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Skype:

RESEARCH INTEREST

Labor and Household Economics, Child Development, Microeconometrics

POSITIONS

Since December 2019	Allievo dirigente, VII Corso-Concorso SNA (PdCM)
Since December 2019	Research affiliate, INAPP (Rome)
since 2016	VisitINPS Fellow and VisitINPS Tutor
since 2013	Research affiliate, CHILD - Collegio Carlo Alberto
July - December 2019	Invited Research affiliate, INED (Paris)
May - December 2019	Postdoctoral Researcher, INAPP (Rome)
June 2017 - June 2019	Postdoctoral Researcher, INED - Economic Demography Unit (Paris)
January-April 2019	on maternity leave

EDUCATION

2014 - 2017	PhD in Economics, University of Turin and Collegio Carlo Alberto Supervisor: D. Del Boca, Viva committee: C. Monfardini, C. Pronzato, H. Rainer <i>Finalist of the XVIII SIE Award for the best PhD thesis in Economics</i>
March 2017	Visiting researcher, Ifo Center Labour and Demographic Ec. (Munich)
Fall 2015	Visiting PhD Student, New York University
2011 - 2013	M.Sc. Economics, University of Tor Vergata, "School of Economics" <i>Summa cum laude</i> , supervisor: Prof. F. Peracchi
2008 - 2011	Bachelor degree European Economy, University of Rome "Tor Vergata" <i>Summa cum laude</i> , supervisor: Prof. P. Paesani
Fall 2010	Erasmus Exchange Programme, Université Paris Dauphine

SCHOLARSHIPS, GRANTS AND AWARDS

2018	California Center for Population Research SEED Grant (with N. Bianchi and M. Giorcelli), VisitINPS Fellowship (granted by INPS)
2017	Valera Solesin award (Universities Ca' Foscari, Trento, Paris I Sorbonne), EIEF Grant (PI; team members: E. Di Porto and P. Naticchioni), Visiting Grant (Ifo Institute, Munich)
2016	VisitINPS Fellowship (granted by INPS), InGRID visiting grant (<i>declined</i>)
2014-2017	Full PhD scholarship (Compagnia di San Paolo and University of Turin)
2008	Excellence award Italian Ministry of Education

PERSONAL SKILLS

Languages	Italian (native), English (proficient), French (good)
Computer skills	STATA, Office package, LaTeX, LyX and Beamer (proficient) Mata, R, Matlab (good)

SEMINARS, CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS

- 2019 Brucchi Luchino Workshop (*Collegio Carlo Alberto*), Vieillir à deux Workshop (*INED*), Divorce Conference (*Florence*), Il IV trimestre: la vita dopo il parto (*Milano*), XXXI SIEP Conference (*Turin*), 3rd SEHO meeting (*Lisbon*), VIII Ecineq Meeting (*Paris*)
- 2018 IZA/CREST/OECD Conference on Labor Market Policy Evaluation (*OECD, France*), Immigration: Challenges and Opportunities For European Policy and Politics (*Rome*), European Population Conference (*Brussels, Belgium*), III Workshop on Immigration, Health and Well-Being (*U. Pompeu Fabra*), PAA Annual Meeting (*Denver, Colorado*), RES 2018 Annual Conference (*U. Sussex*), U. Politecnica Marche (*invited*), Conference in memory of Valeria Solesin (*U. Trento*)
- 2017 Journées d'Aussois (*Aussois*), ASTRIL Conference (*U. Roma Tre*), Brucchi Luchino Workshop (*U. Milan*), Seminaire café (*INED*), VisitINPS one year later (*P. Wedekind, Rome*), 29th EALE Conference (*St. Gallen*), XXXII AIEL Conference (*Cosenza*), VIII International Workshop Applied Ec. of Education (*Catanzaro*), XX Applied Economics Meeting (*Valencia*), Lunch seminar (*U. Turin*), Lunch seminar (*Collegio Carlo Alberto*), Center Seminar (*Ifo Institute, Munich*), ECON PhD Students' Forum (*Collegio Carlo Alberto*), VII Italian Congress of Econometrics and Empirical Economics (*SIDE*), VisitINPS seminar (*INPS, Rome*)
- 2016 IX PhD Workshop in Empirical Economics (*Collegio Carlo Alberto*), CIILD Workshop (*Collegio Carlo Alberto*), XXXI AIEL Conference (*Trento*), Economics, Economic Policies and Sustainable Growth in the Wake of the Crisis (*U. Politecnica delle Marche*), Child poverty in times of crisis (*CEPR - Salzburg*), VisitINPS seminar (*INPS, Rome*), ECON PhD Students' Forum (*Collegio Carlo Alberto*)
- 2015 VI ECINEQ Meeting (*Luxembourg*), III Turin-Lyon joint PhD workshop (*Lyon*)
- 2014 - 16 Italian PhD Workshop in Empirical Economics, Organizer (*Collegio Carlo Alberto*)

