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Current position

2018 - Barcelona Institute of Economics (IEB, Universitat de Barcelona), Postdoctoral Research Fellow

Education

- 2017 PhD in Economics
University of Warwick
Advisors: Ben Lockwood, Mirko Draca
Thesis: "Rules, discretion and quality of government: evidence from Italian municipalities"
Committee: James Fenske, Andrea Tesei
- 2012 MSc in Economics (research)
London School of Economics and Political Science
- 2010 MSc in Economics
Catholic University of Milan, Italy
- 2007 B.Sc. in Economics and Management of Arts and Entertainment
Catholic University of Milan, Italy
- 2006 Erasmus Exchange program
University of Valladolid, Spain

Research Interests

Applied Econometrics, Political Economy, Public Economics, Economics of Migration.

Published papers

- M. Bordignon, M. Gamalerio, G. Turati (July 2020). "Manager or professional politician? Local fiscal autonomy and the skills of elected officials" *Regional Science and Urban Economics*, Volume 83, July 2020.
- M. Gamalerio (June 2020). "Do national political parties matter? Evidence from Italian municipalities" *European Journal of Political Economy*, Volume 63, June 2020.

Working papers

- M. Bordignon, M. Gamalerio, E. Slerca, G. Turati (December 2019). "Stop Invasion! The electoral tipping point in anti-immigrant voting"

M. Gamalerio (August 2019). “Fiscal rules and the selection of politicians: evidence from Italian municipalities”
Winner of the EEA Young Economist Award at the 2017 Annual Meeting of the European Economic Association

M. Gamalerio (April 2019). “Not welcome anymore: the effect of electoral incentives on the reception of refugees”

M. Gamalerio, M. Luca, A. Romarri, M. Viskanic (December 2019). “Finding the Warmth of other Suns? Refugee Reception, Extreme Votes and Hate Crimes”

Teaching Experience

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| 2018- | Public Finance – Lecturer
Universitat de Barcelona |
| 2017-2018 | Econometrics 2 - EC338, micro-econometrics, Lecturer
University of Warwick, Department of Economics |
| 2017-2018 | Econometrics - EC9760, Teaching Assistant
Warwick Business School |
| 2017-2018 | EC9A3 – Advanced Econometric Theory (PhD)
University of Warwick, Department of Economics |
| 2015-2018 | Econometrics 1 - EC226, Senior Tutor
University of Warwick, Department of Economics |
| 2016-2017 | Introduction to statistics and Stata, Teaching Assistant
Warwick Business School |
| 2015-2017 | Econometrics A - EC902/EC907 (MSc), Teaching Assistant
University of Warwick, Department of Economics |
| 2014-2016 | Econometrics, Teaching Assistant
Warwick Economics Summer School |
| 2013-2015 | Econometrics 1 - EC226, Teaching Assistant
University of Warwick, Department of Economics |

Research Experience and Other Employment

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| 2020 | Organizer of the Workshop on Public Policies: Inequality of Opportunity, Universitat de Barcelona |
| 2019 | Organizer of the IEB Workshop on Political Economy, Universitat de Barcelona |
| 2016-2017 | Research Assistant, Fernanda Brollo and Mirko Draca |

- University of Warwick, Department of Economics
- 2015 Research Assistant, Fernanda Brolo and Juan Carlos Gozzi
University of Warwick, Department of Economics
- 2015 Research Assistant, Thiemo Fetzer
University of Warwick, Department of Economics
- 2014-2015 Research Assistant, Mirko Draca
University of Warwick, Department of Economics
- 2010-2011 Research Assistant, Massimo Bordignon and Gilberto Turati
Catholic University of Milan, Department of Economics

Referee

Journal of European Economic Association, Journal of Law, Economics, and Organization, Journal of Public Economics, American Political Science Review, American Journal of Political Science, Canadian Journal of Economics, European Journal of Political Economy, International Tax and Public Finance, Economics Bulletin

