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CURRENT POSITION

Brown University, Providence, RI (United States of America) *Sept. 2020 -*
Postdoctoral Research Associate in International and Public Affairs
Watson Institute for International and Public Affairs

EDUCATION

University of Rome Tor Vergata, Rome (Italy) *Nov. 2015 - April 2020*
PhD in Economics (with scholarship); Final Grade: Excellence
Supervisor: Giancarlo Spagnolo
Committee: Thorsten Beck, Stephen Hansen, Alberto Pozzolo

London School of Economics and Political Science, London (UK) *Sept. 2014 - July 2015*
MSc in Political Economy of Europe; Final Grade: Merit

LUISS Guido Carli, Rome (Italy) *Sept. 2011 - July 2014*
Bachelor in Political Science; Final Grade: 110/110 cum laude

ADDITIONAL EDUCATION

Cass Business School, London (UK) *March - June 2019*
Visiting PhD scholar, Finance Department
Supervisor: Thorsten Beck

Einaudi Institute for Economics and Finance, Rome (Italy) *Nov. 2015 - Nov. 2016*
Graduate Program Participant (PhD courses)

Victoria University of Wellington, Wellington (New Zealand) *Aug. - Dec. 2013*
International Exchange, Bachelor in Political Science (with scholarship)

WORK EXPERIENCE

Bank of England, London (UK) *Sept. - Dec. 2019*
Policy Analyst, EU Withdrawal Unit (Prudential Policy Directorate)

Bank of England, London (UK) *June - August 2019*
PhD Intern, Financial Stability, Strategy and Risk (FSSR) Directorate

European Central Bank, Frankfurt am Main (Germany) *Sept. 2018 - Feb. 2019*
Research Analyst, EU Institutions and Fora division

European Central Bank, Frankfurt am Main (Germany) <i>Graduate Trainee, EU Institutions and Fora division</i>	<i>Sept. 2017 - Sept. 2018</i>
Fondazione Manlio Masi, Rome (Italy) <i>Researcher</i>	<i>Dec. 2016 - June 2017</i>
Centre for Global Studies, London (United Kingdom) <i>Research Officer</i>	<i>Nov. 2014 - Nov. 2015</i>
IRVAPP - Bruno Kessler Foundation, Trento (Italy) <i>Research Assistant</i>	<i>Feb. - July 2014</i>

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

University of Rome Tor Vergata, Rome (Italy) *Sept. - Dec. 2016*
European and International Economics

- Graduate and Undergraduate students. Course led by prof. Beniamino Quintieri.

REFEREEING SERVICE

Journal of International Money and Finance (JIMF); Journal of Multinational Financial Management.

RESEARCH AREAS

Political Economy, Text Analysis, Institutional Economics, European Union governance and politics.

WORKING PAPERS

Central Banks in Parliaments. A text analysis approach to accountability practices and an application to the ECB, the Fed and the BoE, European Central Bank Working Paper, 2442, July 2020 (with Alessandro Giovannini and Jean-Francois Jamet).

Supervisory Governance, Capture and Non-Performing Loans, Bank of England Working Paper, 820, September 2019.

Does Fake News Affect Voting Behaviour?, CEIS Working Paper, 493, June 2020 (with Michele Cantarella and Roberto Volpe).

Ideology in Times of Crisis: A Principal Component Analysis of Votes in the European Parliament, 2004-2019, CEIS Working Paper, 461, May 2019 (with Anatole Cheysson).

PUBLICATIONS

The Battle for Europe's Future: Political Cleavages and the Balance of Power Ahead of the European Parliament Elections (2019), Jacques Delors Institute Policy Paper, 237, April 2019 (with Thierry Chopin, Nils Hernborg and Jean-Francois Jamet).

The evolution of the ECB's accountability practices during the crisis (2018), European Central Bank Economic Bulletin, Issue 5, Article 1, 9 August 2018 (with Alessandro Giovannini and Jean-François Jamet).

Austerity vs Stimulus: The Political Future of Economic Recovery (2017), London: Palgrave Macmillan (edited with Lord Robert Skidelsky).

WORK IN PROGRESS

Does Regulatory and Supervisory Independence Affect Financial Stability?, with Rhiannon Sowerbutts (Bank of England) and Andrew Whitworth (Bank of England).

Monetary Dialogues in Turbulent Times. A text and sentiment analysis of the ECB's hearings before the European Parliament, with Federico Maria Ferrara (University of Geneva and ECB) and Eric Persson (ECB).

INVITED CONFERENCES AND SEMINARS

- 2020 University of Rome La Sapienza seminar series on the Economics of Populism (Rome); Opportunities and Challenges in Economic Policy Communications Workshop at the Central Bank of Ireland (Dublin); Bank of England seminar (London).
- 2019 Centro Italiano Studi Elettorali, CISE (Rome); Big Data and Machine Learning Conference, Bank of England and King's College (London); PhD Lunch Seminar Tor Vergata (Rome); Fondazione Bruno Kessler - Research Institute for the Evaluation of Public Policies (Trento); Bank of England (London); F&L Associati (Rome); Cass Business School Finance Research Workshop (London); European Union Studies Association, EUSA (Denver).
- 2018 EUI Working Group EU Financial and Monetary Law (Fiesole); Danish Central Bank (Copenhagen); European Central Bank (Frankfurt am Main); Donau University (Krems); PhD Lunch Seminar Tor Vergata (Rome); XXX Villa Mondragone Young Economist Conference (Rome); 11th RGS Doctoral Conference in Economics (Essen).

EXTRA-CURRICULAR TRAINING

- 2019 ECB Training in Text Analysis for Central Banking, Frankfurt am Main (Germany)
- 2018 OECD course on National Accounts at the ECB, Frankfurt am Main (Germany)
- 2017 Italian Econometrics Society (SIDE) Course on Panel Data Econometrics, Bertinoro (Italy)
- 2016 CEMFI (Bank of Spain) Summer School in Banking, Madrid (Spain)

REFERENCES

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TECHNICAL STRENGTHS

Modeling and Analysis
Software & Tools

Text Analysis, Machine Learning, Panel Data Econometrics.
R, Stata, Latex, Lyx, Tableau, MS Office.