FURTHER EDUCATION

- 2016 EUROMOD: summer school in cross-country microsimulation (*ISER, U. Essex*)
- 2015 Empirical Evaluation Methods, Prof. P. Todd (*NYU*)
Labor Economics, Prof. C. Flinn (*NYU*)
Advanced poverty research: poverty and material deprivation dynamics
Luxembourg Institute of Socio-Economic Research (LISER)
X Winter School in Inequality and Social Welfare Theory (*U. Verona, Canazei*)
- 2014 XXV PhD Course of Econometrics - Advanced Panel Econometrics (*CIdE, Bertinoro*)
- 2012 Summer school Labor Economics - Prof. Shimer and Prof. Guner (*Barcelona GSE*)

RESEARCH ASSISTANTSHIP

- 2013 - 2017 Collegio Carlo Alberto
2014 - 2015 University of Turin

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- 2017 Invited lecturer **Economia Italiana ed Europea** (Prof. Giovannini), undergraduate Dept. of Economics and Finance, University of Tor Vergata (Spring semester)
- 2016 Teaching assistant **Labor Economics** (Prof. Del Boca), undergraduate Dept. of Economics and Statistics, University of Turin (Fall semester)
Dept. of Law, University of Turin (Spring semester)

RESEARCH

Early Education and Gender Differences in Outcomes

with Daniela Del Boca, Elena Meroni, Daniela Piazzalunga

Economia Italiana 2019/3, 11-36, working paper version: CHILD Working Paper 70/2019

Disuguaglianze di genere nel mercato del lavoro: l'impatto del Bonus Infanzia e del congedo di paternità

in Solera C., Pavolini E. (a cura di), Che "genere" di welfare? L'Italia in prospettiva comparata

Rivista delle Politiche Sociali, 2018(1), 87-110

Gli immigrati nel mercato del lavoro italiano: uno sguardo all'universo dei lavoratori dipendenti 1995-2015

with M. Cozzolino, F. Di Porto and P. Naticchioni

Economia Italiana 2018/1, 35-71

Media coverage: *Huffington Post*, *il Giornale*, *Financial Hub*, *Radio1*

Investments in Early Education and Child Outcomes: The Short and the Long Run

with D. Del Boca and D. Piazzalunga

Ifo DICE Report 15(1), 2017, 43-48

Media coverage: *Radio3*

The Labor Cost of Motherhood: Is a Shorter Leave Helpful?

Awarded the 2017 Award in memory of Valeria Solesin.

Previous version: WorkINPS Paper 2017/9

Media Coverage: *The New York Times*, *internazionale.it*, *27esimaora.corriere.it*, *Rail*,

LSE Business Review, *RES Media Briefings*

I use Italian administrative data on the universe of employees in the private sector to estimate the impact of childbirth on maternal earnings using an event study approach. I exploit the introduction of a childcare subsidy conditional on early return to work as a quasi-experimental setting to estimate the causal impact of the length of parental leave on maternal labor market performance in the short and medium run. Women experience more than 35% permanent loss in earnings after the birth of a child, mostly driven by a reduction in labor supply at the extensive margin. The shorter leave induced by the introduction of conditional childcare subsidy increases maternal earnings only in the very short run.

Early Childcare and Child Socio-Emotional Outcomes

with D. Del Boca and C. Pronzato, *R&R*

Previous version: *CHILD Working Paper* 58/2017

We analyze the impact of formal early childcare on a number of non-cognitive child outcomes, conditional on several socio demographic characteristics of the household and the child. Using a newly available data set on childcare in Northern Italy, we compare different econometric techniques to deal with endogeneity in the choice of childcare. Results show a positive impact of formal childcare on attitudes towards schooling and prosocial behavior, especially among boys and children of lower educated mothers.

Back to Black? The Impact of Regularizing Migrant Workers

with E. Di Porto and P. Naticchioni, *submitted*

CSEF Working Paper no. 517, *WorkINPS paper* 2018/17;

Media Coverage: *lastampa.it* *Radio24*, *Radio1*

We exploit a regulatory program aimed at providing incentives for firms and for undocumented migrants to move from informal to formal labour market using an extraordinary auditing program to deal with self-selection of firms into the policy. We use a unique administrative employer-employee dataset that refers to the universe of formal workers in Italy. The regularization had a positive impact on firm employment only in the short run; nonetheless, we provide evidence that on average regularized migrants remain in the Italian labour market, though in other firms, other regions and other sectors.

