The new guidelines for writing the internship report have been uploaded on the our websites. Here are the links:


We are glad to announce that Professor Toshiaki Hirai, Emeritus Professor from the Sophia University, Tokyo and President of the Japanese Keynes Society, has accepted to teach the course of *Contemporary Issues in Economics* that will be held in the third term. For the syllabus, click here. Consider the opportunity to add this exam in your study plan.

**Forthcoming short courses and seminars in the second term:**

- **Linear models in R**, a new short course of R @ Uniclam, taught by Steffen Liebscher and Thomas Kirschstein, Martin-Luther-Universität, Halle-Wittenberg, D. Planned for February 1-12, 2016.
- **Economic Perspectives on The Welfare State**, a four-weeks course taught by Professor Atsushi Komine, Ryukoku University, Kyoto, February 2016 (compulsory for those willing to earn credits for seminars).
- **Risk management in agriculture and public support**, half-day seminar held by Professor Fabian Capitanio, University of Naples Federico II, February 19, 2016 (compulsory for those willing to earn credits for seminars).
- **Schools of Thought in Economics**, short courses organized in partnership with STOREP (The Italian Association for the History of Political Economy), March 4–5, 2016 (compulsory for those willing to earn credits for seminars).

**THE DATE FOR THE CHRISTMAS LUNCH HAS BEEN SET.** We will meet on Tuesday, December 22nd at 12:00am, room 2:20. We look forward to enjoying taste and flavour of the food from your country!