

## Institute for the Evaluation of Public Policies

The Institute for the Evaluation of Public Policy's main purpose is to **analyze public policies** through impact assessment tools using the **counterfactual method**.

The ultimate goal is to provide decision-making tools based on evidence from both quantitative and qualitative data so that public decision makers have a solid and comprehensive information base. In particular, the center conducts evaluation research in the areas of active and passive labor policies, education, family policies, health, welfare, industrial and regional development policies, using, among others, the tools inherent to experimental economics.

It conducts both ex post and ex ante evaluations through micro-simulations based on administrative data. Research results are collected in *policy reports*, *working papers* and in articles published in scientific journals. It is also involved in the training of researchers, civil servants and public administrators.