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# **EDUCATION**

| 2019<br>2016 | Uppsala University · PhD in Economics (supervisors: Johan Vikström, Oskar Skans)  Harvard University · visiting PhD student |
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| 2013<br>2012 | Bocconi University · M.Sc. in Economics (110/110)<br>Mannheim University · exchange student                                 |
| 2010<br>2009 | Bocconi University · B.Sc. in Economics  Queen Mary University of London · exchange student                                 |
| 2007         | San Raffaele University · B.Sc. in Psychology (110/110 cum laude)   |

#### **CURRENT POSITION**

2020– VATT, Institute for Economics Research (Helsinki) · senior researcher

#### **AFFILIATIONS**

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| 2019– | IZA, Institute of Labor Economics (Bonn, Germany) · research affiliate           |
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| 2017- | IFAU, Institute for Evaluation of Labor Market and Education Policy · researcher |
| 2015- | UCLS, Uppsala Center for Labor Studies (Uppsala, Sweden) · research affiliate    |

# PREVIOUS WORK EXPERIENCE

| Oct. 2013 –<br>Aug. 2014 | Trainee in Econometrics and Statistics at CRIE.   |
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| 2014                     | CSIL, Centre for Industrial Studies · <i>Statistical software developer</i> Developed <i>MoSL</i> , a customized risk analysis program integrating VBA and R. |
| 2013                     | Bocconi University · Research assist. for Prof. Marco Bonetti and Raffaella Piccarreta  |

#### RESEARCH FUNDING AND GRANTS

| 2021 | "How do economic recessions affect inequality? Evidence from the COVID-19 crisis and the 1990s Finnish recession," Yrjö Jahnsson Foundation, €30,000 |
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| 2020 | "The Unequal Costs of Job Loss Across Countries," IFAU grant 157/2019, €5,000  |
| 2016 | Visiting grant (Harvard Uni.), Jan Wallanders och Tom Hedelius Stiftelse, €40,000  |

#### Peer reviewed journals

- 3. Schwandt, H., J. Currie, M. Bär, J. Banks, P. Bertoli, A. Bütikofer, S. Cattan, B. Z.-Y. Chao, C. Costa, L. Gonzalez, V. Grembi, K. Huttunen, R. Karadakic, L. Kraftman, S. Krutikova, S. Lombardi, P. Redler, C. Riumallo-Herl, A. Rodríguez-González, K. Salvanes, P. Santana, J. Thuilliez, E. van Doorslaer, T. Van Ourti, J. Winter, B. Wouterse, and A. Wuppermann (2021). "Inequality in Mortality between Black and White Americans by Age, Place, and Cause, and in Comparison to Europe, 1990-2018." *Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences*, 118(40) · [published version]
- 2. Huttunen, K. and S. Lombardi (2021). "Mortality Inequality in Finland." *Fiscal Studies*, 42(1): pp. 223-244 · [published version] [open access version]
- 1. Lombardi, S., Skans, O. N., and J. Vikström (2018). "Targeted wage subsidies and firm performance." *Labour Economics*, 53: pg. 33-45 · [published version]

## Policy reports and Book chapters

- 5. Bratu, C., Lombardi, S., Anna Thoresson, and Olof Åslund (2021), Corporate productivity and income disparities between immigrants and natives (in Swedish) IFAU rapport 2021:22.
- 4. Lombardi, S., and Vikström, J. (2019), The employment service's monitoring, sanctions and the search behavior of the unemployed (in Swedish) IFAU rapport 2019:23.
- 3. Vikström, J., S. Lombardi, O. N. Skans (2018), How do employment support and start-up jobs affect the hiring companies? (in Swedish) IFAU rapport 2018:13.
- 2. Bratu, C., S. Lombardi, M. Rodrigues, G. Santangelo, and A. Shaleva (2014), "Knowledge gaps in evaluating labour market and social inclusion policies". European Commission, DG Joint Research Center & DG Employment.
- 1. Lombardi, S. and M. Florio (2014), "Chapter 8: Risk Assessment" in Florio, M.: "Applied Welfare Economics: Cost-Benefit Analysis of Projects and Policies", Routledge Advanced Texts in Economics and Finance, pg. 222-262.

