

X N.E.R.I. workshop

Genoa, 16-17 February 2018

University of Genoa, Department of Economics

Local organisers: Anna Bottasso and Maurizio Conti

Friday 16th February (DAY 1) - Procurement

Session I – Procurement I

- 11,15-11,45 **Vincenzo Mollisi** (Free University of Bozen)
Procurement and productivity: evidence on the cold case of Public-Private Partnership
- 11,45-12,15 **Massimiliano Ferraresi** (European Commission, Joint Research Centre)
The good, the bad and the ugly: government trade debt, firm exit and the late payment directive
(with Maurizio Conti, Leandro Elia and Antonella Ferrara)
- 12,15-12,45 **Marco Buso** (University of Padua)
Flexible contracts to cope with uncertainty and asymmetry of information in Public-Private-Partnerships
(with Cesare Dosi and Michele Moretto)

12,45-14,00 Lunch break

Session II – Procurement II (invited)

- 14,00-14,45 **Armin Schmutzler** (University of Zurich)
The effects of competitive pressure on railway procurement
(with Rafael Lalive and Christine Zulehner)
- 14,45-15,30 **Francesco Decarolis** (Bocconi University)
Past performance and procurement outcomes
(with Giancarlo Spagnolo and Riccardo Pacini)

15,30-16,00 Coffee break

Session III – Procurement III

- 16,00-16,30 **Audinga Baltrunaite** (Bank of Italy)
Discretion and supplier selection in public procurement
(with Cristina Giorgiantonio, Sauro Mocetti and Tommaso Orlando)
- 16,30-17,00 **Alberto Iozzi** (University of Rome Tor Vergata)
Teaching an old dog a new trick: reserve price and unverifiable quality in repeated procurement
(with Gian Luigi Albano and Bernardino Cesi)
- 17,00-17,30 **Christoph Wolf** (Bocconi University)
Bidder asymmetries in procurement auctions: efficiency vs information. Evidence from railway passenger services
(with Stefan Weiergraeber)
- 17,30-18,00 **Riccardo Camboni Marchi Adani** (University of Padua)
Buyers' ability in public procurement: a structural analysis of Italian medical devices
(with Alessandro Bucciol and Paola Valbonesi)

18,00-19,00 Meeting of NERI organisers

20.30-22,30 Social dinner

Saturday 17th February (DAY 2)

Session IV – Round table on energy markets

- 09,00-11,00 **Clara Poletti** (AEEGSI/ARERA)
Martin Crouch (OFGEM)
Alessandro Cecchi (IREN spa)

11,00-11,30 Coffee break

Session V

- 11,30-12,00 **Mario Pagliero** (University of Turin)
Occupational licensing, labor mobility, and the unfairness of entry standards
(with Paolo Buonanno)
- 12,00-12,30 **Stefano Comino** (University of Udine)
The diffusion of new institutions: evidence from Renaissance Venice's patent system
(with Alberto Galasso and Clara Graziano)
- 12,30-13,00 **Gilberto Turati** (Catholic University of the Sacred Heart)
Geographical variations in C-section rates: do (dis)incentives matter differently for different hospitals in different markets?
(with Paolo Berta, Gianmaria Martini and Massimiliano Piacenza)