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Lecturer (Assistant Professor) at the University of Exeter
 Research Fields: Applied Microeconomics, Labor Economics, Development Economics

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Academic appointments

2020- Lecturer (Assistant Professor), Department of Economics, University of Exeter
 2020- Research Affiliate, IZA
 2019-2020 Postdoctoral Scholar, Department of Economics, Vanderbilt University

Education

2019 Ph.D. in Economics, Georgetown University
 2015 M.A. in Economics, Georgetown University
 2013 M.A. *cum laude* in Economics, University of Turin
 2011 B.A. *cum laude* in Economics, University of Turin
 2010 Degree in Photography *cum laude*, Istituto Europeo di Design (IED), Turin

Research

Peer-reviewed journal articles

1. *Transportation to Work by Sexual Orientation*, **PLOS ONE**, (2022), 17(12): e0263687 (with S. Oreffice)
2. *Effects of the Affordable Care Act Dependent Coverage Mandate on Health Insurance Coverage for Individuals in Same-Sex Couples*, **Demography**, (2021), 58(5): 1897-1929 (with C.S. Carpenter, G. Gonzales, and T. McKay)
3. *Cigarette Taxes and Smoking Among Sexual Minority Adults*, **Journal of Health Economics**, (2021), 79: 102492 (with C.S. Carpenter)
4. *LGBTQ Economics*, **Journal of Economic Perspectives**, (2021), 35(2): 141-170 (with L. Badgett and C.S. Carpenter)
5. *Turing's Children: Representation of Sexual Minorities in STEM*, **PLOS ONE**, (2020), 15(11): e0241596 (with C.S. Carpenter)
6. *Pink Work: Same-Sex Marriage, Employment and Discrimination*, **Journal of Public Economics**, (2019), 180: 104086
7. *LGBT Students: New Evidence on Demographics and Educational Outcomes*, **Economics of Education Review**, (2019), 73: 101933
8. *Predicting Entrepreneurial Success is Hard: Evidence from a Business Plan competition in Nigeria*, **Journal of Development Economics**, (2019), 141: 102369 (with D. McKenzie)

9. *Household Preferences for Socially Responsible Investments*, **Journal of Banking & Finance** (2019), 105: 107-120 (with M.C. Rossi, A. van Soest, C. Torricelli)
10. *Beyond Early Warning Indicators: High School Dropout and Machine Learning*, **Oxford Bulletin of Economics and Statistics**, (2019), 81(2): 456-485
11. *Leaving, Staying or Coming Back? Migration decisions during the Northern Mali Conflict*, **Journal of Development Studies**, (2019), 55(10): 2089-2105 (with J. Hoogeveen and M.C. Rossi)
12. *Teacher Characteristics, Student Beliefs and the Gender Gap in STEM fields*, **Educational Evaluation and Policy Analysis**, (2019), 41(2): 127-144
13. *“Four Bright Coins Shining at Me” Financial Education in Childhood, Financial Confidence in Adulthood*, **Journal of Consumer Affairs**, (2019), 53(2): 630-651 (with E. Fornero and M.C. Rossi)
14. *Precautionary Savings and the Self-Employed*, **Small Business Economics**, (2018), 51(1): 105-127 (with M.C. Rossi)
15. *Why Does Teacher Gender Matters?*, **Economics of Education Review**, (2017), 61: 9-18
16. *Do Women Prefer Pink? The Effect of a Gender Stereotypical Stock Portfolio on Investing Decisions*, **Politica Economica – Journal of Economic Policy**, (2015), 3: 377-420 (with H. Prast, M.C. Rossi, C. Torricelli)

Book chapters

1. *Drivers of Performance* (with J. Hoogeveen and M.C. Rossi), 2019, Chapter 3, in *Transforming Education Outcomes in Africa: Learning from Togo*, edited by J. Hoogeveen and M.C. Rossi, **Palgrave Pivot, Cham**

Seminars and conferences

Invited seminars

- 2022 Vanderbilt University, University of Hamburg, CREST
 2021 INFORMS DEI Seminar Series, AEA LGBTQ+ Seminar Series
 2020 University College Cork
 2019 Stockholm University - SOFI, University of Exeter, Aix-Marseille School of Economics, Aarhus University, University of Melbourne - Melbourne Institute, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Vanderbilt University
 2018 American University, Collegio Carlo Alberto
 2016 University of Modena and Reggio Emilia

Conference presentations

- 2021 AAAS Annual Meeting (Virtual)
 2020 ASSA (San Diego), EALE/SOLE/AASLE (Berlin/Virtual), MLportal (Virtual)
 2019 SODI (Chicago), SOLE (Arlington), RES (Warwick), MEA/SOLE (St. Louis), ASSA (Atlanta)

