

Urban Economics PhD Workshop

Call for papers

CREST – ENSAE – Institut Polytechnique de Paris

December 10th and 11th, 2026

This two-day workshop, held at ENSAE, aims to gather **PhD-level urban and spatial economists** in a friendly environment. We welcome any contributions in urban and spatial economics and related fields. All papers will be discussed by a fellow student.

We are delighted to have [Gabriel Loumeau](#) (University of Neuchâtel, CESifo, CEPR) as our keynote speaker.

How to apply?

We target PhD students (or within the year of their defence). Deadline for submission (working paper or extended abstract < 500 words) is the **1st of October**. Notifications will follow shortly. Papers and personal details (name, affiliation) should be sent by email to immanuel.feld@warwick.ac.uk and mateo.moglia@polytechnique.edu.

Funding

There is no registration fee for the conference, and all presenters will be invited to the conference dinner in Paris. Participants are expected to cover their own travel expenses. Subject to availability and thanks to generous financial support, the organizers can provide accommodation for up to two nights to presenters who request it.

Contacts

This workshop is organized by Immanuel Feld (University of Warwick & FAU Erlangen Nürnberg) and Mateo Moglia (CREST). Program and additional details can be found on the conference website (https://crest-urban-workshop.github.io/_2026).

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