



UNIVERSITÀ  
DEGLI STUDI  
FIRENZE

School of Economics  
and Management

master of science

**Economics and Development**

MSc in  
**ECONOMICS AND DEVELOPMENT**



A.Y. 2023/2024



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# Academic Calendar 2023/24

- First semester: 13<sup>th</sup> September to 7<sup>th</sup> December 2023
- Second semester: 19<sup>st</sup> February to 31<sup>st</sup> May 2024  
(Easter break from 20<sup>th</sup> March to 3<sup>th</sup> April)

## Exam calendar:

- Courses I semester 2023-2024:
  - 1<sup>st</sup> Exam session: from 11/12/2023 to 22/12/2023
  - 2<sup>nd</sup> Exam session: from 08/01/2024 to 19/01/2024
  - 3<sup>rd</sup> Exam session: from 22/01/2024 to 02/02/2024
  - 4<sup>th</sup> Exam session: from 05/01/2024 to 16/02/2024
  - 5<sup>th</sup> Exam session: from 03/06/2024 to 21/06/2024
  - 6<sup>th</sup> Exam session: from 2/09/2024 to 13/09/2024
- Courses II semester 2023-2024:
  - 1<sup>st</sup> Exam session: from 03/06/2024 to 14/06/2024
  - 2<sup>nd</sup> Exam session: from 17/06/2024 to 05/07/2024
  - 3<sup>rd</sup> Exam session: from 08/07/2024 to 19/07/2024
  - 4<sup>nd</sup> Exam session: from 02/09/2024 to 13/09/2024
  - 5<sup>th</sup> Exam session: to be announced
  - 6<sup>th</sup> Exam session: to be announced



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## In-person lectures

All material for each course will be available on Moodle.

**It is necessary to register for all courses through the Moodle e-learning platform using the student credentials** (matriculation and password).

Some instructions on how to enroll to courses on Moodle can be found at the following links:

[https://e-l.unifi.it/pluginfile.php/2/course/section/13/Tutorial\\_Studenti\\_MoodleWebex.pdf](https://e-l.unifi.it/pluginfile.php/2/course/section/13/Tutorial_Studenti_MoodleWebex.pdf)

<https://www.unifi.it/insiemeinsicurezza>

At this link you can find the timetable:

<https://www.unifi.it/index.php?module=ofform2&mode=1&cmd=3&AA=2022&aflid=597889>



## Booklet

You can find the **booklet**, here: [https://www.development-lm.unifi.it/upload/sub/BOOKLE\\_2023-1.pdf](https://www.development-lm.unifi.it/upload/sub/BOOKLE_2023-1.pdf)

with all the information about the Master, and the two distinct curricula:

- **Economics (E)** with a track in **Economics** and a track in **Behavioural Economics** with the option of a Double Degree with the MSc in European Economic Studies of the University of Bamberg
- **Development Economics (DE)** which can be tailored to a *Quantitative analysis for developing economies* or to a *Development Studies approach* with the option of a Double Degree with the MSc in Development Economics of the University of Goettingen



## Offices and facilities of the Campus



**D1:** School of Economics and Management (first floor)

**D4-D5-D6:** Classrooms

**D10:** Library is open from Monday to Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 11 p.m. (services active until 6:30 pm.) and Saturday from 8:30 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. (services active until 1:30 p.m.).

**D14:** Study rooms (D14) are open from Monday to Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 11:30 p.m. and Saturday from 9:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

**D15:** Laboratories, foreign students office and international relations

**E2-E3:** Canteen and Dormitory rooms.

Canteen opening hours:

lunch: Mon-Sat: 12:00 p.m. – 2:15 p.m.

dinner: Mon-Fri: 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.

It is also open for a fast-food takeaway:

Mon-Fri: 10:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.

Sat: 10:30 a.m. – 2:15 p.m.





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## Website

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[This is the Website of Economics and Development](#), where you can find all the information about the Master: click on «development economics» or «economics» or «behavioural economics» → study plan: you can find all the courses and information (i.e. program of the course, professor's office hour).



## News and notices

At the bottom of the homepage of the website you can also find a box with news and notices.

news

notices

### **I semester Classes**

Classes of the I semester will start on the 13th of September 2022

### **Int.nal Conflict Transformation**

The course International Conflict Transformation starts on Sept. 6.

### **Double degree in Economics**

### **Presentation of the Master**

... presentazione dei corsi  
triennali e magistrali

### **S. Ballestracci**

Lingua tedesca - Presentazione dei  
Triennali e Magistrali

### **G. Giovannetti**

First lecture of the International trade  
course (prof. Giovannetti) is on Thursday  
Sept 15 at 12





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## Student ID, email and MOODLE

You will receive a student ID number (matricola) and a personal email, such as:

**name.surname@stud.unifi.it**

*Remember to check your student email!*

It will be used for personal communications, information about courses and university activities.

