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ACADEMIC POSITIONS AND AFFILIATIONS

Assistant Professor of Economics, Northwestern University (2021-present)
Faculty Research Fellow, National Bureau of Economic Research (2022-present)
Institute for Policy Research, Faculty Fellow (2021-present)
University of Chicago Booth Stigler Center Affiliate Fellow (2023-present)

EDUCATION

Ph.D., Economics, Boston University, Boston MA, September 2021
Dissertation Title: *Three Essays in Applied Microeconomics*
Dissertation Committee: Raymond Fisman, M. Daniele Paserman, Johannes Schmieder
Visiting PhD Student, University of Chicago, Booth School of Business, 2019-2020
M.Sc., European Economy and Business Law, (*Summa Cum Laude*), Univ. of Rome Tor Vergata, 2015
B.S., Political Science (*Summa Cum Laude*), University of Roma Tre, 2013
Visiting Student (Erasmus Program), Université Paris 1 Panthéon Sorbonne, 2012-2013

PUBLICATIONS

- “Rules, Discretion and Corruption in Procurement: Evidence from Italian Government Contracting,” (w. Francesco Decarolis, Raymond Fisman and Paolo Pinotti), 2019, *forthcoming*, *Journal of Political Economy: Microeconomics*.
- “Social Preferences in Larger Groups: Keeping up with the Joneses and Keeping Track of the Tails,” (w. Raymond Fisman and Ilyana Kuziemko), *Journal of the European Economic Association*, (2020)
- “Gender and Bureaucratic Corruption: Evidence from Two Countries,” (w. Francesco Decarolis, Raymond Fisman, Paolo Pinotti and Yongxiang Wang), *Journal of Law, Economics and Organization* (March 2022).
- “The Distributional Preferences of Americans, 2013-2016,” (w. Raymond Fisman, Pamela Jakiela and Shachar Kariv), *Experimental Economics* (forthcoming, 2023).
- “Bringing Them in or Pushing Them Out? The Labor Market Effects of Pro-cyclical Changes in Unemployment Assistance,” (w. Gerard Domènech-Arúmf), 2022, Accepted, *Review of Economics and Statistics*.

WORKING PAPERS

- “From Lapdogs to Watchdogs: Random Auditor Assignment and Municipal Fiscal Performance” 2022, *Submitted*.
- “The Political Economy of Stimulus Transfers in Italy,” 2023.
- “Back to Black? The Impact of Regularizing Migrant Workers” (w. Edoardo Di Porto, Enrica Martino, and Paolo Naticchioni) 2022.

June 2023

“Government Audits” (w. Jetson Leder-Luis and Martina Cuneo), 2023.

SELECTED WORK IN PROGRESS

“Immigrants Legalization and Firms: Evidence from the 2007 EU enlargement” (w. Vittoria Dicandia)
Visitinps Fellowship Program

“The Economic Effects of Public Hiring Constraints” (w. Maria Carreri, Edoardo Di Porto, Carlo Medici and Edoardo Teso)
Visitinps Fellowship Program

“Do Gender Quotas Improve Female Labor Market Outcomes?” (w. Edoardo Maria Acabbi and Enrico Rubolino)
Visitinps Fellowship Program

“The Causes and Consequences of Physician Shortages” (w. Giovanni Pisauro)

“The Political Economy of the Racial Housing Gap: Evidence from Chicago's Alderman Prerogative?”
(w. Milena Almagro, Tyler Jacobson, Fern Ramoutar)

