

FILIPPO FASULO

Summary: Msc, Phd (Cesare Bonacossa Prize 2014)
Co-Head, Geoeconomics Centre – ISPI | Adj. Professor at UCSC | Associate Researcher at Scuola Superiore S. Anna

Working experience

Current

Since 2021 Co-Head, Geoeconomics Centre, Institute for International Political Studies (ISPI)
Since 2021 *Adjunct Professor* “Chinese language for business and finance”, Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore (UCSC), Milan
Since 2017 *Research Fellow/Contributor/Affiliate Researcher* at Scuola Superiore S. Anna - Pisa
Since 2017 *Lecturer*, Seminars on China’s political system - UCSC, Milan
Since 2014 *Research Fellow* at ISPI, Asia Centre
Since 2011 *Lecturer/Guest Lecturer* for universities (e.g. Bocconi, Politecnico di Milano), business associations (e.g. Assolombarda, Italian Trade Agency), companies (e.g. ENI, Snam, A2A) and institutions (e.g. NATO DEEP, Presidency of the Council of Ministers, Guardia di Finanza)

Past

2021 *Deputy Director of the Editorial Board*, Mondo Cinese [Chinese World], the oldest (since 1973) Italian journal on contemporary China
2016-2023 *Academic Secretary* at Class of Far Eastern Studies - Accademia Ambrosiana, Milan
2019-2021 *Director* at CeSIF (Italy-China Foundation’s Centre for Business Research)
2017-2019 *Scientific Coordinator* at CeSIF
2016-2020 *Member of Editorial Board, Scientific Committee* of the journal Mondo Cinese
2013-2016 *Academic Assistant* at Class of Far Eastern Studies - Accademia Ambrosiana, Milan
2011-2016 *Cultore della Materia* in “History and geo-economics: the China’s economic development” - UCSC, Milan

Education and Training

Main Degrees:

2010-2014 *Phd* at the Doctoral School in Institutions and policies, UCSC, Milan [Research project on power and government in China, *Cesare Bonacossa Prize 2014* at University of Pavia]
2011-2012 *Msc in China in Comparative perspective*– Department of Anthropology, London School of Economics and Political Science
2007-2010 Second Level Degree in *International Relations and European Integration*, UCSC, Milan
2004-2007 First Level Degree in *Political Science and International Relations*, UCSC, Milan

Others:

2024 International Visitor Leadership Program, Department of State, United States
2017 Young Sinologist Visiting Program hosted by Shanghai Academy of Social Sciences (SASS)
2014 Confucius Institute scholarship, Southwest Forestry University, Kunming
2012 TOChina Summer School – University of Turin
2010 Lifelong Learning: “Specialized Terminologies in Linguistic and Translation Services” – UCSC, Milan
2009 Exchange Student at Yonsei University, Seoul

Selected Publications:

Edited policy papers, books and book chapters

F. Fasulo, N. Missaglia (ed.), *Competing for the Global South*, ISPI Report (with the support of the Italian Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation), October 2024
F. Fasulo, A. Gili (ed.), *The Rise of Fragmentation. A New Economic Security Era?* ISPI Report (with the support of the Italian Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation), October 2024
F. Fasulo, *La geoeconomia dell’Indo-Pacifico* in M. Dian – E. Diodato (eds.), *Geopolitica dell’Asia Orientale*, Carocci Editore, March 2024
F. Fasulo, G. Casanova, P. Morselli, *Defying Gravity: is De-Risking from China Possible?*, ISPI Policy Paper (with the support of the Italian Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation), October 2023

