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Employment

2020 - Assistant Professor, University of Zürich

Education

2020	PhD in Economics, European University Institute
2015	MRes in Economics, European University Institute
2014	Msc in Economics, Bocconi University
2011	BA in Economics, Bocconi University

Research Fields

Primary Field: Macroeconomics

Secondary Fields: Networks, International Trade, Industrial Organization

Research

Publications

Risk Sharing and the Adoption of the Euro

with Anna Rogantini Picco, Journal of International Economics, Volume 141, March 2023, 103727

A Quantitative Analysis of Subsidy Competition in the U.S.

with Ralph Ossa, accepted Journal of Public Economics

Working Papers

Inventories, Demand Shocks Propagation and Amplification in Supply Chains

Firm Heterogeneity, Market Power and Macroeconomic Fragility

with Francisco Queirós, R&R AEJ: Macroeconomics

Fiscal and Currency Unions with Exit and Default

with Ramon Marimon, Yan Liu & Chima Simpson-Bell

Profit Shifting Frictions and the Geography of Multinational Activity

with Sébastien Laffitte, Mathieu Parenti & Farid Toubal, submitted

Bank Funding Structure and Risk Taking

with Carmen Garcia Galindo, Matic Petricek & Andreas Winkler

Book Chapters

EU Trade Agreements and Non-Trade Policy Objectives

with Matteo Fiorini, Joseph Francois, Bernard Hoekman, Lisa Maria Lechner, Miriam Manchin & Filippo Santi, forthcoming

Seminars (including scheduled)

2023	Cornell University, University of Hong Kong, UC San Diego, UC Irvine.
2022	EIEF, World Trade Institute, University of Oslo, University of Nottingham, University of Bonn, Bank of England.
2021	University of Konstanz, EIEF.
2020	CERGE-EI, CSEF, University of Zurich, Queen Mary University London, HEC Montreal, European Central Bank DG-Research.
2019	PSE Macro Workshop.

Conferences and Workshops (including scheduled)

2023	Swiss Macro Workshop; T2M 2023, ESCP Business School Paris; "Trade, value chains
	and financial linkages in the global economy" Conference, Bank of Italy; BSE Summer
	Forum, Barcelona.
2022	T2M 2022, King's College London; Conference in honor of Ramon Marimon, EUI; EUI
	Alumni Conference, EUI; BSE Summer Forum, Barcelona; Global Economic Networks

- Workshop, Hamburg; CEBRA Annual Meeting, Barcelona.
 GVC Conference Bank of Italy; WIEN 2021, ESWM 2021 (Barcelona); Banque de France Workshop on "Large Firms and Value Chains in International Trade".
- 2020 ADEMU Conference (University of Luxembourg)
- 2019 RIEF (AMSE); WIEM (Warsaw); EEA (Manchester); ETSG (Bern); Debt & Default Mini Conference (EUI); FIW (Wien); ECB PhD Workshop; ESWM 2019 (Rotterdam).

Discussions

2023	European Summer Symposium in International Macroeconomics, CEPR.
2022	Globalization, Strategic Autonomy, and Economic Resilience in Times of Crisis, CEPR.
2019	EUI Pre-Defense Forum.
2018	Empirical Investigations in Services Trade, EUI.

Teaching

2022-2023	Firms in Macro and Trade, UZH, MA elective
2021-2023	Macroeconomics II, UZH, PhD core course
2017, 2019, 2020	TA for Macroeconomics III, EUI, PhD core course
2016	TA for Macroeconomics II, EUI, PhD core course

Research Visits

Aug 2022	Bocconi University
Aug-Dec 2017	Clausen Center, University of California, Berkeley

Prizes and Awards

Vilfredo Pareto Prize for the Best Thesis in Economics, EUI, 2020

Best Paper in International Macro, RIEF 2019, Aix-Marseille School of Economics

Best Paper Prize at Warsaw International Economic Meeting 2019

Service

Organizer of the UZH Macro Reading Group

Organizer of the UZH Macro, Trade and Development Seminar

UZH International Economics Junior Hiring

UZH Macroeconomics Junior Hiring.

Advising

BA/MA

5 students, UZH

PhD (first placement)

Paolo Mengano, UZH, 2023 (Postdoc - Harvard Business School and Assistant Professor - ESADE Business School).

Julian Schärer, UZH, 2023 (Postdoc - University of Geneva).

Lorenzo Pesaresi, UZH, expected 2025.

Refereeing Activity

Review of Economic Studies, Journal of the European Economic Association, Economic Journal, Journal of International Economics, Journal of International Money and Finance, Journal of Monetary Economics, Theoretical Economics, European Economic Review, Economic Policy, BE Journal of Macroeconomics

Grants

2023	Swiss National Science Foundation Project Grant on "Firm Behaviour and Supply Chains
	Fragility", CHF 242,463.
2022	Foundation for scientific research at the University of Zurich, CHF 24,000
2017-2018	EUI PhD Grant
2017	US Department Visiting Grant, EUI
2014-2017	Phd Grant, Italian Ministry of Foreign Affairs