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CURRENT POSITION

Lecturer in Demography

Department of Sociology and Leverhulme Centre for Demographic Science, University of Oxford

2022 – Present

Oxford, UK

EDUCATION

University of Southampton

PhD in Social Statistics and Demography

Southampton, UK

2017 – 2022

Max Planck Institute for Demographic Research - Sapienza Università di Roma

European Doctoral School of Demography

Rome, IT

2016 – 2017

Stockholm University

Master in Demography

Stockholm, SE

2014 – 2016

Università degli Studi di Padova

Bachelor in Statistical Science, Economics and Finance

Padova, IT

2010 – 2014

OTHER AFFILIATIONS

Nuffield College

Non-Stipendiary Research Fellow

Oxford, UK

2020 – Present

Max Planck Institute for Demographic Research

Doctoral Fellow/Guest Researcher

Rostock, DE

2017 – Present

Centre for Population Change

PhD Student/Guest Researcher

Southampton, UK

2017 – Present

RESEARCH VISIT

Max Planck Institute for Demographic Research

Visit in the Digital and Computational Laboratory

January/February 2020

Rostock, DE

EXPERIENCE

Career Development Fellow in Marketing and Consumer Demography

Saïd Business School and Leverhulme Centre for Demographic Science, University of Oxford

2020 – 2022

Oxford, UK

Internship - Vienna Institute of Demography

Supervised by Maria Rita Testa

September/November 2015

Vienna, AT

Internship - Unione delle Camere di Commercio del Veneto

Supervised by Luigi Fabbri and Serafino Pitingaro

April/August 2014

Venice, IT

Exchange student in China at the Guangzhou University

Scholarship from the Università degli Studi di Padova

March/July 2013

Guangzhou, CN

ADDITIONAL TRAINING

2019

- *Boosting your tidyverse productivity*, Southampton, UK (With Hadley Wickham - RStudio)
- *Bayesian Demography Summer School*, Como, Italy (With Adrian Raftery and Hana Sevciková)

2018

- *Summer Institute in Computational Social Science*, Duke University, North Carolina (Scholarship covering all costs from the Russell Sage Foundation)

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Steering Committee

2020 - 2021

Member for the European Association of Population Studies PhD Student Network

Social Media Manager

2017 - 2020

Department of Statistics and Demography, University of Southampton

Southampton, UK

TEACHING

Marketing Tutorial

2021-2022

University of Oxford

Oxford, UK

Summer Institute for Computational Social Science (SICSS) Co-Organiser

2021- Present

University of Oxford

Oxford, UK

Teaching Assistant

2017 – 2020

University of Southampton

Southampton, UK

- Demographic Methods 2 with Jakub Bijak (Masters)
- Demographic Methods 1 with Allan Hill (Masters)
- Population and Society with Agnese Vitali (Undergraduate)

Tutor

2017

Population Association of America

Chicago, USA

- Training Workshop on Social Media and Demography

CONFERENCES

2022

- American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Los Angeles, USA
- European Population Conference, Groningen, NL

2021

- Annual IMISCOE (International Migration Research Network) Conference, *online*
- Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, *online*

2020

- International Conference of Computational Social Science (IC²S²), Amherst St. Cambridge, USA
- European Population Conference, Padova, Italy (cancelled due to COVID-19)

2019

- British Society of Population Studies Conference, Cardiff, UK
- Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, Austin, USA
- Giornate Italiane della Popolazione (PopDays), Milan, Italy

2018

- British Society of Population Studies Conference, Winchester, UK
- European Population Conference, Brussels, Belgium
- Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, Denver, USA
- NatCen Social Research (SRA/#NSMNSS) Conference: Answering social science questions with social media data, London, UK

2017

- PopFest Conference, Stockholm, Sweden
- Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, Chicago, USA
- Giornate Italiane della Popolazione (PopDays), Florence, Italy

