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# Bayesian Epistemology in the Age of Disinformation

4–5 December 2025  
University of Bologna

**4 December** — Via Zamboni 38, Aula Tibiletti

**17:00–18:00** Registration

**18:00–18:10** Lorenzo Casini (Bologna): Opening words

**18:10–19:00** Jürgen Landes (LMU) – Identity, Dependence, and Polarization: A Bayesian Study

**5 December** — Via Zamboni 38, Aula Celio

**9:00–9:50** Paolo Garbolino (IUAV) – A Bayesian Analysis of Witness Reliability

**9:50–10:40** Klee Schöppel (Groningen) – How Industry Influence on Science Interacts with Assertion Practices

**10:40–11:20** Break

**11:20–12:10** Dave Lagnado & Greta Sanna (UCL) — Rational or Biased? Examining Belief Updating in Politically Charged Context Using Bayesian Networks

**12:10–13:00** Piero Avitabile (IMT) — Bayes, Bias, and Bots: (Ir)rational Updating on Expert Advice



Local organizers: Lorenzo Casini (Bologna) and Francesco Bianchini (Bologna)  
Chairs: Gustavo Cevolani (IMT), Daria Mikhaylova (Pisa), Marco Marini (CNR Roma)

