

## *Curriculum Vitae*

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### **CURRENT POSITION**

Assistant Professor of Economics - Department of Economics, University of Verona.

### **RESEARCH INTERESTS**

Health Economics, Ageing, Development Economics, Gender Economics, Migration, Policy Evaluations.

### **AFFILIATION TO SCIENTIFIC INSTITUTIONS**

AIES (Italian Association of Health Economics), EEA (European Economic Association).

### **PAST PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

Aug 2018-Jun 2019 *Post-Doc* at the Ca' Foscari University of Venice, Department of Economics.

Jul 2017-Jun 2018 *Post-Doc* at the Ca' Foscari University of Venice, Department of Economics.

Jul 2016-Jun 2017 *Post-Doc* at the Ca' Foscari University of Venice, Department of Economics.

Apr 2015-Apr 2016 *Post-Doc* at the Ca' Foscari University of Venice, Department of Economics.

Apr 2014-Apr 2015 *Post-Doc* at the Ca' Foscari University of Venice, Department of Economics.

Apr 2013-Apr 2014 *Post-Doc* at the Ca' Foscari University of Venice, Department of Economics.

Jan-March 2013 *Post-Doc* at the University of Eastern Piedmont, Department of Law and Political, Economic and Social Science.

## EDUCATION

- 2013 Ph.D in Economic Policy, Catholic University of the Sacred Heart, Milan. Ph.D Supervisors: Prof. Gilberto Turati, Prof.ssa Mariacristina Piva. Dissertation title: “Three Essays on Microcredit and Poverty”.
- 2009 M. Sc. in Economics and Public Policy, University of Eastern Piedmont “A. Avogadro”, Alessandria, Italy. Final mark 110/110 cum laude, print worthy. Dissertation title: “Asymmetric information and Microcredit”. Advisor: Prof. Mario Ferrero. Subject: Microeconomics.
- 2005 B.A. in Economics and Finance, University of Eastern Piedmont “A. Avogadro”, Alessandria, Italy. Final mark 110/110 cum laude. Dissertation title: “Unemployment trends at the regional and the national level: Evidence from Italy”. Advisor: Prof. Guido Ortona. Subject: Labor Economics.

## PUBLICATIONS

### Peer-reviewed Journal Articles:

- "What do we learn about redistribution effects of pension systems from internationally comparable measures of Social Security Wealth?" (2019), with M. Belloni, A. Brugiavini, R. E. Buia, L. Carrino, D. Cavapozzi, and G. Pasini, *Journal of Pension Economics & Finance*, 1-19, DOI: 10.1017/S1474747219000118.
- “Demand of Long-term care and benefit eligibility across European countries” with Ludovico Carrino and Giacomo Pasini (2018), *Health Economics*, Volume 27, Issue 8, pp. 1175-1188 ( DOI: 10.1002/hec.3665).
- “Home Sweet Home? Explaining Inequalities in the use of Home Care Services among European Elderly” (2017), with V. Carrieri and C. Di Novi, *Fiscal Studies*, 38: 445–468.
- “The determinants of women’s empowerment in Bangladesh: the role of partner’s attitudes and participation in microcredit programs” (2016), with E. Fabrizi, *Journal of Development Studies*, Volume 52, Issue 6, pp: 895-912.

### Other Publications:

- “Dalla carità al business: prospettive di microcredito e microfinanza nei Paesi in via di sviluppo” (2009), *Electronic Journal of Management*, Department of Business Economics, University of Genova, Volume 2.

### Books:

- “Vulnerability and Long-term Care in Europe: an Economic perspective” (2017) with A. Brugiavini, L. Carrino, and G. Pasini, Palgrave Macmillan, UK, ISBN: 978-3-319-68969-2. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-319-68969-2>.

### Reports and Chapters in books:

- “The Effects of adverse childhood experiences on mental well-being later in life” (2019), with R.E. Buia and M. Kovacic, *forthcoming* in A. Börsch-Supan, K. Andersen-Ranberg, J. Bristle, A. Brugiavini, F. Jusot, H. Litwin, G. Weber, Health and socio-economic status over the life course. First results from SHARE Waves 6 and 7, Berlin, De Gruyter (ISBN 978-3-11-061723-8; 978-3-11-061724-5; 978-3-11-061745-0).
- “Differences in health care use between migrant and native older people”(2019), with S. Fiore and M. Kovacic, *forthcoming* in A. Börsch-Supan, K. Andersen-Ranberg, J. Bristle, A. Brugiavini, F. Jusot, H. Litwin, G. Weber, Health and socio-economic status over the life course. First results from SHARE Waves 6 and 7, Berlin, De Gruyter (ISBN 978-3-11-061723-8; 978-3-11-061724-5; 978-3-11-061745-0).
- “Eligibility regulations and formal home-care utilisation among the vulnerable older people in the 5th Wave of SHARE” (2015) with L. Carrino, in *Ageing in Europe – Supporting Policies for an inclusive Society*, by Borsch- Supan, A., Kneip, T., Litwin, H., Mych, M., And Weber, G..
- “La crisi economica e le disuguaglianze nell’accesso alle cure sanitarie: uno sguardo alla situazione in Italia e in Europa”, in *Il Sistema Sanitario in controllo*, Report 2014, Fondazione Farmafactoring (pp. 38-44).

