

15.30-17.00

Panel 4:

*Migrations and Mobilities in the Horn of Africa*

Chair: **Silvia Bruzzi** (Institut des Mondes Africains [IMAF/  
CNRS] Paris 1-Pantheon Sorbonne)

**Mohamed Abbas Sufi** (Senior Economic Political  
Advisor, Chief of Diplomatic Delegation in Europe  
of Former Prime Minister of Somalia)  
*Somalia Mobility in the Horn*

**Rachel Demisie** (PhD Student Department of Political  
and Social Sciences, University of Bologna)  
*Democratic Transition in Ethiopia: Problems, Perspecti-  
ves and the Challenge of Migrations*

**Uoldelul Chelati Dirar** (Department of Political Scien-  
ce, University of Macerata)  
*Mobility in the Horn: New Perspectives*

**Federica Guazzini** (University for Foreigners, Perugia)  
*War and Mobility in the Greater Horn of Africa. A histori-  
cal Perspective*

17.00

Conclusion

**Karin Pallaver** (Department of History and Cultures,  
University of Bologna)

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## Internal Migrations and Displacements in Africa: Historical Perspectives and Contemporary Dynamics



### 9.30

Welcome

**Luigi Canetti**, Head Department of Cultural Heritage,  
University of Bologna, Ravenna Campus

Assessore **Valentina Morigi**, Municipality of Ravenna

**Anna Maria Gentili**, Emeritus Professor, University of  
Bologna

### 10.00-11.30

#### Panel 1:

*Historical Perspectives on Internal Migrations and  
Mobilities in Western Africa*

Chair: **Irma Taddia** (Department of Cultural Heritage,  
University of Bologna, Ravenna Campus)

**Remi Dewiere** (WIRL-COFUND Fellow, University of  
Warwick)

*Early Modern Climatic Refugees? Little Ice Age and  
Sahelian Mobilities (17<sup>th</sup>-18<sup>th</sup> centuries)*

**Domenico Cristofaro** (PhD Student, University of  
Bologna)

*Cross Border Mobility and Urbanization in Northern  
Ghana: a Historical Perspective*

**Pierluigi Valsecchi** (University of Pavia)

*Mass Exoduses and Nationalism Across the Ghana-Ivory  
Coast Border*

### 11.30-13.00

#### Panel 2:

*Historical Perspectives on Internal Migrations and  
Displacements in Eastern Africa*

Chair: **Arrigo Pallotti** (Department of Political and  
Social Sciences, University of Bologna)

**Tekeste Negash** (Emeritus Professor, University of  
Uppsala)

*Mobility, Irredentism and the Construction of Peace  
Between Eritrea and Ethiopia*

**Prof. Jan Záhořík** (University of West Bohemia,  
Pilsen)

*Education, Mobility and Export of Socialism: Czechoslo-  
vakia and Africa in the Cold War*

**Michele Petrone** (Post-doc Researcher at the Univer-  
sité Catholique de Louvain)

*Arabic Sources on Migration and Islamization of the  
Oromo*

### 13.00-14.00 Lunch

### 14.00-15.30

#### Panel 3:

*Internal Mobilities in Contemporary Africa*

Chair: **Mario Zamponi** (Department of Political and  
Social Sciences, University of Bologna)

**Corrado Tornimbeni** (Department of Political and  
Social Sciences, University of Bologna)

*Internal Mobility and Political Systems in sub-Saharan  
Africa*

**Raffaello Petti** (PhD Student Department of Political  
and Social Sciences, University of Bologna)

*Internal Mobility and the Enforcement of Customary  
Law upon Migrants: The Case of the Acholi Community  
in Kampala*

**Luca Jourdan** (Department of History and Cultures,  
University of Bologna)

*Displacements and Refugees in Uganda*

**Francesco Tamburini** (University of Pisa)

*Libya and Tunisia Displacements in the Context of  
Northern Africa*