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Employment

Assistant Professor in Real Estate Economics and Finance 09.2024 – current
Department of Geography and Environment, London School of Economics

Education

Postdoc, Department of Economics, Harvard University 09.2022 – 08.2024
PhD, Department of Economics, University of Zurich 08.2022
MA Economics, University of Bologna 03.2015
BA Economics and Marketing, University of Bologna 07.2012

Research Visits

Visiting Fellow, Department of Economics, UC Berkeley 02.2020 – 09.2020
Visiting Student, University of Bologna in Buenos Aires 08.2014 – 02.2015
Erasmus Student, Department of Business Administration, Lund University 08.2011 – 02.2012

Working Papers

"The (Express)Way to Segregation: Evidence from Chicago"
"The Fastest Route to Specialization? Evidence from the Expansion of the Italian Highways System"

Work in Progress

"Once Upon a Time in the (Canadian) West: Railroads, Location Fundamentals, and the Growth of Cities"
"No Way to the Highway: The Political Economy of Highway Revolts" (with Natalie Yang)
"Building(s) Equality" (with Elena Lutz)

Non-Refereed Publication

"Atlantia," Stigler Center case study n. 6, June 2020 (with Guy Rolnik and Stefano Feltri)

Previous Work Experience

Research Assistant for Prof. Luigi Zingales and Prof. Guy Rolnik, Chicago Booth 08.2015 – 07.2016

Teaching

Teacher, London School of Economics
Applied Urban and Real Estate Economics (Master level) Fall 2024 -
Teaching Assistant, University of Zurich
Empirical Methods (Master level, 200+ students) Fall 2020, 2019, 2018
Organizational Economics (Master level) Spring 2019
Trade Policy (Master level) Spring 2018
Teaching Assistant, University of Bologna
International Marketing (Bachelor level) Spring 2014

Professional Activities

Referee: Journal of International Economics; The Review of Economics Studies; RSUE

BA and MA thesis co-supervision, University of Zurich
Empirical Micro Doctoral Seminar Organizer, University of Zurich

2018, 2019

Grants & Awards

Swiss National Science Foundation Postdoc Mobility Grant	09.2022 – 08.2024
Forschungskredit der Universität Zürich, Candoc	08.2021 – 07.2022
Best Teaching Assistant Award, Department of Economics, University of Zurich	Fall 2019
Marco Fanno Scholarship, Unicredit Foundation (<i>declined</i>)	2016 - 2017
Study and Research Scholarship, University of Bologna	Fall 2014
Scholarship Award, University of Bologna	2013 – 2014

Presentations (*including scheduled)

Junior Spatial Economics Conference (Sciences Po, discussant)*; NBER SI Urban; EAYE Paris; University of Rome Tor Vergata; Bank of Italy; PSE; LSE Department of Economic History; UC Riverside; Cemfi; LSE Department of Geography and Environment; University of Geneva; PSE	2024
UEA Toronto; CHS summer workshop (Stanford GSB); EUI PhD workshop; Interdisciplinary workshop on “Neighborhoods and Social Interactions” (PSE); NBER online conference on the “Economics of Transportation in the 21st Century;” Workshop on the “Economics of Crime for Junior Scholars” (NU, discussant); MIT CRE; RIEF Brussels; RUSH; HKS Growth Lab Seminar	2023
SEA Basel; Università della Svizzera Italiana; Conference on “The End of Globalization?” (NYUAD); Universität Luzern; DUP workshop (Harvard, online)	2022
DUP workshop (Harvard, online); 3rd Annual workshop in International Economics St. Gallen; Swiss workshop on Political Economy; SSES Annual congress (online); UEA Europe (online)	2021
DUP workshop (Harvard, online); Trade workshop (UC Berkeley, online); Trade workshop (UC Berkeley); Development lunch (UC Berkeley); Economic History lunch (UC Berkeley)	2020
Urban Economics Conference Zurich	2019

Languages

Stata, R, GIS, Matlab
English (proficient), Spanish (conversational), German (beginner), French (beginner), Italian (native)