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Employment and Academic Affiliations

Post-Doctoral researcher, ETH Zurich - Chair of Public Economics	September 2019
Fellow, PERICLES (Institutions and Reforms), Bocconi University	March 2021
Affiliate, Carlo F. Dondena Centre, Bocconi University	September 2019

Education

Bocconi University, Milan, Italy Ph.D. in Economics and Finance Thesis: <i>Essays in Political Economy and Public Finance</i>	2013 - 2019
Boston University, Boston, Massachusetts - USA Visiting scholar, Department of Economics	Spring 2018
Bocconi University, Milan, Italy M.Sc. in Economics and Social Sciences (DES), <i>Summa cum Laude</i>	2010 - 2013
Nova School of Business and Economics, Lisbon, Portugal Exchange student, Department of Economics	Spring 2012
Bocconi University, Milan, Italy B.Sc. in Economics and Social Sciences (CLES)	2007 - 2010

Research interests

Political Economy, Public Finance, Public Economics

Publications

“*Lockdown and Voting Behaviour: A Natural Experiment on Postponed Elections during the COVID-19 Pandemic*”, with G. Loumeau, **Economic Policy** 37.111 (2022): 547-599

“*The effect of the 1918 Influenza Pandemic on Income Inequality: Evidence from Italy*”, with S. Galletta, **The Review of Economics and Statistics** 104.1 (2022): 187-203

“*Exposure to Corruption and Political Participation: Evidence from Italian Municipalities*”, **European Journal of Political Economy**, 68 (2021): 102000

Working Papers

“*A Machine Learning Approach to Analyzing Corruption in Local Public Finances*”, 2020, with E. Ash and S. Galletta, R&R on **American Economic Journal: Economic Policy**

“*War Violence Exposure and Tax Compliance*”, with S. Galletta

“Taxation with a Grain of Salt: The Long-Term Effect of Fiscal Policy on Local Development”, with G. Loumeau

“The Cost of Gender Identity Norms: Evidence from a Spouse Tax Credit”, with E. Rubolino

“Corruption under Austerity”, 2020, with G. Daniele (winner of the Modigliani Research Grant - 10th edition)

“Corruption and Extremism”, 2020, with A. Gaspar, M. Morelli and A. Nicoló

“Does Progressivity Always Lead to Progress? The Impact of Local Redistribution on Tax Manipulation”, 2019

“A Fistful of Dollars: Rent Seeking Behaviour and Local Tax Manipulation”, 2019

Work in progress

“The Economic Cost of Ambiguous Laws”, with L. Guiso, C. Michelacci and M. Morelli

“Does Position Taking Crowd Out Policy Making? Congressional Capacity and the Quality of Laws”, with M. Morelli and M. D. Paserman

“Tax Technology and Long-Term Regional Development”, with M. Köthenbürger and G. Loumeau

Awards and scholarships

<i>Carlo F. Dondena Centre</i> research grant (MIUR-FARE)	2018 - 2019
<i>Fondazione Romeo ed Enrica Invernizzi</i> research grant [declined]	2018 - 2019
Bocconi Research contract for PhD candidates (<i>Fondazione Romeo ed Enrica Invernizzi</i>)	2017- 2018
Ph.D. Fellowship (4 years), Università Commerciale Luigi Bocconi, Milan	2013 - 2017
<i>Fondazione Franceschi</i> Scholarship for master thesis	2013
<i>Erasmus</i> Scholarship	2012
<i>ONAO SI</i> Scholarship	2007 - 2012

Presentations in conferences and workshops (including scheduled)

2023: Zurich Mini-Workshop in AI+Economics, Zurich Political Economy Seminar Series, University of Lugano.

2022: University Paris Nanterre - LIEN, CESifo Area Conference on Public Economics, SSES Annual Congress 2022, Econometric Society Summer Meeting 2022, Wallis Institute Annual Conference 2022, 4th Workshop on Local Public Finance and Regional Economics, Zurich Political Economy Seminar Series.

2021: Zurich Political Economy Seminar Series, SUPSI - Lugano, 74th Economic Policy Panel Meeting, IITB Seminar Series - Bangalore, SIOE Conference, International Institute of Public Finance (IIPF), CESifo Area Conference on Public Economics, BICEPS “Corruption, Tax Evasion and Institutions” Conference 2021, SSES Annual Congress 2021.

2020: CESifo Area Conference on Public Economics, ADEF Conference, CIS Workshop in Empirical Political Economy, 32nd SIEP Conference, Centre for Law and Economics - ETH Zurich.

2019: DG ECFIN - European Commission, Economics and Politics Workshop in Brussels, Centre for Law and Economics - ETH Zurich, IBEO Workshop 2019, 5th Workshop on the Economics of Organized Crime - Bocconi University, Young Swiss Economists Meeting.

2018: KOF Research Seminar - ETH Zurich, 30th SIEP Conference, 71st European Meeting of the Econometric Society, International Institute of Public Finance (IIPF), Petralia Applied Economics Workshop, 17th Journées LAGV, Aix-Marseille School of Economics, Boston University.

2017: Royal Economic Society PhD Meeting, CESifo 11th Workshop on Political Economy, Advances in Political Economy and Public Economics - Max Planck Institute, Society for Economic Dynamics (SED) Meeting, Workshop on Political Economy and Fiscal Federalism - Institut d'Economia de Barcelona, BICEPS "Corruption, Tax Evasion and Institutions" Conference 2017, First Bolzano Applied Microeconomics Workshop.

2016: IX Italian Workshop in Empirical Economics - Collegio Carlo Alberto, CESifo 10th Workshop on Political Economy, Sisp Conference 2016 - University of Milan.

Teaching experience

Public Economics (graduate), Lecturer, ETH Zurich (2020, 2021, 2022, 2023)

Development Economics (graduate), Tutor, Bocconi University (2015, 2016, 2017, 2019)

Microeconomics (undergraduate), Teaching assistant/Tutor, Bocconi University (2014, 2015, 2018)

Macroeconomics (undergraduate), Teaching assistant, Bocconi University (2015)

Refereeing activity

American Economic Review, Economic Journal, American Economic Journal: Economic Policy, European Journal of Political Economy, International Tax and Public Finance, Journal of Population Economics, Economics Letters, Oxford Bulletin of Economics and Statistics, Journal of Institutional Economics, Italian Economic Journal, Annals of Public and Cooperative Economics.

Linguistic knowledge

Italian (native language), English, (fluent), French, German, Portuguese (basic).

IT knowledge

Microsoft Office, Stata, LaTeX (excellent), Python, R (good), Matlab, QGIS (basic).