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Program

May 28, 2026 –

08.30-9.00	Registration
09.00-10.20	**Session 1**
09.00-09.40	Marcel Caesmann (University of Zurich) – *Getting Religion: Identity Formation in the Protestant Reformation*
09.40-10.20	Alexandra Sandström (Uppsala University) – *Education, Language, and Identity: Evidence from Nation-Building in Northern Sweden*
10.20-10.40	*Break*
10.40-12.00	**Session 2**
10.40-11.20	Yuchen Lin (University of Warwick) – *Coeducation, Female Human Capital, and the Evolution of Gender Norms*
11.20-12.00	Patrizia Massner (Johns Hopkins University) – *Fewer Kids, More School: Evidence from the Early 20th Century U.S. Birth Control Movement*
12.00-13.15	*Lunch*
13.15-14.35	**Session 3**
13.15-13.55	Monir Bounadi (IIES, Stockholm University) – *Coffeehouses and the Rise of Science*
13.55-14.35	Julius Koschnick (University of Southern Denmark) – *Did a Feedback Mechanism Between Propositional and Prescriptive Knowledge Create Modern Growth?*
14.35-15.15	**Poster session** *Sebanti Mukherjee, Andrea Tizzani, Michele Magnani, Zhuowen Qin, Oliver Brufal*
15.15-16.35	**Session 4**
15.15-15.55	Giulia Buccione (CEMFI) – *The Arab Slave Trade and the Diffusion of Islam in Africa*
15.55-16.35	Davide Coluccia (University of Bristol) – *A Nation of Emigrants: Transatlantic Emigration and Italian National Identity*

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09.00-10.20	**Session 5**
09.00-09.40	Moritz Lubczyk (RF Berlin) – *Rosie the Researcher: How Female WWII Hires Changed Science in US Firms*
09.40-10.20	Suleyman Faruk Gozen (University of Bristol) – *Business Dynamism and Innovation: Evidence from Novel 19th-Century Microdata*
10.20-10.40	*Break*
10.40-11.40	Keynote speech: Sascha O. Becker (Warwick, Monash, and RF Berlin)
11.40-12.55	*Lunch*
12.55-14.15	**Session 6**
12.55-13.35	Timo Wochner (ETH Zürich) – *Economic Development in the Shadow of War*
13.35-14.15	Cristian Navarro Serrano (CEMFI) – *Autocrats Remake the State: Evidence from Francoist Spain*

List of participants

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