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# INSEAI WORKSHOP 1

***Theoretical context on informal activity. Conceptual  
framework. Informality and Sustainable Growth Models.***

***Macro and Micro perspectives***

**2025, November 21, Thursday**

Hybrid (face-to-face and online)

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## PRESENTATION

Informality is a long-standing phenomenon in the field of social sciences. The term has been around for over fifty years.

Let's first address the phenomenon of informality from a theoretical perspective. While we are concerned with socioeconomic informality, its multiple facets and levels, on this occasion, we focus on the different theoretical foundations that attempt to interpret a phenomenon considered outside official parameters or, depending on the approach adopted, below the economic and social development standards.

In this sense, many of our questions stem from the fact that our researchers and candidates approach it from a multidisciplinary perspective, which means that a single scientific discipline (among the many that comprise the social sciences) does not allow us to understand the phenomenon entirely.

Therefore, we can draw upon sociologists, psychologists, economists, legal scholars, anthropologists, and other social scientists to contribute to our work in this workshop, thereby enhancing the general understanding of informality.



## TOPICS

- Theoretical analysis of informality.
- Macroeconomics or informality.

- Growth Models with informal activities.
- Aggregate micro-informality behaviours.
- Economic, social, and environmental sustainability in the presence of informal activities.



## CHAIRS OF THE WORKSHOP 1

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## SCHEDULE

1. September 5<sup>th</sup>: Registration: Name, credits, title of paper and abstract (Objective(s); Methodology; Results and Main Conclusions; maximum 400 words). After July 15<sup>th</sup>, please send the abstract to [INSEAI2023@uv.es](mailto:INSEAI2023@uv.es)
2. September 15h: Communication of acceptance or rejection of the paper.
3. October 31<sup>st</sup>: Send the full paper
4. November 20<sup>th</sup> & 21<sup>st</sup>: Sessions of Workshop (hybrid)



## ATTENDANCE TO INSEAI WORKSHOP 1

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Papers will be submitted, indicating “for INSEAI WORKSHOP I, to:

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