



# Workshop on Inequality, Poverty, Equal Opportunities, and Subjective Wellbeing

## Adam Smith Tercentenary Celebration

Institut d'Anàlisi Econòmica  
Campus de la UAB - Bellaterra

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### PROGRAM FOR THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 14

10:00 – 10:15	<i>Welcome</i>
<b>Session 1</b>	
10:15 – 11:00	<b>Alain Trannoy</b> (University of Aix-Marseille) The effects of circumstances on long-term income opportunities: Re-examining evidence from the baby-boomers generation in Sweden
11:00 – 11:45	<b>Francesco Colcerasa</b> (University of Rome - Sapienza) So Unequal Yet So Alike? Cross-Country Differences in Circumstances' Distribution and Inequality of Opportunity
11:45 – 12:15	<i>Coffee Break*</i>
<b>Session 2</b>	
12:15 – 13:00	<b>Koen Decancq</b> (University of Antwerp) Social preferences and information about effort and luck: an online survey experiment
13:00 – 13:45	<b>Xavier Ramos</b> (Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona) After you. Health distribution preferences among high-cognition individuals
13:45 – 15:15	<i>Lunch*</i>
<b>Session 3</b>	
15:15 – 16:00	<b>Lucia Macchia</b> (City, University of London) Having less than others is physically painful: Income rank and pain inequalities around the world
16:00 – 16:45	<b>Giulia Slater</b> (STATEC Research) The moderation effect of social capital in the relationship between own income, social comparisons, and subjective well-being: Evidence from four international datasets
16:45 – 17:30	<b>Eugenio Proto</b> (University of Glasgow) How well do you know your child? Evidence from parent- and child-reported measures of child wellbeing
20:00	<i>Workshop Dinner*</i>



## PROGRAM FOR FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 15

Session 4	
10:15 – 11:00	<b>Kelsey J. O'Connor</b> (STATEC Research) Methods to measure and (not) achieve societal progress
11:00 – 11:45	<b>Francesco Sarracino</b> (STATEC Research) A Measure of Well-being Efficiency Based on the World Happiness Report
11:45 – 12:15	<i>Coffee Break*</i>
Session 5	
12:15 – 13:00	<b>Sara Ayllón</b> (Universitat de Girona) Poverty and psychological resilience
13:00 – 13:45	<b>Climent Quintana-Domeque</b> (University of Exeter) Infrastructure and Subjective Wellbeing
13:45 – 15:15	<i>Lunch*</i>

### Workshop organizers

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- [Eugenio Proto](#) (University Glasgow)

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