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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 02/2018 - present **Teaching assistant in Asset Pricing**, *LUISS University, Rome*
- 11/2017 - present **Scientific tutor in the Master in Big Data**, *LUISS Business school, Rome*
- 10/2017 - present **Research assistant in Macroeconometrics for Professor Benigno**, *LUISS, Rome*
- 09/2017 - present **Teaching assistant in Empirical finance**, *LUISS, Rome*
- 09/2017 - 12/2017 **Lecturer in MathLab: Data Analysis with Stata**, *LUISS (MEEG), Rome*
- 09/2017 - 12/2017 **Lecturer in Statistics**, *LUISS Business school (MACOFIN), Rome*
- 09/2017 - 12/2017 **Lecturer in Statistics and Econometrics**, *LUISS Business school (MMT), Rome*
- 09/2017 - 12/2017 **Lecturer in Matlab coding**, *LUISS LOFT, Rome*
- 07/2017 - 07/2017 **Lecturer in Econometrics for Big Data**, *LUISS Business school (MABDA), Rome*
- 06/2017 - 07/2017 **Lecturer in Econometrics (undergraduate preparatory course)**, *LUISS, Rome*
- 05/2017 - 07/2017 **Lecturer in Statistics (MBA preparatory course)**, *LUISS Business school, Rome*
- 02/2017 - 06/2017 **Lecturer in Machine learning with Matlab**, *LUISS LOFT, Rome*
- 01/2017 - present **Teaching assistant in Capital Markets**, *LUISS, Rome*
- 02/2016 - 09/2017 **Teaching assistant in Statistics and Econometrics**, *LUISS University, Rome*
- 08/2015 - 01/2016 **Research assistant**, *Oxford Economics, Rome*
- Econometric models and the role of Econophysiscs in Economics
- 07/2015 - 06/2016 **University tutor**, *LUISS University, Rome*
- 03/2015 - 08/2015 **Research assistant**, *ASSONIME, Rome*
- European economy: Macroeconomic implications of the Eurozone crisis
- Italian economy: Long-term evolution of employment and productivity

EDUCATION

- 09/2014 - 05/2018 **Ph.D. in Economics**, *LUISS University, Rome*
Grade: *Excellent cum laude*
PhD thesis: *Decompose et Impera: Tensor methods in High-dimensional Data*
Supervisor: *Giuseppe Ragusa*
Thesis committee: *Animashree Anandkumar, Matthew Harding, Marco Lippi*
- 09/2013 - 06/2014 **Postgraduate Master in Finance**, *Collegio Carlo Alberto, Turin*
Grade: *A*
- 10/2012 - 02/2014 **MSc in Money and Finance**, *University of Ljubljana, Ljubljana*
Grade: *10/10*
Supervisor: *Igor Masten*

11/2011 - 02/2014 **MSc in Finance**, *University of Siena, Siena*
Grade: 110/110, *cum laude*
Master thesis: A Bayesian Markov Regime Switching GARCH model for exchange rates and interest rates
Supervisor: Roberto Renò

10/2008 - 10/2011 **BSc in Business Administration**, *University of Perugia, Perugia*
Grade: 102/110
Degree thesis: The mean-variance approach in Portfolio Theory
Supervisor: Roberto Celentano

RESEARCH INTEREST

| FIELD | SUBFIELD |
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| Econometrics | Bayesian and Spatial Econometrics, Nonparametric modeling, Time Series |
| Statistics | Tensor methods, Likelihood-free methods, Machine learning for Big data, Fiducial Statistics |
| Network | Interbank networks, Dynamic networks, Correlation networks, Networks topology |
| Finance | Systemic risk, Asset pricing, Financial contagion, Volatility modeling, Portfolio analysis |

RESEARCH WORKS

Accepted for publication

Brandi, Di Clemente, Cimini, "Epidemics of liquidity shortages in interbank markets", *Physica A*, 2018

Work in progress

Brandi, "Tensor Auto(regression) in Economics and Finance"
Brandi, "Latent stock correlation projection via tensor decomposition"
Brandi, "Exploratory analysis of interbank market adjacency tensor"
Brandi, "Financial maps: Network analysis via tensor decomposition"
Brandi, "Higher order portfolio analysis"
Brandi, "Pseudo-adaptive Block-ABC for high dimensional financial time series"

