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Education

MSc Applied Economics - Public Policy and Development. Paris School of Economics | 2021 - 2023.

- Research master's with emphasis on econometrics and policy evaluation. Admission rate: <10%. GPA: 16/20.

BSc Economics, Markets and Institutions. Bologna University | 2018 - 2021.

- Graduated with 110 summa cum laude/110 (equivalent to *mention "très bien"*).
- **Erasmus** exchange at **Tilburg University** in fall 2020.
- Fellow at **Collegio Superiore**, the **honors college** of the University, which offers an additional education. Selected students (<5% admission rate) are granted a full-ride scholarship, accommodation and the tutorship of a professor.
- **TAship** for the seminar "Equality and efficiency of taxation policies" for my tutor, prof. S. Toso.

Work experience

Intern. OECD. Employment, Labor and Social Affairs, Social Policy Division, Paris | May 2022 - current

- Using R to analyze data on gender equality to be presented to G7 governmental cabinets.
- Contributing to a report on the link between fertility and labor market outcomes in Norway, using R and Stata.
- Analyzing a data expansion about fathers' and mothers' uptake of parental leave in EU-SILC survey.
- Contributing to a review of dismissal protection after parental leave.

Research Assistant. Paris School of Economics | March 2022 - May 2022

- RA for professor E. Stancanelli, working on time surveys, telework and intra-household dynamics.
- Produced a comprehensive review of the literature and available datasets for a European Research Council Grant.

Research Intern. European Youth Think-Tank, Strasbourg | April - July 2021.

- Author of a paper about the productive core of the European Union. Used R to produce comparative analyses of Eurostat statistics at NUTS-2 levels. **Forthcoming** on "History of Economic Thought and Policy" - Franco Angeli review.
- Organized and moderated a conference on the Platform for the Conference on the Future of Europe on the topic of academic research in the post-pandemic era.

Grants

- Current: Ermenegildo Zegna Founder's Scholarship for Talented Italian Students.

For my **Master's**, I was awarded grants for other universities, but I renounced them to opt for PSE:

- Merit-based admission and full-ride scholarship to the Erasmus Mundus Master's Degree in Quantitative Economics (QEM).
- Merit-based admission in the Master's in Economics (LMCE) at Bologna University, eligible for full scholarship.

At **Bachelor's** level, I was awarded other full-ride scholarships, but I have renounced to them to opt for the University of Bologna:

- Merit-based admission to International College, University of Venice Ca' Foscari with a full-ride scholarship.
- Merit-based admission to Carlo Alberto College (Turin)
- Merit-based admission to Polytechnic of Turin's «Young talents» program.

Language and computer skills

- **Italian:** mother tongue. **English:** upper C1 (IELTS, score 8 out of 9, January 2021). **French:** B1 (DELTA, January 2020)
- R and RMarkdown, Stata, Python, \LaTeX

Academic Projects

<https://violettavanveen.github.io>

- Wrote a paper on the discrimination against students who repeated a grade in French middle schools. Using the database from Avvisati et al. (2014), using a diff-in-diff framework to compare blind and non-blind scores.
- Wrote a model of the families' provision of reproductive labor, in the framework of intrahousehold bargaining, extending it to the choice of outsourcing reproductive labor and endogenizing the woman's bargaining power.
- Wrote a **replication** and analysis paper of Hatton (2016), using R to replicate the econometric relations from the same database.
- As a student in **Collegio Superiore**, every year I wrote 5 papers based on individual research on one of the topics addressed during the courses. Among others, "The platformization of the Internet infrastructure: economic and social effects in cities" (**published** on Treccani "Il Chiasmo" magazine), "Equality of Opportunity and Gender Equality in Italian Excellence Colleges" (1st place winner at "Rete di Idee" call for papers).