

# Sveva Manfredi

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## Education

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### Ph.D. in Global Economics and Management

UCLA ANDERSON SCHOOL OF MANAGEMENT

2025 – Present

### M.Sc. in European and International Public Policy (EIPP - Dual Degree)

THE LONDON SCHOOL OF ECONOMICS AND POLITICAL SCIENCE (LSE) - 2ND YEAR

2022 – 2023

Specialisation: Political Economy

### M.Sc. in Policy Analysis (PPA - Dual Degree)

BOCCONI UNIVERSITY - 1ST YEAR

2021 – 2023

Final Grade: 110/110 cum Laude

**Relevant courses:** Quantitative Methods, Applied Regression Analysis, Public Economics, Game Theory, Political Economy

### B.Sc. in Economics and Finance

BOCCONI UNIVERSITY

2018 – 2021

Final Grade: 110/110 cum Laude

**Relevant courses:** Mathematics, Statistics, Quantitative Methods and Econometrics, Advanced Microeconomics and Macroeconomics, Monetary Economics

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## Research Experience

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### Centre for Economic Performance (LSE)

PRE-DOCTORAL RESEARCH ASSISTANT - LABOUR POLICIES FOR INCLUSIVE GROWTH

Sep 2024 – Present

Supervisor: Prof. Alan Manning

- Project: "The Dynamics of the Mixed Ethnicity Population"

### STICERD-Gates Hub for Equal Representation in the Economy (LSE)

PRE-DOCTORAL RESEARCH ASSISTANT

Sep 2023 – Present

Supervisor: Prof. Camille Landaïs

- Project: "Child Penalty Atlas" - The Review of Economic Studies
  - Cleaning and analysis of both survey and admin microdata (IPUMS, LIS, DHS, ILFS)
- Project on Time Use and Child Penalty

### The London School of Economics and Political Science

RESEARCH ASSISTANT

Apr 2023 – Present

Supervisor: Prof. Almudena Sevilla

- Literature review on gender bias in evaluation
- Creation of a comprehensive dataset on the status of Non-Disclosure Agreements related laws in the US
- Co-Developed the [Research Skills Development Program](#)

### Bocconi University

RESEARCH ASSISTANT

Oct 2022 – Nov 2022

- Data collection and classification of party platforms in the US elections 2022 for supervised and unsupervised learning

### AXA Research Lab on Gender Equality (Bocconi University)

RESEARCH ASSISTANT

Apr 2022 – Jun 2022

Supervisor: Prof. Paola Profeta

- Project: "Monitoring Open List Systems: Does Panachage Backfire on Women?"

## Conferences

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### 65th Annual Conference of the Italian Economic Association

UNIVERSITY OF URBINO (ITALY)

Oct 2024

- Presenting with Almudena Sevilla

### Multidisciplinary approaches and policy innovation in gender research (LSE)

LSE PUBLIC POLICY REVIEW SYMPOSIUM

Sep 2024

- Presenting "Explaining Variation in Child Penalties: The Role of Gender Norms and Policies"

### Royal Economic Society

RES MENTORING PROGRAM

Dec 2023

- Collaborator to the workshop "Crafting the Core: The Science behind the Contribution of Economics Papers" with Almudena Sevilla (LSE) and Pilar Cuevas (LSE)

## Publications

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- Leite-Mariante G, Manfredi S, Landais C. "Explaining Variation in Child Penalties: The Role of Gender Norms and Policies". LSE Public Policy Review. 2025; 3(4): 2, pp. 1–9.
- Cuevas P, Gimenez-Nadal I, Manfredi S, Sevilla A. "A New Conceptualization of Childcare in Economic Models: A Paradigm Shift for Addressing Gender Inequality in the Labor Market". Oxford Review of Economic Policy. Forthcoming.

## Research Projects

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- **MSc Dissertation:** "Does Giorgia Talk More Than Matteo? Evidence of Female Substantive Representation on Facebook in Two Italian Radical Right Parties"  
Under the supervision of Professor Paola Profeta (Bocconi University) and Professor Chris Anderson (LSE)
- Estimated link between the engendering of Radical Right Parties in Europe and the strategic use of Female topics by leaders in political competition

## Other Work Experience

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### Bain & Company

ASSOCIATE CONSULTANT INTERN

Jun 2022 – Sep 2022

- Market and trends analysis, profitability analysis regarding the banking & Aerospace sector

### UniCredit

FINANCIAL ANALYST INTERN

Jul 2019 – Aug 2019

- Data analysis concerning Microcredit, supporting start-up and companies in financial distress

## Activities & Skills

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### Languages

Italian (Native), English (Fluent), French (Intermediate), Chinese (Basic)

### Software & Tools

R, Stata, Python, MATLAB, MS Office, L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X, Tableau, WordPress

### Interests

**President** of *Orizzonti Politici* (Italian "Gen Z think tank" focused on economic and public policy analysis) until February 2025; Graduated in **ballet** after 15 years of training

### Volunteering

**Tutor** with *Save the Children* in Milan schools; **Founder** of *Evolve – It's Your Turn!* ETS, promoting youth engagement and humanitarian action