**Moodle** is the platform used for online learning resources.

<https://e-l.unifi.it>

*Follow the next slide to find our master on Moodle*



# MOODLE

**INDICAZIONI PER LA DIDATTICA ONLINE**

**Docenti**    Indicazioni operative    Sistema **Cisco Webex**: istruzioni.

**Studenti**    Indicazioni operative    Sistema **Cisco Webex**: istruzioni.

**1) Log-in with matricola and psw**

**2) Click here**

Supporto alla Didattica: insegnamenti online

Risorse per Docenti

Guide e tutorial per Docenti

**Corsi di Laurea**

- Scuole di specializzazione
- Master
- Corsi di perfezionamento
- Corsi di aggiornamento professionale
- Dottorati di ricerca

**Attivazione Insegnamento**

Come fare

**Link utili**

**Corsi di Laurea Triennali e Corsi di Laurea Magistrali**

- Scuola di Agraria
- Scuola di Architettura
- Scuola di Economia e Management**
- Scuola di Giurisprudenza
- Scuola di Ingegneria
- Scuola di Psicologia
- Scuola di Scienze della Salute Umana
- Scuola di Scienze Matematiche, Fisiche e Naturali
- Scuola di Scienze Politiche "Cesare Alfieri"
- Scuola di Studi Umanistici e della Formazione

- Laurea in Economia Aziendale
- Laurea in Economia e Commercio
- Laurea in Statistica
- Laurea in Sviluppo Economico, Cooperazione Internazionale Socio-Sanitaria e Gestione dei Conflitti
- Laurea in Sviluppo Sostenibile, Cooperazione e Gestione dei Conflitti
- Laurea Magistrale in Accounting e Libera Professione
- Laurea Magistrale in Design of Sustainable Tourism Systems - Progettazione dei Sistemi Turistici
- Laurea Magistrale in Economics and Development - Economia Politica e Sviluppo Economico**
- Laurea Magistrale in Finance and Risk Management - Finanza e Gestione del Rischio
- Laurea Magistrale in Governo e Direzione d'Impresa
- Laurea Magistrale in Scienze dell'Economia
- Laurea Magistrale in Statistica e Data Science

**3) Search our Master degree**



## SOL – Online services

<https://sol.unifi.it>

Here you can:

- Enrol/Register for exams;
- Check your [Unifi email](#);
- Fill out your **study plan** by clicking on «Immissione Piani di Studio». You **have to** fill out it in October-November.

**N.B: It's important that you fill out this form , in order to choose your optional exams/electives and in order to be able to apply for the Erasmus+, double degree and International Mobility programs.**



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You can find the study plan of **Development Economics**, here: [https://www.development-lm.unifi.it/upload/sub/DEV\\_ECO\\_23\\_24.pdf](https://www.development-lm.unifi.it/upload/sub/DEV_ECO_23_24.pdf)

You can find the study plan of **Economics - Track in Economics**, here: <https://www.development-lm.unifi.it/upload/sub/econ%20track%20econ%202023-2024.pdf>

You can find the study plan of **Economics - Track in Behavioural Economics**, here: <https://www.development-lm.unifi.it/upload/sub/econ%20track%20behav%202023-2024.pdf>





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## Double Degree (1/4)

There is a Double Degree Programme offered by the University of Florence (MSc in Economics and Development, curriculum in Development Economics) and the [University of Goettingen](#) (MA in [Development Economics](#)).

Click [HERE](#) for the study program of the double degree.



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## Double Degree (2/4)

It offers the opportunity to spend the first year at the University of Florence and the second year at the University of Goettingen, where students write their master thesis (which is recognized by both Universities). At the end of the Double Degree Programme, students obtain two degrees, one from each University.



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## Double Degree (3/4)

The Double Degree program in Economics is offered jointly with the [Master in European Economic Studies](#) at the University of Bamberg and is four semesters long

Click [HERE](#) for the study program of the double degree.







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## Double Degree (4/4)

Depending on where students start the Double Degree, they will spend the first academic year at the University of Florence or at the University of Bamberg and the second academic year at the University of Bamberg or at the University of Florence. Master theses comply with the regulations of the university where students spend the second academic year and are recognised by the partner university.



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## CLA – Language Centre

The University of Florence has its own language centre (CLA), where you have the opportunity to attend many courses, included Italian.



