





Economic Complexity and Fitness Regional level analysis and industrial policy implications

January 25th-26th 2024

San Giobbe Economics Campus, Cannaregio 873, Venice

25th January

4.30pm - Meeting Room 1
Institutional Greetings
Giacomo Pasini, Director of the Department of Economics, Ca' Foscari University of Venice

Introduction **Giancarlo Corò**, Professor of Applied Economics, Ca' Foscari University of Venice

Featured speaker: Luciano Pietronero, CREF • Economic Fitness and Complexity

Discussants: **Tullio Buccellato**, Centro Studi Confindustria **Chiara Burlina**, University of Padua

7.00pm Conclusion and Social dinner

26th January

9.00am - Meeting Room 1

Roberto Antonietti, University of Padua

• Skills and tasks for the circular economy: evidence from Emilia Romagna

Elisa Barbieri, Ca' Foscari University of Venice, **Calogero Vieri**, University of Milano-Bicocca, **Elena Prodi**, University of Macerata, and **Marco Di Tommaso**, University of Bologna

• Economic complexity and industry resilience: a study of European regions after the 2008 crisis

Sebastiano Cattaruzzo and **Giancarlo Corò**, Ca' Foscari University of Venice

• Export diversification, institutional quality, and resilience. Italian regional economic systems during the Covid-19 crisis

12.30pm Light lunch

2.00pm - Meeting Room 1

PANEL

Micro-data for Economic Complexity research CREF Infocamere Istat Veneto Lavoro

SESSION 1

Chair: Luciano Pietronero, CREF

Angelica Sbardella, CREF

• *Regional indicators of complexity* Andrea Zaccaria, CREF

• Economic Complexity at the firm level Andrea Tacchella, CREF

• Economic Complexity for regional cohesion policies

10.30am Coffee break

11.00am - Meeting Room 1

SESSION 2

Chair: **Giancarlo Corò**, Ca' Foscari University of Venice

3.00pm - Meeting Room 1

ROUND TABLE

For an Observatory on economic complexity to support industrial policies

Coordinates: **Elisa Barbieri**, Dean Challenge School, Ca' Foscari University of Venice

Participates:

Marco Di Tommaso, University of Bologna Fabrizio Spagna, President Veneto Sviluppo Gianluca Toschi, Fondazione Nord Est Nicola Camatti, Ca' Foscari University of Venice, PI Cities2030 H2020 Project

5.00pm - Meeting Room 1 CONCLUDING REMARKS