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## Leo Azzollini CURRICULUM VITAE

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**Leo Azzollini** is a Postdoctoral Research Officer at the University of Oxford, jointly between the ERC Synergy Project DINA at the Institute for New Economic Thinking (Department of Social Policy) and the Leverhulme Centre for Demographic Science (Department of Sociology). He is also a Non-Stipendiary Research Fellow of Nuffield College. His research interests are at the intersection of Social Stratification and Political Sociology, focusing on the joint impact of macro-social phenomena (*e.g.*, unemployment rate, inequality) and individual-level characteristics (*e.g.*, unemployment experiences, age, work precarity) on socio-political attitudes and behaviour.

His methodological skills include quantitative and qualitative research methods, with a focus on modelling macro-micro interactions through fixed effects, multilevel, and panel regressions. His PhD thesis focused on how social stratification and the life course shape political inequalities in Europe. His work appears in international peer-reviewed journals such as the *European Sociological Review*.

**Academic Employment**

Jun 2020 – ongoing	<b>University of Oxford</b> - Department of Social Policy and Intervention <i>Postdoctoral Research Officer</i> Jointly funded by Leverhulme Centre for Demographic Science and ERC Synergy Project DINA (“ <i>Towards a System of Distributional National Accounts</i> ”), grant n. 856455. PIs: B. Nolan, T. Piketty, E. Saez. Supervisors: R. Breen, M. Mills, and B. Nolan
Jan 2017 – Sep 2018	<b>Bocconi University</b> - DONDENA Research Centre <i>Research Assistant</i> , funded by ERC Project INTERACT Principal Investigator: D. Baldassarri, New York University

## Education

- Sep 2016 – Jan 2021     **Bocconi University**  
*Ph.D. in Public Policy and Administration, Cum Laude*  
Thesis Supervisor: F. C. Billari  
Thesis Committee: G. Esping-Andersen, C. De Vries, R. Macmillan  
Thesis Title: *Social Stratification, Life Course, and Political Inequality*
- Oct 2019 – Dec 2019     **Nuffield College, University of Oxford**  
*Junior Visiting Scholar at the Sociology Group*  
Supervisor: G. Evans
- Sep 2014 – Nov 2015     **London School of Economics and Political Science**  
*M.Sc. in Political Economy of Europe, with Merit*
- Sep 2011 – Jul 2014     **Bocconi University**  
*B.Sc. in International Economics, Management, and Finance*

## Scientific Publications

Leo Azzollini (2021). The Scar Effects of Unemployment on Electoral Participation: Withdrawal and Mobilization across European Societies, *European Sociological Review*, Advance Article jcab016, <https://doi.org/10.1093/esr/jcab016>

Leo Azzollini (2021). Social Stratification, Life Course, and Political Inequality. *Ph.D. Thesis / Tesi di Dottorato*, published on IRIS Cineca, 2021, <http://hdl.handle.net/11565/4035714>

## Papers Under Review and Working Papers

Leo Azzollini and Geoffrey Evans (2020). How Party Ideological Convergence accentuates Class differences in Voter Turnout: the Role of Age and Values. *Nuffield Elections Unit, Working Paper 1*

Leo Azzollini. Scar effects of unemployment on generalised social trust: the joint impact of individual and contextual unemployment across Europe. Under Review at *Social Science Research*.

Leo Azzollini, Richard Breen, and Brian Nolan. From Gender Equality to Household Earnings Equality: the role of Women's Labour Market Outcomes across OECD Countries. Under Review at *Social Forces*.

Leo Azzollini, Scar Effects of Unemployment on Social Participation: the moderating role of contextual unemployment. *In Preparation*

Leo Azzollini and Ross Macmillan. How and Why does Social Class affect Political Trust? The Role of Precarious Work and Political Efficacy. *In Preparation*

Leo Azzollini, Richard Breen, and Brian Nolan. Demographic Behaviour and Earnings Inequality: A Country-Counterfactuals Approach. *In Preparation*

## Teaching Experience

### University of Oxford – Department of Social Policy and Intervention (2021/2022).

- Lecturer in *Comparative Research Design*, M.Sc. in Comparative Social Policy. Hours: 4
- Lecturer in *Qualitative Research Methods*, M.Sc. in Comparative Social Policy. Hrs: 2

### Bocconi University – Department of Social and Political Sciences

2019/2020

- Lecturer and T.A. in *Sociology*, B.Sc. in Economics and Social Sciences. Hrs: 27

2018/2019

- Lecturer and T.A. in *Topics in Comparative Politics*, M.Sc. Politics and Policy Analysis. Hrs: 20
- Lecturer in *Qualitative Research Methods*, Ph.D. in Public Policy. Hrs: 12
- Lab Tutor and T.A. in *Applied Statistics*, B.Sc. in Economics and Management. Hrs: 30

2017/2018

- Lecturer and T.A. in *Public Economics*, B.Sc. in International Politics and Government. Hrs: 20

## Conference Activity, Seminars, and Invited Talks

Dec 2021

### World Inequality Conference

*“Demographic Behaviour and Income Inequality across OECD Countries”*

Oct 2021

### European Consortium for Sociological Research (ECSR)

*“The Scar Effects of Unemployment on Electoral Participation: Mobilisation and Withdrawal”*

