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# Events for SIdE members

## First Italian Workshop of Econometrics and Empirical Economics

SIdE is pleased to announce the **First Italian Workshop of Econometrics and Empirical Economics (IWEEE): Panel Data Models and Applications**, which will take place on January 25th-26th, 2018, University of Milano-Bicocca, Italy.

The workshop focuses on methodological advances and innovative applications of state-of-the-art econometric methods for panel data. With the increasing availability of longitudinal datasets, such methods are becoming standard and essential tools in applied research. Nonetheless, panel data econometrics is continuously undergoing theoretical advances and finding new fields of application. The workshop welcomes the presentation of theoretical and applied papers developing and/or applying micro- and macro-panel data econometric methods in the form of oral presentations and posters.

**Keynote speakers:** Prof. Manuel Arellano (CEMFI, Madrid); Prof. Marco Lippi (EIEF, Rome).

**Conference webpage:** <http://www.iweee2018.it/>

**Program Committee:** Francesco Bartolucci (University of Perugia - Chair), Erich Battistin (Queen Mary University of London), Stefano Fachin (University of Rome – La Sapienza), Michael Lechner (University of St. Gallen), Chiara Monfardini (University of Bologna), Paolo Paruolo (Joint Research Center, Ispra), Franco Peracchi (University of Rome - Tor Vergata, IT & Georgetown University), Claudia Pigini (Marche Polytechnic University), Alessandro Sembenelli (University of Turin), Arthur van Soest (Tilburg University).

**Local Organizing Committee:** Claudio Morana (University of Milano-Bicocca - Chair), Matteo Manera (University of Milano-Bicocca), Matteo Pelagatti (University of Milano-Bicocca – Vice Chair).

**Fees:** early registration, 110€ or 60€ (for students); late registration (after December 8th, 2017), 150€.

**Financial support for young participants:** Limited financial support for young researchers will be available upon formal application. Funded visiting research opportunities (1 month), at key research Italian institutions belonging to the SIdE network, are also foreseen.

**Submission of papers:** Papers can be submitted electronically in pdf format (with a limit of one paper per submitter) to the email address: [iweee2018@gmail.com](mailto:iweee2018@gmail.com). The deadline for submissions is September 30th, 2017. The decision notification date is November 18th, 2017.

# Workshop & Conferences around the world

The following events might be of interest to our members.

## **(EC)<sup>2</sup> Conference**

Vrije University Amsterdam, 14-15 December 2017

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Vrije University Amsterdam host the 28th (EC)<sup>2</sup> Conference.

The title of the conference is: **“Time-Varying Parameter Models”**.

*Local Organizer:* Siem Jan Koopman (VU Amsterdam)

*Program Chair:* Anders Rahbek (University of Copenhagen, Denmark)

*Invited Lecturers:*

Christian Gourieroux (University of Toronto, Canada and Crest, France)

Andre Lucas (VU Amsterdam)

Andrew Patton (Duke University, United States)

For more information, please visit:

<https://sites.google.com/site/ecpower2/news/ec22017amsterdamdecember15-16>

<http://www.tinbergen.nl/ec2/>

## Job Openings and PhD Calls

### **3-year postdoc position @ LUISS in Rome**

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The position is granted within the Research Project “High-Dimensional Data: Applications to Economics”.

The annual wage is equal to 19,367 euros (around 1,450 euros net a month). The teaching load is zero. There is a possibility of complementing the postdoc wage with some teaching activities (knowledge of Italian is not required since all courses are taught in English).

The deadline for the application is *September 30*. The starting date of the post-doc is flexible and may vary between January and September 2018. There is also a possibility of renewal for 1 additional year at the end of the 3 years contract.

For more information, please visit:

<http://economiaefinanza.luiss.it/en/node/5166>

## New SIdE Members

*We welcome the following new members of our Society:* Laura Brogi, Rocco Caferra, Riccardo Camboni Marchi Adani, Alessio Ciarlone, Michele Costola, Christian Dahlmann, Simona Ferraro, Riccardo Ievoli, Vito Intini, Francesca Lilla, Ena Pecina, Matteo Maria Pelagatti, Davide Pettenuzzo, Paolo Piselli, Nicolas Reigl, Gabriele Rovigatti.

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