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WORKSHOP

MARTEDÌ 22 OTTOBRE 2024,
ORE 14:30-16:30, AULA 21
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E STUDI AZIENDALI
VIA SILVIO D'AMICO, 77, ROMA

Inflation and Distribution

Although obsessed with inflation, the mainstream of economics is often unable both to offer convincing theoretical analyses of the inflationary phenomena that occur in reality and to point to effective economic policy remedies for them, as shown by the history of the recent post-covid inflationary surge. Two non-mainstream scholars offer in this workshop their reading of some theoretical and empirical aspects of inflation, based on a theoretical analysis that recognizes the very close connection between inflation and distribution and the role of conflict in determining inflationary outcomes and their characteristics.

14:30-15:20

Peter Skott (*Aalborg University Business School and University of Massachusetts Amherst*)

Conflict inflation: Keynesian path dependency or Marxian cumulation?

15:25-16:10

Eduardo F. Bastian (*Federal University of Rio de Janeiro - IE-UFRJ*)

Was wage indexation effective during the recent inflation surge in the Eurozone?

16:10-16:30

General discussion