



2nd Rome Junior Conference on Macroeconomics a.k.a. “PIZZANOMICS”

**Rome, 17-18 June, 2013
Venue: EIEF - Via Sallustiana, 62**

PROGRAM

Monday, 17 June

10:30 *Registration*

11:00-12:00 Jean-Paul L'Huillier (EIEF): “*Technological Revolutions and Debt Hangovers: Is there a link?*”, joint with Dan Cao (Georgetown University)

12:00-13:00 Javier Bianchi (University of Wisconsin-Madison): “*Overborrowing, Financial Crises and Macroprudential policy*” joint with Enrique G. Mendoza (University of Maryland and NBER)

13:00-14:30 *Lunch - Pizza and salads in the yard*

14:30-15:30 Saki Bigio (Columbia University): “*Liquidity Management and Monetary Policy*”, joint with Javier Bianchi (University of Wisconsin-Madison)

15:30-16:30 Vasco Carvalho (Universitat Pompeu Fabra, CREI): “*Firm Dynamics and the Granular Hypothesis*” Basile Grassi (Paris School of Economics)

16:30-17:00 *Coffee break*

17:00-18:00 Ezra Oberfield (FRB-Chicago): “*Micro Data and Macro Technology*”, joint with Devesh Raval (University of Chicago)

20:30 *Dinner - Restaurant “Il Localino”*

Tuesday, 18 June

11:00-12:00 Jaroslav Borovicka (New York University): “*Robust Preference Expansions*”, joint with Lars Peter Hansen (University of Chicago)

12:00-13:00 Luigi Paciello (EIEF): “*Price Setting with Customer Retention Concerns*”, joint with Andrea Pozzi (EIEF) and Nicholas Trachter (EIEF)

13:00-14:30 *Lunch - Pizza and salads in the yard*

14:30-15:30 Ali Shourideh (University of Pennsylvania, Wharton): “*Optimal Taxation of Wealthy Individuals*”

15:30-16:30 Pablo Fajgelbaum (University of California, Los Angeles): “*External Integration, Structural Transformation, and Internal Development: Evidence from Argentina, 1870-1914*”, joint with Stephen Redding (Princeton University)

16:30-17:00 *Coffee break*

17:00-18:00 Venky Venkateswaran (New York University - Stern): “*Pledgability and Liquidity: A new Monetarist Model of Macro and Financial Activity*”, joint with Randy Wright (University of Wisconsin-Madison)

20:30 *Dinner - Restaurant TBC*

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