

CALL FOR PAPERS

FOURTH YOUNG SCHOLARS' WORKSHOP IN LABOUR RELATIONS

Modena, Italy, 18 March 2015

Marco Biagi Foundation, University of Modena and Reggio Emilia

The Marco Biagi Foundation invites PhD candidates and post-doctoral researchers (holding a post-doctoral grant) to submit abstracts for a workshop in Labour Relations to be hosted as the preliminary session of the Thirteenth International Conference in Commemoration of Professor Marco Biagi. The conference will take place in Modena, Italy, from 19 to 20 March 2015. The workshop will be held on **Wednesday 18 March 2015 from 2.30 pm until 6.30 pm.**

Abstracts should describe research projects that fall within the field of Labour Relations from one of the following disciplinary perspectives: law, industrial relations, labour economics, organization theory, human resources management. Special consideration will be given to those topics and original research projects that allow for an interdisciplinary dialogue involving two or more of these disciplines, and that show a specific concern for international and/or comparative issues.

Scholars willing to participate in the workshop should submit a **1,000 word abstract** along with a resume, including educational and academic career, publications, and contact information, no later than **31 October 2014**. **Please submit the abstract electronically (in English). The preferred format for submission is Microsoft Word.**

Abstracts should include the paper title and a bibliography, and should make specific reference to disciplinary field, academic affiliation of the author, research question(s), methodology and main results achieved. Notification of receipt of the abstract will be sent **no later than 5 November 2014**.

A panel of three faculty members of the Marco Biagi Foundation will select up to six abstracts to be presented and discussed in the workshop. The deadline for notification of acceptance will be **28 November 2014**.

The working language of the workshop will be **English**.

Authors of selected abstracts should submit a full paper of no more than **15,000 words** electronically (in English) no later than **16 January 2015**. Papers co-authored by established academics will not be considered. Papers should not have been published before the date of the workshop.

Authors not selected for the presentation may nonetheless be selected for a poster session to be held during the International Conference. The deadline for notification of acceptance to the poster sessions will be **28 November 2014**.

Presenters of papers and posters will be entitled to:

- **free admission to the International Conference and social events;**
- **hotel accommodation on Wednesday 18 March and Thursday 19 March (check-out 20 March);**
- **breakfast and meals on Thursday 19 March and Friday 20 March.**

In the case of papers with more than one author, expenses will be refunded for one author only.

Abstracts, papers and any questions about submissions should be submitted to: iacopo.senatori@unimore.it