

## **PRIN PNRR TAIA – TRANSNATIONAL AGING BETWEEN ITALY AND AFRICA**

### **INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE 8-9 SEPTEMBER 2025**

University of Pavia, Department of Political and Social Sciences

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#### **Monday, 8<sup>th</sup> September (3.00 PM – 7.00 PM)**

**3.00 PM – Welcoming Speech:** Marco Gardini

**3.10 PM – KEYNOTE** – Cati Coe: *Aging and Migration Studies: What Each Can Contribute*

**4.00 PM-4.15 PM** – Q&A

**4.30 PM – PANEL 1: *Transnational Aging from Africa to Italy: Biographical Trajectories and Access to Welfare*** Paolo Gaibazzi (chair) – Federica Tarabusi (discussant)

1. Paola Schierano: *Aging Abroad: Constraints on Return Migration Among Elderly Tunisians in Italy*
2. Chiara Pilotto: *Bordering Welfare in Europe: Citizenship Rights and Nationalist Boundaries through the Lens of Transnational Ageing*
3. Serena Scarabello: *Social Positioning, Notions of Success, and Changing Ties in Women's Life Course. Biographical Insights from the Italo-Ghanaian Diaspora*

*Coffee Break: (5.30 PM–5.45 PM)*

4. Laura Ferrero: *Welfare Gaps and Grey Areas: The Italian Welfare System in the Face of an Aging Migrant Population*
5. Silvia Stefani: *Aging Elsewhere. Negotiating Care in Transnational Families*

**6.30 PM** – Federica Tarabusi: discussant

**6.40 PM** – Q&A

#### **Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> September (9.30 AM – 12.00 PM)**

**9.30 AM – PANEL 2: *Transnational Aging in Africa: Italian and African Diasporas in the Mirror***  
Luca Rimoldi (chair) – Alessandro Gusman (discussant)

1. Marco Gardini: *"The Money I get from France and the Help I Get from Here:" Circular Migration, Aging and Care in a Family Network between Madagascar and Réunion*
2. Paolo Gaibazzi: *Elders and Transnational Activism in the Gambia*
3. Yassin Dia: *Living and Ageing Elsewhere: Paths and Experiences of Elderly Italians in Senegal*
4. Gloria Frisone: *Splitting Privilege into Four: Intersectional Ethnography on the Italian Retirement Migration in Hammamet (Tunisia)*

*Coffee Break (10.50 AM – 11.00 AM)*

**11.00 AM** – Alessandro Gusman (discussant)

**11.10 AM** – Q&A

**11.40 AM** – Conclusion: Alice Bellagamba