2021

Call for Application

Institute of Economics
University of Campinas
ABOUT THE INSTITUTE OF ECONOMICS

The Institute of Economics (IE) has its origin in the Department of Economics and Economic Planning (DEPE), of the Institute of Philosophy and Human Sciences (IFCH) at Unicamp, which started its activities in 1968 with economics and economic planning courses as graduate studies. That is considered as the date of birth of IE/Unicamp. The undergraduate course of Economics started in 1970 and the Master’s Degree and PhD Degree were formally implemented over that decade (1974 and 1977, respectively). In 1984, the DEPE transformed into the Institute of Economics and its institutionalization has been following its way ever since.

Over these 50+ years, which are interwoven with Unicamp’s history, there were many important contributions by IE to the formation of highly qualified staff for the Brazilian public and private sector, the participation of its students, professors and researchers in the public debate on major national issues, and the acknowledgment of its academic production.

Since its early years, IE has sought to develop an original and singular interpretation on the formation and development of the Brazilian economy. Such an interpretation, born from the making and discussion of the seminal works of some of the founders Professor of IE in the 1970s, was not concerned only with explaining the economic events in Brazil at the time. It involved critical dialogue with the Latin American structuralist tradition and also original incorporation of a set of theoretical references (notably Marx, Kalecki, Keynes and Schumpeter), and a renewed effort in the decades following, by old and new generations of professors, to interpret the evolution of the Brazilian economy and the challenges for its development in an ever-changing global capitalism.
UNICAMP INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL ON DEVELOPMENT CHALLENGES

The Institute of Economics at the University of Campinas (Unicamp) is pleased to host the 2nd Unicamp International School on Development Challenges. The Institute of Economics at Unicamp has a long tradition of discussing development issues and participating actively in public debate.

The School aims to address development concerns of our time by selecting a different topic every year. This second edition will focus on different dimensions of inequality. The School will consist of lectures, debates and study groups related to the different dimensions of inequality.

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CONFIRMED LECTURERS ARE:

Alexandre Gori Maia – University of Campinas
Arthur Sakamoto – Texas A&M University
Dominik Hartmann – Federal University of Santa Catarina
Edward Webster – University of the Witwatersrand
Gabriel Porcile – ECLAC/United Nations
Gilberto Tadeu Lima – University of São Paulo
Juliet Schor – Boston College
Marc Morgan – Paris School of Economics
Michelle Holder – City University of New York
Pedro Mendes Loureiro – University of Cambridge
IMPORTANT DATES

- The 2nd International School on Development Challenges: different dimensions of inequality will be online, between August 9th and 13th, 2021 (Monday to Friday)
- Pre Event: August 6th, 2021 (Friday)
- **SUBMISSION DEADLINE: June 7th, 2021**

HOW TO APPLY

Graduate students (MA and PhD) and junior researchers are welcome to apply.

Candidates must fill the application form and send the following documents, until **June 7th of 2021**, to: camilaie@unicamp.br with the subject “Application to the 2nd Unicamp International School”:

1) Application form: [https://forms.gle/SWGcdo7JxYbpeTkaA](https://forms.gle/SWGcdo7JxYbpeTkaA)
2) a short CV
3) a short statement (max. 500 words) of your motivation to participate, particularly addressing how the School relates to your study and research interests
4) a reference letter

There are no application nor registration fees.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION:

- You must fill the application form online
- You must send all documents to complete your application
- All documents must be in English
- The reference letter must be signed by who is recommending it. It is desirable a reference letter written to this application
- Application sent after deadline will not be accepted
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- Candidates must be available to attend the School on: August 6th, 2021 (Pre-Event) and from August 9th to 13th, 2021
- The School will take place on Zoom in GMT-3
Candidates must check technical issues to attend the School

APPLICATION SCREENING
1. Only complete applications sent until June 7th, 2021 will be screened by the Organizing Committee
2. Selected candidates will be notified by email in early July
3. Selected candidates must confirm attendance by email
4. Instructions to attend will be sent by email

ORGANIZING COMMITTEE:
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