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Personal information

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Education

- 01/2011 - 06/2014 PhD in Economics and quantitative methods
Department of Economics, Roma Tre University
“The EU Cohesion Policy: Factors conditioning economic growth and impact evaluation”
Supervisors: Proff. R. Crescenzi, F. De Filippis, G. Fabiani
Examiners: Proff. R. Esposti, A. Giunta, A. Rodriguez-Pose
Thesis Defence performance: Excellent
- 06/2011 - 09/2011 Summer School
Centro Interuniversitario di Econometria (CIDE), Bertinoro
“Policy Evaluation: from Reduced Form to Structural Form Analysis”
- 06/2012 Summer School
European Regional Science Association (ERSA), Umea
“Fiscal federalism, mobility and policy evaluation”
- 06/2011 - 09/2011 Summer School
Centro Interuniversitario di Econometria (CIDE), Bertinoro
“Time Series and Panel data Econometrics”
- 09/2007 - 04/2010 MSc Development and Environmental Economics, 110 cum laude
Roma Tre University, Rome (Italy)
- 09/2004 - 09/2007 BSc Political Science, 110 cum laude
Roma Tre University, Rome (Italy)

Academics

2014 TO DATE	Contract Lecturer in Urban and Regional Economics. Master Course, Department of Economics, Roma Tre University
02/2014 TO DATE	Post-Doctoral Research Fellow, Department of Economics and Manlio Rossi-Doria Centre, Roma Tre University
2015-2016	Contract Lecturer in Impact Evaluation Techniques for Policy Analysis.PhD Course, La Sapienza and Roma Tre University
2014-2015	Master Supervision: Alessandro Fessina, Urban and Regional Economics, Roma Tre University
2014-2015	Teaching Assistant, Undergraduate and Graduate Courses, Roma Tre University
01/2015 - 06/2015	Research Assistant, Istituto Nazionale Economia Agraria (CRA-INEA) and Roma Tre University “Implementation of the first pillar of the CAP 2014-2020 in the EU Member States” commissioned by the EU Parliament
2013-2015	Research Assistant, Spatial Economic Research Centre (SERC), London School of Economics and Political Science
09/2011 - 04/2013	Visiting Researcher, Department of Geography and Environment, London School of Economics and Political Science (LSE)
01/2011 - 06/2011	Research Assistant, Istituto Nazionale Economia Agraria (INEA) and Roma Tre University “The CAP in the EU Budget: an analysis about possible scenarios for EU policies after 2013” commissioned by the EU Parliament
09/2010 - 07/2011	Research Assistant, Centro per lo Studio di Roma (CROMA) Roma Tre University “Atlas of enterprises in the province of Rome”

Others

07/2013 TO DATE	Economist and statistician, OpenCoesione Governmental Department for Cohesion Policies
04/2013 - 07/2013	Trainee, Local Economic and Employment Development, OECD, Trento

Presentations

06/2016	7th EU Evaluation Conference, Sofia
05/2016	2016 SERC Conference, LSE, London
03/2016	SVIMEZ: Le politiche di coesione in Europa (invited presentation), Rome
10/2015	2015 University Master Class, Brussels
08/2015	2015 ERSA Congress, University of Lisbon, Lisboa
02/2015	Challenges for the New Cohesion Policy in 2014-2020: An Academic and Policy Debate, Riga, Latvia
11/2014	2014 NARSC Conference, Washington DC
10/2014	2014 University Master Class, Brussels
09/2014	2014 AISRe annual Conference, Padova
06/2014	2014 RSA workshop on the evaluations of the EU Cohesion Policy, Prague
08/2013	2013 ERSA Congress, University of Palermo, Palermo
05/2013	2013 SERC Conference, LSE, London
02/2013	Working Paper Presentation Economic Geography PhD Programme London School of Economics, London
09/2012	CIDE - Italian Econometrics Centre, Bertinoro
07/2012	ERSA Summer School- University of Umea, Umea

Grants

2014-2016	Postdoc Research Fellowship 2014/2015, Roma Tre University, Rome
2011-2014	PhD Full Scholarship 2011/2014, Roma Tre University, Rome

Awards

06/2016	EU Commission Best Evaluation Proposals on the effectiveness of operations co-financed by Structural or Cohesion Funds
02/2015	Challenges for the New Cohesion Policy in 2014-2020: An Academic and

Policy Debate: Best conference paper
08/2014 ERSA Epainos Awards for Young Regional Scientists: 2013 Runners up
09/2008 QUAS Best BSc Thesis Award

Referee for

Small Business Economics
QA - Rivista dell'Associazione Rossi-Doria
Transportation Research Part A: Policy and Practice
Croatian Economic Survey
Journal of Transport Geography

Languages and Skills

LANGUAGES English (fluent), French (good), Spanish (good)
COMPUTER SKILLS Stata, SAS, ArcGIS, GeoDa, L^AT_EX, Office

Papers

Politiche di Coesione e PAC. Una rassegna del dibattito corrente.
QA - Rivista dell'Associazione Rossi-Doria, n. 4/2014
Spatial discontinuity for the impact assessment of the EU Regional policy. The case of the Italian Objective 1 regions. Accepted for publication
Journal of Regional Science, March 2016
The EU Cohesion policy in context: does a bottom-up approach work in all regions? (with R. Crescenzi). *Environment and Planning A*, DOI: 10.1177/0308518X16658291, 2016

Book Chapters

Different approaches to the analysis of the EU Cohesion Policy. Leveraging complementarities for evidence-based policy learning. In: Bachtler J., Berkowitz P., Hardy S. and Muravska T. (eds) *EU Cohesion Policy Reassessing performance and direction*. Routledge, 2017.

Working Papers

The EU Cohesion policy in context: regional growth and the influence of agricultural and rural development policies (with R. Crescenzi). *LSE Europe in Question Discussion Paper Series*, n. 85, December 2014
How does the net impact of the EU Cohesion Policy differ across countries? (with R. Crescenzi). *Best Paper at the Conference "Challenges for the New Cohesion Policy in 2014-2020: An Academic and Policy Debate"*, Riga, February 2015