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Current Position

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

Previous Academic Positions

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

Education

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

Visiting Fellow, Paris School of Economics

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

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

Erasmus Student, University of Glasgow

Publications

1. Globalization, Agricultural Markets and Mass Migration: Italy, 1881-1912 (with Rowena Grey and Gaia Narciso), *Explorations in Economic History*, 74, 2019 [[Paper](#)]
2. British-French Technology Transfers from the Revolution to Louis Philippe (1791-1844): Evidence from Patent Data (with Alessandro Nuvolari and Michelangelo Vasta), *Journal of Economic History*, 83(3), 833-873, 2023 [[Paper](#)] [[CEPR Discussion Paper 15620](#)]
3. Irregular Citizens: Internal Migrations and Anti-urbanism in Italy (1957-1965), *Rivista di Storia Economica, Italian Review of Economic History*, 39(1), 63-88, 2023 [[Paper](#)]
4. Male and Female Self-Selection During the Portuguese Mass Migration, 1885-1930 (with Martín Fernández Sánchez) [[Paper](#)] [[SSRN Working Paper](#)]
[*Accepted at Explorations in Economic History*]

Working Papers

1. International Migration Responses to the 1908 Messina-Reggio Calabria Earthquake (with Yannay Spitzer and Ariell Zimran) [[CEPR Discussion Paper 15008](#)] [[NBER Discussion Paper 27506](#)]
[*Conditionally accepted at the Journal of Economic History*]
2. Innovation and Early Industrialisation in France, 1791-1844: A New Geographical Perspective from Patent Data (with Alessandro Nuvolari and Michelangelo Vasta)
3. Shower(s) of Gold: Remittances to Italy in the Age of Mass Migration (1901-1925)

Work in Progress

1. Migration and the Demographic Transition (with Yannay Spitzer and Ariell Zimran)

Teaching Experience

Lecturer, Labour Economics, University of Heidelberg	2019
Lecturer, Immigration and its Consequences, University of Heidelberg	2020
Teaching Assistant, Microeconomics (MSc), Trinity College Dublin	2015 - 2018
Teaching Assistant, Mathematics and Statistics (BSc), Trinity College Dublin	2014 - 2015

Professional Activities

Referee for *The Journal of Health Economics*, *Explorations in Economic History*, *The Journal of Economic History*, *The European Review of Economic History*

Languages

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

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

Scholarships

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

Seminars and Conferences

ASE (Naples, 2023), Iberometrics (Lisbon, 2023), Economic History Association (La Crosse, WI, USA, 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, CA, USA, poster, 2018), European Historical Economics Society (Tübingen, 2017), International conference on migration and development (Crelrmont-Ferrand, discussant, 2017), Paris School of Economics (Paris, 2017), Trinity College Dublin

Additional skills

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

Hobbies

Photography, Languages, Travelling, Cycling, Guitars