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Scientist- in - charge: Prof. Maurizio Ferrera

Francesco Corti

CURRICULUM VITAE

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Surname	Corti
Name	Francesco
Date of birth	16 November 1992

PRESENT OCCUPATION

Appointment	Structure
Postdoctoral researcher	University of Milan - Department of social and political science

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

Degree	Course of studies	University	year of achievement of the degree
Degree	Scienze Filosofiche (LM-78)	Università degli Studi di Milano	2016
	Filosofia (L-05)	Università degli Studi di Milano	2014
Specialization			
PhD	Political Studies	Università degli Studi di Milano - NAPS - Graduate School	2020
Master			
Degree of medical specialization			
Degree of European specialization			



Other			
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REGISTRATION IN PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

Date registration	of Association	City

FOREIGN LANGUAGES

Languages	level of knowledge
English	C2
German	B2
Spanish	B1
French	B1

AWARDS, ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS, SCHOLARSHIPS

Year	Description of award
2016-2019	Scholarship for PhD - Grant entity: 1.132,68 Euro per month
2019	Carlos V European Award - Marcelino Oreja Aguirre - European Research and Mobility Grant for European Studies 2019 - Grant entity: 2.500 Euro
2018	Integration of the PhD scholarship for visiting period - Grant entity: 2.831,74 Euro
2017	Borsa per mobilità internazionale UNIMI - Support for study mobility - Grant entity: 1.058,50 Euro
2016	Borsa di Merito UNIMI 2015/2016 - Academic Scholarship for distinguished academic achievements - Grant entity: 5.528 Euro
2016	Borsa CIDIS 2015/2016 - Academic Scholarship for distinguished academic achievements - Grant entity: 1.384 Euro + University Tax Exemption
2015	Erasmus Scholarship - Support for study mobility - Grant entity: 2.760 Euro
2015	Borsa CIDIS 2014/2015 - Academic Scholarship for distinguished academic achievements - Grant entity: 1.366 Euro + University Tax Exemption
2014-2015	Borsa per mobilità internazionale UNIMI - Support for study mobility - Grant entity: 1.700 Euro
2014	Borsa di Merito UNIMI 2013/2014 - Academic Scholarship for distinguished academic achievements - Grant entity: 5.052 Euro
2013	Erasmus Scholarship - Support for study mobility - Grant entity: 1.104 Euro
2012	Borsa di Merito UNIMI 2012/2013 - Academic Scholarship for distinguished academic achievements - Grant entity: 4.776,44 Euro
2011	Borsa ASIMPRE (Local association of enterprises) - Scholarship for the final mark of the



