ORGANIZATIONAL DETAILS

- The course is free of charge
- Travel and accommodation expenses will be covered only in case of early-career researchers and PhDs coming from European countries
- No costs are covered for people not involved in research activities (e.g., practitioners and policy makers)
- Participants will be selected on the basis of interest and CV
- Notification of acceptance will be sent after the selection process is completed

2 weeks before the beginning of the course, we will provide participants with a description of the VICO infrastructure and a list of scientific articles that used the VICO infrastructure.



Venue

Department of Management, Economics and Industrial Engineering
Politecnico di Milano
Via Lambruschini 4/b, Milano

Start date

February 4, 20<u>15</u>

End date

February 5, 2015

Deadline for request participation
December 31, 2014







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WHAT WE KNOW ABOUT VENTURE CAPITAL IN EUROPE: EXPLORING VICO

Short course



financing entrepreneurial ventures in Europe

February 4 – 5, 2015







PROGRAMME AND CONTENTS

DAY 1 - FEBRUARY 4, 2015

11.00 – 11.30 Presentation of the course

11.30 – 13.00 Overview of the VICO infrastructure

14.00 – 16.00 Research questions that can be addressed with the VICO infrastructure

16.30 – 18.30 Descriptive statistics on VC activity in Europe

DAY 2 - FEBRUARY 5, 2015

9.00 – 11.00

Descriptive statistics on VC backed firms

11.30 – 13.00 VC backed-firms vs non VC backed-firms

> 14.00 – 17.00 Practical computer session



COURSE OBJECTIVES

The objective of the course is to describe the features of the **VICO infrastructure**, highlighting its potential applications to early stage researchers interested in entrepreneurship and entrepreneurial finance, practitioners and policy makers.

The course also aims at providing a practical training for the exploitation of the VICO infrastructure.

This course is part of the Training Activities of the RISIS Project

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TARGET AUDIENCE

The maximum number of participants for the course is 15. The course is addressed to:

- Early career researchers and PhD students
- Practitioners interested in entrepreneurial finance in Europe
- Policy makers at the local, regional, national and international level (e.g., European Commission)

COURSE PREREQUISITES

- Basic working knowledge of STATA
- Basic knowledge of statistics and econometrics