### Working Papers:

- “Why Do Some Individuals Fear Immigration More than Others? Evidence from Europe” with Matija Kovacic (2016), University Ca' Foscari of Venice, Dept. of Economics Research Paper Series Forthcoming. Available at SSRN: <http://ssrn.com/abstract=2739274>, *Under Review*.
- “Combining the Retrospective Interviews of Wave 3 and Wave 7: The Third Release of the SHARE Job Episodes Panel”, (2019) with Agar Brugiavini, Genie, Mesfin G.,Naci, Rinaldo, and Pasini, Giacomo, SHARE Working Papers, vol. 36, pp. 1-18.
- “Formal and informal sector: interactions between moneylenders and traditional banks in the rural Indian credit market” (2009), Working paper n. 151, Department of Public Policy and Public Choice– POLIS, University of Eastern Piedmont.
- “Microcredit and poverty. An overview of the principal statistical methods used to measure the program net impacts” (2011), Working Paper n.180, Department of Public Policy and Public Choice – POLIS, University of Eastern Piedmont.
- “Eligibility and inclusiveness of Long-Term Care Institutional frameworks in Europe: a cross-country comparison” (2014), with Ludovico Carrino, Working Paper n. 28, Department of Economics, Ca' Foscari University of Venice.
- “Internationally comparable measures of individual Social Security Wealth in SHARE Wave 4” (2016), with Michele Belloni, Ludovico Carrino, Raluca Elena Buia, Danilo Cavapozzi, Giacomo Pasini, and Agar Brugiavini, SHARE Working Paper 24-2016.

## ONGOING RESEARCH

- Domestic violence and labor force participation in Spain, with Libertad Gonzalez.
- Adverse childhood experiences and mental health later in adulthood: Evidence from SHARELIFE, with A. Brugiavini, R.E. Buia, and M. Kovacic.
- Caregiving and breadwinning, with C. Di Novi and Elenka Brenna.
- Migration and Ethnic distribution in Bosnia-Herzegovina, with M. Kovacic.
- Gender diversity and Green Lending, with E. Laretta and E. K. Pour.

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- 2019 Lecturer, Master in Public Policy Evaluation, Rome (at *Senato della Repubblica*).
- 2019 Lecturer, Microeconomics (undergraduate), Ca' Foscari University of Venice.
- 2018 Lecturer, Master in Public Policy Evaluation, Rome (at *Senato della Repubblica*).
- 2018 Lecturer, Microeconomics (undergraduate), Ca' Foscari University of Venice.
- 2017 Lecturer, Economics of Art and Culture (graduate), Ca' Foscari University of Venice.
- 2016 Lecturer, Master in Public Policy Evaluation, Rome (at *Senato della Repubblica*).
- 2014 - STATA workshop, *Summer Institute of Ageing*, Venice International University.
- 2015 Lecturer, Master in Public Administration, Ca' Foscari University of Venice.
- 2015 Lecturer, Master in Health Economics, Ca' Foscari University of Venice.
- 2011 Lecturer, Economics (undergraduate), University of Eastern Piedmont, Alessandria (IT).
- 2011 -2013 Teaching Assistant for Advanced Microeconomics (graduate), University of Eastern Piedmont , Alessandria (IT).
- 2008 Teaching Assistant for Quantitative Methods in Economics (graduate), University of Eastern Piedmont, Alessandria (IT).

## SCHOLARSHIPS, GRANTS AND AWARDS

- 2018 Italian National Institute of Social Security –INPS. Collaboration on the project “Disability, remaining life expectancy and socioeconomic status”
- 2013-2017 Statistics expert (“*Cultore della materia*”), Catholic University of the Sacred Heart, Milan.
- 2015 RAND Summer Institute, participation scholarship
- 2014-2016 SHARE Research Fellowship, Ca' Foscari University of Venice.
- 2013-2014 Research Fellowship, Ca' Foscari University of Venice.
- 2013 Research Grant from the Italian Health Economics Association (AIES) and Farmafactoring Foundation (PI: Cristina Elisa Orso, € 10.000).
- 2013 Research Fellowship, University of Eastern Piedmont.
- 2009-2012 Ph.D. Scholarship, Catholic University of the Sacred Heart, Milan.