INVITED TALKS

2022

- Lecture on ‘online survey’ for undergraduate students in the Statistics’s course of professor Silvia Meggiolaro and Manuela Scioni at the *Università degli Studi di Padova*, online
- Talk at the “Big Data and Forced Migration” conference at Georgetown University, USA
- Seminar at the Université Catholique de Louvain, Belgium
- Seminar Series on “Statistics and Demography for Migration Studies” at the University of Palermo, Italy
- SOFI Seminar Series at Stockholm University, Sweden
- GenPop Seminar Series at the University of Bologna, Italy

2021

- Lecture on migration estimates for master students in the Statistics’s course of professor Marco Tosi and Irene Barbiera at the *Università degli Studi di Padova*, online
- 50th edition of the Scientific Meeting of the Italian Statistical Society *Università di Pisa*, online
- Lecture on ‘online survey’ for undergraduate students in the Statistics’s course of professor Silvia Meggiolaro and Manuela Scioni at the *Università degli Studi di Padova*, online

2020

- Lecture on ‘digital demography’ for undergraduate students in the Demography’s course of professor Annalisa Busetta at the *Università degli Studi di Palermo*, online
- Summer Institute in Computational Social Science Festival 2020, Panel discussion on digital and computational demography, online

2019

- Population and Health Research Group seminar series at the University of St. Andrews, St Andrews, UK
- SocInfo Workshop “Computational Methods and Data Sources for Migration Research in the Digital Era”, Doha, QA
- Summer Institute in Computational in Computational Social Science, Oxford, UK

2018

- European Research Council Workshop: Uncertainty and Complexity of Migration, London, UK
- First Symposium of Digital Demography, Max Planck Institute for Demographic Research, Rostock, DE
- European Research Council Workshop: Discontinuities in Household and Family Formation, Oxford, UK

REFeree ACTIVITY

Ageing and Society, Central and Eastern European Migration Review, Demographic Research, Demography, Globalization and Health, Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies, Population and Environment, Population Studies, Socinfo 2020.

GRANT AND SCHOLARSHIP

Saïd Business School Development Fund

MammaPack Project

2022

Oxford, UK

- Received £6,700 for hiring a Research Assistant.

Russell Sage Foundation, Alfred P. Sloan Foundation

Summer Institute Computational Social Science

2018

Durham, USA

- Received \$8,946 for the “Using Facebook and Instagram Platforms to Collect Information on Demographics in Africa” project.

ESRC Advanced Quantitative Methods +3 PhD Scholarship

South Coast Doctoral Training Partnership

2017

Southampton, UK

AWARDS

Best Poster Award

Population Association of America

2021

Online

Runner-Up

Doctoral College Research Award - University of Southampton

2021

Online

PUBLICATIONS

Peer-Reviewed

Rampazzo, F., Bijak, J., Vitali, A., Weber, I. Zagheni, E. (2021), “*A Framework for Estimating Migrant Stocks Using Digital Traces and Survey Data: an Application in the United Kingdom*”. *Demography* 1 December 2021; 58 (6): 2193–2218. doi: <https://doi.org/10.1215/00703370-9578562>.

Del Fava, E., Cimentada, J., Perrotta, D., Grow, A., **Rampazzo, F.**, Gil-Clavel, S., Zagheni, E., “*Differential impact of physical distancing strategies on social contacts relevant for the spread of SARS-CoV-2: evidence from a cross-national online survey, March–April 2020*”. *BMJ Open* 2021;11:e050651. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1136/bmjopen-2021-050651>

Schwanitz, K., **Rampazzo, F.**, and Vitali, A. “*Unpacking intentions to leave the parental home in Europe using the Generations and Gender Survey*.” *Demographic Research* 45 (2021): 17-54.

Perrotta, D., Grow, A., **Rampazzo, F.**, Cimentada, J., Fava, E. D., Gil-Clavel, S., Zagheni, E., “*Behaviors and Attitudes in Response to the COVID-19 Pandemic: Insights from a Cross-National Facebook Survey*”. *EPJ Data Science* 10, 17 (2021). <https://doi.org/10.1140/epjds/s13688-021-00270-1>.

