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RESEARCH INTERESTS

Public economics, Labor economics, Life-cycle models, Applied econometrics

EDUCATION

Ph.D., Economics

Boston University, Boston, MA, US

May 2011

Thesis title: “Essays on labor supply”

Dissertation Committee: L. Kotlikoff, M. Rysman, C. Olivetti

M.A., Economics

CORIFE Piemonte (Collegio Carlo Alberto), Moncalieri, Italy

June 2006

Laurea (B.A.), Economics

University of Torino, Torino, Italy

April 2005

110/110 *summa cum laude* and honors of publication of the thesis

Thesis title: “Institutions and development: theoretical analysis and empirical tests”

Dissertation Committee: O. Castellino, A. Sembenelli, C. Bermond

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Bank of Italy

Research Department, Public Finance Division - Rome, Italy

Economist

September 2011 – today

Alternate member of the ESCB Working Group on Public Finance

September 2014 – today

Member of the forecasting committee

November 2014 – today

Alternate member of the hiring committee (research fellowship program)

2017 – 2019

Member of the editorial brd., *Temi di discussione* (Bank of Italy’s working paper series)

2013 – 2015

Research fellow

September 2011 – October 2012

Boston University

Economics Department - Boston, MA, US

Teaching Fellow for Introductory Macroeconomics

Spring semesters in 2009, 2010, and 2011

Teaching Fellow for Introductory Microeconomics

Fall semesters in 2008, 2009, and 2010

Instructor for Economics of Regulation

Summer semester in 2009

Inter-American Development Bank

Summer intern at the Labor Markets Unit – Washington DC, US

Summer 2010

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Summer intern at the regional Research Department - Torino, Italy

Summer 2005

University of Torino

Teaching assistant for the Economics and Law Departments - Torino, Italy

2002–2004

RESEARCH VISITS

UCL economics department, London
Einaudi Institute for Economics and Finance (EIEF), Rome

August 2019 – March 2020
September – December 2015

FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS

Research Fellowship, Bank of Italy, Rome	2011–2012
Various grants, Institute for Economic Development, Boston University	2010–2011
Teaching Fellowships, Boston University, Economics Department	2008–2011
<i>Donato Menichella</i> scholarship, Bank of Italy, Rome	2007–2008
<i>Marco Fanno</i> scholarship, MedioCredito Centrale, Rome	2006–2007
CORIFE Piemonte full scholarship and tuition waiver	2005–2006
Honors of publication of the undergraduate thesis, University of Torino	April 2005
University of Torino undergraduate T.A. fellowships	2002–2004

RESEARCH

“Budget-Neutral Labor Tax Wedge Reductions: A Simulation-Based Analysis for the Euro Area”,
International Journal of Central Banking, vol. 15(4), pages 1-54, October 2019
with M.G. Attinasi, D. Prammer, N. Stahler, S. van Parys
also Deutsche Bundesbank Discussion Papers 26/2016

“Do details matter? An analysis of the Italian personal income tax”, mimeo 2020

“Women at work: the impact of welfare and fiscal policies in a dynamic labor supply model”,
Bank of Italy Temi di discussione (Economic working papers) 1084, 2016
with M.R. Marino and M. Romanelli

“The effect of taxes and financial aid on educational choices”, mimeo

“Labor market transitions and wage differentials between formal and informal jobs in Peru”, mimeo
with G.D. Rosas Shady

“Aggregate wage dynamics and labor supply: an application to the U.S”, mimeo

PRESENTATIONS AT CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS

21st Bank of Italy’s Public Finance Workshop, Roma, Italy	March 2019
Annual workshop of the ESCB Working Group on Public Finance (disc.), Lubjiana, Slovenia	June 2018
NTA 108th Annual conference on taxation, Boston, MA, USA	November 2015
Informal ECB workshop on macroeconomic performance (policy pt.), Frankfurt, Germany	April 2015
17th Bank of Italy’s Public Finance Workshop (discussant), Perugia, Italy	April 2015
American Economic Association meeting (AEA/ASSA 2014), Philadelphia PA, USA	January 2014
Conference of the Association for Public Economic Theory (PET 2013), Lisbon, Portugal	July 2013
Annual workshop of the ESCB Working Group on Public Finance, Bratislava, Slovakia	June 2012
Society of Labor Economists Annual Meetings (SOLE 2012), Chicago IL, USA	May 2012
14th Bank of Italy’s Public Finance Workshop, Perugia, Italy	March 2012
Royal Economic Society Annual Conference (RES 2012), Cambridge, UK	March 2012
XX anniversary of CORIFE (invited), Moncalieri, Italy	July 2011

OTHER

InGRID winter school in cross-country microsimulation, University of Essex, UK	February 2014
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COMPUTER SKILLS

Fortran 90, OpenMP, MPI, Matlab/Octave, Stata, Linux, L^AT_EX

ACADEMIC REFERENCES

Professor Laurence J. Kotlikoff, Boston University

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Professor Marc Rysman, Boston University

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Professor Claudia Olivetti, Dartmouth College

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Born on August 19, 1981 in Ivrea (Italy), Italian citizen, married, one daughter.

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