secondary school final exam - Grant entity: 1.000 Euro

TRAINING OR RESEARCH ACTIVITY

Year	Description of activity
February 2020 - ongoing	Associate researcher at Centre for European Policy Study (CEPS). Research on social investment policies (notably, childcare, education, active labour market policies), European social policies, Economic governance of the EU (notably, European Semester/EU economic coordination), EU budget (included SURE and Next Generation EU)
December 2019- ongoing	Postdoctoral researcher at the department of social and political science of the University of Milan. Main tasks: research on European social policies, European employment law, Politics of European social integration, Economic governance of the EU, Social dimension of the EMU, European Parliament, Commission entrepreneurship. As a teaching assistant, taught "Governance of the European Union", "International political economy and the welfare state".
October 2018 - March 2019	Visiting research period at the European Social Observatory. I prepared and co-authored two technical reports for the European Economic and Social Committee and one book chapter. Notably, I worked on the European Semester, the EU Multiannual Financial Framework, the proposal for a European Unemployment Benefit Scheme and a Social Imbalances Procedure.
October 2016 - May 2020	PhD candidate in Political Studies at the Network for the advancement of social and political studies (NASP) Graduate School. As PhD candidate I have been part of the REScEU project (see above). My field of research covers the following topics: European social and employment policies, EU budget, European Semester, EMU governance, Comparative Welfare States. In the framework of the PhD, I have been using both qualitative (process-tracing, expert and elite interviews) and quantitative methods (STATA). Moreover, during the PhD, I have attended compulsory methodological courses such as Qualitative Comparative Analysis, Statistics for the Social Sciences, Multivariate Analysis (STATA), Process-Tracing, Qualitative Expert Interviews. <i>Thesis: The Politicisation of Social Europe. Conflict dynamics in the post-crisis debate over EU social and employment policies</i> Doctoral Committee: Prof. Dr. Maurizio Ferrera (supervisor and member of the committee), Prof. dr. László Andor (member of the committee), Prof. dr. Frank Vandembroucke (member of the committee), Prof. dr. Anton Hemerijck (external reviewer), Prof. dr. Jonathan Zeitlin (external reviewer)
October 2019	Executive Training Seminar: The Politics of the EU Pursue: Mastering the Multiannual Financial Framework". CEPS, Brussels
September 2018	Summer School: Economic and Financial Governance of the European Union. CEPS, Brussels.
July 2018	Academy of European Law. Seminar: General and specialized courses on the law of the European Union". European University Institute, Florence.
20-22 June 2018	Summer Course Jean Monnet "European Labour Law Perspectives: Enhancing the Social Pillar". Law Faculty, University of Amsterdam, Amsterdam.
August 2017	ECPR Summer School. Course: Process Tracing Methodology II - Evidence and Empirical Testing in Practice. Central European University, Budapest.
August 2017	ECPR Summer School. Course: Expert Interviews for Qualitative Data Generation. Central European University, Budapest.
July 2017	ECPR Summer School. Course: Introduction to NVivo for Qualitative Data Analysis. Central European University, Budapest.
July 2017	RESPOS Summer School. Courses: Designing Quasi-Experiments, Designing QCA for



explanation, Designing Multi-Method Research. University of Genova, Genova.

PROJECT ACTIVITY

Year	Project
2020-ongoing	<p>Project EUSOIALCIT - The Future of European Social Citizenship, funded by Horizon 2020 (Grant agreement n. 870978). In the framework of EUSOIALCIT, I am member of the core team of the working package 2, which plays an overarching role in entire Horizon2020 project. I have directly contributed to the conceptualization of the idea of resource-based and multi-level social rights, on which a coherent rationale for and conception of European social citizenship can be based. In addition, I have contributed to the operationalization of the resource-based multi-level conception of social rights, notably in the areas of early childcare, education and active labour market policies. Below a list of the publications in the framework of EUSOIALCIT:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Vandenbroucke, F., Keune, M., Ferrera, M., Corti, F. (2020) The rationale for and the nature and content of European social rights. EUSOIALCIT Working Paper Deliverable 2.1• Ferrera, M., Madama, I., Corti, F. (2021) Social rights as power resources and the EU's role. The case of the Youth Guarantee. Social Policies, forthcoming
October 2018 - April 2019	<p>Expert study for the European Economic and Social Committee, written with the European Social Observatory:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Sabato, S., Corti, F. Vanhercke, B. and Spasova, S. (2019) 'Integrating the European Pillar of Social Rights into the roadmap for deepening Europe's Economic and Monetary Union'. Brussels: European Economic and Social Committee, doi: 10.2864/848488
December 2018	<p>University of the Aosta Valley. Project: "Rethinking social policy - RPS - Ripensare le politiche sociali. Dall'Unione europea alle comunità locali". SEP/PVC/02/2018. Reference: Prof. Patrik Vesan. Within the project, I have been mainly working on monitoring the implementation of the European Pillar of Social Rights, with a focus on the legislative initiatives related to the EPSR: Work-Life Balance Directive and the revision of the Posting of Workers Directive.</p>
March - May 2018	<p>Expert study for the European Economic and Social Committee, written with the European Social Observatory:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Sabato, S., Ghailani, D., Peña-Casas, R., Spasova, S., Corti, F. and Vanhercke, B. (2018) 'Implementing the European Pillar of Social Rights: what is needed to guarantee a positive social impact'. Brussels: European Economic and Social Committee, doi: 10.2864/327484
2016-2019	<p>Project REScEU (Reconciling Economic and Social Europe - www.resceu.eu), funded by the European Research Council (Advanced Grant no. 340534). I have been part of the research project REScEU as a PhD candidate (http://www.resceu.eu/francesco-corti). I have been working, together with Patrik Vesan, on investigating the conflict dynamics that underpinned the political debate over EU social and employment policy under the Juncker's Commission. Moreover, I was in charge of monitoring the implementation of the European Pillar of Social Rights. On these topics, I have extensively published policy focuses, working papers, articles, briefings etc. Below a list of the publications in the framework of REScEU:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Vesan, P., Corti, F. and Sabato, S. (2019) When politics steps in. The European Semester and national welfare states. REScEU working paper.• Corti, F. (2019) European Unemployment Benefit Scheme: Between Political Conflicts and Windows of Opportunity. REScEU working paper.• Corti F. and Vesan, P. (2019) The European Pillar of Social Rights: a first step towards a European Social Union? REScEU Working paper.



