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# Workshop on "Firms, Labour Markets and Development"

## 22 - 23 June 2023

### Collegio Carlo Alberto, Turin

#### Day 1 - Thursday, 22 June 2023

- 10.00-10.30 Registration & Introduction
- 10.30-11.15 **Gaurav Khanna**, *UC San Diego*  
Production Networks and Firm-level Elasticities of Substitution  
(joint with Brian Cevallos Fujii, Devaki Ghose)  
Discussant: **Alexey Makarin**, *MIT Sloan*
- 11.15-12.00 **Florian Grosset**, *Columbia*  
The Social Tax: Redistributive Pressure and Labor Supply  
(joint with Eliana Carranza, Aletheia Donald, Supreet Kaur)  
Discussant: **Elena Esposito**, *Turin and CCA*
- 12.00-12.30 **Francesco Amodio**, *McGill*  
A Newly Combined Dataset on Ethiopian Firms and Workers  
(joint with Elia Benveniste, Hoang Pham, Marco Sanfilippo)
- 12.30-14.00 Lunch
- 14.00-15.00 Keynote: **Elias Papaioannou**, *London Business School*  
Private Colonialism in Africa  
(joint with Giorgio Chiovelli, Etienne Le Rossignol, Stelios Michalopoulos)
- 15.00-15.15 Coffee Break
- 15.15-16.00 **Brian McCaig**, *Wilfrid Laurier University*  
FDI Inflows and Domestic Firms: Adjustments to New Export Opportunities  
(joint with Nina Pavcnik, Woan Foong Wong)  
Discussant: **Gino Gancia**, *Milan-Bicocca and QMUL*
- 16.00-16.45 **Peter Brummund**, *University of Alabama*  
Monopsony and Local Club Goods: Evidence from Indonesia  
(joint with Michael D. Makowsky)  
Discussant: **Mounu Prem**, *EIEF*
- 20.00 Conference dinner

## Day 2 – Friday, 23 June 2023

9.15-10.00 **Nadia Ali**, *Columbia*

Export Promotion through Matching Grants: Evidence from an RCT in Tunisia

(joint with Giacomo De Giorgi, Aminur Rahman, Eric Verhoogen)

Discussant: **Anna Vitali**, *NYU*

10.00–10.45 **Florian Munch**, *TU Berlin*

Stronger Together: Promoting Exports through Female-only SME Consortia in Tunisia

(joint with Fabian Scheifele, Amira Bouziri)

Discussant: **Andrea Guariso**, *Milan-Bicocca*

10.45-11.00 Coffee break

11.00-11.45 **Meera Mahadevan**, *UC Irvine*

You Get What You Pay For: Electricity Quality and Firm Response

Discussant: **Florian Oswald**, *Sciences Po*

11.45-12.30 **Luis Felipe Sáenz**, *University of South Carolina*

Jobless Industrialization

(joint with Laura Alfaro, Marcela Eslava, Martí Mestieri)

Discussant: **Eric Verhoogen**, *Columbia*

12.30-14.00 Lunch

14.00-14.45 **Sanghamitra Warrier Mukherjee**, *Oxford*

Digital Technology Adoption: Subsidizing Learning Costs for Firms in India

Discussant: **Elisa Macchi**, *Brown*

14.45-15.30 **Francesco Loiacono**, *EBRD*

Matching with the Right Attitude: The Effect of Matching Firms with Refugee Workers

(joint with Mariajose Silva-Vargas)

Discussant: **Giovanni Prarolo**, *Bologna*

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**Michele Di Maio**, *Sapienza University of Rome*

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