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# RESILIENT TERRITORIES

NEW COMPLEXITIES AND EMERGENT CHALLENGES



Aula Mazzini, Via Balbi 5, Genova

April 18th - 20th, 2024

## APRIL 18TH

**14.30 - 15.00** Institutional greetings

**15.00-15.40** Keynote Speech

“How climate change affects Africa”

**Prof. D.O. Olago** - University of Nairobi

**15.40 - 16.20** Keynote Speech

“Territories and community resilience: the role of Universities as orchestrators of innovation in networked ecosystems”

**Prof. A. Ghisalberti** - University of Bergamo

**Coffee Break**

## I SESSION - 16.40 -18.30

**Territorialization and community resilience in the frame of climate related socio-political phenomena: migration and conflict**

**Chair Prof. D.O. Olago** - University of Nairobi

**G. Battisti** - Territories and emerging challenges: rethinking causal relationships

**M. El Aklaa** - Territorial resilience in the context of climate change

**H. Taliei, R. Kheyroddin & A. Salahi** - Explaining the role of communication networks in Kashan with the approach of economic resilience

**G. Casano** - Community resilience at the service of the climate-migration-conflict nexus and territorialization process understanding

**Discussion**

## FIELD TRIP

**APRIL 20th**

**Genoa &  
Neighbouring Areas**

## APRIL 19TH

### II SESSION (A) - 9.30 - 11.00

**Heritage, tourism and resilience in peripheral areas: between risks and opportunities**

**Chair Prof. A. Mariotti** - University of Bologna

**Keynote Speech** - “Duet or duel? Downscaling and upscaling Heritage and Tourism policies in Europe”

**G. Cavuta & M. Di Giovanni** - Community Resilience, Potential or Cause of Marginalization of Inland Areas?

**F. Ferrari & L. Augello** - Tourism, resilience and sustainability transitions in rural areas: a multi-level perspective

**Coffee Break**

### II SESSION (B) - 11.20 - 12.30

**G. Biazzo** - A hypothesis for a resilient method for some Italian inland areas: the ecotourism case study

**E. Priarone** - Inner areas and resilience: examples from the upper Val di Vara

**Discussion**

**Light Lunch**

### III SESSION - 14.30 - 17.30

**New technologies, perspectives, and methodologies for the resilience of territories.**

**Chair Dr. R. Rudari** - CIMA Foundation

**Keynote Speech** - “The importance of interdisciplinary approaches in defining adaptation strategies for resilience”

**J. Ellouyty** - Agriculture facing the challenge of climate change: impacts on the population and adaptation strategies

**S. Ottaviani, L. Serrao, C. Diamantini, A.A. Manhota & G. Zolezzi** - Multidisciplinary approach for assessment and co-design in a spontaneous settlement in Mozambique

**E. Panizza** - Exploring the Influence of Policy Options on Flood Displacement in Sudan

**Discussion**

**Farewell Drink**

**Scientific Committee:** Egidio Dansero, Elena dell'Agnesse, Stefania Mangano, Pietro Piana, Francesco Remotti, Mauro Spotorno.

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