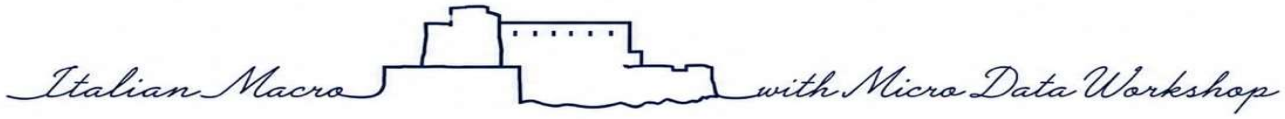


# Italian Macro with Micro Data Workshop

## University of Naples Federico II — Naples, Italy

## 2 October 2026

**8:45–9:00 — Registration**

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**9:00–10:20 — Session 1: Firms, Productivity and Market Power**

9:00–9:40 — **Megha Patnaik** (LUISS Guido Carli)

Management and Product Selection

9:40–10:20 — **Sergio Ocampo Díaz** (University of Western Ontario)

Markup Accounting

*Chair: Basile Grassi*

**10:20–10:50 — Coffee Break**

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**10:50–12:10 — Session 2: Firm Dynamics, Shocks and Reallocation**

10:50–11:30 — **Francesco Pappadà** (Università Ca' Foscari Venezia / Paris School of Economics)

Zombie Congestion and the Missing Cleansing Effect of Recessions

11:30–12:10 — **Ludovic Panon** (Bank of Italy)

The Superstar Buyer Penalty during Financial Crises: Evidence from Firm-to-Firm Trade Data

*Chair: Riccardo Silvestrini*

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**12:20–13:20 — Keynote**

**Isaac Baley**

Keynote Lecture

Title: (Re)Mind the Gap: Lumpy Adjustment, Hidden Targets, and Aggregate Dynamics

**13:20–14:45 — Lunch**

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**14:45–16:05 — Session 3: Labor Markets, Firms and Demographics**

14:45–15:25 — **Carlos Carrillo-Tudela** (King's College London / University of Essex)

Equilibrium Job Turnover and the Business Cycle

15:25–16:05 — **Alessandro Ruggieri** (IAE-CSIC / Barcelona School of Economics)

Family-Friendly Policies and Fertility: What Firms Have to Do With It

*Chair: Chiara Lacava*

**16:05–16:25 — Coffee Break**

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**16:25–17:45 — Session 4: Households and Financial Markets**

16:25–17:05 — **Francesca Parodi** (University of Milan)

Survival and Financial Literacy in Investment Decisions Later in Life

17:05–17:45 — **Martin Kornejew** (Bocconi)

Private Firms, Public Firms and Wealth Concentration

*Chair: Riccardo Silvestrini*