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## Current Position

Luxembourg Institute of Socio-Economic Research (LISER), Research Associate Jan. 2021 - /

## Previous Academic Positions

University of Heidelberg, Post-Doctoral Fellow Sep. 2018 - Aug. 2020

Alfred-Weber-Institut

Chair of Labour Economics (Prof Christina Gathmann)

## Education

Trinity College Dublin, PhD in Economics Sep. 2014 - Sep. 2018

Supervisor: Prof Gaia Narciso

Paris School of Economics, Visiting Fellow

Supervisor: Prof Hillel Rapoport

University of St Andrews, MSc in Economics Sep. 2012 - Jan. 2014

Università Politecnica delle Marche, L.T. in Economia e Commercio Sep. 2009 - Sep. 2012

University of Glasgow, Erasmus Programme

## Teaching Experience

University of Heidelberg, Labour Economics Apr. 2019 - Aug. 2019

Lecturer (Undergraduate Elective Course)

University of Heidelberg, Immigration and its Consequences Jan. 2020

Lecturer (Undergraduate Elective Course)

Trinity College Dublin, Microeconomics Sep. 2015 - Sep. 2018

Teaching Assistant (MSc in Economics)

Trinity College Dublin, Mathematics and Statistics Sep. 2014 - Aug. 2015

Teaching Assistant (BESS, Bachelors Degree)

## Publications

1. Globalization, Agricultural Markets and Mass Migration: Italy, 1881-1912 (with Rowena Grey and Gaia Narciso), *Explorations in Economic History*, 74, 2019
2. British-French Technology Transfers from the Revolution to Louis Philippe (1791-1844): Evidence from Patent Data (with Alessandro Nuvolari & Michelangelo Vasta), *Journal of Economic History*, forthcoming  
[\[CEPR Discussion Paper 15620\]](#)

## Working Papers [\[Here\]](#)

1. International Migration Responses to the 1908 Messina-Reggio Calabria Earthquake (with Yannay Spitzer & Ariell Zimran)  
[\[CEPR Discussion Paper 15008\]](#) [\[NBER Discussion Paper 27506\]](#)  
*[Submitted]*
2. Male and Female Self-Selection During the Age of Mass Migration: The Case of Portugal, 1885-1930 (with Martín Fernández Sánchez)  
[\[SSRN Working Paper\]](#)
3. Irregular citizens: Internal migrations and anti-urbanism in Italy (1957-1965)  
*[PDF available on request]*
4. Innovation and Early Industrialisation in France, 1791-1844: A New Geographical Perspective from Patent Data (with Alessandro Nuvolari & Michelangelo Vasta)
5. Diffusion, Networks and Cycles: US-bound Italian Migration (1892-1912)  
*[PDF available on request]*

## Scholarships

Irish Research Council, Postgraduate Scholarship	Sep. 2015 - Sep. 2018
Trinity College Dublin, Economics Department Fellowship	Sep. 2014 - Aug. 2018
Erasmus Scholarship	Sep. 2011 - Aug. 2012
University Fee Waiver	Sep. 2010 - Sep. 2011

## Professional Activities

Referee for *The Journal of Health Economics*

## Languages

Italian (native), English (native level, IELTS C2), French (C1), German (C1)

Coding languages: R, RMarkdown, Python, STATA, HTML, CSS, LaTeX, Linux Command Line

[\[Coding samples\]](#)

## Seminars and Conference

Economic History Association (La Crosse, 2022), RSE Meeting (Siena, 2022), University of Mannheim (Mannheim, 2020), European Historical Economics Society (Paris, 2019), LISER (Luxembourg, 2019), University of Cologne (Cologne, 2019), Università Politecnica delle Marche (Ancona, 2019), MZES (Mannheim, 2018), University of Heidelberg (Heidelberg, 2018, 2019), EH TUNE (Siena, 2018), Economic History Society (Keele, 2018), Economic History Association (San Jose, poster, 2018), European Historical Economics Society (Tübingen, 2017), International conference on migration and development (Crelmont-Ferrand, discussant, 2017), Paris School of Economics (Paris, 2017), Trinity College Dublin

## Additional qualifications

Barcelona Data Science Summer School, BGSE Jul. 2016

## Additional skills

Working knowledge of the Adobe Suite (Photoshop, Lightroom, Illustrator and Dreamweaver)

## **Extra activities**

Photography, guitar playing (mostly fingerstyle) and road cycling