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EDUCATION

2019 Uppsala University · PhD in Economics (supervisors: Johan Vikström, Oskar Skans)
2016 Harvard University · visiting PhD student
2013 Bocconi University · M.Sc. in Economics (110/110)
2012 Mannheim University · exchange student
2010 Bocconi University · B.Sc. in Economics
2009 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

2019– [IZA](#), Institute of Labor Economics (Bonn, Germany) · research affiliate
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 – DG Joint Research Centre, European Commission (Ispra, Italy)
Aug. 2014 Trainee in Econometrics and Statistics at [CRIE](#).
2014 CSIL, Centre for Industrial Studies · Statistical software developer
Developed *MoSL*, a customized risk analysis program integrating VBA and R.
2013 Bocconi University · Research assist. for Prof. Marco Bonetti and Raffaella Piccarreta

TEACHING MERITS

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

RESEARCH FUNDING AND GRANTS

2020 [IFAU grant](#), project 157/2019, “The Unequal Costs of Job Loss Across Countries”
2016 [Jan Wallanders och Tom Hedelius Stiftelse](#) scholarship to visit Harvard University

PUBLICATIONS

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 “Inequality in Mortality between Black and White Americans by Age, Place, and Cause, and in Comparison to Europe, 1990-2018” (2021). *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 Thoreson, 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. Thoreson (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 · [\[working paper\]](#)

REFEREEING

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

CONFERENCE AND SEMINAR PRESENTATIONS (INCLUDING SCHEDULED)

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

LANGUAGE SKILLS

- Italian (native), English (C2)