



CCSE Doctoral Workshop  
**Governance in Comparative Perspectives**

Bergamo, 12-13 March 2012

**Call for applications**

**Workshop Committee:**

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**Venue:** University of Bergamo, Italy

**Date:** 12-13 March 2012

**Application deadline:** 15 February 2012

For applications, or further information, please send an email to [ccse@unibg.it](mailto:ccse@unibg.it)

**Introduction**

The CISAlpino Institute for Comparative Studies in Europe (CCSE) is an international, nonprofit and independent institute. By fostering comparative studies within countries and regions in Europe, the CCSE contributes to improve our understanding of why and how regions differ in Europe and how we can learn from each other to shape our common future in the best ways.

The event provides a forum for doctoral students undertaking comparative research to discuss their research with peers, colleagues and leading supervisors and scholars in the field. Doctoral students at all stages (i.e. beginning as well as nearly completed) are encouraged to participate.

**Application and selection process**

The workshop invites all interested doctoral students to submit their research proposals for review and feedback. In your submission, please also indicate your progress toward completion of the thesis.

Submissions of research proposals in the following topics are particularly welcome:

- Technology Transfer and Academic Entrepreneurship
- Corporate Governance and Innovative financing
- Governance and Financing of Universities

Each submission will undergo a review process. Students will be notified about the review outcome by the end of February. Accepted proposals will be made available to workshop participants before the Workshop.

**Timeline**

15 February 2012	Submission deadline for application
29 February 2012	Notification of acceptance
12-13 March 2012	Doctoral Workshop

**Preliminary Program**

Monday, 12 March 2012

14.00: Session on Technology Transfer and Academic Entrepreneurship

19.00: Workshop Dinner

Tuesday, 13 March 2012

9.00: Session on Corporate Governance and Innovative financing

14.00: Session on Governance and Financing of Universities