

**CEPR Research and Policy Network on Populism**

Second Annual Workshop

7-8 June 2020

Hosted by: Department of Economics, Stockholm University

**Preliminary Programme**

**June 7**

11:00-11:30 *Registration and refreshments*

11:30-12:50 ***Populists in Power***

**Antonio Spilimbergo** (IMF and CEPR)

“Populism in Latin America: Economic and Institutional Consequences”

**Christoph Trebesch** (IFW-Kiel and CEPR)

“Populism and Economic Decline”

12:50-14:00 *Lunch*

14:00-16:00 ***The role of economic factors in demand and supply of populism***

**Maria Petrova** (UPF and CEPR)

“Automation and Support for Populist Politics”

**Emilie Sartre** (CREST-X-ENSAE)

“Toxic Loans and the Entry of Extreme Candidates”

**Massimo Morelli** (Bocconi and CEPR)

“Mobilization and the Strategy of Populism: Theory and Evidence from US Elections”

16:00-16:30 *Coffee break*

16:30-17:50 ***Xenophobia and demand for populism***

**Davide Cantoni** (LMU and CEPR)

“Persistence and Activation of Right-Wing Political Ideology”

**Sirus Dehdari** (Uppsala)

“Workplace Contact and Support for Anti-Immigration Parties”

17:50-19:30 *Cocktail reception for all conference participants*

20:00 *Dinner for speakers and network members*

9:30-12:10 ***Joint Session with CEPR Public Economics Symposium***

**Guido Tabellini** (Bocconi and CEPR)

“Economic Shocks and Populism: The Political Implications of Reference-Dependent Preferences”

**David Yang** (Harvard)

“Stereotypes and Politics”

**Alberto Alesina** (Harvard and CEPR)

“Persistence through revolutions”

**Stefanie Stancheva** (Harvard and CEPR)

“Understanding Economic Policies: What do people know and learn?”

12:15 *Closing Lunch*

### **Organisers**

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