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Academic APPOINTMENTS Pompeu Fabra University, Barcelona School of Economics

Postdoctoral Fellow in Economics, 2020-

EDUCATION Boston University, Boston, MA

Ph.D. in Economics, 2020

University of Tor Vergata, Rome, Italy

M.Sc. in Economics, 2014

University of Roma Tre, Rome, Italy

B.A. in Political Science, 2012

PUBLICATIONS "War, Socialism and the Rise of Fascism: An Empirical Exploration," joint with Daron

Acemoglu, Giuseppe De Feo and Giacomo De Luca. Accepted, Quarterly Journal of

Economics

Working Papers "Media and Assimilation: Evidence from the Golden Age of Radio," (March 2021).

"Regulating Child Labor: Evidence from the US Progressive Era," joint with James J.

Feigenbaum (July 2020).

Work in Progress "Echo Chambers: Does Online Network Structure Affect Political Polarization?," joint

Ruben Enikolopov, Maria Petrova and David Yanagizawa-Drott.

"How to Foster Growth in Post-Conflict Settings? Evidence from the Truth and Reconciliation Commission in Post-Apartheid South Africa," joint with Thomas Gautier

"Outmigration and Economic Development: Evidence from the Italian Mass Migra-

tion," joint with Nicola Fontana, Marco Manacorda and Marco Tabellini.

INVITED TALKS & Presentations

2022 (scheduled):

University of Bayreuth

2021:

American Economic Association, Bocconi Political Economy Reading Group, University of Milan-Bicocca, Economic History Association, University of Barcelona

University of St Andrews, Universita degli Studi di Padova, ENS de Lyon, University

of Basel, NERA

2019:

Social Science History Association Annual Meetings, Harvard Economic History Work-

shop, Stanford Economic History Workshop, Economic History Association, European Historical Economics Society, Economic History Association at UdeSA, Harvard Economic History Workshop

2018:

Italian Economic History Association Meetings (ASE), World Economic History Congress, Harvard Economic History Workshop, Summer School on Socioeconomic Inequality

Grants,	Steg Small Research Grant	2021
Fellowships &	UNU-WIDER grant	2021
Awards	Manuel Abdala Gift Grant, Boston University	2020
	Institute for Economic Development Research Grant, Boston University	2018
	Economics Department Summer Research Grant, Boston University	2017
	Economic History Association Exploratory Travel Grant	2017

TEACHING Boston University, Department of Economics
Instructor, EC 204 Empirical Economics
Summer 2018, Summer 2020
Teaching Fellow, EC 102 Empirical Economics
Spring 2019

Professional Activities Referee: Journal of Public Economics, Explorations in Economic History,

Journal of Economic History

Discussant: AEA (2021)