Seminars Presentations and Conferences

- 2020 *Immigration policies, Fiscal policies and electoral law*
Seminar at Catholic University, Milano
- 2019 *Stop Invasion! The electoral tipping point in anti-immigrant voting*
Migration flows: implication for education, health, voting, workshop at Catholic University, Milano
- Immigration policies, Fiscal policies and electoral law*
Petralia Workshop
- Finding the Warmth of other Suns? Refugee Reception, Extreme Votes and Hate Crimes*
IEB (Universitat de Barcelona); Forced Displacement, Asylum Seekers and Refugees: Economics Aspects and Policy Issues, workshop at Queen Mary University – London, X IBEO Workshop-Alghero (scheduled)
- Fiscal rules and the selection of politicians: evidence from Italian municipalities*
Midwest Political Science Association - Chicago, ZEW Public Finance Conference, American Political Science Association – Washington DC, Conference of Italian Public Economics Society (SIEP), Torino
- Not welcome anymore: the effect of electoral incentives on the reception of refugees*
Workshop on Populism and the Rise of the Radical Right, Uppsala University
- 2018 *Not welcome anymore: the effect of electoral incentives on the reception of refugees*
IEB (Universitat de Barcelona), Royal Economic Society Conference; ZEW Public Finance Conference, Kiel Institute, 4th Workshop on the Economics of Migration (IAB), Barcelona GSE Summer Forum, IX IBEO Workshop-Alghero;

- Fiscal rules and the selection of politicians: evidence from Italian municipalities*
IEB (Universitat de Barcelona), Joint Research Centre, Ispra (Italy); Universita' della Svizzera Italiana, Lugano (Switzerland);
- 2017 *Not welcome anymore: the effect of electoral incentives on the reception of refugees*
CReAM/RWI Workshop on the economics of migration; Petralia Workshop (Job market boot camp); Advances in Political Economy and Public Economics Workshop, Max Planck Institute (Scheduled); 11th Workshop on Political Economy, Ifo Institute; European Winter Meeting – Econometric Society (Scheduled); 42nd SAEe meeting; RES PhD meeting;
- Fiscal rules and the selection of politicians: evidence from Italian municipalities*
Royal Economic Society Conference; RES Symposium of Junior Researchers; Warwick PhD Conference; Warwick Public Economics/Political Economy workshop; EEA- ESEM;
- 2016 *Do national political parties matter? Evidence from Italian municipalities*
Royal Economic Society Conference; First Marco Fanno Alumni Workshop, Unicredit, Milan; Evidence-Based Economics Summer Meeting, Universities of Munich, Erlangen-Nuremberg and Regensburg;
- Manager or politician? The effect of local fiscal autonomy on political selection*
EEA-ESEM;
- 2015 *Do national political parties matter? Evidence from Italian municipalities*
Conference of Italian Public Economics Society (SIEP), Ferrara;
- Manager or politician? The effect of local fiscal autonomy on political selection*
VI Alghero Workshop on “Institutions, Individual Behaviour and Economic Outcomes”;
- 2014 *Manager or politician? The effect of local fiscal autonomy on political selection*
Canadian Public Economics Group; Political Economy Workshop, Catholic University of Milan;

Awards and Extra Curricular Achievements

- 2017 Paper “Fiscal rules and the selection of politicians: evidence from Italian municipalities”
Winner of the EEA Young Economist Award, EEA-ESEM 2017, Lisbon
Awarded by Unicredit & Universities Foundation
- 2012 ESRC DTC scholarship for 3 years of full-time study.
Awarded by the Graduate School of the University of Warwick
- 2010 “Marco Fanno” scholarship for graduate studies in economics, academic year 2011-2012.
Awarded by Unicredit & Universities Foundation
- 2010 Toefl certificate (Internet based test, final mark 101)
- 2010 GRE (Graduate Record Examination): quantitative 780/800
- 2008 Working Experience Abroad, Catholic University of Melbourne (Australia)

2007 Dele certificate (Diploma de Español como lengua extranjera, intermediate level, 95/100)

Skills

Languages: Italian (native), English (fluent), Spanish (fluent)
Computer: Stata, Excel, Latex, Scientific Workplace, Word

Personal information

Citizenship: Italian, British
Date and place of birth: 14th of November 1984, Milano (Italia)
Marital status: married

References

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