- Vesan, P. and Corti, F. (2019) 'New tensions over Social Europe? The European Pillar of Social Rights and the Debate within the European Parliament', *Journal Common Market Studies*, Vol.57, No. 5, pp. 977-994.
- Vesan, P. and Corti, F. (2019) 'Dieci anni di asfissia? Le politiche sociali e del lavoro europee tra cambiamenti istituzionali e dinamiche evolutive'. *Politiche Sociali*, Vol. 2, pp. 365-384.
- Vesan, P. and Corti, F. (2018) 'Il Pilastro europeo dei diritti sociali e la «strategia sociale» di Juncker: un'agenda per la ricerca'. *Politiche Sociali*, Vol. 1, pp. 125-142.
- Corti, F., Sabato, S. & Vanchercke, B. (2019) The European (Social) Union is in need of a 'Social Imbalances Procedure', *Euvisions*, May 2019.
- Vesan, P. & Corti, F. (2019). «L'Europa sociale è malata: come prendersene cura». *Aggiornamenti Sociali*, May 2019, pp. 377-386.
- Corti, F. (2019) Lotta agli squilibri sociali. "Regola d'argento" per l'Unione. *Corriere della Sera*, May 2019.
- Vesan, P. & Corti, F. (2018) "Tripartite Social Summit 2018: difficulties on the horizon", *Euvisions*, April 2018
- Vesan, P. & Corti, F. (2018) "La svolta sociale dell'UE", *Corriere della Sera*, March 2018
- Vesan, P. & Corti, F. (2018) "Il Pilastro Europeo dei Diritti Sociali: dalla proclamazione dal basso alla sua costruzione dal basso. Quale ruolo per il secondo welfare?", *Secondo Welfare*, January 2018
- Vesan, P. & Corti, F. (2017) "EU Pillar of Social Rights: what comes after Gothenburg?", *Euvisions*, December 2017
- Corti, F. (2017) "Social Policy in the EU: high-level debate at the EESC", *Euvisions*, December 2017
- Vesan, P., Vercesi, M. & Corti, F. (2017) "European Parliament's contribution to the European Pillar of Social Rights", *Euvisions*, January 2017

PATENTS

Patent

CONGRESSES AND SEMINARS

Date	Title	Place
23 November - 4 December (tbc)	Eurofound's Expert meeting "Looking backward to move forward: Converging through crises"	Eurofound, Dublin
16 November 2020	Conference on "New beginnings? The European Pillar of Social Rights and the new Commission". Presentation on "The EPSR in the EU economic governance after Covid-	European Trade Union Institute, Brussels



