

PERSONAL INFORMATION

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🗨 [Enrollment in the Register of Psychologists in Trento N° 1342 dated 19/07/2023](#)

WORK EXPERIENCE

02/2024 – Current Research Fellow

University of Trento, Department of Psychology and Cognitive Science
Corso Bettini 31, 38068, Rovereto, Italy

Project title *'Loneliness, non-cognitive skills, and academic achievement in Junior High School: Assessment and intervention based on Big Data, longitudinal, and intensive method'*

04/2023 – 08/2023 Research Fellow

University of Trento, Department of Psychology and Cognitive Science
Corso Bettini 31, 38068, Rovereto, Italy

Project titled *'Learning and Emotions'*

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

09/2023 – 12/2023 Teaching Support

University of Trento, Department of Psychology and Cognitive Science
Corso Bettini 31, 38068, Rovereto, Italy
Mathematical methods for cognitive science [150175]

INTERNSHIP

02/2024 – Current Internship in Psychotherapy

Azienda Provinciale per i Servizi Sanitari (APSS), Child Neuropsychiatry
Corso Vicenza, 9, 38051 Borgo Valsugana, Italy
Total hours: 200

10/2022 – 04/2023 Internship Post-lauream

I am conducting my internship at a private psychologist's studio in Via F. Crispi 15/A Bolzano 39100 (BZ) and, as a guest, at the University of Trento, Department of Psychology and Cognitive Science
Total hours: 750

07/2021 – 10/2022 Master Thesis Student

University of Trento, Department of Psychology and Cognitive Science
Corso Bettini 31, 38068, Rovereto, Italy

Title of Thesis: "Emotions and Moral Transgressions: Analysis of Facial Expressions and the Cardiovascular Response in Autism"

Advisor: Laura Franchin

07/2021 – 09/2022 **Internship Pre-lauream**
 University of Trento, Department of Psychology and Cognitive Science
 Corso Bettini 31, 38068, Rovereto , Italy
Title internship: "Laboratory Experiences in Developmental Psychology"at the Baby Lab
Total hours: 350

04/2019 – 10/2019 **Internship Post-lauream**
 University of Trento, Department of Psychology and Cognitive Science
 Corso Bettini 31, 38068, Rovereto , Italy
Title internship: "Emotions and moral transgressions in adults"
Total hours: 500

10/2017 – 02/2019 **Internship Pre-lauream**
 University of Trento, Department of Psychology and Cognitive Science
 Corso Bettini 31, 38068, Rovereto , Italy
 Internship carried out at the Department of Psychology and Cognitive Science Baby Lab.
Total hours: 250

EDUCATION

2024 – Current **Specializing in Psychotherapy, Cognitive Behavioral Psychotherapy**
 Studi Cognitivi - Bolzano, Italy

2019 – 2022 **Master's Degree in Psychology LM - 51**
 University of Trento - Department of Psychology and Cognitive Science
 Corso Bettini, 84, 3868, Rovereto , Italy
 Grade: 108/110

2015 – 2018 **Bachelor's Degree in Science and Technology of Cognitive Psychology L-24**
 University of Trento - Department of Psychology and Cognitive Science
 Corso Bettini, 84, 3868, Rovereto , Italy

2010 – 2015 **Diploma in Economics - Administration, Finance, and Marketing**
Istituto Tecnico Economico - Amministrazione, Finanza e Marketing
 Istituto Comprensivo di Scuola Primaria e Secondaria di Primiero
 Address: "Istituto di Via delle Fonti 10 - Transacqua, 38054, Primiero San Martino di Castrozza

PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION

4-5 May 2024 **Assessment and initial management of eating disorders (ED)**
 Studi Cognitivi - Bolzano, Italy
Total hours: 16

14 April 2024 **Guidelines for therapy with LGBTQIA+ people**
 Studi Cognitivi - Bolzano, Italy
Total hours: 8

4 April 2024 **Communication in psycho-oncological context**
 University of Trento - Department of Psychology and Cognitive Science; Società Italiana di Psico-Oncologica (SIPO)
Total hours: 8

16-17 March 2024 **CBT Essentials e CBT Core Anxiety and Depression**

Studi Cognitivi - Bolzano, Italy

Total hours: 1623-24-25 February 2024 **Behavioral Therapy Techniques**

Studi Cognitivi - Bolzano, Italy

Total hours: 241 August 2023 **Diagnosis of Specific Learning Disorders**

Centro Studi Erickson - Trento, Italy

Total hours: 25

PERSONAL SKILLS

Mother tongue Italian

Other languages

	UNDERSTANDING		SPEAKING		WRITING
	Listening	Reading	Spoken interaction	Spoken production	
English	B1	B1	B1	B1	B1

Driving licence B

Digital skills

- **Microsoft office:** Excellent knowledge of the whole Microsoft Office package, in particular Excel.
- **Programming** Good knowledge of Python, MATLAB, R and writing with LaTeX.
- **Research** Excellent knowledge of Tobii Studio and Tobii Pro Lab software. Good knowledge of Face Reader software
- **Certifications** European Computer Driving Licence (ECDL)

AWARDS

2023 **Study award Cassa Rurale Dolomiti - Credito cooperativo italiano**

Amount awarded: € 650

PUBLICATIONS

- [3] Decarli, G., Zasso, S., & Franchin, L. (2025). Could the impact of emotional states on learning in children vary with task difficulty? *Journal of Experimental Child Psychology*, 106122.
- [2] Decarli, G., Vitali, F., Zasso, S., & Franchin, L. (2024). The power of coaches' emotions: A case study on how coaches' facial expressions impact performance of young female synchronized ice-skaters *Psychology of Sport and Exercise*, 102651.
- [1] Zasso, S., Decarli, G., Vitali, F., & Franchin, L. (2023). L'influenza delle emozioni positive e negative degli allenatori sullo stato emotivo e sulla prestazione di giovani tennisti. *Giornale italiano di psicologia*, 50(2), 321-336.

PRESENTATIONS

- [3] Zasso, S., Sette, S., Pisanu, F., Fraccaroli, F., & Perinelli, E. (2024, September 25-28). Links between Loneliness, Math Anxiety, and Academic Achievement in 15-Year-Old Adolescents: A Cross-National Latent Variable Analysis Using PISA 2022 [Oral presentation]. XIX EARA CONFERENCE 2024 - European Association for Research on Adolescence, Limassol, (Cyprus).

- [2] Zasso, S., Sette, S., Pisanu, F., Fraccaroli, F., & Perinelli, E. (2024, JUNE 3-6). The Mediatonal Role of Math Anxiety in the Link Between Loneliness and Math Achievement: An Analysis using PISA 2022 [Oral presentation]. Third International Conference of the journal "Scuola Democratica" education and/or social justice, Cagliari (Italy) .

- [1] Zasso, S., Franchin, L., Corazza G.E., & Agnoli, S. (2023, September 11-13). Distracted by words: the roles of irrelevance processing and openness on creative performance [Conference oral presentation abstract]. The 7th Marconi Institute for Creativity (MIC) Conference 2023 Trieste (Italy) .