



UNIVERSITÀ  
DEGLI STUDI  
DI PADOVA

**DSSGeA**  
DIPARTIMENTO DI SCIENZE STORICHE,  
GEOGRAFICHE E DELL'ANTICHITÀ

**ACADEMIC YEAR  
2023-2024**

**MASTER'S DEGREE IN LOCAL DEVELOPMENT  
KICK-OFF SEMINAR**

**25<sup>th</sup> - 28<sup>th</sup> september 2023  
Aula Magna, Palazzo Luzzatto Dina  
Via del Vescovado 30 - Padova\***

***An introduction to LD teaching activities  
& to the Italian university system***

**1 ECTS – Attendance: Mandatory (at least 65%)**

***\*Students whose Visa has not been received yet and cannot be on-site will have to attend  
the event on Zoom***

**September, 25th 2023**

**INTRODUCING LD**

*On-site and online (dual mode)*

**MANDATORY REGISTRATION**

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- 09.15-9.30 Zoom launching and welcome
- 09.30-9.40 Greetings from DiSSGeA's Head of Department 2023-2027  
*Prof. Andrea Caracausi*
- 09.40-9.50 Greetings from the President of the School of Human and Social Sciences and Cultural Heritage  
*Prof. Alessandra Petrina*
- 09.50-10.20 Greetings from the Chair of the Master in Local Development and introduction to programme & staff  
*Prof. Chiara Rabbiosi*
- 10.20-10.40 A quick introduction to local development: a review of approaches  
*Prof. David Celetti*
- 10.40-11.00 BREAK
- 11.00-13.00 **Keynote lecture**  
**CRITICAL GLOBAL DEVELOPMENT: DECOLONIALITY, SOLIDARITY AND JUSTICE**  
*Uma Kothari, Professor of Migration and Postcolonial Studies. Global Development Institute - University of Manchester*
- 13.00-15.00 LUNCH BREAK  
*You are invited to bring your own food and have an informal lunch break together in the garden of Palazzo Wollemborg, via del Santo 26, Padova*

*On-site*

*Palazzo Wollemborg, Museum of Geography, via del Santo 26, Padova*

- 15.00-18.00 VISIT AT THE MUSEUM OF GEOGRAPHY

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**A GUIDE FOR THE SYLVAN IN PADOVA. A COLLABORATION BETWEEN STUDENTS AND PROFESSORS**

*With Prof. Silvia E. Piovan*

## THINKING WITH PHOTO: REFLECTING ON IRRIGATION RURAL SPACES IN SUDAN

With *Prof. Mariasole Pepa*

*Online (No Visa students)*

15.30-17.30

ROUNDTABLE

**MANDATORY REGISTRATION**

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### **LOCAL DEVELOPMENT ON FIELDWORK**

Four PhD students will share their own approaches and fieldwork experiences on Local Development

## September, 26th 2023

### MEET YOUR CLASS, MEET LD STAKEHOLDERS

*Online (all participants)*

09.30-12.00

OUR DECENTRALISED CLASSROOM

**MANDATORY REGISTRATION**

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### **DEBATING LOCAL DEVELOPMENT FROM WHERE WE COME FROM**

Organizer: *Prof. Chiara Rabbiosi*

Please follow the instructions sent by [master.localdevelopment@unipd.it](mailto:master.localdevelopment@unipd.it)

or summed-up in our [Mediaspace](#):

12.00-15.00

LUNCH BREAK

*Online (No Visa students)*

15.00-16.30

TALK

**MANDATORY REGISTRATION**

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**LOCAL DEVELOPMENT: CAREER SKILLS AND CHALLENGES #1**

Facilitator: *Prof. Maria Castiglioni and Prof. Chiara Rabbiosi*

## **September, 27th 2023**

### **USEFUL TOOLS PRESENTATIONS**

*On-site and online (dual mode)*

**MANDATORY REGISTRATION**

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09.30-10.00

LD didactic and administrative issues

*Prof. Chiara Rabbiosi*

10.00-10.15

Internship: aims and procedures

*Prof. David celetti*

10.15-10.30

Study methods, etiquette and responsibilities in the programme and the university

*Prof. Silvia E. Piovan*

10.30-11.00

BREAK

11.00-11.20

Moodle Service Platform

*Adriana Martín García, LD Secretariat*

- 11.20-11.30 The role of tutor junior  
*Ludovica Doppietti*
- 11.30-11.40 The role of students' representatives  
*Francesco Moreschi e Giovanni Bonsangue*
- 11.40-12.00 Uniweb Service Platform + Social Media  
*Francesco Moreschi e Giovanni Bonsangue*
- 12.00-12.15 University library system  
*Carla Patrizia Dani*
- 12.15-12.30 BREAK
- 12.30-13.30 **For international students only**  
*Global Engagement Office welcome, Eirini Koumparaki*

On-site  
Palazzo Luzzatto Dina, Aula Magna  
Via del Vescovado 30, Padova

- 15.00-16.30 TALK  
**MANDATORY REGISTRATION**  
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**LOCAL DEVELOPMENT: CAREER SKILLS AND CHALLENGES #2**

Facilitator: *Prof. Maria Castiglioni and Prof. Chiara Rabbiosi*

*At home, online*

YOUR OWN  
TIME PREPARING THE FIELDTRIP  
**DECOLONIZE YOUR EYES**

Either if you are in Padua or if you are still abroad you are invited to read the introductory material that you will be receiving by email and [watch online](#) the participatory film 'Decolonizing the city. Visual Dialogues in Padova'.

## September, 28th 2023

### SEMINAR

*On-site*

10.00-13.00

WALKING SEMINAR

**MANDATORY REGISTRATION**

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**'DECOLONIZE YOUR EYES': A PARTICIPATORY RESEARCH EXPERIENCE IN PADOVA**

With *Prof. Mariasole Pepa* and *Paola Cosma* (Collective Decolonize your Eyes, Padova)

Bring your own food if you want to have a friendly lunch together after the walk

*Online (No Visa students)*

10.00-12.00

ONLINE SEMINAR

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**MICROFINANCE AND DEVELOPMENT: REALITY AND MYTHS**

With *Prof. Bharat S. Thapa*, *Tribhuvan University*