



Second PROMEBI Summer School
**SOCIAL RESEARCH ON EMPLOYMENT AND
WELFARE INTERACTIONS**

Department of Sociology
School of Economics and Business (Classroom 85)
University of Oviedo
September 4-8, 2017
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In recent years there has been a substantial increase in both quantity and quality of research analyzing tensions between work and welfare, with the aim of identifying trends, institutional arrangements and policies of both spheres that best interact among each other. At a European scale, the objective of improving theoretical, empirical and applied knowledge constitutes a substantial piece of the necessary renovation of the European integration project itself.

The main goal of this Summer School is to make participants familiar with recent and high quality research developments in the field of employment and welfare interactions. The school offers lectures with discussions by renowned international scholars, with prior reading assignments. The participants will be also required to present and discuss their research project (e.g. postgraduate research proposal, in-progress or finished paper).

The school is organised by the research team PROMEBI (*Promoviendo el empleo y el bienestar en Europa/Promoting employment and welfare in Europe*) at the University of Oviedo, in coordination with the Spanish Network of Social Policy (REPS).

Profs. Rodolfo Gutiérrez and Ana M. Guillen are the academic directors, and Vanesa Rodríguez the academic secretary.

The working language of the school will be English.

The program of the school will be available by **March 31** here:
<http://www.unioviado.es/promebi/category/eventos/promebi-summer-school/>

Who can apply?

The PROMEBI Summer School is mainly targeted at Master and PhD students with a social science background and specific research interest in the field.

Participants will be granted a diploma after completing the school. ECTS recognition by the University of Oviedo is expected.

How to apply?

Applicants must send a CV to promebi@uniovi.es, together with a short outline of the project/paper they would like to present in the school (up to 500 words on rationale for the topic, analytical framework, and research strategy/methods used). They will be selected on the basis of their general fit to the school topic and the quality of their project/paper.

Application period is between **April 1 and May 8**, 2017. Successful applicants will be notified by **May 31**.

Final papers will have to be submitted by **July 30** as word or PDF-file. All papers will be electronically available to participants.

Funding and costs

The school is funded partially by a research grant from the Government of the Principality of Asturias (*Ayudas a grupos de investigación GRUPIN014-86*). Tuition fees, board and lodging costs (in university halls of residence) for participants will be covered by the school.

PRELIMINARY PROGRAM*

Sunday, September 3

20:00 Welcome: Informal meeting of participants

Monday, September 4

- 9:00-9:15 Reception of participants and presentation of the school agenda: Rodolfo Gutiérrez and Ana M. Guillén (University of Oviedo)
- 9:15-11.15 Opening **lecture**: Prof. Bea CANTILLON (University of Antwerp), *Reconciling Work and Poverty Reduction*.
- 11:15-11.30 Coffee break
- 11:30-12:45 **Seminar**: Drs. Begoña CUETO and Vanesa RODRÍGUEZ (University of Oviedo), *Intergenerational Transmission of Poverty*
- 12:45-14:00 **Seminar**: Prof Ana J. LÓPEZ-MENÉNDEZ and Ana SUÁREZ-ÁLVAREZ (University of Oviedo), *Inequality of Opportunity in Europe: Do Circumstances Matter?*
- 14:00-15:30 Lunch break
- 15.30-18:00 Presentation of **papers** (Session 1)

Tuesday, September 5

- 9:00-11:00 **Lecture**: Prof. Caroline DE LA PORTE (Copenhagen Business School), *The Future of the Social Investment State: Politics, Policies, and Outcomes*.
- 11:00-11:30 Coffee break
- 11:30-13:00 **Seminar**: Profs Ana M. GUILLEN and Rodolfo GUTIÉRREZ (University of Oviedo), *'Biographical' Dualism: Youth Employment Patterns in Spain*.
- 13:00-14:30 Lunch break
- 14:30-17:00 Presentation of **papers** (Session 2)
- 18:00 Visit: Old town Oviedo and Fine Arts Museum

* Updated April 25.

Wednesday, September 6

- 9:00-11:00 **Lecture:** Dr. Héctor CEBOLLA, (UNED), *Comparing Immigrants and Non Immigrants: Selection and Achievement.*
- 11:00-11:30 Coffee break
- 11:30-13:00 **Seminar:** Prof. Holm D. KÖHLER (University of Oviedo), *Employment Relations in Multinational Companies.*
- 13:00-14:30 Lunch break
- 14:30-17:00 Presentation of **papers** (Session 3)

Thursday, September 7

- 9:00-11:00 **Lecture:** Prof. Maria PETMESIDOU (Democratic University of Thrace), *Youth Transitions: Policy Learning and Innovation Processes.*
- 11:00-11:30 Coffee break
- 11:30-13:00 **Seminar:** Drs. Begoña CUETO and María C. GONZÁLEZ (University of Oviedo), *Gender and Self-employment: Determinants of Entry and Survival.*
- 13:00-14:30 Lunch break
- 14:30-17:00 Presentation of **papers** (Session 4)

Friday, September 8

- 9:00-11:00 **Lecture:** Dr. Emmanuele PAVOLINI (University of Macerata), *Comparing Occupational Welfare in Europe.*
- 11:00-11:15 Coffee break
- 11:15-12:30 **Seminar:** Dr. Sergio GONZÁLEZ-BEGEGA and David LUQUE (University of Oviedo), *Industrial Conflict under Austerity: Transformations and Tensions in Repertoires of Protest.*
- 13:00 Closing of the seminar with diploma ceremony
- 13:30 Lunch