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## Education

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### Ca' Foscari University of Venice

Venice, Italy

PHD IN ECONOMICS AND DOCTOR EUROPAEUS IN ECONOMICS

2013

- Advisors: Prof. Cludio Zoli and Prof. Sergio Currarini
- PhD Dissertation Title: Ethnic Distribution, Effective Power and Conflict
- Examination Committee: Prof. Rolf Aaberge (Statistics Norway), Prof Abdolkarim Sadrieh (Universitat Magdeburg), Prof. Salvatore Di Falco (Universite de Geneve), and Prof. Francesco Feri (Royal Holloway University of London)

### Universitat Pompeu Fabra

Barcelona, Spain

VISITING DOCTORAL FELLOW

2010

- Advisor: Prof. Marta Reynal-Querol

### University of Bologna

Bologna, Italy

MS IN ECONOMICS (TWO-YEAR PROGRAM)

2008

- Advisor: Prof. Carlotta Berti Ceroni
- Dissertation title: Divergence and Poverty Traps: Institutional and Social Factors

### University of Zagreb

Zagreb, Croatia

BS IN ECONOMICS AND FINANCE (FOUR-YEAR PROGRAM)

2005

- Advisor: Prof. Marijana Ivanov
- Dissertation title: Price stabilization: Case study-Croatia

## Professional Experience

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### CURRENT POSITIONS

#### European Commission, Joint Research Centre - JRC

Ispra, Italy

SENIOR RESEARCHER - QUANTITATIVE POLICY ANALYST (SIX-YEAR CONTRACT, EXP. 2025)

2019-ongoing

- Unit S.3 - Science for Modelling, Monitoring and Evaluation

#### Department of Economics, Ca' Foscari University of Venice

Venice, Italy

SUBJECT EXPERT ("CULTORE DELLA MATERIA")

2019-ongoing

- Fields: Empirical Economics, Labor and Welfare Economics, Public Economics and Welfare Systems

#### CF Applied Economics

Venice, Italy

MEMBER OF THE SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEE

2017-ongoing

- Center for Analysis and Research in Applied Economics, Ca' Foscari University of Venice

#### ST Skills Together

MEMBER OF THE SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEE

2017-ongoing

- Innovative and non-profit start-up aimed to support Educational and Training Institutions, Students and Employers

## Global Labor Organization (GLO)

FELLOW

2023-ongoing

- International network and virtual platform on labor

## PAST POSITIONS

### Fondazione Nord-Est

Venice, Italy

RESEARCHER

2019

- Short period research experience (February 2019 - May 2019).

### Department of Economics, Ca' Foscari University of Venice

Venice, Italy

POST-DOCTORAL RESEARCHER/ASSEGNO DI RICERCA, L'ART. 22 DELLA LEGGE 30 DICEMBRE 2010,

2018-2019

N. 240

- The job-coder as an instrument for the analysis of occupational choices and their effects on individual health (renewal).

### Department of Economics, Ca' Foscari University of Venice

Venice, Italy

POST-DOCTORAL RESEARCHER/ASSEGNO DI RICERCA, L'ART. 22 DELLA LEGGE 30 DICEMBRE 2010,

2017-2018

N. 240

- The job-coder as an instrument for the analysis of occupational choices and their effects on individual health.

### Department of Economics, Ca' Foscari University of Venice

Venice, Italy

POST-DOCTORAL RESEARCHER/ASSEGNO DI RICERCA, L'ART. 22 DELLA LEGGE 30 DICEMBRE 2010,

2016-2017

N. 240

- The effects of culture on occupational and educational choices.

### Department of Economics and Management "Marco Fanno", University of Padua

Padua, Italy

POST-DOCTORAL RESEARCHER/ASSEGNO DI RICERCA, L'ART. 22 DELLA LEGGE 30 DICEMBRE 2010,

2015-2016

N. 240

- Incorporating patients' preferences in Kidney transplant decision protocols.

### Department of Economics, Ca' Foscari University of Venice

Venice, Italy

POST-DOCTORAL RESEARCHER/ASSEGNO DI RICERCA, L'ART. 22 DELLA LEGGE 30 DICEMBRE 2010,

2013-2014

N. 240

- How to produce merit? (renewal).

