

# gauging concepts

Milan, June 25 – 29

Palazzo Greppi, Room Napoleonica

Via Sant'Antonio 12

## Mon, 25

- 10.00-10.30** **Registration**
- 10.30-10.45** **Welcome address from the local organizers**  
*The hard task of collapsing concepts into measurements in policy studies.*
- 10.45-12.30** **I Session**  
Rasmus Brun Pedersen, Aarhus University  
*The process of conceptualisation in case-based research within policy studies*
- 12.30-14.00** **Welcome drinks and lunch reception**
- 14.00-16.15** **II Session**  
Rasmus Brun Pedersen, Aarhus University  
*The process of conceptualisation in case-based research within policy studies*
- 16.15-16.45** **Research project speed date and networking**

## Tue, 26

- 10.00-12.30** **III Session**  
Mario Quaranta, Max Weber Fellow at the European University Institute  
*From concepts to property-sets for configurational analysis*
- 11.15-11.30** **Coffee/tea break and networking**
- 12.30-14.00** **Lunch**
- 14.00-16.15** **IV Session**  
Mario Quaranta, Max Weber Fellow at the European University Institute  
*From concepts to property-sets for configurational analysis*
- 16.15-16.45** **Research project speed date and networking**

## Wed, 27

- 10.00-12.30** **V Session**  
Federica Genovese, University of Essex, Colchester (UK)  
*From words to numbers: text analysis and topic models in policy studies*
- 11.15-11.30** **Coffee/tea break and networking**
- 12.30-14.00** **Lunch**
- 14.00-16.15** **VI Session**  
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## Thu, 28

- 10.00-12.30** **VII Session**  
Daniele Checchi, Università degli Studi di Milano (IT)  
*The mainstream: econometrics to build synthetic indicators in policy studies*
- 11.15-11.30** **Coffee/tea break and networking**
- 12.30-14.00** **Lunch**
- 14.00-16.15** **VIII Session**  
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## Fri, 29

- 10.00-12.30** **IX Session**  
Gary Goertz, University of Notre Dame (USA)  
*Wrap-up: Concepts and the challenges of MMR*  
Alessia Damonte, Università degli Studi di Milano  
*Closure speech*
- 12.30-14.00** **Closing drinks and lunch reception**
- 14.00 +** **Close of academic programme and departure of participants**

