



**European Group for Organizational Studies (EGOS)
EGOS Pre-Colloquium PhD Workshop
University of Milano-Bicocca
Tuesday, July 2, 2024**

The **EGOS Pre-Colloquium PhD Workshop** provides an enjoyable opportunity for doctoral students to interact with and learn from fellow students and experienced scholars in our field. It also provides a springboard for successful academic careers by examining important issues such as publishing, reviewing, and how to do a “job talk”. Further, the workshop enables participants to approach their doctoral dissertations with renewed vigour by engaging in discussions on research design and methodologies with renowned colleagues and by reviewing their dissertation proposals with the help of others – fellow participants and more senior researchers who work in the respective area of scholarly inquiry. Finally, through the mix of European and international students and faculty members, participants gain exposure to similarities and differences across countries and continents in how academic processes work. This also enhances their understanding of different career opportunities and career paths.

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Program

Please note the workshop will take place in **Building U6-Agorà**, found on Piazza dell'Ateneo Nuovo, 1

(https://www.egos.org/2024_Milan/Practical_Information/Colloquium-Venue).

The workshop is organized in parallel tracks or collaboration with the Post-Doctoral and Early Career Scholars Workshop.

Tuesday, July 2, 2024 (*All times are Central European Summer Time*)

9.00-9.45	Introductions (Building U6 - ground floor - room U6-P0-09) Neil Pollock, Elke Schüßler, Elisabetta Marafioti, Alessandro Hinna
9.45-10.45	Publishing in <i>Organization Studies</i> and <i>Organization Theory</i> Paolo Quattrone, Editor-in-Chief of <i>Organization Studies</i> Joep Cornelissen, Editor-in-Chief of <i>Organization Theory</i> Presentation + Q&A Session
10.45-11.15	Coffee break
11.15-12.45	Round table session: discussions of participants' dissertation proposals
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15.15-15.45	Coffee break
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17.15-17.30	Break	
1 7. 3 0- 1 8. 1 5	The art of reviewing (Building U6 - ground floor - U6-P0-09) Nina Granqvist, Senior Editor of Organization Studies Presentation + Q&A Session	How do you give a “job talk” (Building U6 - ground floor - room U6-P0-01a) Magdalena Plesa, Lecturer in Strategy and Entrepreneurship, University of Liverpool Presentation + Q&A session
2 0. 0 0	Workshop Dinner There will be a dinner after the PhD workshop, which will take place at “Fuorimano” (Via Roberto Cozzi, 3, 20125 Milano MI) Fuorimano OTBP .	

Instructions for PhD students

Please ...

- Remember to register for the overall EGOS conference at <https://www.egos.org/2024 Milan/REGISTRATION-for-Colloquium>
- Upload your updated/modified dissertation proposal by June 15th on the EGOS web page <https://www.egos.org/2024 milan/general theme>. If you do not upload an updated version, we will consider your first submission to be the most recent. Note that you will **not** be able to see other students' proposals via the EGOS website! This is only for the conveners.
- Your updated proposal should include a specification of your research question, theoretical approach, and methodological approach, as well as a discussion of the main questions you would like to foreground and get feedback on during the round table: What is the most compelling part of your thesis? Which questions/challenges are you struggling with most? You should look to keep your proposal to around the four pages requested in the original call.
- On the day itself, come prepared to outline these aspects in a short (5 min) verbal presentation (no PPTs needed) and then discuss them with others in your round table
- Please also email your proposal to your round table facilitator/mentor and other round table participants **one week in advance**. We will send out the details of your mentor and fellow table participants shortly. Your mentor and fellow table participants will be in the same cognate area as you (or as close as we can get it).
- Read the proposals of the other participants in your round table session. They are available on the EGOS website to your fellow PhD students (**but not to your**

mentors). Consider that all other participants in your round table session will have read your proposal.

- **Wear your PhD!** Participants should prepare a (A5 or A4) poster of their PhD research and wear it like a billboard (e.g. back and front), or, if that is not practical, scribble the idea of your PhD on an old t-shirt and wear that, or, if you prefer, just wear some post-it notes with your key PhD ideas. You decide what works best. One primary function of the PhD Colloquium is networking - and what better way to network and meet fellow researchers than to wear your research!

Instructions for round table facilitators

Please ...

- register for the colloquium at [https://www.egos.org/2024 Milan/REGISTRATION-for-Colloquium](https://www.egos.org/2024_Milan/REGISTRATION-for-Colloquium)
- read the proposals of all participants in your round table session. We have asked participants to email them to you **one week in advance** of the colloquium – note that the table allocation is provisional and might still be subject to change until then
- communicate timely with the participants if you have instructions in addition to those above; students usually appreciate hearing from you before the workshop
- give high-quality, developmental feedback on the proposals
- moderate the session and make sure that you keep to time.

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