### Department of Economics, Ca' Foscari University of Venice

Venice, Italy

POST-DOCTORAL RESEARCHER/ASSEGNO DI RICERCA, L'ART. 22 DELLA LEGGE 30 DICEMBRE 2010,

2012-2013

N. 240

- How to produce merit?

## Research Interests

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- Non-economic and cultural drivers of individual preferences and economic decision making.
- Health economics.
- Determinants of immigration decisions and attitudes toward immigration.
- Multi-dimensional inequality, inequality of opportunity, inter-generational mobility.
- Ethnic/social diversity, climate change and conflict.

## Publications: Journal Articles

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### PUBLISHED:

Academic Achievements: the effects of excess time to degree on GPA (with Agar Brugiavini and Carlo Carraro), **Education Economics, 28(1), 46-66 (2020)**. DOI: 10.1080/09645292.2019.1672623.

Available at: <https://doi.org/10.1080/09645292.2019.1672623>. Published online before print: October 7, 2019.

Climate Variability, Crop and Conflict: Exploring the Impacts of Spatial Concentration in Agricultural Production (with Paola Vesco, Malcolm Mistry and Mihai Croicu), **Journal of Peace Research, 58(1), 98-113 (2021)**.

DOI: 10.1177/0022343320971020. Available at: <https://doi.org/10.1177/0022343320971020>. Published online before print: January 28, 2021.

Ethnic Distribution, Effective Power and Conflict (with Claudio Zoli), **Social Choice and Welfare 57(2), 257-299 (2021)**. DOI:

10.1007/s00355-021-01317-y. Available at: <https://doi.org/10.1007/s00355-021-01317-y>. Published online before print: March 16, 2021.

Risk Attitudes, Investment Behavior and Linguistic Variation (with Juliana Bernhofer and Francesco Costantini). **Journal of Human Resources, 58(4), 1207-1241 (2023)**. DOI: 10.3368/jhr.59.2.0119-9999R2.

Available at: <https://jhr.uwpress.org/content/58/4/1207>. Published online before print: May 13, 2021.

Adverse childhood experiences and outcomes later in life: Evidence from SHARE countries. (with Agar Brugiavini, Raluca Elena Buia and Cristina Elisa Orso), **Review of Economics of the Household 21, 1-18 (2023)**. DOI: 10.1007/s11150-022-09612-y.

Available at: <https://link.springer.com/article/10.1007/s11150-022-09612-y>. Published online before print: May 19, 2022.

Trends in Inequality of Opportunity of health over the life-cycle: the role of early-life conditions. (with Cristina Elisa Orso).

**Journal of Economic Behaviour and Organization, 201, 60-82 (2022)**. DOI: [10.1016/j.jebo.2022.07.018].

Available at: <https://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/pii/S0167268122002529?via%3Dihub>. Published online before print: July 26, 2022.

Who's afraid of immigration? The effect of economic preferences on tolerance. (with Cristina Elisa Orso). **Journal of**

**Population Economics, 36(3), 1901-1940 (2023)**. DOI: 10.1007/s00148-023-00947-z. Available at: <https://link.springer.com/article/10.1007/s00148-023-00947-z>. Published online before print: May 2, 2023.

Online health information seeking behaviour, forwent care, and health status during exceptional times. (with Cinzia di Novi and Cristina Elisa Orso). **Journal of Economic Behaviour and Organization, 220, 675-690 (2024)**.

DOI: 10.1016/j.jebo.2024.02.032. Available at: <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jebo.2024.02.032>. Published online before print: March 7, 2024.

### R&R:

Social interactions, loneliness and health: A new angle on an old debate. (with Elizabeth Casabianca). GLO Discussion Paper, No. 1378, Global Labor Organization (GLO), Essen. Available at: <https://ideas.repec.org/p/zbw/glodps/1378.html>. **R&R: Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization**.

Health and relationship quality of the LGBTQIA population in Europe. University Ca' Foscari of Venice, Dept. of Economics Research Paper Series No. 29, Available at SSRN: <https://ssrn.com/abstract=4702518> **R&R: Journal of Population Economics**.

### IN PREP:

Historical roots of women's occupational choices: the role of family ties. (with Cristina Elisa Orso).

