# Course "Monetary and financial macroeconomics"

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M2 ETE

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This year, the subject of the course will

# Finance and macroeconomics. Analyses and policy issues.

This course aims at presenting topics on monetary and financial macroeconomics. This year, it will focus on the interactions between finance and macroeconomics, using as a starting point the ongoing "Great Recession".

The current crisis is severe by historical standards, long-lasting, general and global. It is clearly grounded on financial stress, which has been able to invade the whole "real" economy. The banking system plays a crucial role in the transmission mechanism of this stress to the whole economy.

It uncovers the role of financial intermediaries and banks in the current state of market economies. Yet, it is not that different from preceeding financial crises.

We shall survey significant scientific contributions which explore various aspects of the interplay between finance and macroeconomics. These contributions could help economists, managers and policymakers to better understand and handle this crisis (and future ones).

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Lectures: Wednesday, 11.00 - 12.30.

# Programme (tentative)

1- Understanding the 2007-... crisis.

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2 - Banking and financial crises. An historical account.

#### Reference:

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3 - Financial factors of crises and cycles.

# Reference:

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## 4 - Credit rationing

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Stiglitz and Weiss, "Credit rationing in markets with incomplete information", American Economic Review, vol.71, 1981, 393-410.

5 - Bank credit and cycles.

# Reference:

N. Kiyotaki and G. Moore, "Credit cycles", *Journal of Political Economy*, vol. 105, 1997.

# 6 - Banking panics

#### Reference:

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7 - Deposit insurance and commitment.

# Reference:

Ennis H. M., and T. Keister, "Bank Runs and Institutions: The Perils of Intervention", *American Economic Review*, vol. 99, 2009.

Cooper R. and H. Kempf, "Deposit insurance and bank liquidation without commitment: Can we sleep well?", *Economic Theory*, forthcoming.

8 - Optimal financial crises.

## Reference:

Allen, F. and D. Gale, "Optimal financial crises", *Journal of Finance*, 53, 2000, 1245-83.

9 - Asset prices. CAPM and beyond.

## Reference:

Campbell, John Y. "Asset prices, consumption, and the business cycle." *Handbook of macroeconomics* 1 (1999): 1231-1303.

Campbell, John Y. "Consumption-based asset pricing." *Handbook of the Economics of Finance* 1 (2003): 803-887.

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Cochrane J. H., Asset Pricing, Princeton University Press, 2009.

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#### 10 - Bubbles

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