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Employment

Scuola Normale Superiore

Research Associate

2023–present

- Pursue research on the application of score-driven time series models to forecast the structural dynamics of graphs, with a specific application in predicting future states of banking networks derived from loan data

European Central Bank, Directorate General Macroeprudential Policy and Financial Stability

Consultant

2022

- Developed a Python library for pricing interest rate and credit derivatives, aiming to evaluate their influence on systemic risk across the EU banking network
- Managed large-scale data analysis using the EMIR dataset, using PySpark for efficient real-time processing in a distributed computing environment

Imperial College Business School, Department of Finance

Research Associate

2019–2022

- Secured and led a grant-funded project as Principal Investigator, focusing on the economic trade-offs of various retirement schemes, aimed at optimizing outcomes in terms of sustainability and inequality
- Investigated advanced topics in asset pricing and public economics, producing several working papers

Education

Imperial College London

Supervisor: Prof. Damiano Brigo

Ph.D. in Mathematical Finance

2019

- Specialized in derivatives pricing, focusing on the implementation and analysis of Valuation Adjustments (XVA) to account for credit, liquidity, and funding risks
- Conducted a research visit at Columbia University Business School, focusing on systemic risk analysis. Reference: Prof. Paul Glasserman
- Authored multiple research papers published in peer-reviewed journals and presented the research findings at various academic and industry-focused conferences

Politecnico di Milano

Executive Course in Quantitative Finance

2014

Università di Pisa

M.Sc. in Mathematics

2014

Università di Pisa

B.Sc. in Mathematics

2011

Programming Languages and Statistical Software

Python: Simulation, data analysis (pandas), big data (pyspark), machine learning (scikit-learn), deep learning (pytorch, jax), partial and ordinary differential equations