The effect of preschool education and early life conditions on inequality of opportunities in tertiary education. (with Núria Rodríguez-Planas and Beatrice D'Hombres).

Social media use and loneliness among younger individuals. (with Begona Cabeza and Beatrice D’Hombres).

Inequality of opportunity in pre-school education in Europe. Do informal institutions matter? (with Francesco Berlingieri).

Inter-generational mobility and siblings correlations. (with Beatrice d’Hombres and Francesco Berlingieri).

Individual (mis-) perceptions of inequality of opportunity in Europe. (with Victoria Hunewaldt and Paolo Brunori).

## Publications: Book Chapters

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### PUBLISHED

Working conditions and health of older workers (with Michele Belloni, Elena Raluca Buia, and Elena Meschi), in *Börsch-Supan, A., Bristle, J., Andersen-Ranberg, K., Brugiavini, A., Jusot, F., Litwin, H., and Weber, G. (Eds.), Health and socioeconomic status over the life course: First results from SHARE waves 6 and 7. Berlin/Boston: De Gruyter.* (ISBN 978-3-11-061723-8; 978-3-11-061724-5; 978-3-11-061745-0). Published online before print: October 7, 2019.

Differences in health care use between migrant and native older workers (with Simona Fiore and Cristina Elisa Orso), in *Börsch-Supan, A., Bristle, J., Andersen-Ranberg, K., Brugiavini, A., Jusot, F., Litwin, H., and Weber, G. (Eds.), Health and socioeconomic status over the life course: First results from SHARE waves 6 and 7. Berlin/Boston: De Gruyter.* (ISBN 978-3-11-061723-8; 978-3-11-061724-5; 978-3-11-061745-0). Published online before print: October 7, 2019.

The effects of adverse childhood experiences on mental well-being later in life (with Raluca Elena Buia and Cristina Elisa Orso), in *Börsch-Supan, A., Bristle, J., Andersen-Ranberg, K., Brugiavini, A., Jusot, F., Litwin, H., and Weber, G. (Eds.), Health and socioeconomic status over the life course: First results from SHARE waves 6 and 7. Berlin/Boston: De Gruyter.* (ISBN 978-3-11-061723-8; 978-3-11-061724-5; 978-3-11-061745-0). Published online before print: October 7, 2019.

### IN PREP

Loneliness in Europe: determinants and interventions. *Springer Nature, Forthcoming, August 2024*

## Publications: Technical Reports (selected)

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JRC Statistical Audit of the 2020 Commitment to Reducing Inequality index, **EUR 30319 EN, Publications Office of the European Union, Luxembourg, 2020.** ISBN 978-92-76-20902-7 (online), doi:10.2760/082450 (online).

Monitoring Multidimensional Inequalities in the European Union, **EUR 30319 EN, Publications Office of the European Union, Luxembourg, 2021.** ISBN 978-92-76-32443-0 (online), doi:10.2760/20973 (online), 10.2760/726031 (print).

The multidimensional aspects of inequality of opportunity in the EU, **European Commission, 2021.**

EU Regional Competitiveness Index 2.0 2022 edition, **Publications Office of the European Union, Luxembourg, 2023.** ISBN 978-92-76-58866-5 (online), 978-92-68-00298-8 (print), doi:10.2776/313889 (online), 10.2776/295102 (print).

JRC Statistical Analysis of the World Justice Project Rule of Law Index 2021 (ROLI), **EUR 31345 EN, Publications Office of the European Union, Luxembourg, 2022.** ISBN 978-92-76-60456-3 (online), doi:10.2760/80392 (online).

JRC Statistical Audit of the 2022 Commitment to Reducing Inequality index, **EUR 31259 EN, Publications Office of the European Union, Luxembourg, 2022.** ISBN 978-92-76-57750-8 (online), doi:10.2760/5642 (online).

JRC Statistical audit of the Women’s Empowerment Progress Index 2022, **EUR 31201 EN, Publications Office of the European Union, Luxembourg, 2022.** ISBN 978-92-76-56424-9 (online), doi:10.2760/721497 (online).

The relationship between loneliness and health, **EUR 31155 EN, Publications Office of the European Union, Luxembourg, 2022.** ISBN 978-92-76-55055-6 (online), doi:10.2760/90915 (online).

