



## EINLADUNG ZUM KOLLOQUIUM

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**The assessment of research performance in the  
academic system.  
Lessons learnt, open questions.**

The assessment of research has become a common practice in many advanced countries. At the same time it raises hot controversies. The seminar reviews the arguments in favour and against research assessment (including issues of epistemic pluralism, cognitive justice, interdisciplinarity, research integrity). It will be based on extensive high level responsibility in the development of the research assessment infrastructure in Italy, with particular emphasis on Social Sciences and Humanities. The seminar will also review the empirical literature on the consequences of research assessment, covering also the heated debate on the European model of "distributed excellence".

**Andrea Bonaccorsi** is Professor of Economics and Management at the School of Engineering of the University of Pisa. He has authored in the most important journals in economics of science and technology, innovation policy, and research evaluation and metrics, with more than 8000 citations on Google Scholar. In the period 2011-2015 he has served as member of the Board of the Italian Agency for the Evaluation of Universities and Research Institutes. He has pioneered the field of microdata on higher education institutions, first with the Aquameth project, then with the Eumida feasibility studies, and finally with ETER, the project supported by Eurostat, DG Education and DG Research. On these issues he has published two books from Edward Elgar (2007 and 2014) and a book from Springer on the evaluation of research in Social Sciences and Humanities.

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