



**VENICE SUMMER INSTITUTE  
WORKSHOP ON  
THE ECONOMICS OF  
LONG-TERM CARE**



Venice International University, San Servolo, 18 – 19 July 2012

## **PROGRAMME**

**Wednesday, 18 July 2012**

09:30 – 09:40 **Welcome**

09:40 – 10:40 **Keynote Lecture:**  
**The Economics of Long-Term Care**  
LUIGI SICILIANI (University of York)

### **Session 1 Family Relations and Aid Chair: Pierre Pestieau**

11:00 – 11:45 **Long Term Care Insurance and Family Norms**  
CHIARA CANTA (CORE, Université Catholique de Louvain) and Pierre Pestieau  
Discussant: Justina Klimaviciute (Toulouse School of Economics, University of Toulouse)

11:45 – 12:30 **Dynamic Modelling of Long-Term Care Decisions**  
STEVEN STERN (University of Virginia) and Michelle Sovinsky  
Discussant: Philippe De Donder (Toulouse School of Economics)

12:30 – 13:30 **Lunch**

13:30 – 14:15 **Uncertain Altruism and Long Term Care**  
FIROUZ GAHVARI (University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign) and Helmuth Cremer  
Discussant: Gregory Ponthière (Ecole Normale Supérieure, Paris, and Paris School of Economics)

14:15 – 15:00 **Long-Term Care, Altruism and Socialization**  
GREGORY PONTIÈRE (Ecole Normale Supérieure, Paris, and Paris School of Economics)  
Discussant: Chiara Canta (CORE, Université Catholique de Louvain)

15:00 – 15:30 **Coffee Break**

### **Session 2 Empirical Issues Chair: Eric Bonsang**

15:30 – 16:15 **The Effect of Long-Term-Care Subsidies on Female Labor Supply and Fertility**  
MATTHIAS WREDE (University of Erlangen-Nuremberg) and Evelyn Korn  
Discussant: Eric Bonsang (Maastricht University – ROA)



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- 16:15 – 17:00 **Do Local Governments Respond to (Perverse) Financial Incentives in Long-Term Care Funding Schemes?**  
HENNING ØIEN (University of Oslo)  
Discussant: Catarina Goulão (Toulouse School of Economics)
- 19:30 Conference Dinner on San Servolo

**Thursday, 19 July 2012**

- 09:30 – 10:30 **Keynote Lecture:**  
**Informal Care and Inter-vivos Transfers:  
Results from the National Longitudinal Survey of Mature Women**  
EDWARD C. NORTON (University of Michigan), Lauren H. Nicholas and  
Sean Sheng-Hsui Huang
- 10:30 – 11:00 Coffee Break

**Session 3**  
**Theoretical Issues**  
**Chair: Helmuth Cremer**

- 11:00– 11:45 **Recommended Levels of Physical Activity: Good or Bad Idea?**  
EMMANUEL THIBAUT (University of Perpignan and Toulouse School of Economics)  
and Catarina Goulão  
Discussant: David Bardey (Universidad de los Andes)
- 11:45 – 12:30 **The Design of Long-Term Care Insurance Contracts**  
JEAN-MARIE LOZACHMEUR (Toulouse School of Economics), Helmuth Cremer and  
Pierre Pestieau  
Discussant: Francesca Barigozzi (University of Bologna)
- 12:30 – 13:30 Lunch
- 13:30 – 14:15 **A Political Economy Approach to Long-Term Care with Sophisticated or  
(In)Consistently Myopic Voters**  
MARIE-LOUISE LEROUX (Université du Québec à Montréal) and Philippe De Donder  
Discussant: Gani Aldashev (University of Namur (FUNDP))
- 14:15 – 14:30 **Publication Briefing**
- 14:30 End of Conference