

EDYSTONE LIGHT HOUSE  
Diameter 90 Feet high 1772

# DOCTORAL PROGRAM IN GLOBAL HISTORY OF EMPIRES 2023-2024 SPRING SEMINARS

## February 22, 4 pm, room 3D233

*The Unknown Phenomenon of 'Moretti':  
Slavery, Ransoms and Missions between  
Africa and Europe (1824-1896)*

Giacomo Ghedini  
(Sorbonne Université)

## February 29, 4 pm, room 3D233

*Smoke on the Water. Incineration at Sea  
and the Birth of a Transatlantic  
Environmental Movement*

Dario Fazzi  
(Leiden University)

## March 7, 4 pm, room 3D440

*Economic Growth in a Post-Imperial  
World. Albert O. Hirschman and the  
Political Consequences of Economic  
Development*

Michele Alacevich  
(Università di Bologna)

## March 21, 4 pm, room 3D233

*Experience and Science in the New World*

Sebastian Molina Betancur  
(Università di Milano)

## April 11, 4 pm, room 3D440

*A New History of Environmental and  
Natural Resource Economics*  
Antoine Missemer (CNRS, CIRED Paris)

## May 2, 10 am - 5 pm, room 3D233

*Workshop: Slavery after Abolitionism?  
Temporalities, (Im)Mobility and Labor in  
Global Perspective*

## May 16, 4 pm, room 3D233

*Changing Narratives of the Russian  
Imperial Past: A Perspective from New  
Imperial History of Northern Eurasia*  
Alexander Semyonov (Amherst College)

## May 23, 4 pm, room 3D233

*Race, Colonialism and the Global Second  
International, 1889-1914*  
Lorenzo Costaguta (University of Bristol)

## May 30, 4 pm, room 3D233

*A "Global Moment": the Circulation of East  
African Cowries across Land and Oceans  
(18th-19th century)*

Karin Pallaver (Università di Bologna)

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