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Research Interests

Political Economics, Public Economics, Crime Economics, Applied Economics

Education

- 2015-2019* **Ph.D. Candidate in Economics (Vilfredo Pareto Doctorate)**
expected *University of Torino*
Thesis Dissertation: *Three Essays in the Economics of Crime*
Supervisor: Giovanni Mastrobuoni (Collegio Carlo Alberto)
- 2011-2014* **MSc. Economics and Social Sciences**
Bocconi University
Final Dissertation: *Corruption crime rate and newspaper articles: Empirical evidence from Italy*
Final grade: 104/110
- 2008-2011* **BSc. International Economics and Management**
University of Padova
Final Dissertation: *The taxation of solid urban waste: TARSU, TIA₁ and TIA₂*
Final grade: 100/110

Work Experience

- 2018* **Research Assistant for CCA**
Work as Research Assistant for Andrea Gallice, University of Torino and Collegio Carlo Alberto
- 2017* **Research Assistant for CCA**
Work as Research Assistant for Mario Pagliero, University of Torino and Collegio Carlo Alberto
- 2014-2015* **Junior Consultant, Ernst&Young**
Working in the Tax division (Global Compliance and Reporting) - Milan
- 2014* **Research Assistant, MEDalics (Research Centre for the Mediterranean Relations)**
Construction of dataset containing panel data of worldwide countries

- 2014 **Research Intern, CSIL (Centre for Industrial Studies)**
Supporting the team in data collection and survey and development of market analysis - Milan
- 2013 **Intern, European commission DG ECFIN (D3)**
Supporting the Unit D3 on G20, IMF and G-Groups countries topics - Brussels
- 2011 **Intern, Municipality of Padova (office Informambiente)**
Supporting the team in European environmental projects - Padova

Work in Progress

Basiglio, Stefania, Foresta, Alessandra & Turati, Gilberto (2017). *Impatience and crime. Evidence from the NLSY97*. Work in progress.

Foresta, A. *The new, the old and the populist: the rise of (right-wing) populists' parties in the aftermath of Tangentopoli*. Work in progress.

Foresta, A. *Women and Corruption Scandals: Evidence from Female Mayors in Italy*. Work in progress.

Presentation and Conferences

- November, 23-24 2018 **Lisbon Meeting 2018 on economics and political sciences** (University of Lisbon)
- September, 21-22 2017 **XXIX Annual Conference of the Italian Society of Public Economics (SIEP2017)**

Grants

- 2015-2018 Three-Years Full Ph.D. Scholarship by the University of Turin

Other experiences

- December, 18-19 2017 Co-organization of the **10th PhD Workshop in Economics**
 Collegio Carlo Alberto, Torino
- December, 14-15 2016 Co-organization of the **IXth Italian Doctoral Workshop in Empirical Economics**
 Collegio Carlo Alberto, Moncalieri
- November, 14-15 2016 Base Course in Taltac by Sergio Bolasco, Sapienza University of Rome
 Rome
- June-July, 27/1 2016 Summer School on **Econometrics of Cross-section Data with Applications**
 Barcelona Graduate School of Economics (GSE), Barcelona
- June, 20/21 2016 NEPS-16th Jan Tinbergen conference
 Catholic University of Milan, Milan

Languages

Italian (Mother Tongue), English (Proficient), German (Intermediate), Spanish (Basic)

Skills

R, STATA, LaTeX(proficient)

Taltac(basic)

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