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# *Alp-Pop*

## **The Alpine Population Conference La Thuile, Aosta Valley, Italy January 13–16, 2013**

### *Ski-note Speakers*

*Michele Boldrin, Washington University  
Daniel Lichter, Cornell University*

*Giovanna Merli, Duke University  
Sharon Sassler, Cornell University*

### *Call for Papers*

Alp-Pop brings together scholars interested in population issues across several disciplines, among them demography, economics, and sociology.

The conference emphasizes empirical rigor and innovation over a given topic or geographical area, and meets the challenges of interdisciplinary and international audiences. Submissions are particularly welcome on topics concerning:

- population, families, and the welfare state
- population and economic development/institutions
- finance and population issues

Alp-Pop scholars confer both formally and informally. A traditional conference program (paper and poster presentations) mixes with group activities in a world-class winter resort. The conference location, the Planibel Hotel, is located on the well-known ski slopes of La Thuile.

**Submissions of original papers or extended abstracts are invited by October 1, 2012. Submissions and inquiries should be addressed by email to: [alp.pop@unibocconi.it](mailto:alp.pop@unibocconi.it).**

**Decisions about acceptance for presentation in the conference will be communicated by November 5, 2012.**

Participants are expected to seek their own funding. Special-rate rooms have been reserved at the conference hotel with arrival on January 13 (the conference will kick off that evening) and departure on January 16 (the conference will end that evening). Participants will receive information on how to reach La Thuile and updates on the conference.

#### Program Committee

Arnstein Aassve (Bocconi), Vincenzo Galasso (Lugano), Joshua Goldstein (Max Planck), Michaela Kreyenfeld (Max Planck), Ross Macmillan (Bocconi), Mikko Myrskylä (Max Planck), and Paola Profeta (Bocconi).

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