

CALL FOR PAPERS

THIRD INTERNATIONAL ASTRIL CONFERENCE: EMPLOYMENT, QUALITY OF WORK AND WELFARE IN THE PERSPECTIVE OF SOCIAL AND TERRITORIAL COHESION

12-13 December 2019

**Università Roma Tre, Dipartimento di Economia
Scuola di Economia e Studi Aziendali, Via Silvio D'Amico 111, 00145 Roma**

This Third International ASTRIL Conference aims at gathering contributions on the possible lines of action and **policy measures** capable of improving the quality of work and the welfare systems, and at the same time counteracting the decline of social and territorial cohesion that the worsening of quality of work and welfare State helps to accentuate.

Obviously, such policy oriented profile implies also a deep investigation of the **causes** which are at the root of these negative trends. Therefore, although papers on all topics related to these issues are accepted, contributions in the following fields are particularly welcome:

- 1) Present features of the worsening of work quality, both related to the terms of work contracts (worker rights, wage levels, precariousness...) and to the content of jobs (physical effort, degree of autonomy, cognitive content...). The evolution of labour productivity also falls within this field of inquiry.
- 2) Extent and quality of welfare services provision, both by the State (universal or means tested) and by firms through collective agreements

- 3) Social and territorial inequality with reference to: income, health services, housing, educational services, social security, quality of life, etc.
- 4) Problems related to the financing and sustainability of welfare systems and the dilemma: workers based contributions or general taxation?

Deadlines:

Abstracts (300-500 words with description of methodology, state of art, and main contribution) and session proposals: **15 July 2019**

Write in the abstract the theme which the paper refers to (1, 2, 3, 4)

Notification of acceptance:.....30 July 2019

Paper submission:.....10 October 2019

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