TALKS

04/2016 Econometric inference for stochastic volatility processes: The Block-ABC method, LUISS University
06/2016 Econometric inference for stochastic volatility processes: The Block-ABC method, Sapienza University
06/2016 Econometric inference for stochastic volatility processes: The Block-ABC method, Collegio Carlo Alberto
11/2016 Tensor Autoregression in Economics and Finance, LUISS University
12/2016 Tensor Autoregression in Economics and Finance, CMStatistics 2016, Seville
12/2016 Tensor Autoregression in Economics and Finance, Sapienza University
06/2017 Tensor Autoregression in Economics and Finance, EcoSta 2017, Hong Kong
07/2017 Tensor Autoregression in Economics and Finance (poster), YSM 2017, Keele University
05/2017 Tensor Decomposition for Financial Network Analysis, LUISS University
07/2017 Latent financial networks projection via correlation tensor decomposition, SDS 2017, Imperial College
07/2017 Latent financial networks projection via correlation tensor decomposition, YSM 2017, Keele University
08/2017 Latent correlation projection via tensor decomposition, JP Morgan Chase
09/2017 Latent financial networks projection via correlation tensor decomposition (poster), RSS 2017, UoG

GRADUATE TRAINING

09/2016 **Summer School in Econometrics**, *Centro Interuniversitario di Econometria, Perugia*
- Advanced Bayesian Econometrics, *R. Casarin, M. Ciccarelli, F. Ravazzolo*

08/2016 **Summer School in Applied Bayesian Statistics**, *CNR-IMATI Milano & Università Cattolica, Como*
- Bayes, Big Data and the Internet, *S. Scott*

07/2016 **Summer School in Mathematical Methods for High-Dimensional Data Analysis**, *TUM, Munich*
- Topological Time Series Analysis, *J. Perea*
- Streaming and Sketching Algorithms, *J. Nelson*
- Topological Descriptors for Geometric Data, *Steve Oudot*
- Optimal Stochastic Regularization for Large Scale Machine Learning, *L. Rosasco*

- 07/2016 **Summer School in Financial Econometrics**, , *Society of Financial Econometrics, Bruxelles*
- Noncausal Autoregressive Process, *C. Gourieroux, J-M. Zakoian*
- 07/2016 **Summer School in Econometrics**, *Centro Interuniversitario di Econometria, Perugia*
- Big Data and Machine Learning, *M. Harding, A. Anandkumar*
- 09/2015 **Summer School of Mathematics for Economics and Social Sciences**, *Scuola Normale Superiore*
- Financial Economics, *G. Bottazzi, P. Dindo*
- 08/2015 **Summer School in Mathematics**, *Scuola Matematica Interuniversitaria (SMI), Perugia*
- Game Theory, *R. Lucchetti*
- Mathematical Statistics, *L. Goldsteint, Y. Rinott*
- 06/2015 **Summer School in Econometrics**, *Centro Interuniversitario di Econometria, Perugia*
- “Big Data” and High-Dimensional Econometric Models, *V. Chernozhukov, C. Hansen*
- 08/2014 **Summer School in Mathematics**, *Scuola Matematica Interuniversitaria (SMI), Perugia*
- Stochastic Processes, *W. Woess, P. Baldi*
- Mathematical Statistics, *S. Zabell*
- 06/2014 **Summer School in Applied Bayesian Statistics**, *CNR-IMATI Milano & Università Cattolica, Como*
- Applied Bayesian Nonparametrics, *M. Jordan, F. Caron*
- 09/2013 **Summer School in Bayesian Econometrics**, *Centro Interuniversitario di Econometria, Perugia*
- Bayesian methods for economics and finance, *R. Casarin, A. Mira, M. Ciccarelli, G. Carmeci*
- 07/2013 **Summer School in Econometrics**, *Centro Interuniversitario di Econometria, Perugia*
- Bayesian Macroeconometrics, *M. Del Negro*
- Modeling and Forecasting Macroeconomic Series, *V. Corradi*
- 07/2013 **Summer School in Macroeconometrics**, *Barcelona GSE, Barcelona*
- Bayesian Vector Autoregressions and Small Sample Corrections in VARs, *A. Marcet, M. Jarocinski*
- Empirical Time Series Methods for Macroeconomic Analysis, *L. Gambetti*

SKILLS

LANGUAGES

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| Italian | Native proficiency |
| English | Professional working proficiency |
| French | Elementary proficiency |

COMPUTER

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| Office | MS Office, LaTeX |
| Programming | MatLab, R, Julia |
| Econometrics | EViews, Stata, JMulTi |

HONORS AND SCHOLARSHIPS

- 2014 *Doctoral Scholarship*, Ph.D. in Economics, LUISS University
- 2013 *INPS Master J Scholarship*, Master in Finance, Collegio Carlo Alberto
- 2013 *Confucius Institute Scholarship*, Summer School in Chinese language, University of Ljubljana
- 2012 *Double Degree Program* in the MSc in Money and Finance at University of Ljubljana, University of Siena

OTHER INFORMATION

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| Musical Interests: | Classical and Orchestral music, Instrumental music |
| Entertainment: | Cinema, Theatre, Books |
| Sport: | Football, Tennis |