For further information please see:  
<http://www.cla.unifi.it/index.php>

## Some other activities organized by UniFi

- University sports club - More info:  
<http://www.cus.firenze.it/>
- [University Choir](#) - More info:  
spettacolo@unifi.it; coro@unifi.it
- [The Orchestra](#) - More info:  
iltempiodellemuse@gmail.com  
[“Binario di Scambio” Theatre Company](#) - More info:  
spettacolo@unifi.it;  
binario.scambio@gmail.com
- [Science with passion](#) - More info:  
openlab@adm.unifi.it
- All nature in a museum - More info:  
<http://www.msn.unifi.it/>
- Encounters with the Town - More info:  
<http://www.unifi.it/vp-9441-incontri-con-la-citta.html>



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## ERASMUS

With the ERASMUS + Programme, you can spend some time in another EU-country, studying or doing a traineeship.

You can find all information at: <http://www.unifi.it/vp-10034-erasmus-plus.html>



Erasmus+

Contacts: **Ufficio Relazioni Internazionali**  
(International Relations Office) – building D1, 1°  
Floor - room 1.05)

Tel. 055 275 9030 / 055 275 9031

Email: [relint@economia.unifi.it](mailto:relint@economia.unifi.it) /

[incoming@economia.unifi.it](mailto:incoming@economia.unifi.it)

Office hours: Monday, Wednesday and Thursday,  
10.00 a.m. - 12.30 p.m.



# International Week

Professors from abroad universities will be invited to teach in the following courses of the MSc in Economics and Development during the week from the 23rd to the 27th of October 2023

- Economic history of globalisation
- Agriculture development and poverty
- Health and education economics
- Labour economics and gender
- International trade
- Game Theory and microeconomics

# MSc Keynote Lecture

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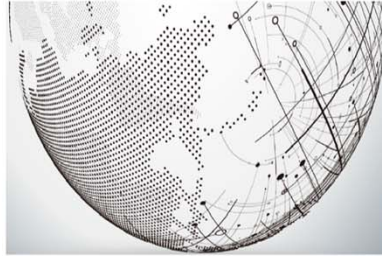


### Opening Lecture 2018/2019

Wednesday, November 7 | 2 pm  
Social Sciences Campus | Building D6 - 111  
Via delle Pandette 9, Firenze

2 pm  
An overview of the causes of populism and  
its consequences for conflict and inequality  
Prof. Massimo Morelli | Bocconi University  
3:15 pm  
Coffee break  
3:45 pm  
Job Opportunities for Graduates in Economics and  
Development Economics  
Dr. Guglielmo Barone | Banca d'Italia  
Dr. Andrea Cattaneo | FAO  
Dr. Angelo Piazza | Findomestic - BNP Paribas

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### Keynote Lecture 2020/2021

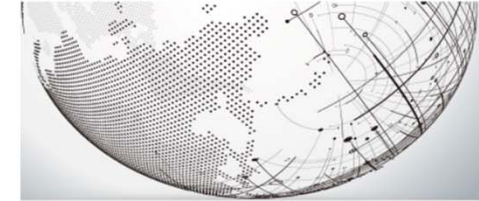
Friday, April 16 | 4.00 pm

<https://bit.ly/3vgV36Z>  
password: iUmCepct238

The COVID-19 Economic Crisis  
Prof. Guido Lorenzoni  
Northwestern University



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### Keynote Lecture 2022/2023

Wednesday, March 8 | 12.00 pm

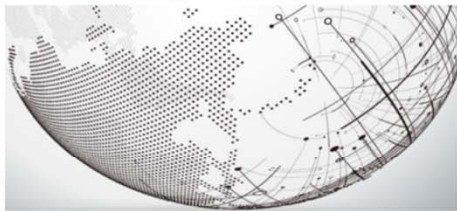
Social Sciences Campus | Novoli | Building D15 - 005  
Via delle Pandette 9, Firenze

Modelling Intrahousehold Distribution to Study  
Gender Inequality & Individual Poverty

Prof. Olivier Bargain | University of Bordeaux

A small refreshment will follow

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### Opening Lectures 2019/2020

Thursday, November 14 | 2.30 pm  
Social Sciences Campus | Novoli | Building D6 - 111  
Via delle Pandette 9, Firenze

2.30 pm  
Economic Geography of Sovereignist Europe  
Prof. Gianmarco Ottaviano | Bocconi University  
3.30 pm  
Coffee break  
4.00 pm  
On the European Stability Fund  
Prof. Ramon Marimon | European University Institute



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### Keynote Lecture 2021/2022

Wednesday, April 27 | 11.50 am  
Aula Magna | D6 - 018

Gender Equality, Women's Representation and  
Public Policy  
Prof. Paola Profeta | Bocconi University

To attend in person,  
students can register for any class  
on the 27th of April in Building D6

To attend online:  
piattaforma Webex  
<https://joinurl.com/jdmvcais>  
password: xjAUpWht7





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### **Tutor**

If you need help, look for one  
of the tutors in D6-building!