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CURRENT POSITION

2023 – Assistant Professor in Economics of Financial Intermediaries, Sapienza University of Rome

PREVIOUS POSITIONS

2015 –23 Assistant Professor in Financial Economics, University of Birmingham, UK
2019 Junior Visiting Professor, Department of Business and Management, LUISS, Rome, IT
2018 Junior Visiting Professor, Department of Economics and Finance, LUISS, Rome, IT
2016 Junior Visiting Fellow, SAFE Research Center at Goethe University Frankfurt, DE
2014 –15 Teaching Fellow, University of Sussex, Brighton, UK
2014 Adjunct Professor, LUISS University, Rome, IT
2013 Visiting Fellow, University of Milan-Bicocca, IT
2012 –14 Research Fellow, LUISS University, Rome, IT
2011 –13 Teaching Fellow, Queen Mary, University of London, UK
2010 –11 Teaching Fellow, University College London, UK
2010 –12 Adjunct Professor, University of Molise, IT

EDUCATION

2007–13 PhD in Economics, Birkbeck, University of London, UK
2004–09 Dottorato di Ricerca in Economics, University of Molise, IT
2005–06 MSc in Economics, Birkbeck, University of London, UK
1999–04 BSc in Economics and Social Sciences, University of Molise, IT

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Market Microstructure, Financial Economics, Behavioural and Experimental Finance and Economics.

JOURNAL PUBLICATIONS

“Feedback Quality and Performance in Organisations” (with Michalis Drouvelis), *The Leadership Quarterly*, 2021, *in press*. [<https://doi.org/10.1016/j.leafqua.2021.101534>].

“Informed Trading in Parallel Bond Markets”, *Journal of Financial Markets*, 2015, Vol. 26 (C), 103-121. [<https://doi.org/10.1016/j.finmar.2015.08.002>].

“The Impact of Economic News on Bond Prices: Evidence From the MTS Platform”, *Journal of Banking and Finance*, 2014, Vol. 49, 302-322. [<https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jbankfin.2014.08.007>].

TEACHING

2023 –24 Sapienza University of Rome

Banking and Capital Markets (2nd year undergraduate); Business Finance (2nd year undergraduate)

2015 –23 University of Birmingham

Advanced Financial Markets and Institutions (3rd year undergraduate); Financial Markets and Institutions (2nd year undergraduate); Extended Essay Supervision (3rd year undergraduate); Economics of Financial Markets (3rd year undergraduate, 2020); Security Analysis and Portfolio Theory (MSc Money, Banking and Finance, 2015-2019); Financial and Business Systems (1st year undergraduate, 2015)

2014–15 University of Sussex

Introduction to Statistics (1st year undergraduate); Applied Statistics for Finance and Economics (2nd year undergraduate); Quantitative Methods for Finance (MSc International Finance, MSc Banking and Finance); Statistics Project (3rd year undergraduate); Postgraduate dissertations supervision

2015 LUISS University

Economics of Uncertainty and Information (3rd year undergraduate)

2011–13 Queen Mary, University of London

Financial Market and Institutions (2nd year undergraduate); Corporate Finance (3rd year undergraduate); Risk Management for Banking (MSc Banking and Finance, MSc Investment and Finance)

2010–11 University College London

Microeconomics (1st year undergraduate)

2010–12 University of Molise

International Economics (2nd year undergraduate)

2007–11 Birkbeck, University of London

Microeconomics, International Finance, Financial Markets, Quantitative Techniques [Classes]; Micro Techniques [Lectures] (Postgraduate Certificate)

PHD SUPERVISION AND EXAMINATION

- 2020 – First Supervisor: Nisha Thomas, University of Birmingham
- 2021 PhD Viva- External Examiner, Department of Economics, UCL (Essays on uncertainty and asymmetric information in financial markets - Seungmoon Park)
- PhD Viva - Internal examiner, Department of Economics, University of Birmingham (Essays on Expectations and Learning in Macroeconomics - Li Tang)
- PhD Viva - Internal examiner, Department of Economics, University of Birmingham (Essays on Social Distance and Economic Decision Making - Hamideh Mohtashami Borzadaran)

CONFERENCE, SEMINAR AND WORKSHOP PRESENTATIONS

- 2022 PRiFIN Project: Perception of Risk in the Financial System: the Impact of Financial Innovation on the Perception-Belief-Behaviour Nexus, Coventry University, UK (invited speaker).
- 2020 Research Seminar, Bangor Business School, UK (invited speaker); MinervaLab Research Seminar, Sapienza University of Rome, IT (invited speaker–webinar).
- 2019 Public Debt Management Conference, Paris, FR; Economic Theory Workshop, Birkbeck, University of London, London, UK (invited speaker); INFINITI Conference on International Finance, Glasgow, UK; 26th International Conference on Forecasting Financial Markets, Venice, IT; EconMod2019, Ponta Delgada, Azores, PT; XIX European Conference on Social and Behavioral Sciences, Rome, IT; Departmental Seminar, LUISS University, Rome, IT (invited speaker).
- 2018 International Finance and Banking Society Conference, Porto, Portugal; The Foundations of Utility and Risk Conference (FUR), York, UK; 24th International Conference on Computing in Economics and Finance, Milan, IT; Birmingham Experimental Economics Workshop on Social Preferences, Birmingham, UK; Behavioural and Experimental Economics Workshop, LUISS, Rome (invited speaker); Departmental Seminar, Lumsa University, Rome, IT (invited speaker); Departmental Seminar, University of Molise, IT (invited speaker).
- 2017 XXVI International Conference on Money, Banking and Finance, Palermo, IT; Experimental Finance Conference, Niece, FR.
- 2016 European meeting of the Economic Science Association, Bergen, NO; Behavioural and Experimental Economics Workshop, LUISS, Rome, IT (invited speaker); 3rd International Meeting on Experimental and Behavioral Social Sciences (IMEBESS), Rome, IT.
- 2015 21st International Conference on Computing in Economics and Finance, Taipei, TW.
- 2014 Max Planck Institute of Economics, Jena, Germany (invited speaker); Departmental Seminar, City University, London, UK (invited speaker)
- 2013 Departmental Seminar, Department of Economics, University of Milan-Bicocca, IT; 5th Italian Congress of Econometrics and Empirical Economics (ICEEE), Genoa, IT.
- 2012 18th International Conference on Computing in Economics and Finance, Prague, Czech Republic; 5th EMG-ESRC Workshop on the Microstructure of Financial Markets, CASS Business School, London, UK; 73rd International Atlantic Economic Conference, Istanbul, TR; 5th CSDA International Conference on Computational and Financial Econometrics, London, UK.

