## LABOUR LECTURES 2012 Professor Joshua D. Angrist (MIT)

## Empirical Strategies: IV and RD go to school



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CEIS and the University of Rome "Tor Vergata" are pleased to announce the course on **Empirical Strategies: IV and RD go to school**, by Prof. Joshua Angrist (MIT) to be held at EIEF, via Sallustiana 62 in Rome.

*Empirical Strategies: IV and RD go to school* is a mixture of classroom lectures and American labor-lunch style presentations with discussion of participants' work. Interested researchers and advanced graduate students are encouraged to present a paper.

This course covers econometric ideas and widely used empirical modelling strategies discussed in the book *Mostly Harmless Econometrics (MHE*) by J.D. Angrist and J.S. Pischke.

COURSE OUTLINE

- **1.** Instrumental variables
- 2. External validity
- **3. Understanding effect heterogeneity**
- 4. Regression discontinuity: theory and application

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