PRESENTATIONS

Mannheim Taxation Conference, University of Chicago, Bank of Italy, Northwestern Institute for Policy Research, London School of Economics, University of Michigan (Fall 2023)
Stanford GSB, UC Santa Barbara, Organizational and Political Economics Conference, UC3M, Cemfi, University of Illinois Urbana Champaign, Chicago Booth (Spring 2023)
HEC Montreal, Texas A&M, Brown University, U-Wisconsin Madison, CU Boulder, Universidad del Rosario, NBER Political Economy Fall Meeting (Fall 2022)
NBER Summer Institute 2022, Barcelona GSE Summer Forum 2022, IBEO Workshop of Political Economy, China International Finance Conference (Summer 2022)
UCLA Anderson, Columbia Business School, USC Marshall, Washington Political Economy Conference, NBER Political Economy Spring Meeting (Spring 2022)
NBER Public Economics Fall Meeting (“New Frontiers” discussion, Fall 2021)
Global Initiative for Fiscal Transparency (November 2021)
Bank of Italy, Berkeley Haas, CEMFI, Collegio Carlo Alberto, CSEF-Naples, LMU Munich, New Economic School, Northwestern University, PSE, SciencePo, Stockholm University, Stockholm School of Economics, University of Rome Tor Vergata, University of Mannheim, UQAM, University of Southern California (January-February 2021)
TOBIN Project, Inequality and Decision Making Graduate Student Workshop (Discussant, October 2020)
Harvard University, Department of Government (November 2020)
Northwestern University – Kellogg School of Business, Development Lunch Seminar (May 2020)
University of Chicago, Harris School of Policy – Political Economy in the Chicago Area (March 2020)
Harvard University, Department of Government - Graduate Lunch Seminar (December 2019)
University of Chicago, Harris School of Policy - Political Economy Lunch Seminar (November 2019)
EALE 2019, European Association of Labor Economists (Uppsala, September 2019)
ECINEQ 2019, Society for Economic Inequality (Paris, July 2019);
SIOE 2019, Society for Institutional & Organizational Economics (Stockholm, June 2019)
IEB (Institut Economia Barcelona) 8th Workshop on Political Economy (June 2019)
TOBIN Project, Inequality and Decision Making Conference (April 2019)
Bank of Italy, Public Finance Division Workshop (Rome, December 2018)
World Bank - Bank of Italy Conference - Building Human Capital for the 21st Century (Rome, 2018);

FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS

Northwestern Faculty Support Grant (40000\$), 2023
IPR Seed Grant (5000\$), 2022
NBER Faculty Research Fellow, 2022-present
Northwestern Weinberg College Fellow, 2021-2022
Northwestern Institute for Policy Research Fellow, 2021-present
Manuel Abdala Gift Research Grant (5000\$), Boston University, 2020
Graduate Research Abroad Fellowship, Boston University, 2020
Graduate Research Abroad Fellowship, Boston University, 2019
Visiting Fellowship, Italian Social Security Agency, 2019
Research Fellowship, Italian Institute for Public Policy Evaluation (INAPP), 2018-2019
Summer Research Award, Boston University, 2018
Bank of Italy Summer Fellowship, 2017
Dean's Student Fellowship, Boston University, 2015
Institute for New Economic Thinking (INET) Summer School Fellowship, 2015
European Union Erasmus Fellowship - Paris 1 University Pantheon-Sorbonne, 2012-2013

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

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American Economic Review, Journal of Political Economy, Quarterly Journal of Economics, Review of Economic Studies, Journal of the European Economic Association, Journal of Political Economy: Microeconomics, American Economic Journal: Applied Economics, American Economic Review: Insights, American Economic Journal: Economic Policy, Review of Economics and Statistics, Journal of Public Economics, Journal of Urban Economics, Journal of Development Economics, Journal of International Economics, Quantitative Economics, National Tax Journal, Journal of Law, Economics and Organization, European Economic Review, Economica, European Journal of Political Economy, Economica, Journal of Economic Inequality, Social Science Research

CONFERENCE COMMITTEES

European Economic Association, 2023, Conference, Program Committee
Barcelona GSE Summer Forum, Public Economics, 2023 Conference, Program Committee
Society for Institutional & Organizational Economics (SIOE) 2022 Conference, Program Committee
International Institute for Public Finance (IIPF) 2022 Annual Congress, Scientific Committee
Women In Economics: Research, Ideas, Solutions, Executions (WeRise) Conference, Organizer, Boston University, Summer 2019

DEPARTMENTAL SERVICE

Undergraduate Thesis Advising and Orientation, Northwestern University, 2021-present
Women In Economics (WeOrg), Boston University, Co-Chair, 2017-2019
Graduate Economics Association, Boston University, Officer, 2017-2018

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Public Economics (Graduate), Northwestern University, Fall 2022-ongoing
Economics of State and Local Governments (Undergraduate), Northwestern University, Spring 2022-ongoing
Modern Difference-in-Differences Designs, ICPSR, Teaching Assistant, Summer 2020
Economics of the Public Sector (Undergraduate), Teaching Fellow, Boston University, Fall 2016
Markets and Development Economics (Undergraduate), Teaching Fellow, Boston University, Fall 2016

LANGUAGES: Italian (native), English (fluent), French (intermediate), Spanish (beginner).

CITIZENSHIP/VISA STATUS: Italian/H1B

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