

## Barcelona GSE Summer Forum

Balmes Building (UPF) – Balmes 132, Barcelona

June 12, 2013 - POLITICAL INSTITUTIONS, EFFECTS ON  
POLICY AND CIVIL CONFLICT

### Session 1

10:00-11:00 DOMINIC ROHNER (University of Lausanne) - **“Natural Resource Distribution and Multiple Forms of Civil War”** (with M. Morelli)

11:00-11:30 *Coffee-break*

### Session 2

11:30-12:30 JACOB N. SHAPIRO (Princeton University) - **“Modest, Secure and Informed: Successful Development in Conflict Zones”** (with E. Berman, J. Felter, and E. Troland)

12:30-13:30 JUAN F. VARGAS (Universidad del Rosario) - **“Don’t Make War, Make Elections: Franchise Extension and Violence in XIX-Century Colombia”** (with L. Fergusson)

13:30-14:30 *Lunch*

### Session 3

14:30-15:30 PER PETTERSSON-LIDBOM (Stockholm University) - **“Democracy, Redistribution, and Political Participation: Evidence from Sweden 1919-1938”** (with B. Tyrefors Hinnerich)

15:30-16:30 PATRICIA FUNK (UPF and Barcelona GSE) - **“Policy Choices in Assembly vs. Representative Democracies: Evidence from Swiss Communes”** (with S. Litschig)

16:30-17:00 *Coffee-break*

### Session 4

17:00-18:00 RUBEN ENIKOLOPOV (New Economic School) - **“Direct Democracy and Resource Allocation: Experimental Evidence form Afghanistan”** (with A. Beath and F. Christia)

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