

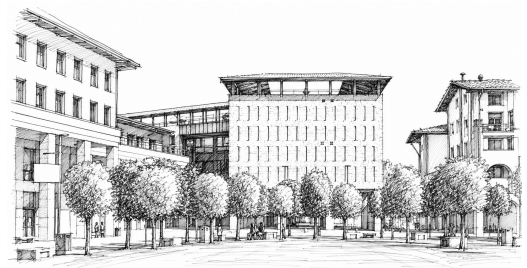
The Dynamics of Inequality

Long-Term Perspectives

Università di Firenze

Dipartimento di Scienze per l'Economia e l'Impresa

17–18 September 2026



17 September

09:00–09:15 Registration D6, Novoli Campus, via delle Pandette 9, Firenze.

Keynote Lecture

09:15–10:30 - Aula Bracco

Guido Alfani, Bocconi University

Economic inequality, political openness and 'meritocracy': a historical perspective

Coffee Break

Session 1

10:50–13:00 - Aula Bracco

Samuel Cohn, University of Glasgow

Art & Inequality: A Renaissance Paradox

Tommaso Somigli Russotto University of Milan, Bicocca

Wealth, Political Power, and Dynastic Concentration in Early Modern Northern Italy

Wouter Ryckbosch, Ghent University & **Daan Van den bussche**, University of Antwerp

Wealth, Globalisation, and the Uneven Geography of Capital in Belgium, 1855–1937

Adrián Palacios, Universidad de Zaragoza

Inequality in the Crown of Aragon from the 18th to the 20th Centuries

Lunch Break

Session 2

14:00–15:30 - Aula Bracco

Edoardo Rappa, University of Siena & **Giacomo Gabbuti**, Sant'Anna School of Advanced Studies

Gender Inequality in Incomes and Employment in Italy, 1901–2019

Noah Sutter, London School of Economics and Political Science

The New Regime of the Family: Persistent Effects of French Customary Law on the Gender Wealth Gap, 1791–1870

Michele Bavaro, Scuola Normale Superiore, Firenze

Parents' Education and Children's Household Income Across Cohorts in Europe

Coffee Break

Session 3

16:00–17:30 - Aula Bracco

Stephan Maurer, UPF Barcelona School of Management
The Short and Long Run Dynamics of the Great Gatsby Curve

Yonatan Berman, King's College of London
Multigenerational Mobility and Long-Run Inequality

Christophe Van Langenhove, Vrije Universiteit Brussel
Intergenerational Transfers, Wealth Inequality and Wealth Mobility in the United States

Poster Session & Apericena

19:00-21:00 - Casa Caciolle - via di Caciolle 5

- **Suvi Heikkuri**, University of Gothenburg
Building the Middle: The Changing Occupational Structure and Income Distribution in Sweden, 1880–1970
- **Lorenzo Pinna**, University of Pisa
Are Aspirations Endogenous or Exogenous? A Complementary Analysis of Parsons and Veblen and the Implications for Social Mobility
- **Lara Sarcinella**, Universiteit Antwerpen
Constructing a Historic Microsimulation Model to Measure the Intentions and Impact of Taxes and Benefits on Income Distribution in the Netherlands: 1950–1975
- **Stefano Usai**, University of Siena
Multigenerational Mobility and Early Labor Market Outcomes
- **Elda Celislami**, World Bank
The Long-Lasting Effect of Bombing on Environmental Management: Evidence from Kosovo
- **Ilaria Lopresti & Giacomo Negrisola**, University of Florence & IMT Lucca
Heat and Learning Inequality: Evidence from Italy
- **Kevin Tagliatatela**, University of Florence
The Effect of Delaying School Tracking on Inequality of Opportunity: Evidence from Italy

18 September

Session 4

09:30–11:00 - Aula Bracco

Ginevra Scalisi, Sant'Anna School of Advanced Studies

Widening the Gap: The Dynamic Effects of Climate Change on Income Inequality

Cornelia Mohren, Paris School of Economics

Global Inequality by 2050: The Role of Redistribution and Climate Change

Elisa Palagi, Sant'Anna School of Advanced Studies

Billionaires' Emissions & Climate Finance: The Case for a Carbon Wealth Tax

Session 5

11:30–13:00 - Aula Bracco

Rowaida Moshrif, Paris School of Economics

A Century of Land Inequality in Egypt

Diego Castañeda Garza, Uppsala Center for Business History

Inequality, Demography, and Racial Structure in Cuba, 1862–1962: A Reconstruction with Social Tables

Yutaro Takayasu, Hitotsubashi University

The Last or Lasting Samurai: The Impact of Secondary Schools on Elite Formation in Early Development

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