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Research Interests

Primary: Environmental and Resource Economics, Climate Economics

Secondary: Applied Microeconomics

Academic Positions

UC Santa Barbara Postdoctoral Researcher	2023-
EDUCATION	
Paris School of Economics	
PhD Economics	2020 - 2023
London School of Economics & Grantham Research Institute	
European Doctoral Program Visiting Student	2023
UC Santa Barbara	
Visiting Research Scholar	2022
Paris School of Economics	
MSc Analysis and Policy in Economics, summa cum laude	2018-2020
University of Padova	
BSc Economics, 110/110 cum laude	2015-2018

Publications

"Drought exposure and accuracy: Motivated reasoning in climate change beliefs". $Environmental\ and\ Resource\ Economics,\ 85,\ 649–672\ (2023)$

"Happier Elderly Residents. The positive impact of physical activity on objective and subjective health condition of elderly people in nursing homes. Evidence from a multi-site randomized controlled trial", with Claudia Senik, Carine Milcent, Chloé Gerves-Pinquié and Patricia Dargent-Molina, Applied Research in Quality of Life, 17(2), 1091-1111 (2022)

Working Papers

"Adapting to climate change accounting for individual beliefs" R&R at Journal of Development Economics

"Sectoral impact and propagation of weather shocks" IMF Working Paper, 2023/053

"Climate-induced migration and environmental values"

"Endogenous green preferences" (with Ravi Vora)

Universitat Pompeu Fabra - Exchange Semester

Seminars and Conferences

2024: Workshop on Public Policies (IEB Barcelona, scheduled), AERE Summer Conference (scheduled), MIT Research Workshop on Climate Change Adaptation (invited, scheduled), WU Vienna University of Economics and Business (invited), University of Padova, emLab Research Roundtable

2023: OECD Environment Directorate (invited), EEA-ESEM Congress, EAERE Annual Conference, Climate Economics Workshop, Harvard Kennedy School, EDP Jamboree (PSE), Workshop on Political Economy (Universitat de Barcelona), LSE Environmental Economics Graduate Seminar, Judgement and Decision Making Lab (University of Padova), 11th Mannheim Conference on Energy and the Environment, SEEDS 2023 Annual Workshop, LSE Environment Day, Transport, Energy and Climate Economics Working Group (Université Paris-Dauphine), IPWSD (Columbia University), IAERE Annual Conference, University of Padova, ADRES Doctoral Conference

2022: 15th PhD Workshop in Economics (Collegio Carlo Alberto), Graduate Seminar in International Economics (PSE), Paris Migration Economics Seminar - IC Migrations (PSE), PSE-CREST Informal Workshop in Empirical Environmental Economics, 2nd IZA Workshop: Climate Change and Human Wellbeing, IMF Fiscal Affairs Seminar, EEA-ESEM Congress (Bocconi University), EAERE Annual Conference, Royal Economic Society - Symposium of Junior Researchers (University of Warwick), AERE Summer Conference, 19th Occasional Workshop in Environmental and Resource Economics (UC Santa Barbara), IAERE Annual Conference, IPWSD (Columbia University), 15th RGS Doctoral Conference in Economics, Casual Friday Development Seminar (PSE)

2021: Climate Economics Chair (Dauphine University), Behavioural Workgroup (PSE), Bavarian Young Economists' Meeting, PhD Summer School on Applied Microeconomics - University of Cyprus, Lancaster University and University of Padova, FAERE Annual Conference, Little Informal Seminar (PSE), SEEDS Annual Workshop (Rome), Irish Postgraduate and Early Career Workshop - IPECE, OSWEET, WICK (Carlo Alberto)

Work Experience

IMF - International Monetary Fund		
Fund Internship Program - Fiscal Affairs Department	Summer	2022
Harvard Business School		
Research Assistant to Marco Tabellini	2019 -	2021
OECD - Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development		
Consultant (PARIS21/Statistics and Data Directorate)	2019 -	2022
Centre National de la Recherche Scientifique (CNRS)		
Research Assistant to Jérémie Gignoux and Akiko Suwa-Eisenmann	Summer	2019
Paris School of Economics		
Research Assistant to Claudia Senik	Spring	2019
EconoVision – Economic Research and Consultancy		
Junior Consultant	2017 -	2018
TEACHING EXPERIENCE		
SciencesPo Paris		
Lecturer in Applied Econometrics using Stata, Graduate		2021
IESEG School of Management		
Lecturer in Microeconomics, Undergraduate	2021,	2022
Università degli Studi di Padova		
Guest Lecturer in Environmental Economics and Policy, Undergraduate (10h)	2021, 2023,	2024
IESEG School of Management		
Lecturer in Macroeconomics, Graduate	2021, 2022,	2023
Awards, Grants and Fellowships		
AERE Scholars Program, Association of Environmental and Resource Economists	202.	4-2025
Conference Travel Grant, European Economic Association 2023		
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European Doctoral Program in Quantitative Economics (EDP), London School of Economics 2023		
Conference Travel Grant, European Economic Association		2022
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International Mobility Grant, Paris School of Economics		2022
Conference Grant, Young Scholar Initiative (YSI) by Institute for New Economic Thinking (INET)		2021 2021
International Mobility Grant, Ile-de-France region Research Fellow, Institute Convergence Migration	2021 – F	
PhD Grant, Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne University		- 2023
International Mobility Scholarship, University of Padova		- 2018
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Professional Activities

Referee: Environmental and Resource Economics (>1), Environment and Development Economics (>1)

SKILLS

Languages: Italian (Native), English (Fluent), French (Intermediate), Spanish (Intermediate)

Computer: R, Stata, QGIS, LATEX

Additional Education

University of Cyprus, Lancaster University and University of Padova, Department of Economics		
PhD Summer School on Applied Microeconomics	2021	
Conservatory of Music "C. Pollini"		
BA Bassoon Music Performance, 110/110	2013 - 2017	
ACTIVITIES		
Editor-in-chief of Paris School of Economics students' magazine	2018 - 2020	
First-Dan Black Belt Taekwon-Do ITF Instructor	2016-	
Bassoonist (Soloist and in Orchestras)	2013-	