- 2011 26th Annual Congress of the European Economic Association, Oslo, NO; 43rd Money, Macro and Finance Research Group Conference, Birmingham, UK; 28th GdRE Symposium on Money, Banking and Finance, Reading, UK.
- 2010 42nd Money, Macro and Finance Research Group Conference, Limassol, Cyprus; 25th Annual Congress of the European Economic Association, Glasgow, UK; 12th ZEW Summer Workshop for Young Economists, ZEW, Mannheim, DE; 3rd PhD Economics & Finance Conference, Brunel University, London, UK; BMRC-QASS Conference on Macro and Financial Economics, London, UK; PhD Seminar, Birkbeck, London, UK; Scottish Economic Society Annual Conference, Perth, UK.
- 2009 41st Money, Macro and Finance Research Group Conference, Bradford, UK; PhD Seminar, Birkbeck, University of London, UK.

AWARDS AND SCHOLARSHIPS

- 2022 Andrea von Braun Stiftung Foundation Research Support Award for the project: "The role of leadership in promoting sustainability", (Co-Investigator: Professor Michalis Drouvelis), *ongoing*.
- 2021 Birmingham Research Support Fund for the project: "Leadership and Social Incentives",
- 2020 Birmingham Research and Innovation Fund for the project: "Innovations in markets: An experiment with professional traders",
- 2019 Erasmus Plus staff mobility funds for teaching, Department of Economics and Finance, LUISS University, Rome, IT
 Junior Visiting Professorship, Department of Economics and Finance, LUISS University, Rome, IT
 Junior Visiting Professorship, Department of Business and Management, LUISS University, Rome, IT
- 2018 Erasmus Plus staff mobility funds for training, Department of Economics and Finance, LUISS University, Rome, IT
 Birmingham Research and Innovation Fund for the project: "Feedback Quality and Performance in Organisations"
 Birmingham International Travel Fund for a joint research project with an abroad Institution
- 2016 Birmingham Research and Innovation Fund for the project: "Anonymity in a dealer-to-customer market"
 Junior Visiting Fellowship, SAFE Research Centre at Goethe University Frankfurt, DE
- 2015 Birmingham Research and Innovation Fund for the project: "Experiment on gender differences in a third-party punishment game"
- 2014 Short-visiting Fellowship, Max Planck Institute of Economics, Jena, Germany
- 2013 Visiting Fellowship, University of Milan-Bicocca, IT
- 2008 –11 Teaching scholarship, Birkbeck, University of London, UK
- 2004 –07 Doctoral scholarship, Ministero dell' Istruzione, dell'Università e della Ricerca, IT

REFEREEING ACTIVITY

National Science Center, Poland (grant referee); European Economic Review, Journal of Empirical Finance, Journal of Economic Behavior & Organization, International Journal of Finance and Economics, International Review of Economics & Finance, Bulletin of Economic Research, International Journal of Banking Accounting & Finance.

UNIVERSITY SERVICE

- 2020 –23 Programme Admissions Tutor, BSc Mathematical Economics and Statistics, University of Birmingham
- 2020 –22 Programme Admissions Tutor, BSc Economics with Languages, University of Birmingham
- 2019 Co-organiser of The Experimental Economics Workshop, University of Birmingham
- 2017 –18 Head of the Second Year Undergraduate, University of Birmingham
- 2015 –18 Internal Seminars Organiser, Department of Economics, University of Birmingham
- 2011 Deputy Director for the MSc in Investment and Finance, Queen Mary, University of London
- 2011-2012 Co-organiser of the 7th and 8th Royal Economic Society PhD Presentation Meeting (UK job market), Queen Mary, University of London

OTHER COURSES AND QUALIFICATIONS

- Oct 2015 Fellow of The Higher Education Academy
- Jul 2013 Postgraduate Certificate in Academic Practice (PGCAP) The Learning Institute, Queen Mary, University of London, UK
- Apr 2008 Fundamentals of Teaching Centre of Learning and Professional Development, Birkbeck, London, UK
- Sep 2007 Summer School in Advanced Econometrics Centro Interuniversitario di Econometria (CiDE), Lecce, IT

COMPUTER PACKAGES

Office, Stata, Matlab, Python, z-Tree, L^AT_EX, Virtual Learning Environments (Moodle, Blackboard, Canvas).

LANGUAGES

Italian (native); English (fluent)