

## **POLITICAL ECONOMY OF CONFLICTS AND DEVELOPMENT**

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**HOTEL DU GOLF, VILLARS-SUR-OLLON, SWITZERLAND**

### **FEBRUARY 1**

<b>08:00 – 8:15</b>	<b>REGISTRATION</b>
<b>08:15 – 09:05</b>	<b><i>The explosive combination of religious decentralization and autocracy: The case of Islam</i></b> Emmanuelle Auriol (University Toulouse 1 Capitole & CEPR)
<b>09:05 – 09:55</b>	<b><i>Necessity is the Mother of Inventions: the Emergence of the Reluctant Entrepreneur</i></b> Giacomo De Giorgi (University of Geneva & CEPR)
<b>09:55 – 10:20</b>	<b>COFFEE BREAK</b>
<b>10:20 – 11:10</b>	<b><i>Conflict within the household and its impact on fertility and mortality (a field experiment in Zambia)</i></b> Nava Ashraf (London School of Economics)
<b>11:10 – 12:00</b>	<b><i>Globalization and Political Conflict: Evidence from Air Links</i></b> David Yanagizawa-Drott (University of Zurich & CEPR)
<b>16:45 – 17:15</b>	<b>COFFEE BREAK</b>
<b>17:15 – 18:05</b>	<b><i>Organized crime, Violence, and Politics</i></b> Paolo Pinotti (Bocconi University & CEPR)
<b>18:05 – 18:55</b>	<b><i>Social Ties, Identity and the Delivery of Public Services</i></b> Oriana Bandiera (London School of Economics & CEPR)
<b>20:00</b>	<b>DINNER</b>

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## FEBRUARY 2

- 08:15 – 09:05**      ***Football, National Identity, and Ethnic Conflict***  
Ruben Durante (Sciences Po, Universitat Pompeu Fabra & CEPR)
- 09:05 – 09:55**      ***All Along the Watchtower: Linear Defenses and the Introduction of Serfdom in Russia***  
Andrea Matranga (New Economics School Moscow)
- 09:55 – 10:20**      **COFFEE BREAK**
- 10:20 – 11:10**      ***Leaders, Conflicts, and State Capacity: Evidence from Colonial West Africa***  
Elise Huillery (University Paris-Dauphine)
- 11:10 – 12:00**      ***Efficient Markets or Network Capitalism? The Logic of Labor Repression in Argentina's Last Market Friendly Dictatorship***  
Shanker Satyanath (New York University)
- 16:45 – 17:15**      **COFFEE BREAK**
- 17:15 – 18:05**      ***Weather and the French Revolution: The Effect of Adverse Weather on Peasant Uprisings***  
Maria Waldinger (London School of Economics)
- 18:05 – 18:55**      ***Emigration during the French Revolution: Consequences in the Short and Longue Durée***  
Raphael Franck (Hebrew University of Jerusalem)
- 20:00**                **DINNER**

## FEBRUARY 3

- 08:45 – 09:35**      ***The Information Dividend of Democracy: Impact on Political Stability and Redistribution***  
Jeremy Lucchetti (University of Geneva)
- 09:35 – 10:25**      ***Surviving the Killing Fields: The cultural and political heritage of the Khmer Rouge***  
Andreas Madestam (Stockholm University)
- 10:25 – 10:55**      **COFFEE BREAK**
- 10:55 – 11:45**      ***Side Effects of Immunities: African Slavery In the US South***  
Elena Esposito (University of Lausanne)

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Sessions are divided into 40 minutes for the presenter and 10 minutes for general discussion.

### Organizing Committee

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