	19: from the General Escape clause to Next Generation EU”	
05 November	Guest Lecture “State aid temporary framework after Covid: risks for un-level playing field in the Single Market” for the module on “States and markets: economic, legal and political perspectives on the economic role of public sector” led by Prof Francesco Nicoli	University of Gent, Gent
08 October 2020	Online Policy Study Presentation “Inequalities in the European Semester”	Foundation for European Progressive Studies (FEPS), Brussels
17 - 19 September 2020	ESPAnet Italy Conference “Re-balancing Social Europe after conservative reflex”	Ca’ Foscari University, Venice
02 July 2020	Expert meeting. Presentation of the interim policy study “Inequalities in the European Semester”	Foundation for European Progressive Studies (FEPS), Brussels
12 February 2020	Closed-door Review Meeting on “E(M)U Unemployment (Re-)Insurance: is there room for maneuver?” with German Federal Ministry of Finance, Cabinets of Commissioners Schmit and Gentiloni	Foundation for European Progressive Studies (FEPS), Brussels
6 December 2020	Presentation of the study on “Integrating the European Pillar of Social Rights into the roadmap for deepening Europe’s Economic and Monetary Union”	European Economic and Social Committee, Brussels
27 November 2020	Guest Lecture “Between legal constraints and economic interests: the politics behind the posting of workers” for the module on “Current debates in migration studies” led by Dr Jean-Michel Lafleur	University of Liege, Liege
17-18 October 2019	Congreso Internacional XX Aniversario del Instituto de Estudios Europeos. Speech title: ‘Tensions over social Europe? The case of the posting of workers directive’.	University CEU San Pablo, Madrid.
20-21 September 2019	ESPAnet Italia Conference. Paper title: European Unemployment Benefit Scheme: Between Political Conflicts and Windows of Opportunity	University of Urbino, Urbino.
6-7 September 2019	ESPAnet Europe Conference. Paper presented: “The European Pillar of Social Rights: A first step towards a European Social Union?”	University of Stockholm, Stockholm.
4-5 September 2019	ECPR General Conference. Paper presented: “Swimming Against the Tide? The Juncker Commission and the Revision of the Posting of Workers Directive”	University of Wroctaw, Wroctaw.
19-21 June 2019	Seminario doctoral Premio Europeo Carlos V-Marcelino Oreja ‘La modernización y gobernanza del proyecto europeo en un	Real Monasterio de Yuste, Yuste.



	marco plural con valores y objetivos compartidos'. Speech on: "Socializing the European Union: mission impossible? The case of the posting of workers directive".	
11 April 2019	ETUC Internal Meeting. Speech on: "Technical and political feasibility of a European Unemployment Benefit Scheme"	ETUC, Brussels.
9-12 April 2019 Mons	ECPR Joint Session Conference. Paper presented: "European Unemployment Benefit Scheme: Between Political Conflicts and Windows of Opportunity".	University of Mons, Mons.
13 - 15 September 2018	Espanet Italy Conference. Paper presented: "From the Social Investment Package to the Pillar of Social Rights: continuity and change in EU social policy"	University of Florence, Florence.
6-8 September 2018	SISP Conference. Paper presented: "Mission impossible? Socializing the European Semester through the European Pillar of Social Rights".	University of Turin, Turin.
29 August - 1 September 2018	ESPAnet Europe General Conference. Paper presented: "From the Social Investment Package to the Pillar of Social Rights: continuity and change in EU social policy"	University of Vilnius, Vilnius.
13-15 June 2018	ECPR SGEU Paper title: "Genesis and Development of the European Pillar of Social Rights: Towards an Overhaul of the EU's Social Policies?"	SciencesPo University, Paris.
24 May 2018	European Democratic Party - Congress. Speech on: "The EPSR and the future of Social Europe"	Warsaw.
20-22 October 2017	EZA-UNAIE seminar. Speech: "Promoting the Social Dimension of Europe in adverse conditions: the European Pillar of Social Rights"	Riva del Garda.
14-16 September 2017	SISP Annual Convention. Paper presented: "The European Pillar of Social Rights and the promotion of Social Europe in turbulent times"	University of Urbino, Urbino.
6-9 September 2017	ECPR General Conference. Paper presented: "Promoting the Social Dimension of Europe in Adverse Conditions: The European Pillar of Social Rights and the Role of the European Parliament"	University of Oslo, Oslo.

