



**13<sup>th</sup> SUMMER School on Economic  
History, Philosophy, and History of  
Economic Thought**

**Cooperation and Conflicts: lessons from history and economic theory**

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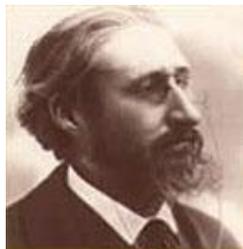
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**Deadline for abstract submission: 10 June 2010**

Abstracts must be sent to Katia Caldari, [katia.caldari@unipd.it](mailto:katia.caldari@unipd.it)



## ***Call for Papers***

***Participants:*** PhD students and young scholars

***Fields:*** history of economic thought, economic philosophy and economic history (approx. 30 proposals will be selected for presentation)

The SUMMER School on Economic History, Philosophy, and History of Economic Thought was established in 1998 with the following aims:

- To provide a *thematic and specialised formation to PhD students of the discipline;*
- To guarantee the *diffusion and scientific evaluation of their work;*
- To provide stimulus for them to make progress in contemporary economic analysis;
- To introduce them to the trans-disciplinary perspectives of social sciences.

In line with this perspective we will organize:

- Seminars animated by invited professors and researchers on the topic "Conflicts and cooperation: lessons from history and from economic theory";
- Workshops where PhD students present their works as written contributions to the debate, discussing them with scholars specialized in their discipline;
- Tutorials aiming at helping PhD students with preparation of their work with a view to its further diffusion and publication.

About thirty PhD students and young scholars make up the usual attendance at the Summer School, joined by about 15 senior scholars. The working language is English. A knowledge of Italian and/or French may prove useful.

A certificate of participation in the Summer School will be issued to the PhD students and young scholars who apply for it and have satisfactorily attended the seminars, workshops, and tutorials. This certificate will provide the PhD students with the ECTS, credits that will be recognized by their institutions.

## **I. Young Scholar Workshops**

Four to six papers on Economic History, Philosophy and History of Economic Thought will be presented daily on open themes, chosen on the basis of the students' field of research, related to the history of economic thought, philosophy, economic epistemology or economic history. The subjects of the papers may differ from the Summer School's main theme. The presentations will take place in the presence of scholars from the organizing research committee. Each contribution will be commented upon by a discussant, chosen among the young scholars, and the audience.

Contributions are selected from abstract or full-paper proposals (in English or French). The submission deadline is June 10, 2010. By the end of June, the Scientific Committee will make

a selection in conformity with the standard procedures in use within the scientific community.

## II. Seminars

Each morning will be devoted to one or more aspects of the general topic. The seminars will be based on presentation of a paper and discussion among the participants.

The topic for 2010 is:

### *Conflict and Cooperation: Lessons from history and from Economic Theory*

From its early days, economic theory has placed overwhelming emphasis on competition as the all-pervasive law of social interactions. It has been argued that, although economic entities struggle to pursue their own advantage, competition, when constrained by an appropriate system of law and property rights, does not lead to antisocial or wasteful results, but to the betterment of society through a more efficient use of resources. In this context social cooperation is driven by self-interest and conflicts arise only when the system of law and property rights is not adequately defined or enforced.

However, recent developments in economics - not to mention evidence from history and the actual organization of society - have challenged the fruitfulness of this perspective and call for more in-depth explorations of the issues of cooperation and conflict. For example, while the homo-oeconomicus paradigm cannot always account for the behavior of economic agents on the market, conflict is introduced into the analysis of household decisions, so far considered the realm of altruism and cooperation.

The Summer School will invite economists, economic historians and historians of economics and scholars from other social sciences to discuss the following topics, in the multidisciplinary approach which is tradition of the School:

## ***Invited speakers***

(provisional list)

Christine Agriantonis	University of Thessalie	"Recent developments in Business History: the Chandlerian model challenged".
Daniel Diatkine	University of Evry	Moral and economic conflicts in the works of Adam Smith
Luigino Bruni	University of Milan-Bicocca	Cooperation among members of society: non-profit organizations and benevolence
Clotilde Champeyrache	University of Paris 8	The economics of crime
Marco Dardi	University of Florence	Cooperation and non-cooperation : lessons from game theory
Bruno Defains	University of Paris 2	The judge and the market
Rodolphe Dos Santos Ferreira	University of Strasbourg	War and peace: the two aspects of competition
Enrico Sergio Levrero	University of Roma 3	Alternative conceptions of competition on the market
Claude Ménard	University of Paris 1	Contracts and conflicts: a neo-institutionalist perspective
Silvia Pasqua	University of Turin	Cooperation and conflicts within the family : alternative models of the family
Jean Salem	University of Paris 1	Marx: on economic and political conflicts
Christian Schmidt	University of Paris-Dauphine	War and economics
Antonella Stirati	University of Roma 3	The social determination of income distribution
André Torre	INRA	Conflicts and the process of governance
Gianni Vaggi	University of Pavia	International cooperation

## **III. Tutorials**

Individual tutorial assistance will be provided of the academic projects of each student and young scholar by the Scientific Committee and the other senior scholars of the Summer School, with a view to preparing for the diffusion of their work through participation in conferences and publication.

## Organization:

The Summer School will take place from September 1st to 13th in **Acqui Terme, HBA Academy**, Via Amendola 1 - Acqui Terme - AL - 15011 [www.hbaacademy.it](http://www.hbaacademy.it)

Students will be lodged in Acqui Terme

**The registration fee is 60 €. It includes meals and accommodation. Travel expenses will be refunded, at least partially**



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