# Tommaso Crosta

#### Publications and Work in Progress

 Unconditional Cash Transfers: A Bayesian Meta-Analysis of Randomized Evaluations in Low and Middle Income Countries.

(NBER Working Paper) with Dean Karlan, Finley Ong, Julius Rüschenpöhler & Christopher R. Udry NBER Working Paper No. 32779

- Promoting Entrepreneurship Among Migrants and Host Populations in Colombia

(Forthcoming)
with Dean Karlan & Martin Valdivia
AEA RCT Registry #14572

## Research and Field Experience

Jul – Aug Principal Investigator in Colombia for "Promoting Entrepreneurship 2024 Among Migrants and Host Populations in Colombia", In collaboration with

IPA Colombia

Developing novel survey instrument to elicit individuals probabilistic expectations of own treatment effects.

Jul – Aug **Field Analyst in Uganda**, Northwestern University – Global Poverty Research Lab

 $2023\,$  in collaboration with AVSI, For Professor Dean Karlan, SMILE project based in Nachivale Refugee Camp

Developing survey instrument to investigate effectiveness and functioning of VSLAs

Sept 2022 - Research Analyst, Northwestern University - Global Poverty Research Lab

July 2023

Sept 2021 - Research Analyst, University Bocconi

July 2022 For Prof. Guido Tabellini

Feb 2021 – Research Analyst, University Bocconi

July 2021 For Prof. Nicola Gennaioli

Apr 2020 - Visiting Student, IGIER, University Bocconi

present Mentors: Prof. Nicola Gennaioli, Prof. Pierpaolo Battigalli

## Teaching

Jan – Mar Teaching Assistant, Microeconomics III - PhD

2025 Prof. Marco Ottaviani

#### Education

Sept 2023 – **PhD Student**, Bocconi University present

Sept 2019 - MSc in Economics and Social Sciences, University Luigi Bocconi, Milano, Italy

Apr 2022 110/110 cum laude

PhD courses: Real Analysis I (Measure Theory), Probability I, Reading Group on ML

Thesis: Memory, Emotions and Poverty

Feb – June Exchange Semester, University of Saint Andrews, Scotland, UK

2019

Sept 2016 – Bachelor in Economics and Social Sciences, University Luigi Bocconi, Milano,

Feb 2019 Italy

110/110

Thesis: A Tale of Taxes and Transfers: an Analysis of the Redistributive Effect of Fiscal

Systems in OECD Countries

Sept 2010 – Classical High School Diploma, Giuseppe Parini Classical High School, Milano

June 2016 Expanded curriculum in Ancient Greek, Latin, and Philosophy

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## Languages

English C2 level (IELTS) – Native Speaker Level

German B1 level

Spanish B1 level

#### IT Skills

Office ECDL certified, advanced in PowerPoint, Word, LaTeX

Statistical Stata, R, Stan - Advanced

Other Matlab, Python - Practical