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## Employment

Senior Lecturer (with tenure) at the University of Sussex, Department of Economics, 2023–to present.

Lecturer (with tenure) at the University of Sussex, Department of Economics, 2019–to 2023.

Lecturer at the University of Sussex, Department of Economics, 2016–2019.

LSE, Part-Time Project Assistant at the CEP, 2014–2016.

## Academic Affiliations

IZA Research Affiliate, 2015–to present.

LSE Department of Management Visiting Fellow, October 2022–to July 2023

## Education

PhD. Economics, University of Warwick, 2016.

M.A. Economics, Collegio Carlo Alberto, 2010.

B.Sc. Economics, University of Florence, *summa cum laude*, 2009.

B.A. Political Science, University of Bologna, 2006.

## Publications

The Unintended Consequences of Welfare Interventions: Universal Credit, Financial Insecurity, and Crime. With Alex Harvey, May 2022, *The Journal of Law, Economics, & Organization*, ewaco09, 1-60.

Beyond Black and White: The Impact of Asian Peers on Scholastic Achievement. With Elias Einiö (VATT), August 2021, *Economics of Education Review*, Volume 83, August 2021, 102129.

Breaking the Crystal Methamphetamine Economy: Illegal Drugs, Supply-Side Interventions, and Crime Responses. January 2021, *Economica*, Volume 88, Issue 349, 208-233.

The Effects of Stolen Goods Markets on Crime: Pawnshops, Property Thefts and the Gold Rush of the 2000s. August 2020, *The Journal of Law and Economics*, Volume 63, Number 3, 449-472.

## Working Papers

Correcting Racial Injustice: Forensic DNA Technology and the Exoneration of the Wrongfully Convicted. With Noam Yuchtman (LSE): March 2023.

Inside Prisons: The Effects of a Blanket Ban on 'Legal Highs'. IZA Discussion Paper No. 15248: March 2023.

Shadow Lobbyists. With Mirko Draca (Warwick) and Christian Fons-Rosen (UC Merced), INET Working Paper No. 139: February 2023.

## Work in Progress

Producing Knowledge While Producing Justice: Innocence Organizations, Higher Education, and the Exonerations of the Wrongfully Convicted. With Noam Yuchtman (LSE)

The Impact of Conviction Integrity Units on the Exoneration of the Wrongfully Convicted and the Aggressiveness of the Prosecutorial Office. With Noam Yuchtman (LSE)

Management Practices and Prisons Conditions. With Rocco Macchiavello (LSE)

## Teaching Experience

Economics of Crime (Sussex), 3<sup>rd</sup> year UG module, 2018–to present.

Economics of Public Policy (Sussex), 2<sup>nd</sup> year UG module, 2022.

Public Policy (Sussex), PG module, 2020-2021.

Behavioural Economics (Sussex), 3<sup>rd</sup> year UG module, 2017.

Mathematical Techniques (Warwick), 1<sup>st</sup> year UG module, 2012–2015.

Statistical Techniques (Warwick), 1<sup>st</sup> year UG module, 2012–2015.

## Ph.D. Supervision

Esther Bartl, 2021–to present.

## Referreing Activity

AEJ: Economic Policy, Journal of Public Economics, Economic Journal, Journal of Law and Economics, Journal of Law, Economics, and Organizations, Journal of Behavioral Economics and Organization, Journal of Economics and Management Strategy, Journal of Health Economics, Journal of Population Economics, Canadian Journal of Economics, The B.E. Journal of Economic Analysis and Policy, Journal of Quantitative Criminology, Economic Policy, Economics of Education Review, International Economics Review.

## University Service

Study Abroad Program, departmental representative, 2019 to 2022.

Co-organizer of the departmental seminar, 2017 to 2019.

## Honors, Scholarships, and Fellowships

BA/Leverhulme small research grant (£10,000). 2023.

3rd IZA@DC Young Scholar Program, Georgetown University, Washington DC, 2015.

EEA Prize. Best paper authored by a researcher less than 35 years old, 2nd place, 2014.

Royal Economic Society, RES Junior Fellowship, 2014.

The Economic and Social Research Council, ESRC full scholarship, 2011-2014.

Collegio Carlo Alberto, full tuition waiver and scholarship, 2010.

University of Florence, full tuition waiver and scholarship, 2007-2009.

University of Bologna, full tuition waiver and scholarship, 2004-2006.

## Seminar Presentations, Conferences, and Workshops

The Becker Friedman Institute University of Chicago (May 2023); University of Cagliari (July 2023); UK Ministry of Justice; HM Revenue & Custom London; Joint Research Centre of the European Commission, Ispra; SOLE meeting Philadelphia; EALE meeting Padova; Toronto SOLE Meeting; Lyon (EALE); Catanzaro (IWAE); London School of Economics (CEP Economics of Crime and Policing Conference); Heidelberg: Workshop on Health Economics; Oslo: Workshop on Education, Skills, and Labor Market Outcomes; Glasgow: British academy; EEA Lisbon; NIESR London; Workshop on the Economics of Crime Essex; RES 2016 (Invited in the session of Economics of Crime) Sussex; Essex; Manchester; EIEF Rome; CERGE-EI, Prague; Rutgers; Doctoral Workshop in Empirical Economics (Collegio Carlo Alberto); Econometric Society European Winter Meeting (Bocconi); RES UCL 2015 University College of London; ADRES Centre d'Economie de la Sorbonne in Paris; RES 2015, University of Manchester; IZA European Summer School, Munich; IZA AMERB (Annual Meeting on the Economics of Risky Behavior) Izmir; PEUK (Public Economics UK) Exeter; ISC (International Student Conference) Izmir; PEUK (Public Economics UK), Bristol; EEA (XVII Applied Economics Meeting) Gran Canarias; IAAE (International Association for Applied Econometrics) Queen Mary; NESG (The Netherlands Econometric Study Group) Tilburg; IZA Georgetown University, Washington DC; SAEe (Symposium Spanish Economic Association) Palma de Mallorca; XIII Brucchi Lucchino, Naples.

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