







# WORKSHOP ON PUBLIC ECONOMICS

# 2017 RIDGE MAY FORUM

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## **Keynote Speaker**

Joel Slemrod (University of Michigan)





# Call for papers for the Workshop on Public Economics

The Research Institute for Development, Growth and Economics (RIDGE) is pleased to announce a call for papers for the Workshop on Public Economics to be held in Montevideo, Uruguay, on 25-26May 2017. The deadline for submission is February 15, 2017 (12 AM ET).

#### The focus of the 2017 Public Economic workshop will be on (but not restricted to):

- Taxation and Redistributive Systems
- Optimal Taxation
- Tax Evasion
- Welfare Economics and Normative Economics
- Social Security, Social Insurance and Health Economics
- Development Economics and Policies
- Behavioral Economics and Policies
- Labor Market Analysis/Policies
- Education and Policies
- Local Public Economics and Geographical Economics

# The 2016 workshop will take place within the framework of the 2017 RIDGE May Forum along with the following workshops:

- LACEA Trade, Integration and Growth Network, May 19-20 (Montevideo, Uruguay)
- RIDGE/LACEA-PEG Workshop on Political Economy, May 22-23 (Rio de Janeiro, Brazil)
- Impact Evaluation of Labor Market Policies, May 24-26 (Rio de Janeiro, Brazil)
- Public Economics, May 25-26 (Montevideo, Uruguay)
- Economic History, May 26-27 (Montevideo, Uruguay)

The RIDGE forums aim at the spreading of high quality research in economics by bringing together prestigious researchers working on the frontier of knowledge to local and regional researchers and policymakers.

To view the programme of previous workshops please visit:

#### http://www.ridge.uy/ridge-forums

Participants to this workshop are welcome to attend the other workshops.

#### **Paper Submission**

Full papers, written in English, must be submitted for consideration for the workshop. The cover page should include: the title of the paper, institutional affiliation, including address, phone and email of each author and an abstract with the appropriate JEL classification.

Each author can submit and present at most one paper per workshop(submission ofpapers to other workshops is possible).

Full papers, in PDF format, should be sent to: Andrea Cavallo **forum@ridge**.

#### **Important Dates**

#### Deadline for paper submission: February 15, 2017 (12 AM ET)

Notification of organizers decision: March 1, 2017

#### Funding

Accommodation expenses will be covered for all participants. We have a limited amount of budget available to partially cover travel expenses. Please indicate in your application whether you will require funding from RIDGE for travel expenses.

#### **Further Information**

Should you have any questions please contact: **forum@ridge.uy** or Marcelo Bergolo **mbergolo@iecon.ccee.edu.uy** 

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