Loneliness among older adults - A European perspective, **European Commission, Ipsra, 2022.**

Loneliness and health of older adults: the role of cultural heritage and relationship quality, **European Commission, 2022.**

JRC Statistical audit of the Equal Measures 2030 SDG Gender Index 2022, **EUR 31016 EN, Publications Office of the European Union, Luxembourg, 2022.** ISBN 978-92-76-49351-8 (online), doi:10.2760/993717 (online).

Perceptions of inequality and fairness: what has changed over the past 5 years, **European Commission, 2023.**

Preferences for redistribution and social policies in the EU, **European Commission, 2023.**

Loneliness, health and adverse childhood experiences, **European Commission, 2023.**

Key messages and policy recommendations of the one day conference on "Loneliness in the European Union: Policies at work", **European Commission, 2023.**

Towards a more inclusive social Europe: early-life conditions and educational attainment, **European Commission, 2023.**

Loneliness and social media use in the European Union, **European Commission, 2023.**

## Awards, Fellowships, & Grants

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### National Scientific Qualification as Associate Professor

DISCIPLINARY FIELDS OF 13/A2 - ECONOMIC POLICY, AND 13/A1 - ECONOMICS.

2023

- Expires 12/2034.

### "Visitinps" Scholarship

ITALIAN NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF SOCIAL SECURITY - INPS

2018

- Project: Occupational Trajectories and Contribution Histories of Immigrant Workers. Evidence from Italy.

### Best Paper Award

WARSAW INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC MEETING (WIEM 2016)

2016

- Paper: Risk Attitudes, Investment Behavior and Linguistic Variation.

### Research Fellowship

SELISI CENTRE AND IGLESIAS FOUNDATION

2016

- In collaboration with Daniele Fano (SKILLS Together).

### Best PhD thesis recognition

COUNCIL OF THE PRESIDENCY OF THE ITALIAN SOCIETY OF ECONOMISTS (SIE)

2014

- Recognition of the PhD thesis among the best in 2014.

### Best PhD thesis award

ASSOCIATION "SCUOLA DI ATENE"

2014

- Among the two best PhD thesis in 2014.

### Scholarship

CA' FOSCARI UNIVERSITY OF VENICE

2008

- Winner of the three year PhD scholarship.

### Scholarship

CROATIAN GOVERNMENT

2007

- Scholarship for post-graduate studies.

### Scholarship

ITALIAN GOVERNMENT

2005

- Scholarship for post-graduate studies.

## Teaching Experience ---

### MAIN COURSES:

#### **Microeconomics - Economia Politica, Part I**

CA' FOSCARI UNIVERSITY OF VENICE 2015

- Undergraduate. Language: ITALIAN

#### **Microeconomics - Economia Politica, Part II**

CA' FOSCARI UNIVERSITY OF VENICE 2015

- Undergraduate. Language: ITALIAN

#### **Industrial Organization**

CA' FOSCARI UNIVERSITY OF VENICE 2015

- Undergraduate. Language: ENGLISH

#### **Microeconomics - Politica Economica, Part I**

CA' FOSCARI UNIVERSITY OF VENICE 2016

- Undergraduate. Language: ITALIAN

#### **Microeconomics - Economia Politica, Part I**

CA' FOSCARI UNIVERSITY OF VENICE 2017

- Undergraduate. Language: ITALIAN

#### **Microeconomics - Economia Politica, Part II**

CA' FOSCARI UNIVERSITY OF VENICE 2017

- Undergraduate. Language: ITALIAN

#### **Industrial Organization**

CA' FOSCARI UNIVERSITY OF VENICE 2017

- Undergraduate. Language: ENGLISH

#### **Labor Market Discrimination and the Gender Pay Gap**

HARVARD - CA' FOSCARI SUMMER SCHOOL 2017

- Undergraduate and graduate. Language: ENGLISH.

#### **Industrial Organization**

CA' FOSCARI UNIVERSITY OF VENICE 2018

- Undergraduate. Language: ENGLISH

#### **Labor Market Discrimination and the Gender Pay Gap**

HARVARD - CA' FOSCARI SUMMER SCHOOL 2018

- Undergraduate and graduate. Language: ENGLISH.

