

# INTERNSHIP DESCRIPTION

# Research Assistant in the Department of Economics and Finance on the research project: "The Origins of the American Elite"

### 1. Institutional details

- Tutor name and email: Professor Stefano Gagliarducci
- Economic fields: Political Economy / Labor Economics
- Internship start date (please indicate if flexible or not): Summer/Fall 2022 (flexible)
- Full-time/Part-time: Part-time

## 2. Skills and Experience required

- Languages required: English
- Degree requirement: Enrollment in MSc Economics
- Skills required: knowledge of Stata, Python (web/pdf scraping), familiarity with an OCR software

# 3. Job description: "Data collection and analysis"

- The objective of this research project is to digitized and analyze an historical archive related to American elites from 1880 to 1930
- The intern will be involved in the scraping of the pdf copies of he archive, the match with the Census data, and the following analysis
- The intern will develop the following skills: advanced data collection (OCR, scraping),
   big data management, advanced econometric analysis

Please note: The student must complete 150 internship hours at least 45 days prior to his/her graduation. Upon termination of the internship, the Tutor will be required to send immediate notice to Desk Imprese Economia Tor Vergata <a href="mailto:deskimprese@economia.uniroma2.it">deskimprese@economia.uniroma2.it</a> with <a href="mailto:msc\_economia.uniroma2.it">msc\_economia.uniroma2.it</a> in copy so the student may obtain credit recognition for the internship activity.