







3rd PRIN Workshop on "The Economics of Beliefs, Culture and Institutions"

Historical Political Economy

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Venue: Sala Vaona, Dipartimento di Scienze Economiche, Università degli Studi di Verona, Via Cantarane 24, Verona

Program

10:00 – 10:40 Welcome Address Roberto Ricciuti (University of Verona)

10:40 - 11:20

Cristina Molinari (Ca' Foscari University of Venice) "Voting for the Doge in Venice and Genoa: two convoluted election procedures compared" Discussant: Andrea Xamo (University of Verona)

11:20 – 12:00 Roberto Ricciuti (University of Verona) "Elite persistence in medieval Venice after the Black Death" (with A. Baronchelli and M. Viale) *Discussant: Cristina Molinari (Ca' Foscari University of Venice)*

12:00 – 12:40 Andrea Xamo (University of Verona) "Feather-Handed Fascists: Repression as a Signal of Bureaucratic Alignment" (with P. Grau-Vilalta and L. Vicari) *Discussant: Roberto Ricciuti (University of Verona)*

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