### SUPPLEMENTARY COURSES:

#### **Empirical Economics**

CA' FOSCARI UNIVERSITY OF VENICE 2014

- PhD program in Economics. Language: ENGLISH

#### **Redeeming Keynes**

HARVARD - CA' FOSCARI SUMMER SCHOOL 2013

- Undergraduate and graduate. With: Stephen A. Marglin. Language: ENGLISH.

### **Imperfect Markets - The Economics of Information with Applications**

HARVARD - CA' FOSCARI SUMMER SCHOOL

2013

- Undergraduate and graduate. With: Daniel Hojman. Language: ENGLISH.

### **Advanced Microeconomic Theory**

CA' FOSCARI UNIVERSITY OF VENICE

2013

- PhD program in Economics. Language: ENGLISH

### **Macroeconomics II**

CA' FOSCARI UNIVERSITY OF VENICE

2011

- PhD program in Economics. Language: ENGLISH

### **Macroeconomics I**

CA' FOSCARI UNIVERSITY OF VENICE

2011

- PhD program in Economics. Language: ENGLISH

### **OTHER TEACHING:**

#### **2023 - JRC Week on Composite Indicators and Scoreboards**

EUROPEAN COMMISSION, JOINT RESEARCH CENTRE - JRC

2023

- Competence Centre on Composite Indicators and Scoreboards. Language: ENGLISH

#### **2021 - JRC Week on Composite Indicators and Scoreboards**

EUROPEAN COMMISSION, JOINT RESEARCH CENTRE - JRC

2021

- Competence Centre on Composite Indicators and Scoreboards. Language: ENGLISH

## **Conferences and Invited Talks**

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### **Health Economics and Policy**

AMERICAN-EUROPEAN HEALTH ECONOMICS STUDY GROUP - VIII EDITION. CATANIA, ITALY.

2024 - forthcoming

- Presenter.

### **Longevity Economy: Principles and Actions to Define the Next Era in an Aging World**

WORLD ECONOMIC FORUM. BRUSSELS, BELGIUM.

2024

- Invited speaker.

### **Research-Policy Dialogue on Measuring the management of irregularly staying migrants and return**

EUROPEAN COMMISSION, DG RESEARCH AND INNOVATION. BRUSSELS, BELGIUM.

2024

- Invited speaker. Brussels, Belgium.

### **EuHEA Conference 2024**

EUROPEAN HEALTH ECONOMICS ASSOCIATION.

2024

- Reviewer of applications.

### **GLO seminar series - Monthly Webinar**

GLOBAL LABOR ORGANIZATION (GLO).

2024

- Invited speaker.

### **AIES Annual conference.**

XXVIII ITALIAN HEALTH ECONOMICS ASSOCIATION. ROME, ITALY.

2023

- Presenter.

<b>GLO-JOPE 2023 Global Conference</b> GLOBAL LABOR ORGANIZATION (GLO). • Invited speaker, paper presented by Cristina Elisa Orso (co-author).	2023
<b>AIES Webinar Series</b> ITALIAN HEALTH ECONOMICS ASSOCIATION. • Invited speaker.	2023
<b>Let's talk loneliness.</b> MENTAL HEALTH WEEK 2023. BRUSSELS, BELGIUM. • Invited speaker.	2023
<b>SIEP Annual Conference.</b> XXXV ANNUAL CONFERENCE OF THE ITALIAN SOCIETY OF PUBLIC ECONOMICS. VERONA, ITALY. • Invited speaker.	2023
<b>Higher education and equality of opportunities.</b> UNIVERSITY OF MODENA AND REGIO EMILIA - WORKSHOP. MODENA, ITALY. • Invited speaker.	2023
<b>Loneliness in the European Union: Policies at work.</b> EUROPEAN COMMISSION. BRUSSELS, BELGIUM. • Organizer and speaker.	2023
<b>EC JRC Scientific Expert Workshop Crowd-sourcing knowledge on Depression mechanisms: from risk factors to treatment.</b> EUROPEAN COMMISSION, JOINT RESEARCH CENTRE. ISPRA, ITALY. • Invited speaker.	2023
<b>High-Level meeting on Loneliness - policy options to combat loneliness and strengthening mental health in the EU.</b> SWEDISH MINISTRY FOR SOCIAL AFFAIRS AND PUBLIC HEALTH. STOCKHOLM, SWEDEN. • Invited speaker.	2023
<b>Empirical Health Economics Workshop 2022 - EHEW 2022.</b> EUROPEAN COMMISSION, JOINT RESEARCH CENTRE. ISPRA, ITALY. • Presenter.	2022
<b>18th International Conference on Pensions, Insurance and Savings.</b> UNIVERSITE' PARIS-DAUPHINE PSL; RESEARCH UNIVERSITY AND INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY OF RABAT. RABAT, MOROCCO. • Presenter.	2022
<b>2nd APHEC Workshop on Health and Aging: the Sustainability and Equity Trade off.</b> UNIVERSITY OF GENOA. GENOA, ITALY. • Presenter.	2021
<b>SMYE Meeting of Young Economists 2018.</b> EUROPEAN ASSOCIATION OF YOUNG ECONOMISTS (EAYE), UNIVERSITY OF BALEARIC ISLANDS. PALMA DE MALLORCA, SPAIN. • Presenter.	2018



