

## Advanced Methods in Economic Analysis (PhD Guest Courses)

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**Dates:** 12–13 and 19–20 May

**Duration:** 10 hours

**Location:** Seminar Room

### Description

This PhD module provides an advanced introduction to modern macroeconometric methods, with a focus on **Bayesian time series econometrics**. The course covers both theoretical foundations and applied tools for empirical macroeconomic analysis, with particular emphasis on VAR models and their use in policy and research applications.

### Topics

- Bayesian time series econometrics: introduction and theoretical foundations
- Bayesian VARs: estimation, identification, and inference
- Methodological contributions in macroeconometrics
- Selected empirical applications

### Format

Lectures and applied sessions with empirical examples.

### Pre-requisites

- Basic econometrics
- Familiarity with statistical programming (e.g. MATLAB, Python, or R)
- Good knowledge of linear algebra, probability, and statistics