

*The causal effect of cultural products:
economic spillovers and local fiscal multipliers*

**Research Assistant Internship
in the Department of Economics and Finance**

1. Tutor

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2. Skills and Experience required

- Languages: Italian and English
- Skills required: Basic knowledge of statistics and econometrics. Knowledge of econometric software (preferably STATA) will be considered as a preferential asset.

3. Job description: “The causal effect of cultural products: economic spillovers and local fiscal multipliers”

The objective of this research project is to study the economic spillovers of cultural products.

In particular, the project aims to assess the causal impact of media products (e.g., books and tv series) on local development. The project will gather data on the diffusion of media products, on local development indicators (e.g., inflow of tourism) and on their economic spillovers (e.g., municipal fiscal revenues).

The intern will be involved in the review of the literature, in the collection of the data and in the preliminary analysis of the data. In the course of the internship, the intern will acquire skills related to structure and process of academic research and will learn econometric techniques and econometric software.