Grow, A., Perrotta, D., Del Fava, E., Cimentada, J., **Rampazzo, F.**, Gil-Clavel, S., Zagheni, E. (2020), “*Addressing Public Health Emergencies via Facebook Surveys: Advantages, Challenges, and Practical Considerations*”. *Journal of Medical Internet Research* 2020;22(12):e20653, doi: 10.2196/20653.

Testa, M. R., **Rampazzo, F.**, “*From Intentions to Births: Paths of Realisation in a Multi-Dimensional Life Course*”. In: *Vienna Yearbook of Population Research* 16 (2018), pp. 177–198. issn: 1728-4414. doi: 10.2307/26670709.

Peer-Reviewed Conference Proceedings

Rampazzo, F., Bijak, J., Vitali, A., Weber, I., Zagheni, E. (2021). “*Monitoring the Numbers of European Migrants in the United Kingdom using Facebook Data*”. Preface XIX 1 Plenary Sessions, 119.

Rampazzo, F., Zagheni, E., Weber, I., Testa, M. R., Billari, F., “*Mater Certa Est, Pater Numquam: What Can Facebook Advertising Data Tell Us about Male Fertility Rates?*” en. In: *Twelfth International AAAI Conference on Web and Social Media*. June 2018.

Book Chapter

Rampazzo, F., Rango, M., Weber, I., “*New Migration Data: Challenges and Opportunities*”. In *Handbook of Computational Social Science for Policy*. Springer (2022).

Kashyap, R., Rinderknecht, R. G., Akbaritabar, A., Alburez-Gutierrez, D., Gil-Clavel, S., Grow, A., Kim, J., Leasure, D.R., Lohmann, S., Negraia, D.V., Perrotta, D., **Rampazzo, F.**, Tsai, C., Verhagen, M. D., Zagheni, E., Zhao, X. (2022, April 21). “*Digital and Computational Demography*”. In *Research Handbook of Digital Sociology*. Edward Elgar Publishing Ltd. (2022). <https://doi.org/10.31235/osf.io/7bvpt>

Rampazzo, F., Weber, I., “*Facebook Advertising Data in Africa*”. en. In: *International Organization of Migration. Migration in West and North Africa and across the Mediterranean: Trends, Risks, Developments, Governance* (Sept. 2020), p. 9.

Work in Progress and Pre-prints

Leasure, D. R., Kashyap, R., **Rampazzo, F.**, Elbers, B., Dooley, C., Weber, I., ... Mills, M. C. (2022). “*Ukraine Crisis: Monitoring population displacement through social media activity*”.
<https://doi.org/10.31235/osf.io/6j9wq>

Barker, R., **Rampazzo, F.**, Geerts, A., Rampazzo, P., Mogi, R., and Leasure, D.. (2021), “*It’s a Match! A global view on the Use of Online Dating Applications*”.

Rampazzo, F., Raybould, A., Rampazzo, P., Barker, R., and Leasure, D.. (2021), “*‘UPDATE: I’m pregnant!’: Inferring Global Use of Fertility Tracking Apps*”.

Schwanitz, K., Ferraretto, V., Vitali, A., and **Rampazzo, F.**. “*Ideations and Intentions in the Transition to Adulthood – A Cross-European Comparison .*”

Rosenzweig, R., Bergquist, P., Hoffmann Pham, K., **Rampazzo, F.**, Mildemberger, M. (2020), “*Survey sampling in the Global South using Facebook advertisement*”.

Hoffman Pham, K., **Rampazzo, F.**, Rosenzweig, L. R., “*Online Surveys and Digital Demography in the Developing World: Facebook Users in Kenya*”. In: arXiv:1910.03448 [cs] (Oct. 2019). arXiv: 1910.03448 [cs].

MEMBERSHIP OF SCIENTIFIC ASSOCIATIONS

- Associazione Italiana per gli Studi di Popolazione (AISP-SIS)
- British Society for Population Studies (BSPS)
- European Association for Population Studies (EAPS)
- Population Association of America (PAA)
- Società Italiana di Statistica (SIS)

SKILLS

Software: R, L^AT_EX.

Languages: Italian (native) and English (fluent).