## INTERNATIONAL RESEARCH NETWORKS

- 2016 - Member of the research project “Measuring Microfinance Impact in the EU Policy recommendations for Financial and Social Inclusion”, awarded by the EIB-Universities Research Sponsorship (EIBURS) - European Investment Bank Institute (EIB), Euro 300.000.
- 2014- Member of the SHARE research group of Venice, involved in the following international

projects:

- Multinational Advancement of Research Infrastructures on Ageing - Survey of Health, Ageing and Retirement in Europe” (SHARE M4), FP7th Collaborative Project, EU Commission, Coordinator: Universität Mannheim, from January 2011 to December 2014;
- “Achieving world-class standards in all SHARE countries” (SHARE-DEV 3), Horizon 2020, European Commission, Coordinator: Universität Mannheim, from July 2015.

## VISITING EXPERIENCES

- 2012 Visiting Ph.D. Student, Department of Economics and Business and Barcelona Graduate School of Economics, Universitat Pompeu Fabra, Barcelona – Spain.
- 2014 Visiting Post-Doctoral Researcher, Department of Economics and Business, Universitat Pompeu Fabra, Barcelona – Spain.

## FURTHER EDUCATION

- 2018 Course in *Advanced Health Econometrics* (held by Prof. Alberto Holly), Ca’ Foscari University of Venice.
- 2018 Thirteenth Winter School on Inequality and Social Welfare Theory: The different dimensions of inequality, University of Verona (Alba di Canazei), Verona (IT).
- 2017 Twelfth Winter School on Inequality and Social Welfare Theory: Space, Mobility, and opportunities, University of Verona (Alba di Canazei), Verona (IT).
- 2015 RAND Summer Institute, “Mini-medical School for Social Scientists” and “Demography, Economics, Psychology and Epidemiology of Ageing” conference, RAND Corporation, Center for the Studies of Aging, Santa Monica, Los Angeles CA, US.
- 2015 Tenth Winter School on Inequality and Social Welfare Theory: Diversity, Fairness and Well-Being, University of Verona (Alba di Canazei), Verona (IT)
- 2013 Microeconomic Summer School, *Dynamic and Non-linear Panel Data Models*, Barcelona Graduate School of Economics, Universitat Pompeu Fabra (Spain).
- 2013 *Summer Institute of Ageing*, Venice International University.
- 2011 Microeconomic Summer School , *Quantitative Methods for Public Policy Evaluation*, Barcelona Graduate School of Economics, Universitat Pompeu Fabra (Spain).

## CONFERENCES AND SEMINARS

- 2019 Seminar at University of Verona; SHARE User Conference 2019, Budapest (Hungary) (scheduled).
- 2018 Spring Meeting of Young Economists 2018, Palma de Mallorca (ES); Warsaw International Economics Meeting (WIEM), Warsaw.
- 2017 Invenicement Economic Forum, Department of Economics, Ca’ Foscari University of Venice; 14th EMN Annual Conference, San Servolo Island, Venice (Italy).
- 2016 2dn ATHEA conference (Austrian Health Economic Association), Vienna; HALM Workshop, “Household Economics in an Ageing Society”, Catholic University, Milan;

- 2015 Workshop IBEO – Health Economics, Alghero (IT).  
Comparative International Research Based on the HRS Family of Data, RAND Center for the Study of Ageing, Santa Monica, Los Angeles, CA, US; Workshop on the public financing of Long-term care, London School of Economic and Political Sciences, London.
- 2014 Italian Health Economics Association, Annual Conference, Venice; SHARE wave 5 Conference, Turin.
- 2013 POLIS seminar, University of Eastern Piedmont, Alessandria; SHARE User Conference, HEC Business School in Liege, Belgium.
- 2012 Doctoral Seminars, Catholic University, Milan (Italy).
- 2011 Doctoral Seminars, Catholic University, Milan (Italy).

## OTHER ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES

Referee for *Economic Notes*

Co-organiser of the “ResearchForValeria Conference 2016”, Ca’ Foscari University of Venice, 11<sup>th</sup> November 2016.

Member of the Scientific Committee, “ResearchForValeria Conference 2018”, University of Trento, 29<sup>th</sup> January 2018.

## LANGUAGES AND COMPUTER SKILLS

**Languages:** Italian, mother tongue; English, fluent; Spanish, fluent.

**Software:** Good knowledge of Microsoft Office, Openbugs, STATA, LaTeX,.

## REFERENCES:

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