#### **WORKING PAPERS**

- 4. Lombardi, S. (2019), "Threat Effects of Monitoring and Benefit Sanctions: Evidence from two Reforms," IFAU working paper 2019:22 · [working paper]
- 3. Bertheau, A., E. Acabbi, C. Barceló, A. Gulyas, S. Lombardi, and R. Saggio (2021), "The Unequal Costs of Job Loss Across Countries," IFAU working paper (forthcoming)
- 2. Åslund, O., C. Bratu, S. Lombardi, and A. Thoresson (2021), "Firm productivity and the immigrant-native earnings gap," IFAU working paper 2021:18 · [working paper]
- 1. Lombardi, S., J. Vikström, and G. J. van den Berg (2020) "Empirical Monte Carlo evaluation of the Timing of Events approach," IFAU working paper 2020:26 · [working paper]

## **UMBRELLA PROJECTS**

- The nature of nurture: The interplay between genetic and social environment in impacting health (*Co-Principal Investigator* with Andrea Ganna)
- 2022– Effects of COVID-19 epidemic and governmental restrictions on learning, health and psychological well-being (*Principal Investigator*: Tuomas Pekkarinen)
- 2022– Labor Market integration in changing times (*Principal Investigator*: Olof Åslund)

# CONFERENCE AND SEMINAR PRESENTATIONS (INCLUDING SCHEDULED)

| 2021 | Society of Labor Economists, 26 <sup>rd</sup> Conference (SOLE); virtual meeting IFAU, Uppsala; seminar presentation ( <i>invited</i> ) VATT, Helsinki; seminar presentation Labour Institute for Economic Research, Helsinki; seminar presentation ( <i>invited</i> )   |
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| 2020 | Health Inequality workshop; Institute for Fiscal Studies, London 42 <sup>th</sup> Finnish Economic Association Annual Meeting; Tampere, Finland  |
| 2019 | 18 <sup>th</sup> "Brucchi Luchino" Labor Economics workshop, Turin Ministry of Labor, Helsinki; seminar presentation ( <i>invited</i> ) VATT, Helsinki; seminar presentation Ministry of Finance, Helsinki; seminar presentation ( <i>invited</i> ) 15th IZA & 2nd IZA/CREST Conference on Labor Market Policy Evaluation, Bonn IZA / UCPH Workshop ( <i>invited</i> ); Copenhagen, Denmark 31 <sup>st</sup> EALE conference; Uppsala, Sweden IZA, Bonn; seminar presentation Stockholm University, Stockholm; seminar presentation University of Milan - Bicocca, Milan; seminar presentation Joint Research Center - European Commission, Ispra; seminar presentation IRVAPP, Trento; seminar presentation |
| 2018 | Uppsala University, Economics department research seminar; Uppsala, Sweden 30 <sup>th</sup> European Association Labour Economists conference (EALE); Lyon, France Uppsala Center for Labor Studies conference (UCLS); Sigtuna, Sweden 71 <sup>th</sup> European Meeting of the Econometric Society (ESEM); Cologne, Germany Society of Labor Economists, 23 <sup>rd</sup> Conference (SOLE); Toronto, Canada  |
| 2017 | 13 <sup>th</sup> IZA Conference: Labor Market Policy Evaluation; Bonn, Germany<br>Annual Congress of the European Economic Association (EEA); Lisbon, Portugal<br>Uppsala University, Economics department research seminar; Uppsala, Sweden<br>IFAU seminar; Uppsala, Sweden  |

# OTHER PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

# Teaching

2015–2016 Teaching Assistant, Econometrics I and II (Uppsala University, PhD level)
 2016 Academic Teacher Training Course (5 weeks), Uppsala University

# Referee

Empirical Economics, IZA Journal of Labor Policy, Journal of Health Economics, Labor Economics

#### LANGUAGE SKILLS

· Italian (native), English (fluent)