<b>Seminar series.</b> FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES / DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY CENTRE FOR SOCIAL POLICY HERMAN DELEECK. ATWERP, BELGIUM. • Invited speaker.	2018
<b>World Congress of the International Economic Association, IEA 2017.</b> INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC ASSOCIATION (IEA). SANTA FE, MEXICO CITY. • Paper presented by Juliana Bernhofer (co-author).	2017
<b>The Warsaw International Economic Meeting, WIEM 2016.</b> UNIVERSITY OF WARSAW FACULTY OF ECONOMIC SCIENCES AND CENEA. WARSAW, POLAND. • Presenter.	2016
<b>BoMoPaV Economics Meeting.</b> UNIVERSITY OF BOLOGNA. BOLOGNA, ITALY. • Presenter.	2016
<b>14th annual conference on Pension, Insurance and Savings.</b> PARIS-DAUPHINE UNIVERSITY AND HARVARD UNIVERSITY. PARIS, FRANCE. • Presenter.	2015
<b>LEER Workshop - Efficiency in education and the use of big data.</b> FACULTY OF ECONOMICS AND BUSINESS AT KU LEUVEN. LEUVEN, BELGIUM. • Presenter.	2015
<b>International Economic Association (IEA) World Congress.</b> INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC ASSOCIATION (IEA) AND COLUMBIA GLOBAL CENTERS – MIDDLE EAST (AMMAN). DEAD SEE, JORDAN. • Presenter.	2014
<b>54a Riunione scientifica annuale della Società Italiana degli Economisti (SIE).</b> UNIVERSITY OF BOLOGNA. BOLOGNA, ITALY. • Presenter.	2013
<b>67th European Econometric Society Meeting (ESEM).</b> UNIVERSITY OF GOTHENBURG AND ECONOMETRIC SOCIETY. GOTEBOURG, SWEDEN. • Presenter.	2013
<b>5th Meeting of the Society for the Study of Economic Inequality (ECINEQ).</b> UNIVERSITY OF BARI. BARI, ITALY. • Presenter.	2013
<b>13th Jan Tinbergen European Peace Science Conference.</b> CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY OF MILAN AND NETWORK OF EUROPEAN PEACE SCIENTISTS (NEPS). MILAN, ITALY. • Presenter.	2013
<b>BoMoPaV Economics Meeting.</b> CA' FOSCARI UNIVERSITY OF VENICE. VENICE, ITALY. • Presenter.	2013
<b>XV indagine AlmaLaurea sulla condizione occupazionale dei laureati.</b> CA' FOSCARI UNIVERSITY OF VENICE. VENICE, ITALY. • Paper presented by Agar Brugiavini.	2013

**International winter school on inequality and social welfare theory: Long-term inequality - social cohesion and public policy.**

UNIVERSITY OF VERONA. ALBA DI CANAZEI, ITALY.

2013

- Presenter.

**Conference and 6th Workshop of the Social Choice Research Group (GRASS).**

LUISS UNIVERSITY. ROME, ITALY.

2012

- Presenter.