- 2018 SEA (DC), APPAM (DC), Pathways to Gender Equality (AU), IZA Summer School (Munich), SOLE (Toronto), SAGE (GWU), WADES (GWU), CSAE (Oxford), ASSA (Philadelphia)
- 2017 APPAM (Chicago), Stata (Baltimore), GCER (Georgetown), SAGE (GWU) APPAM DC Regional Student Conference (George Mason), Cherry Blossom Financial Education Institute (GWU)
- 2016 IAFFE (NUI Galway), ESPE (Free University Berlin), Workshop on Gender and STEM subjects (CHILD-CCA), Gender Economics and Society (ITC-ILO)
- 2015 Behavioral Aspects of Macroeconomics and Finance (SAFE Goethe), EFMA (Nyenrode)
- 2013 IAFFE (Stanford)
- 2012 Epargne et protection sociale (Observatoire de l'Epargne Européenne)

Professional activities

Referee activities

Academic Journals: *African Development Review, American Journal of Health Economics, Contemporary Economic Policy, Economics of Education Review, Economic Inquiry, European Economic Review, Education Economics, Educational Evaluation and Policy Analysis, Journal of Economic Behavior & Organization, Journal of Economic Inequality, Journal of Health Economics, Journal of Human Resources, Journal of International Development, Journal of Public Economics, LABOUR, Labour Economics, Oxford Bulletin of Economics and Statistics, PLOS ONE, Quantitative Economics, Review of Economics of the Household, Southern Economic Journal, World Development*

Foundations: *National Science Foundation (NSF)*

Books: *Palgrave-Pivot*

Conferences: *International Conference on Higher Education Advances*

Other professional service

2020- *European Committee for LGBTQ+ Economists, Co-Founder and Member of Steering Committee*

Other research experiences

World Bank consultant

- 2019 Project manager: J. Montalvao
- 2017-2018 Project managers: D. McKenzie
- 2015 Project managers: L. Bouton, G. Genicot, M. Castanheira, A. Safir
- 2013-2015 Project manager: J. Hoogeveen

Visiting positions

- 2016 Visiting Ph.D. Student, Université libre de Bruxelles (with L. Bouton)
2016 Visiting Ph.D. Student, CeRP-Collegio Carlo Alberto (with M.C. Rossi, E. Fornero)
2015 Visiting Ph.D. Student, VU University (with M. Mastrogiacomo)

Awards, mentions, and scholarships

- 2013-2018 Graduate Scholarship, Georgetown University
2016-2018 Conference Travel Grant, Georgetown University
2015 Graduate of the Year Award, University of Turin
2011 Mention *Optime*, Industrial Union of Turin
2001-2004 Participation in the National Student Championship of chess

Research assistant

- 2012-2013 Research Assistant, CeRP - Collegio Carlo Alberto. Supervisor: M.C. Rossi
2012-2013 Research Assistant, LISER (CEPS/INSTEAD). Supervisor: E. Sierminska
2012-2013 Research Assistant, Borella, M. and Rossi, M.C. (2013), *Asset Accumulation and Decumulation over the Life Cycle: The Role of Financial Literacy*, Netspar
2012 Research Assistant, project financed by Observatoire de l'Épargne Européenne. Supervisor: E. Fornero and M.C. Rossi

Teaching experience

Teaching instructor: Graduate level

- 2021 Topics in Microeconomic Theory I, University of Exeter
2015-2017 Ph.D. Math Camp, Georgetown University

Teaching instructor: Undergraduate level

- 2021-2022 Economics II, University of Exeter
2021 Economics Dissertation, University of Exeter
2015-2018 Principles of Microeconomics, Georgetown University

Teaching assistant: Graduate level

- 2017 Econometrics II (Ph.D.), Georgetown University, I. Komunjer
2016 Data Analysis (M.A.), Georgetown University, F. Peracchi
2015 Econometrics II (Ph.D.), Georgetown University, F. Peracchi

Teaching assistant: Undergraduate level

- 2017-2018 Development Impact Evaluation, Georgetown University, G. Genicot and W. Jack
2018 Unemployment, Search and Matching, Georgetown University, J. Albrecht

2014-2016 Game Theory, Georgetown University, L. Bouton and R. Bhattacharya
2015 Introduction to Econometrics, Georgetown University, F. Zecchetto
2012 Tutor, Headmaster's office, Faculty of Economics, University of Turin

Teaching Certificates

2017 Apprenticeship in Teaching Program, CNDLS, Georgetown University

Additional education (summer schools and certificates)

Summer schools

2017 History of Economic Thought, HOPE Summer Institute, Duke University
2012 Lean Start-up, workshop, Canterbury Innovation Centre, University of Kent
2012 ToChina Summer School, Department of Political Science, University of Turin
2011 ToIndia Summer School, Department of Political Science, University of Turin

MOOCs

2016 Future Masculinity, UdeMY
2014 The Age of Sustainable Development, Columbia University and Coursera
2014 Game Theory II: Advanced Applications, Stanford, UBC and Coursera
2013 Introduction to Mathematical Thinking, Stanford and Coursera

Computer skills

Advanced Stata
Intermediate R, LaTeX, Office, ArcGIS, Photoshop
Basic MATLAB, Python, NetLogo, Eviews, Pascal

Certificates 2017 Machine Learning, Stanford and Coursera
2017 Healthcare Analytics: Regression in R, Lynda
2017 Up and Running with R, Lynda
2016 Up and Running with MATLAB, Lynda
2015 Up and Running with ArcGIS, Lynda

Language skills

Italian (native), English (fluent), French (beginner), Esperanto (beginner)