Tax reforms and political interests in the early 19th and 21st centuries. A comparative study of the cases of Colombia, Chile and Mexico.

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The seminar will be in Spanish.

Tax reform is one of the outstanding issues in contemporary Latin America. Tax rates are often very low and collection is problematic. The development and reforms of the tax systems in the early 19th and 21st centuries are part of the context within which today's efforts to develop modern and efficient tax systems play out. Understanding these past experiences sheds light on the present and future challenges of tax reform. History matters.

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