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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS	Institute of Economic Analysis (CSIC) & Barcelona School of Economics Postdoctoral Fellow in Economics, 2023- Barcelona School of Economics, Pompeu Fabra University Postdoctoral Fellow in Economics, 2020-2023	
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	
WORKING PAPERS	“Building States through Restorative Justice,” joint with Thomas Gautier and Daniela Horta Saenz (October 2024). “Socializing Alone: How Online Homophily Has Undermined Social Cohesion in the US,” joint Ruben Enikolopov, Maria Petrova and David H. Yanagizawa-Drott (September 2024). “Media and Assimilation: Evidence from the Golden Age of Radio,” (April 2024). “Regulating Child Labor: Evidence from the US Progressive Era,” joint with James J. Feigenbaum (July 2020).	
PUBLICATIONS	“War, Socialism and the Rise of Fascism: An Empirical Exploration,” joint with Daron Acemoglu, Giuseppe De Feo and Giacomo De Luca. <i>The Quarterly Journal of Economics</i> , Volume 137, Issue 2, May 2022, Pages 1233–1296.	
SELECTED WORK IN PROGRESS	“Outmigration and Economic Development: Evidence from the Italian Mass Migration,” joint with Nicola Fontana, Marco Manacorda and Marco Tabellini. “Ideology, Conformity and Performance,” joint with Francesco Barilari. “Diversity and Conflict in New Democracies,” joint with Silvia Farina, Thomas Gautier and Daniela Horta Saenz.	
TALKS & PRESENTATIONS (INCLUDING SCHEDULED)	2025: University of Southern Denmark	

2024:
 BU Development Brown Bag, Barcelona Summer Forum, ASREC, University of Barcelona (brown bag), Universitat Autònoma Barcelona (brown bag), University Pompeu Fabra

2023:
 ASSA meetings, Federal Communication Commission, SITES, Neude Harvard, Spanish Economic Association

2022:
 University of Bayreuth, Universitat Autònoma Barcelona, Northwestern University Econ History Internal Seminar, Echo Workshop (London), University of Stellenbosch, ASREC (London), University of Naples-Parthenope

2021:
 ASSA meetings, Bocconi Political Economy Reading Group, University of Milan-Bicocca, Economic History Association, University of Barcelona

2020:
 University of St Andrews, Università degli Studi di Padova, ENS de Lyon, University of Basel, NERA

2019:
 Social Science History Association Annual Meetings, Harvard Economic History Workshop, 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, FELLOWSHIPS & AWARDS	Best Paper Award, SITES conference	2023
	STEG CEPR SRG	2021
	UNU-WIDER Grant	2021
	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:	<i>Quarterly Journal of Economics, Journal of the European Economic Association, Economic Journal, Journal of Public Economics, Explorations in Economic History, Journal of Economic History, Journal of Comparative Economics, PLOS one, Social History</i>
	Discussant:	<i>AEA (2021), NEUDC (2023), BSE Summer Forum (2024)</i>