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12th OEET Workshop

Geopolitical Shocks, Trade, and Fertilisers
Implications for Agricultural Production and Food Security

WORKSHOP PROGRAMME

Campus Luigi Einaudi Lungo Dora Siena, 100A, Torino

Friday, December 4th and 5th - Department Cognetti de Martiis, Room 3D101, 3rd floor

Friday, December 4th 2026	
Welcome and Greetings	
9 – 9.30 am	Registration
9.30 – 9.45 am	Opening remarks and short introduction to the STAPLES project
FIRST SESSION: Geopolitics, Trade and Food Security	
9.45 – 10.45 am	Chair: **Giorgia Giovannetti** *(University of Florence and OEET-CCA)* Keynote lecture: **Prof. Giuseppe De Arcangelis** *(Sapienza University of Rome)*: **Disappointing Friends? Trading Partners and the Welfare Cost of Fragmentation**
10.45 - 11.15 am	**Coffee break**
11.15 - 12.45 am	**Giovanni Generale** *(University of Florence)*: **Market Participation and the Welfare Consequences of Sequential Shocks** **Viktoriya Voytsekhovska** *(Lviv Polytechnic National University)*: **Geopolitical Disruptions Agrifood Trade and Food-Security Resilience** **Meriano Francesco** *(Fondazione Med-Or)*: **Weathering the Hormuz storm Morocco's role in containing a Sahel and West African food crisis**
12.45 am – 2.00 pm	**Light lunch**

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SECOND SESSION: STAPLES, Water and Fertilisers	
2.00 – 3.00 pm	Chair: **Donatella Saccone** *(University of Pollenzo and OEET-CCA)* Keynote lecture: **Giulio Castelli** *(University of Florence)*: **The Water-Energy-Food-Ecosystem (WEFE) Nexus in the Mediterranean: Perspectives and Implications for Food Security**
3.00 - 3.30 pm	**Coffee break**
3.30 – 4.30 pm	**Matteo Moracci** *(University of Naples Federico II)*: **The Phantom Menace: The Effect of Foreign Distant Water Fishing on Local Health in Coastal Tanzania** **Eduardo Zegarra** *(Group for the Analysis of Development (GRADE), Lima)* **and Andrea Pronti** *(Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore, Milano)*: **Export-related Water Extraction in the Ica Valley of Peru**
4.30 – 5.30 pm	**Iacopo-Maria Taddei** *(OEET-CCA)*, **Giorgia Giovannetti** *(University of Florence and OEET-CCA)*, **Alessia Amighini** *(University of Eastern Piedmont and OEET)* **and Chahir Zaki** *(University of Orléans and ERF)*: **Fertilizer Import Dependence and Food Security: Evidence from Global Energy Price Shocks**
8.00 pm	**Dinner meeting**
Saturday, December 5th 2026	
THIRD SESSION: Fertilisers, Food and Fragility of Global Agriculture	
9.00 - 10.00 am	**Stefano Falcone** *(Collegio Carlo Alberto)* **and Michele Rosenberg** *(University of Essex)*: **Agricultural Modernization and Redistributive Conflict** **Ann Sara Ramkisoon** *(University of Florence)*: **Enabler or Bottleneck The Role of Quality Infrastructure in Fertiliser**
10.00 – 10.30 am	**Coffee break**

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10.30 – 11.10 am	Chair: **Iacopo-Maria Taddei** *(OEET-CCA)* Keynote lecture: **Dr. Moustapha Nabeel Mohamed** *(FAORNE),* joined online by **Dr. Tamas Vattai** *(FAORNE)* and **Dr. Youssef Tarek Yousri** *(FAORNE)*: **Resilience Under Pressure: The State of Agrifood Systems in the Near East and North Africa**
11.10 – 12.40 am	**Simone Di Loreto** *(Roma Tre University)*: **A Fertiliser Content Module for MAGNET: Tracing N, P and K through Global Agri-food Value Chains** **Stefano Menegat** *(University of Turin)* **et al.: Beyond Import Dependence: Mapping Upstream Vulnerabilities in the Global Nitrogen Fertiliser System** **Elena Rossi Espagnet** *(Sapienza University of Rome)*: **Driven to Leave: Analyzing the factors behind emigration in Africa.**
12.40 – 12.50 am	**Closing remarks**

The workshop will be held at Campus Luigi Einaudi and online at https://unito.webex.com/meet/oeet No preliminary registration is required, but we appreciate it if you send an email at oeet@carloalberto.org to communicate your participation, either in presence or online.

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