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## Academic Positions

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2024-2026, LSE, London	Postdoctoral Fellowship, Department of Government
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## Education

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2020-2024, EUI, Florence	PhD in Social and Political Sciences Supervisors: Prof. Elias Dinas and Prof. Arnout van de Rijt Italian National Authority Grant
01/2023-06/2023, Stanford	Fulbright Schuman Visiting Researcher Department of Political Science Supervisor: Prof. Vicky Fouka
2018-2020, University of Oxford	MPhil in Politics: European Politics and Society Supervisor: Dr. Spyros Kosmidis Final result: Distinction Thesis: "Who is afraid of the EU? European supra-nationalisation and identity threat"
2013-2017, University of Bath	BSc Politics and International Relations with Placement Final result: Distinction Thesis: 'With or Without EU': Podemos' Mobilisation of Euroscepticism in Spain after the crisis"

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## Published work

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- Reviews: "[On Populist Reason](#)" (166-169); "[Agonistics: Thinking the World Politically](#)" (170-173), in *Un liberalismo per il XXI secolo: le sfide della contemporaneità*, Centro Einuadi, 2019

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## Submitted Papers

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- Clemente, Anna. *Caring about inequality: Income shocks and changes in meritocratic beliefs*. Presented at EPSA 2022, APSA 2022 (under review)
- Clemente Anna, Handzlik, Dakota, Jones, Jason, and Skiena, Steven. "*Identities are increasingly political: evidence from 30 countries*" (under review)
- Escoffier, Simon, Disi Pavlic, Rodolfo, and Clemente Anna. "*Uncivil mobilization or countermobilization? Explaining anti-rights collective action in Chile*", Presented at EPSA 2021

## Working Papers

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- Clemente, Anna, and Formisano, Giuliano. "*Mind the Brick: Proximity to Inequality and Support for Redistribution*", Presented at EPSA 2023, PEEP 2023, APSA 2023)
- Clemente, Anna. "*The hegemony of meritocracy? Testing preferences for competing egalitarian and meritocratic narratives*", Presented at EPSA 2023

## Work in Progress

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- Clemente, Anna, and Abbiati, Simone. "*Unequal but fair: understanding meritocratic rhetoric over the last 100 years*", invited at APSA 2024

## Teaching Experience

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- Teacher, GV101 (Introduction to Political Science) seminars at LSE, 2024-2025
- Lecturer, block seminar "Politics and Inequality" (course designed by myself). Heinrich Heine University Düsseldorf, 30th June-8th July 2023.
- Italian and English teacher, Language Link Moscow, September 2017 - February 2018

## Conferences

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- "*Mind the Brick: Proximity to Inequality and Support for Redistribution*", co-authored with Giuliano Formisano. EPSA (June, 23); PEEP (August 23); APSA (August, 23); In\_Equality (April, 24)
- "*The hegemony of meritocracy? Testing preferences for competing egalitarian and meritocratic narratives*", EPSA (June, 2023);
- "*Learning the hard way? Income shocks and changes in meritocratic beliefs*". Graduate Institute of International Studies Workshop (December, 2021); EPSA (June, 2022); APSA (September, 2022), ECR "Effort and Social Inequality" Conference (Madrid, June 2023);
- "*Are we all in this together? Using transfer learning to study changes in redistribution attitudes during COVID-19*" (co-authored with G. Formisano), European Graduate Network Conference (April, 2022); CEU Annual Doctoral Conference (April, 2022); EPSA (June, 2022); Civica Data Science Days (October, 2022)
- "*Uncivil mobilization or countermobilization? Explaining anti-rights collective action in Chile*", (with S. Escoffier and R. Disi Pavlic), MPSA (May, 2021); EPSA (July, 2021);
- "*Who is afraid of the EU? European supra-nationalisation and identity threat*", UACES (September 2020);
- "*On Laclau's Populist Reason*", Europaeum's Imshausen International Graduate Workshop, (Mannheim, April, 2019).

### • **Presentations (non-academic):**

- “The Italian experience with the cooperation measure under RDP”. Report presented at the Copa-Cogeca (Committee of Professional Agricultural Organisations and Agricultural Cooperatives), Bruxelles, 2021.
- *Ci Pensiamo Noi*, presentation at the panel “Verso la legge di bilancio 2022. Quali misure contro il disagio giovanile?”, organised by the parliamentary intergroup for intergenerational equality at the pressroom of the Chamber of Deputies, Rome, 2021.

## **Non Academic Work**

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- “La Nostra Generazione” (chapter 10), in Tortuga, 2020, *Ci Pensiamo Noi*, Milan: Egea, pp. 155-165

## **Awards**

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- Fulbright Schuman Grant for a visiting exchange to Stanford University, 2022
- Early Career Researcher’s grant, Social and Political Sciences Department, EUI, 2020; 2022; 2023
- Italian national authority grant for the European University Institute PhD Program, 2020-2023
- Comparative Time Sharing Experiment, Centre for Experimental Social Sciences, Nuffield, Oxford, 2019
- Green Templeton College Nautilus Award for outstanding contributions to College Citizenship, 2019

## **Research Experience**

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**Associate at policy think-tank Tortuga Econ** (<http://tortugaecon.eu>) **May 2018 - May 2024**

- Researched, edited and wrote articles, reports, briefings and a book chapter.

**Research Assistant for ICHEM** **Chile (telecommuting), July 2020 - September, 2020**

- Literature review of the causes of far right mobilisation for a forthcoming article on radical conservative movements in Chile (co-authored with Prof. Escoffier and Prof. Disi Pavlic)

**Research Assistant for SCHOOLPOL** **Oxford, July 2019 - October, 2020**

- Collected and coded data regarding the Italian education system from 1945 till the present (P.I.: Dr Jane Gingrich); future redaction of the descriptive analysis in a chapter for the monograph.

## **Core Competencies**

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- **Language skills:** Italian (Mother tongue); English (Proficient); Spanish; Russian.
- **IT skills:** proficient in MS Office (Word, PowerPoint, Excel, Outlook, Publisher), good working knowledge of R, Stata and Qualtrics; familiar with NVivo; basic Python knowledge.

- **Communication skills:** moderated panels and discussions; presented and taught in different languages; wrote and reviewed briefings, memos, translations, articles and opinion pieces

### **Academic and community service**

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<b>Convenor of the Political Behaviour Colloquium</b>	<b>Florence, September 2021 - July 2022</b>
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<b>City Councillor Candidate and Campaign Volunteer</b>	<b>Udine, February - April 2018</b>
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