Jun 2021

### European Political Science Association Conference (EPSA)

*“The Scar Effects of Unemployment on Electoral Participation: Mobilisation and Withdrawal”*

May 2021

### Population Association of America (PAA)

*“Economic Homogamy and Income Inequality across OECD countries: a Country Counterfactuals Approach”.*

Nov 2020	<b>Institute for New Economic Thinking Researcher Seminar</b> <i>“The Scar Effects of Unemployment on Electoral Participation: Mobilisation and Withdrawal”</i>
Oct 2020	<b>Nuffield Social Inequality Research Group Seminar Series</b> <i>“Scarring and Turnout”</i>
Jul 2020	<b>European Consortium for Sociological Research (ECSR)</b> <i>“On the New Socioeconomics of Trust: Labour Market Precarity and Generalised Trust in a multi-national context”</i>
Jun 2020	<b>European Political Science Association Conference (EPSA)</b> <i>“How Party Ideological Convergence accentuates Class Differences in Voter Turnout: the Role of Age and Values”.</i>
Jun 2020	<b>European Population Conference (EPC)</b> <i>“The Less, the Merrier? Cohort Size, Welfare State Regimes, and Inequalities in Voter Turnout across Societies”.</i>
Jan 2020	<b>Invited Talk at Department of Sociology and Social Research, University of Trento</b> <i>“Are Bad Jobs Bad for Democracy? Precarious Work and Political Participation in Europe”</i>
Sep 2019	<b>European Consortium for Sociological Research (ECSR)</b> <i>“Are Bad Jobs Bad for Democracy? Precarious Work and Political Participation in Europe”</i>
Mar 2019	<b>Spring School - European Consortium for Sociological Research (ECSR)</b> <i>“Politics of the Precariat: Generations, Socio-Economic Marginality and Electoral Turnout in Contemporary Society”</i>
Jun 2017	<b>Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management (APPAM)</b> <i>“Turns out it’s about Youth: the interplay between social, income, and turnout inequalities in Europe”</i>

## Activities within International and National Research Groups

Jun 2020 - ongoing	<b>ERC Synergy project DINA</b> <b>Oxford, Paris School of Economics, and Berkeley</b>  Researcher and Scientific Committee Member for World Inequality Conference
Jun 2020 - ongoing	<b>Employment, Equity, and Growth Group, Institute for New Economic Thinking, University of Oxford</b>  Researcher
Jun 2020 - ongoing	<b>Leverhulme Centre for Demographic Science, University of Oxford</b>  Researcher
May 2019 - ongoing	<b>ERC DISCONT, Dondena Centre for Research on Social Dynamics and Public Policies, Bocconi University</b>  Member
Jan 2017 – Sep 2018	<b>ERC INTERACT, Dondena Centre for Research on Social Dynamics and Public Policies, Bocconi University</b>  Research Assistant and Co-organiser of Workshop “How does Ethnic Diversity Affect Cooperation?” (June 2017)

## Doctoral Coursework

- Advanced Topics in Social Dynamics;
- Advanced Topics in Political Science;
- Population Studies and Demography;
- Sociology;
- Political Science;
- Advanced Topics in Economic and Political Institutions;
- Topics in Public Policy;
- History of Institutions and Inequality;
- Institutions in Comparative Perspective;
- European Policy;
- Policy-Making in the European External Action Service;
- Inter-Governmental Relations;
- Public Administration;
- Organisation Theory;
- Public Economics;
- Microeconomics.

## Doctoral Training in Quantitative and Qualitative Research Methods

- Multilevel Models for Social Statistics;
- Advanced Survey Methods;
- Econometrics I, II, III;
- Statistics for Public Policy;
- Qualitative Methods for Policy Evaluation;
- Experimental Methods for Survival Analysis.

## Other Research and Training Activities

Apr 2019

### **Oxford Spring School in Advanced Research Methods**

- Panel Data Analysis;
- Causal Inference;
- R Techniques for Reproducible Research.

Mar 2019

### **ECSR Spring School in Old and New Methods**

- Register Data Analysis;
- Social Network Analysis;
- Field and Online Experiments;
- Geographic Data for Social Science Research;
- Archival Data Analysis.

## Supervision Activities

Oct 2020 - ongoing

### **M.Sc. in Comparative Social Policy**

**Department of Social Policy and Intervention, University of Oxford**

*Thesis Supervisor*

- Gideon Daitz (2020/2021);
- Tommaso Sacconi (2021/2022);
- Anakaren Cervantes Ramirez (2021/2022).

*Thesis Panel Member*

- Vittoria Baglieri (2020/2021).

## Journal Referee

- *British Journal of Sociology*;
- *Economic and Social Review*;
- *European Sociological Review*.

## Language Skills

- Italian – Native Speaker;
- English – C2;
- Spanish – B1.

## IT Skills

*Statistical software:* R (Advanced), SPSS (Advanced), STATA (Advanced);

*Geographic Information System:* QGIS (Beginner).

*Document preparation software:* LaTeX (Advanced), MS Office (Advanced);

Data

20/10/2021

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