The Effects of Fiscal Decentralization on Publicly Provided Services and Labor Markets

with N. Bianchi and M. Giorcelli, *submitted*
available here, CHILD Working Paper 71/2019

This paper studies how fiscal decentralization affects local services. It exploits a 1993 reform that increased the fiscal autonomy of Italian municipalities by introducing a local property tax. The identification leverages cross-municipal variation in the degree of decentralization stemming from Allied bombings during WWII. Decentralization reduced overall spending, but expanded municipal services, such as nursery schools. These effects are larger in areas with higher political competition. The paper also investigates how these changes in local services affected the labor markets. Decentralization, likely through expanded nursery schools, increased female labor supply, reducing the gender gap in employment.

Avoiding Taxes by Transfers Within the Family

with E. Di Porto and H. Ohlsson, *R&R*

We document an episode with considerable tax avoidance that occurred in 2008, when the Italian government reformed the property taxation by abolishing taxation on principal residences and increasing taxation on secondary properties. In presence of a very low inter vivos gift tax, Italian families found it beneficial to redistribute properties among their members. Difference-in-difference estimates indicate that property tax reform increased the probability that high-wealth donors made an inter vivos property gift relative to less wealthy donors. This in turn affected the donees income capacity and consumption, increasing inequalities. We show that family ties give room for households' strategic behaviour to avoid taxes; hence, it is relevant to take them into consideration when designing effective fiscal policies.

Wealth Inequalities among Seniors: the Role of Marital Histories across Cohorts

with Carole Bonnet, Benoît Rapoport and Anne Solaz

Wealth accumulation is the result of several factors: saving behaviors, work and marital histories. In line with the increasing diversity of marital histories and recent literature on gender inequality in wealth, this paper explores the specific contribution of marital histories to seniors wealth accumulation. We focus on individuals aged 50 or more and use data from household wealth surveys conducted in France in 2004, 2009 and 2014 to evaluate the contribution of marital histories to individual wealth across different birth cohorts. For 50 and over, the accumulated wealth depends more on marital history than on professional history, especially for women. Large disparities in wealth by past marital history are found among single women in recent cohorts, married and widow being wealthier than divorced, separated or always single.

Divorce Rates and Marital Contracts in France and Italy

with Marion Leturcq

Recent papers have found that the share of married couples opting for a separation of assets regime have increased in France (Fréméaux and Leturcq, 2013) and in Italy (Bayot and Voena, 2014) over the last decades. One of the proposed explanations hypothesizes that the increasing risk of divorce have made couples more reluctant to pool their assets, as separating assets is seen as a protection against divorce, especially among couples more at-risk of divorce. However, there is no evidence that couples who opted for the matrimonial regime of separation of assets are more at-risk of divorce. The goal of this paper is to fill this gap measuring divorce rates across couples with different marital contracts. We use French survey data and Italian administrative data on marriages and divorce to compute the differential rates of divorce for couple who choose different property regimes upon marriage.

Fertility, Maternal Employment and Household's Poverty: Evidence from Italian Data

Previous version: *CHILD Working Paper 47/2016*

CHAPTERS AND REPORTS

- “Maternità e occupazione femminile: l’effetto del Bonus Infanzia su salari e occupazioni delle neo-madri”, in *Il Bilancio di Genere*, Ragioneria Generale dello Stato, 2018
- “Natalità e occupazione femminile nei dati VisitINPS”, with M. Cozzolino and A. Ponti, in *XVI Rapporto Annuale INPS*, 2017
- “L’integrazione contributiva degli immigrati”, with M. Antichi, G. Bovini, E. Di Porto, P. Naticchioni, P. Pinotti, S. Ponticelli, S. Thomas, in *XVI Rapporto Annuale INPS*, 2017
- “What is the Impact of Organized Crime Infiltration in the Legal Economy? Comprehensive Quantitative Analysis”, with C. Ardito and B. Fanfani, in *Report on Organized Crime and the Legal Economy - The Italian Case*, UniCRI 2016
- “Rischio di povertà e disuguaglianze alla nascita”, in *Niente figli siamo italiani*, AA.VV. edited by B. Coccia. Editrice Apes 2015
- “Resoconto del seminario: “Come affrontare la crisi? Una proposta neokeynesiana per l’Italia””, with M. Bottiglieri, in *E. PONZO (a cura di) OPAL - Osservatorio per le autonomie locali, n. 5/2014 numero monografico di POLIS Working Papers n. 216 (Sep. 2014)*
- “Indicatori di benessere alternativi al PIL”, in *Lezioni di Economia*, 2012, by P. Paesani. Giappichelli editore

IN THE MEDIA

- Immigrazione e mercato del lavoro
01/24/2019: VoxEU
10/29/2018: Radiol
04/05/2017: Radio24
- Quanto dura l’effetto del nido sulle abilità dei bambini
04/11/2017: laVoce.info, with D. Del Boca and D. Piazzalunga.
04/12/2017: Radio3
- Quanto costa (alle donne) la maternità
12/20/2016: laVoce.info,
12/22/2016: ilfattoquotidiano.it