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RESEARCH INTERESTS International and Comparative Political Economy, European Integration, Quantitative Text Analysis, Survey Experiments, Applied Time Series Analysis

EDUCATION

University of Geneva

Geneva, Switzerland

Ph.D. Candidate, Political Science, 9/2016 - 9/2020 (expected)

Dissertation: "The Political Economy of the European Central Bank: Economic Ideas and

Strategic Action in the Euro Crisis" Advisor: Prof. Thomas Sattler

Committee: Thomas Sattler, Simon Hug, Maurizio Ferrera, and Manuela Moschella

London School of Economics and Political Science

London, UK

M.Sc. in International Political Economy, 9/2016

Bocconi University

Milan, Italy

B.Sc. in Economics and Social Sciences, cum Laude, 9/2015

Work Experience

European Central Bank

Frankfurt am Main, Germany

Communications Specialist, 9/2018 - 8/2020 (expected) DG Communications - Global Media Relations Division

Activity: Media Analysis and Research

University of Geneva

Geneva, Switzerland

Research Assistant, 9/2016 - 8/2018

Project: "Contigent Signals: The Political Preconditions of Economic Stabilization"

Principal Investigator: Prof. Thomas Sattler

Funded by the Swiss National Science Foundation (CHF 517'511)

University of Geneva

Geneva, Switzerland

Teaching Assistant, 9/2017 - 2/2018

Course: "Applied Statistical Methods for International Relations"

Principal Instructor: Prof. Simon Hug

University of Milan

Milan, Italy

Part-Time Researcher, 3/2016 - 4/2017

Project: "Reconciling Economic and Social Europe: Values, Ideas and Politics"

Principal Investigator: Prof. Maurizio Ferrera

Funded by the European Research Council (€2'496'904)

PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

Ferrara, Federico Maria (2019). "The Battle of Ideas on the Euro Crisis: Evidence from ECB Inter-Meeting Speeches" *Journal of European Public Policy* (online). doi: 10.1080/13501763.2019.1670231

Link: Publisher; SSRN's eLibrary. In the media: EuVisions; Medium

Ferrara, Federico Maria and Thomas Sattler (2018). "The Political Economy of Financial Markets" Oxford Research Encyclopedia of Politics, July 2018. doi: 10.1093/acrefore/9780190228637.013.628 Link: Publisher; SSRN's eLibrary.

WORKING PAPERS

"Why Does Import Competition Favor Republicans?" (with Andrea Cerrato and Francesco Ruggieri)"

Link: SSRN's eLibrary.

In the media: The New York Times; Chicago Booth Review.

"Exports vs. Investment: How Public Discourse Shapes Support for External Imbalances" (with Jörg Haas, Andrew Peterson, and Thomas Sattler)

Link: SSRN's eLibrary.

"The Cultural Origins of Institutional Trust: The Case of the ECB" (with Siria Angino)

"Privileged and Unprivileged Countries in the World Economy" (with Mark Manger and Thomas Sattler)

Selected Media

Ferrara, Federico Maria 2018. "Parole per il Nuovo Governo", La Voce.info

Cerrato, Andrea, Federico Maria Ferrara and Francesco Ruggieri 2017. "Trump's plan to roll back Medicaid will especially affect his voters", *The Washington Post*

Cerrato, Andrea, Federico Maria Ferrara and Francesco Ruggieri 2016. "Trump won in counties that lost jobs to China and Mexico", *The Washington Post*

CONFERENCE PARTICIPATION

EUSA Biennial Conference, Denver, US, 5/2019 IPES Annual Conference, Boston, US, 11/2018 APSA Annual Conference, Boston, US, 8/2018 MPSA Annual Conference, Chicago, US, 4/2018 EPSA Annual Conference, Milano, Italy, 6/2017

ADDITIONAL EDUCATION

Nuffield College, Oxford University

Oxford, UK

CESS/Essex Summer School, Introduction to Experiments, 7/2018

Essex University

Colchester, UK

Essex Summer School, Quantitative Text Analysis, 8/2017

Northwestern University

Evanston, US

Exchange Program, Department of Economics, GPA 4.0/4.0, 3/2015 - 6/2015

SKILLS

Programming Skills

Stata, R, Python, LATEX

Languages

English (fluent), French (fluent), Italian (native)