## Other Training

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**JRC Week on Composite Indicators and Scoreboards**

EUROPEAN COMMISSION, JOINT RESEARCH CENTRE - JRC, COMPETENCE CENTRE ON COMPOSITE INDICATORS AND SCOREBOARDS. ISPRA, ITALY.

2023

- Organizer and Presenter.

**JRC Week on Composite Indicators and Scoreboards**

EUROPEAN COMMISSION, JOINT RESEARCH CENTRE - JRC, COMPETENCE CENTRE ON COMPOSITE INDICATORS AND SCOREBOARDS. ISPRA, ITALY.

2021

- Organizer and Presenter.

**IT14 International Winter School on Inequality and Social Welfare Theory**

UNIVERSITY OF VERONA. ALBA DI CANAZEI, ITALY.

2020

- Participant.

**IT13 International Winter School on Inequality and Social Welfare Theory**

UNIVERSITY OF VERONA. ALBA DI CANAZEI, ITALY.

2019

- Participant.

**IT12 International Winter School on Inequality and Social Welfare Theory**

UNIVERSITY OF VERONA. ALBA DI CANAZEI, ITALY.

2017

- Participant.

**IT10 International Winter School on Inequality and Social Welfare Theory**

UNIVERSITY OF VERONA. ALBA DI CANAZEI, ITALY.

2015

- Participant.

**IT9 International Winter School on Inequality and Social Welfare Theory**

UNIVERSITY OF VERONA. ALBA DI CANAZEI, ITALY.

2014

- Participant.

**IT8 International Winter School on Inequality and Social Welfare Theory**

UNIVERSITY OF VERONA. ALBA DI CANAZEI, ITALY.

2013

- Participant.

**Assicurazione e Valutazione della qualita' interna**

FONDAZIONE CRUI. ROME, ITALY.

2012

- Participant.

**IT7 International Winter School on Inequality and Social Welfare Theory**

UNIVERSITY OF VERONA. ALBA DI CANAZEI, ITALY.

2012

- Participant.

## Summer School in International Politics

IBEI INSTITUTE. BARCELONA, SPAIN.

2010

- Participant.
- Courses: The Political Economy of Development (Daniel Posner - University of California); Explaining Ethno-nationalist Civil Wars (Lars-Erik Cederman - Swiss Federal Institute of Technology, Zurich).

## Professional Development

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### CONFERENCE ORGANIZATION

Loneliness in the European Union: Policies at work, June 2023. Brussels, Belgium.

### PEER REVIEW

Journal of Population Economics; Health Policy; Social Science and Medicine - Population Health; Socio-Economic Planning Sciences; Experimental Economics; Journal of Peace Research; Defence and Peace Economics; Economics Bulletin; International Journal of Hygiene and Environmental Health.

### PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

Global Labor Organization (GLO); CF Applied Economics, Center for Analysis and Research in Applied Economics, Ca' Foscari University of Venice; ST Skills Together, innovative and non-profit start-up aimed to support Educational and Training Institutions; Students and Employers.

### PARTICIPATION IN RESEARCH GROUPS

#### **Multilevel management of irregular migration and return in the EU: new insights and data.**

EUROPEAN COMMISSION

2023

- Project mapping practices to deal with irregularly staying migrants and investigating the data production across levels of government.

#### **European Parliament Pilot Project on Loneliness**

EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND DIRECTORATE GENERAL FOR EMPLOYMENT, SOCIAL AFFAIRS AND

2022

INCLUSION

- Pilot Project to develop a better understanding of different aspects of loneliness, including a wide range of individual, social, and contextual factors; data collection through an innovative EU-wide survey; and mapping of policy interventions.

#### **Multidimensional Inequality Monitoring Framework for the European Union (EU MIMF)**

EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND EUROPEAN COMMISSION

2021

- Pilot Project to develop a novel multidimensional framework of indicators for the analysis of inequalities within and across EU Member States and regions, by means of survey and administrative data; including inequality of opportunities and inter-generational mobility.

### LANGUAGES

**Italian** Mastery level C2

**English** Mastery level C2

**Slovene** Very advanced level C1

**Spanish** Upper elementary level A1-A2

**German** Upper elementary level A1-A2

**Croatian** Mother Tongue