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GENERAL INFORMATION

Citizenship: United States, Italy
Date of Birth: May 26, 1990

EDUCATION

University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI
Ph.D., Economics Expected May 2020
M.A., Economics Jan 2018
Interests: Public Economics, Industrial Organization, Finance, Political Economy

Boston University, Boston, MA
B.A./M.A., Economics, *summa cum laude* May 2013
Minor, Mathematical Statistics

Liceo Classico G. Parini, Milan, Italy
Maturità Classica Jul 2009

Ward Melville High School, East Setauket, NY
High School Diploma May 2008

EXPERIENCE

Graduate Student Instructor (Teaching Assistant - UMich) Sep 2014 - Apr 2019
ECON 251, Introduction to Statistics and Econometrics II Seven terms
ECON 451, Intermediate Introduction to Statistics and Econometrics I Two terms
ECON 402, Intermediate Macroeconomic Theory One term
ECON 101, Principles of Economics I One term

Summer Research Assistant (Joel Slemrod – UMich) May 2018 - Aug 2018

Summer Research Assistant (Ugo Troiano – UMich) May 2015 - Jul 2015

Summer Research Assistant (Martha Bailey – UMich) May 2014 - Aug 2014

Research Assistant (Daniele Paserman – BU) May 2011 - May 2013

Peer Tutor at BU's ERC (micro, macro, stats, Italian, Spanish) Feb 2010 - May 2013

RESEARCH

Job Market Paper
• Tax Reform and the Valuation of Superstar Firms

Publication
• Attending to Inattention: Identification of Deadweight Loss under Non-Salient Taxes, G. Brusco and B. Glass, *forthcoming*, **Journal of Public Economic Theory**

Working Papers
• Risky Business: Policy Uncertainty, Firm Valuation, and Investment, with B. Glass Oct 2018
• Unintended Consequences of a Minimum Wage Hike that Never Happened Apr 2019

Work in Progress

- Altruism and the Provision of Public Goods
- A General Equilibrium Model of Real-Life Value-Added Taxation, with J. Slemrod
- Competition Between VAT Registered and Unregistered Firms, with T. Velayudhan
- Untold Secrets of Tax Preparers, Complexity, and Compliance, with Y. Kaçamak and E. Stuart

HONORS AND AWARDS

- E. Han Kim Doctoral Fellowship (UMich, Ross School of Business, 2019-2020)
- Juster Research Award Fund (UMich, Institute for Social Research, Summer 2019)
- Rackham Conference Travel Grant (UMich, Rackham Graduate School, Fall 2018, Summer 2019)
- Rackham One-Term Fellowship (UMich, Economics, Fall 2018)
- Macro prelim passed with distinction (UMich, Economics, Summer 2014)
- Gail R. Wilensky Fellowship (UMich, Economics, 2013-2014)
- Phi Beta Kappa nomination (BU, College of Arts and Sciences, Spring 2013)
- Awarded College Honors (BU, College of Arts and Sciences, Spring 2011)

PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATIONS

- National Tax Association Annual Conference, Tampa, Florida (November 2019)
- Annual Mannheim Taxation Conference, Mannheim, Germany (September 2019)
- Annual Congress of the IIPF, Glasgow, Scotland (August 2019)
- Québec Political Economy Conference, Mont Saint-Anne, Québec (March 2019)
- National Tax Association Annual Conference, New Orleans, Louisiana (November 2018)
- Annual Mannheim Taxation Conference, Mannheim, Germany (October 2018)
- Québec Political Economy Conference, Mont Saint-Anne, Québec (March 2018)

SOFTWARE AND PROGRAMMING EXPERIENCE

Software proficiency: • Stata • Microsoft Office

Language proficiency: • L^AT_EX • Matlab • Julia • R (preliminary) • Python (preliminary)

LANGUAGES

- Italian (native) • English (fluent) • Spanish (fluent)

DISSERTATION COMMITTEE

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