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## Program

# 2019 NOVAFRICA PhD Workshop on MIGRATION AND DEVELOPMENT

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Nova School of Business and Economics
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08.30     **Registration**

09.00     **Opening Session**                                    **(Room B131)**

**Testing Classic Theories of Migration in the Lab**
Catia Batista, Nova SBE and NOVAFRICA

09.30     **Session 1**                                          **(Room B131)**

**Polygamy, Sibling Rivalry and Migration**
Tijan Bah, Nova SBE and NOVAFRICA

**Out of sight, out of mind? Internal and international migration of Senegalese nationals and their impacts on household consumption**
Mahamat Abdramane Moustapha, Paris Dauphine University

**Cash Transfers and Migration: Experimental Evidence from Comoros Island**
Jules Gazeaud, CERDI, Université Clermont Auvergne

11.00     **Coffee Break**

| 11.30 | **Session 2** | **(Room B131)** |

**The Impact of Childhood Migration on Education – Evidence from Indonesia**
Hanna Schwank, Boston University

**Times of change in complex environments - A natural experiment on hospitalization policy for Palestine refugees in Lebanon**
Sara Almeida, Nova SBE

| 12.30 | **Keynote Session** | **(Room B131)** |

**Border Policies and Unauthorized Flows: Evidence from the Refugee Crisis in Europe**
Francesco Fasani, QMUL

| 13.30 | **Lunch** |

| 14.30 | **Conference Start** |

**Catia Batista** is Associate Professor of Economics at Universidade Nova de Lisboa, where she is also Founder and Scientific Director of the NOVAFRICA research center.

She holds a Ph.D. in Economics from the Department of Economics of the University of Chicago. Catia has research interests related to international migration and remittance flows, mobile money, entrepreneurship, technology adoption, education and policy evaluation. She has done work including randomized and lab-in-the- field experiments in countries such as Cape Verde, the Gambia, Ireland, Kenya, Portugal, Mozambique and Sao Tome and Principe. Catia has taught at the University of Chicago, University of Oxford, Trinity College Dublin, and Notre Dame University. She is currently a Research Fellow at the international research centers CReAM (London, UK) and IZA (Bonn, Germany). Previously, Catia worked at the International Monetary Fund and at the Portuguese Catholic University, and consulted for the World Bank and the International Growth Center. Her academic work has been published in outlets such as the Journal of Development Economics, and the World Bank Economic Review.



**Francesco Fasani** is a Reader at the School of Economics and Finance at Queen Mary University of London. He is a Research Affiliate at CEPR (Centre for Economic Policy Research) and a Research Fellow at CReAM (Centre for Research and Analysis of Migration) and IZA (Institute for the Study of Labor).

Francesco Fasani is an applied labour economist mostly interested in the economic analysis of migration and of crime. His research focuses on migration policies, undocumented migration, internal migration in developing countries, the relationship between migration and crime and the impact of local crime exposure on residents' wellbeing. He received his Ph.D. in Economics at UCL (University College London) in 2011. In 2010-2013, he was Postdoctoral Researcher at the Institute for Economic Analysis (IAE-CSIC) in Barcelona and Affiliated Professor at the Barcelona Graduate School of Economics (GSE).

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