-11.30 *Coffee break*
- 11.30-12.15 **Fernanda Brolo** (University of Warwick): "The Political Economy of Enforcing Conditional Welfare Programs: Evidence from Brazil"
- 12.15-13.00 **Andrea Presbitero** (IMF): "Monetary Policy in a Developing Country: Loan Applications and Real Effects"
- 13.00-14.30 *Lunch*
- 14.30-15.15 **Ferdinand Rauch** (University of Oxford): "The Benefits of Forced Experimentation: Striking Evidence from the London Underground Network"
- 15.15-16.00 **Jacopo Ponticelli** (Chicago Booth): "Capital Allocation across Regions, Sectors and Firms: Evidence from a Commodity Boom in Brazil"
- 16.00-16.45 **Matthieu Crozet** (University Paris Sud and CEPII): "Collateral Damage: The Impact of the Russia Sanctions on Sanctioning Countries' Exports"
- 16.45-17.15 *Coffee Break and Workshop Wrap-up*

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