

ITSG

ITALIAN TRADE STUDY GROUP



CALL FOR PAPERS

International Trade, Global Production Networks, and Microfoundations of Aggregate Fluctuations

IMT School for Advanced Studies
AXES - Laboratory for the Analysis of Complex Economic Systems, Lucca

October 27-28, 2016

The next meeting of the ITSG - Italian Trade Study Group will be organised by the IMT School for Advanced Studies, AXES in Lucca, in collaboration with Fondazione Manlio Masi.

Submissions are invited in all topics of international trade. Works on the organization of Global Production Networks and on Microfoundations of Aggregate Fluctuations are particularly welcome.

Topics of special interest are:

- Firms, industries, countries, and the organization of Global Production Networks
- Knowledge diffusion in Global Innovation Networks
- Heterogeneous firms, Granularity, and Aggregate Fluctuations
- Value Chains and Supply Chains
- Geography of Production, and Agglomeration
- Trade policy implications of Global Value Chains and Production Networks

Keynote speaker: Julian di Giovanni, *Universitat Pompeu Fabra*.

Complete papers (or advanced drafts) should be submitted to Segreteria Fondazione Masi - segreteria.fondazionemasi@ice.it – by **September 15**. The acceptance of the papers will be notified no later than **October 1**.

The Scientific Committee for this meeting includes: Gabor Békés (HAS-CEU), Italo Colantone (Bocconi), Rosario Crinò (Cattolica), Giorgia Giovannetti (University of Florence), Roberta Rabellotti (Università di Pavia), Armando Rungi (IMT Lucca), Beniamino Quintieri (Università degli Studi di Roma “Tor Vergata”), Lucia Tajoli (Politecnico Milano), Gianluca Santoni (CEPII).