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CURRENT EMPLOYMENT

Principal Research Economist,
Office of the Chief Economist, European Bank for Reconstruction and Development 2025

EDUCATION

EDOGATION	
Universitat Pompeu Fabra, PhD in Economics (cum laude)	2025
Universitat Pompeu Fabra, M.Res. in Economics	2021
Barcelona School of Economics, M.Sc. in Economics	2020
Queen Mary University of London, B.Sc. in Economics and Politics (with distinction)	2019

REFERENCES

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WORKING PAPERS

"Buying Out the Means of Production: Wages, Employment and Productivity in Labor-Managed Firms" (Job Market Paper)

"The Local (Informal) Multiplier of Industrial Jobs" (with F. Amodio, H. Pham and M. Sanfilippo)

WORK IN PROGRESS

"The Effect of Regularization on Migrant Labor Exploitation" (with F. Amodio, M. Carillo and M. Riudavets-Barcons)

"Trends in Hiring Duration and its Determinants" (with Martin Weigand)

SEMINARS, CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS (* scheduled)

2026: LERA@ASSA (Philadelphia)*

2025: SAEe (Barcelona)*, INPS Annual Conference (Rome)*, RFBerlin Conference on Worker Co-Determination and Governance, CESC, 9th Annual Conference LdA Migration Observatory, NHH, IWH Halle, UIB, ROCKWOOL Foundation Berlin (online), EBRD

2024: AIEL (Naples), EALE (Bergen), EEA ESEM Congress (Rotterdam), IZA Summer School (Bonn), UPF Applied Lunch (internal), COPE (Zurich)

2023: SAEe (Salamanca); SMYE (Turin); BSE PhD Jamboree (Barcelona); VisitInps Scholars Seminar (Rome, virtual); UPF Student Seminar (internal); UPF Applied Lunch (internal)

RESEARCH GRANTS AND SCHOLARSHIPS

International Growth Center GBP 19,734 (co-PI, PI: Marco Sanfilippo) "The Local (Informal) Multiplier of Industrial Jobs"	2025-2026
VisitINPS Scholar B Pre-Doctoral Researcher Grant – Ministry of Science and Innovation (Spain)	2022-2024 2021-2025

OTHER PRIZES AND AWARDS

Luis Toharia Grant for Young Researchers in Economics	2024
Kristina Renner Prize for Outstanding Achievement, Queen Mary University of London	2018

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Teaching Assistant: Summer School in Microeconometrics, BSE	2024-2025
Teaching Assistant: Advanced Econometrics II, BSE, graduate	2024
Lecturer: Stata Brush-Up Course, BSE, graduate	2021-2023

OTHER/PERSONAL

Languages: Italian (native), English (fluent), Spanish (fluent), French (basic)

Citizenship: Italian and Greek Date of birth: 01/12/1997