

# MARIO BERNASCONI

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## CURRENT POSITION

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2020 - (2024)	<b>PhD Candidate</b> , Econometrics & OR Department, Tilburg University
Supervisors:	<a href="#">Alexandros Theloudis</a> <a href="#">Arthur van Soest</a> <a href="#">Tunga Kantarci</a>
Research interests:	Labour Economics, Applied Microeconomics, Industrial Organization
Affiliations:	Netspar fellow (2021-)

## EDUCATION

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2018 - 2020	<b>M.Res. in Economics</b> Tilburg University, Netherlands
2015 - 2017	<b>M.Sc. in Economic and Social Sciences</b> Bocconi University, Italy
2012 - 2015	<b>B.Sc. in Economics and Management</b> Insubria University, Italy

## RESEARCH

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### **The Added Worker Effect: Evidence from a Disability Insurance Reform**

*Joint with [Tunga Kantarci](#), [Arthur van Soest](#) and [Jan-Maarten van Sonsbeek](#). Policy coverage in Dutch in [Netspar](#) and [ESB](#). Latest version [here](#).*

### **Relational Collusion in the Colombian Electricity Market**

*Joint with [Miguel Espinosa](#), [Rocco Macchiavello](#) and [Carlos Suarez](#). Latest version [here](#).*

### **Present-Biased Preferences, Retirement Planning and Demand for Commitments**

*Work in progress.*

### **Pension Reforms and Partial Retirement**

*Joint with [Tunga Kantarci](#). Work in progress.*

## SCHOLARSHIPS

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2018 - 2020	Full Koopmans scholarship and tuition waiver, Tilburg University
2016	Merit-based scholarship, Banca Popolare di Milano
2014 - 2015	Merit-based scholarship, Chamber of Commerce of Varese

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

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2020 - 2022	Empirical Methods for Entrepreneurship and Business Innovation (B.Sc.), Teaching Assistant, Tilburg University
2020 - 2022	Econometrics (B.Sc.), Teaching Assistant, Tilburg University
2019 - 2020	Panel Data Analysis of Microeconomic Decisions (M.Sc.), Student Assistant, Tilburg University

## PAST EMPLOYMENT

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2020 - 2021	Research assistant to Rocco Macchiavello (LSE) and Josepa Miquel-Florensa (TSE)
2019 -2020	Student assistant to Arthur van Soest (Tilburg University)
02/2018 - 08/2018	Prometeia, Junior economist, Bologna
08/2017 - 02/2018	Accenture, Intern, Milano
01/2017 - 05/2017	European Commission, DG ECFIN Trainee, Bruxelles

## CONFERENCES AND SEMINARS

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2023	EALE conference (Prague)
2022	SEHO annual meeting (London), EALE conference (Padova)
2021	Universidad Autónoma de Barcelona (**), Netspar International Pension Workshop (**), IPRA Doctoral Tutorial (**)
2020	Netspar Pension Day (**)

(\*\*) online

## REFEREE

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Labour Economics

## SOFTWARES

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Julia, MATLAB and Stata (mainly), R (for teaching)

## LANGUAGES

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