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# Reconciling the irreconcilable: methods and techniques towards a European historical local population database



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## Reconciling the irreconcilable:

**THURSDAY, October 24th**

**VENUE:** ADEIT - Fundación Universidad-Empresa de la Universitat de València  
Plaza Virgen de la Paz 3, 46001 Valencia (Spain)

■ **WELCOME (15:00-15:15)**

■ **SESSION 1 (15:30-17:00)**

15:30-16:00 | **Geo-destiny: Natural habitation, population agglomeration, and regional income variation in Italy today.** *Carla Salvo (Sapienza University of Rome), and Jacob Weisdorf (Sapienza University of Rome).*

16:00-16:30 | **Local Demographic Trends in Early Modern France.** *Eva Davoine (UC Berkeley), Joseph Enguehard (École normale supérieure de Lyon), and Igor Kolesnikov (UC Berkeley).*

16:30-17:00 | **The Problem of Spatial and Source Consistency in Premodern Population Estimates. Strategies Applied in the Case of the Low Countries, 1350-1800.** *Rombert Stapel (International Institute of Social History, Amsterdam, NL).*

■ **COFFEE BREAK (17:00-17:30)**

■ **SESSION 2 (17:30-18:30)**

17:30-18:00 | **Standardizing population figures over time and space: the case of the Swedish parishes (1750-1850).** *Anna Missiaia (University of Gothenburg), and Fredrik Sandgren (Uppsala University).*

18:00-18:30 | **Reconstructing Yugoslav local population in the long run.** *Leonard Kukic (Universidad Carlos III de Madrid), and Stefan Nikolic (Loughborough University).*

■ **WORKSHOP DINNER (20:30)**

**VENUE:** Restaurante Blanquerías,  
C. de la Blanqueria, 12, Bajo, Ciutat Vella, 46003 València, Valencia

## methods and techniques towards a European historical local population database

**FRIDAY, October 25th**

**VENUE:** Facultat d'Economia, Universitat de València,  
Avinguda dels Tarongers, 3rd floor, room 3P17.

■ **SESSION 3 (9:00-10:30)**

9:00-9:30 | **Reconstruct from below: a method for comparing 200 years of municipal census data in Portugal (1801-2001).** *Daniel Alves (IHC, NOVA FCSH Lisbon), online.*

9:30-10:00 | **Creating a historical GIS of communes, 1790-present.** *Alexis Litvine (Cambridge University).*

10:00-10:30 | **The Spanish municipal population dataset (ESPOP) 1860-1930.** *Francisco J. Beltrán-Tapia (NTNU), Alfonso Díez-Minguela (Universitat de València), Julio Martínez-Galarraga (Universitat de Barcelona), and Daniel A. Tirado-Fabregat (Universitat de València).*

■ **COFFEE BREAK (10:30-11:00)**

**VENUE:** Facultat d'Economia main hall.

■ **SESSION 4 (11:00-13:00)**

11:00-11:30 | **The German Local Population Database (GPOP): Updating and Upgrading.** *Felix Roesel (TU Braunschweig, CESifo, Germany).*

11:30-12:00 | **GISta Hungarorum-challenges of an integrated and visualized settlement-level database of the Kingdom of Hungary (1330-2010),** *Gabor Demeter (Hungarian Academy of Sciences/HUN-REN RCH Institute of History), Beatrix F. Romhányi (Károli Gáspár University of the Reformed Church), and Éva Szepesiné Simon (Hungarian National Archives).*

12:00-12:30 | **A historical Italian local population dataset (ITPOP), 1861-2011.** *Tancredi Buscemi (University of Siena), and Pau Insa-Sánchez (University of Siena).*

12:30-13:00 | **Joint recap.**

■ **KEYNOTE LECTURE (13:00-14:00)**

13:00-14:00 | **Keynote lecture by Diego Puga.**  
**Venue:** Room 'Manuel Sánchez Ayuso', Faculty of Economics, 1st floor.

■ **WORKSHOP LUNCH (14:15)**

**VENUE:** CLUB GASTRONÓMICO GALILEO  
Av. dels Tarongers, Algirós, 46022 València, Valencia