PUBLICATIONS

Books/Chapters
Hemerijck, A. and Corti, F. (2021) Re-balancing Social Europe after conservative reflex, in A. Hemerijck & M. Matzaganis, Stress-Testing the Welfare State: Seven Lessons from the Great Recession, Oxford: Oxford University Press



Sabato S. and Corti F. (2018) 'The Times They Are A-Changin''? The European Pillar of Social Rights from Debates to Reality Check', in Vanhercke B., Ghailani D. and Sabato S. (eds.), Social Policy in the European Union: state of the play 2018, Brussels: OSE and ETUI, D/2018/10.574/25

Articles in peer reviewed journals

Ferrera, M., Madama, I. and Corti, F. (2021) Social rights as resources of power in the multi-level structure of the EU: a proposal for conceptualization starting from the Youth Guarantee. Social Policies. Vol. 1.

Corti, F. and Vesan, P. (2020) Social democracy, Social Europe and the "post-Third way agenda": From the European Pillar of Social Rights to the Great Lockdown, Constellations, DOI: 10.1111/1467-8675.12534

Vesan, P. and Corti, F. (2019) 'New tensions over Social Europe? The European Pillar of Social Rights and the Debate within the European Parliament', Journal Common Market Studies, Vol.57, No. 5, pp. 977-994

Vesan, P. and Corti, F. (2019) Ten years of asphyxia? Analysing the content and dynamics of the European social and employment policy change. Social Policies, 2/2019, DOI: DOI: 10.7389/94317.

Vesan, P. and Corti, F. (2018) The European Pillar of Social Rights and Juncker's social strategy: a research agenda. Social Policies, 1/2018, DOI: 10.7389/

Congress proceedings

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OTHER INFORMATION

From May 2016 until June 2019, I have been working first as a trainee and then as external service provider to an Italian Member of the European Parliament, Luigi Morgano (ECON and CULT committees). My tasks mainly consisted in preparing notes, briefings, reports and information materials, drafting amendments and making compromises' proposals, participating and organising meetings with other MEPs, Commission's officials and other stakeholders. Below a list of selected dossiers:

- Opinion report on European Social Fund Plus (ESF+) 2021-2027, 2018/0206(COD)
- Opinion report on the European Semester for economic policy coordination: Employment and Social Aspects in the Annual Growth Survey 2018, 2017/2260(INI)
- Opinion report on Employment and social policies in the euro area 2018, 2018/2034(INI)
- Opinion report on Erasmus programme for education, training, youth and sport 2021-2027 2018/0191(COD)
- Report on A coherent EU policy for cultural and creative industries, 2016/2072(INI)

From June 2017 to May 2020, I have been member of the Foundation of European Progressive Studies - Young Academic Network (FEPS YAN). In addition I prepared for FEPS two technical studies as an external consultant. Below a list of the studies:

- Antonucci, L. & Corti, F. (2020) 'Inequalities in the European Semester', FEPS: Brussels.
- Corti, F. & Crespy, A. (2020) A quick fix to be welcomed, in search for long term solutions, FEPS Covid Response Paper, no. 2
- Hemerijck, A., Huguenot-Noel, R., Corti, F. & Rinaldi, D. (2020) 'Social Investment Now! Leveraging Returns through the EU budget', FEPS: Brussels.

Declarations given in the present curriculum must be considered released according to art. 46 and 47 of DPR



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