- F. Fasulo, G. Casanova, *Cause e prospettive del successo cinese nel mercato globale dell'auto elettrica* [Causes and prospects of Chinese success in the global electric car market] in C. Frappi (ed.), Focus Sicurezza Energetica n. 7, Osservatorio di politica internazionale del Senato della Repubblica, della Camera dei deputati e del Ministero degli Affari Esteri e della Cooperazione Internazionale, August 2023
- F. Fasulo (ed.), *The EU's Indo-Pacific Bid: Sailing Through Economic and Security Competition*, ISPI Report (with the support of the Italian Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation), April 2023
- F. Fasulo, *I costi economici del potere accentrato: l'era di Xi* [The economic costs of centralized power: the age of Xi] in *The World and the un-popular republic of China*, Aspenia n. 98, Aspen Institute Italia, November 2022
- F. Fasulo, *The EU, US and Asia. Economy as a Weapon?*, ISPI Policy Paper, September 2022
- F. Fasulo, *Indo-Pacific: The Rise of a New Geopolitical Space* in ISPI Annual Report, February 2022
- F. Fasulo, Il senso della dual-circulation strategy [Making sense of the dual-circulation strategy] in *China's 2020s*, Aspenia n.92, Aspen Institute Italia, March 2021
- F. Fasulo, G. Samarani (ed.), *Le relazioni fra Italia Cina a 50 anni dall'avvio delle relazioni diplomatiche [Italy China relations at 50]* Mondo Cinese n. 168, 2021
- F. Fasulo, *Rapporto Annuale della Fondazione Italia Cina* [Italy-China's Foundation Annual Report], Issues: 2016 (with A. Rossi), 2017 (with A. Rossi), 2018, 2019 (with the forward of the Italian Prime Minister Prof. Giuseppe Conte), 2020, 2021
- F. Fasulo, *Il rapporto tra Cina e Unione Europea [Eu-China relations]* in R. Caruso e D. Palano (a cura di) *Il Mondo Fragile. Scenari globali dopo la pandemia*, Milano, Vita e Pensiero, 2020, pp. 157-165
- F. Fasulo, *Belt and Road Initiative: lo scenario geopolitico per l'Italia [BRI: the geopolitical scenario for Italy]*, in Mondo Cinese n. 165-166, 2018
- D. Cucino – F. Fasulo (eds.), *L'arte della difesa [The art of defense]*, Mondo Cinese, n. 162, 2018
- F. Fasulo, *Pluralismo, Estado y representación en China: instituciones políticas bajo la luz del valor monismo* in Lucía Fernández (ed.), *El sueño chino: política contemporánea*, Ciudad Autónoma de Buenos Aires: Universidad de Buenos Aires. Facultad de Ciencias Sociales, 2018
- F. Fasulo, *International cooperation for industry capacity cooperation as the long-term pillar of BRI: opportunities and obstacles*, in Young Sinologist Visiting program 2017, Shanghai Academy of Social Sciences
- F. Fasulo, *New opportunities for growth: global China reaches the Middle East* in *Looking ahead: Charting new paths for the Mediterranean*, Rome MED Report 2017, ISPI
- F. Fasulo – V. Talbot, *The MENA Region: where the Belt Joins the Road* in A. Amighini (ed.), *China's Belt and Road: a Game Changer?*, Milano, ISPI – Istituto per gli studi di politica internazionale, 2017, pp. 75-95
- F. Fasulo, *Coping with the rising Dragon: Italy and China Beyond business* in S. Beretta – A. Berkofsky – Zhang L. (ed.), *Understanding China Today. An Exploration of Politics, Economics, Society, and International Relations*, Springer International publishing, 2017
- F. Fasulo, *Waking from the China Dream* in A. Amighini (ed.), *China Dream: still coming true?*, Milano, ISPI – Istituto per gli studi di politica internazionale, 2016, pp. 13-31.
- F. Fasulo, *Xi's Domestic Bet: Deng or Gorbachev?* In A. Amighini – A. Berkofsky (eds.), *Xi's Policy Gambles: The Bumpy Road Ahead*, ISPI – Istituto per gli Studi di Politica internazionale, Milano, 2015
- F. Fasulo, *Cina: da produttore a importatore [China: from producer to importer]* in M. Verda (eds.), *Energia e Geopolitica. Gli attori e le tendenze del prossimo decennio*, ISPI, 2015
- C. Bulfoni – F. Fasulo – C. Piccinini (eds.), *Asiatica Ambrosiana 7 – Le arti nella storia e nelle società dell'Asia [Arts in Asian history and societies]*, Milano – Roma, Biblioteca Ambrosiana – Bulzoni Editore, ottobre 2015
- T. Rosenthal e F. Fasulo, *Shanghai città aperta: la Shanghai Pilot Free Trade Zone [The open city of Shanghai: presenting the Shanghai Pilot Free Trade Zone]*, Mondo Cinese, n. 154, March 2014
- F. Fasulo, *Politics and family in the People's Republic of China* in M. Angelillo (ed.), *Asiatica Ambrosiana 5 – La Famiglia nelle culture e nelle società dell'Asia [Family in Asian cultures and societies]*, Milano – Roma, Biblioteca Ambrosiana – Bulzoni Editore, 2013, pp. 253-267

Peer-reviewed articles

- F. Fasulo, *Pluralism, state and representation in China: Political Institutions in the light of value monism*, in *Il politico*, Rubbettino, Pavia, 242, May-August 2016, pp. 7-25

Selected and most recent (2022-2023-2024) op. eds. and edited dossiers in English

- F. Fasulo (ed.) *Cina e Indo-Pacifico [China and the Indo-Pacific]*, Quarterly Focus for the Italian Senate, Osservatorio di politica internazionale del Senato della Repubblica, della Camera dei deputati e del Ministero degli Affari Esteri e della

Cooperazione Internazionale, Issues 1 (January 2023), 2 (May 2023), 3 (September 2023), 4 (January 2024), 5 (May 2024), 6 (September 2024)

F. Fasulo, ISPI's monthly newsletter *Pivot to Asia*, monthly issues February 2022 – on going

F. Fasulo (ed.), *Stability and Security in the Indo-Pacific*, ISPI, March 2022

F. Fasulo – G. Sciorati (eds.) *How the Ukraine War Fuels Great Power Competition in Asia*, ISPI Dossier, May 2022

F. Fasulo (ed.), *Gaming the New Era: China's Winter Bid for Global Consensus*, ISPI Dossier, February 2022

F. Fasulo – A. Amighini (eds.), *Xi Jinping the III: Ruling Through the Pandemic and Isolationism*, ISPI Dossier, Oct 2022

Selected and most recent (2022-2023-2024) international conferences organized

G7 & the Rest: The Quest of Economic Security event hosted by ISPI and co-organized with Global Solutions (with the support of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation of Italy), 10 June 2024

Competing on the Global South: The G7 Between China and India event hosted by ISPI and co-organized with Asia Society-France (with the support of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation of Italy), 29 May 2024

The Koreans in the age of insecurity: what's next?, event hosted by ISPI and co-promoted by the Consulate General of the Republic of South Korea in Milan, Milan – Palazzo Clerici, 23 November 2023

5th edition of the Asia-Europe Initiative, *Security in the Indo-Pacific after the War in Ukraine: the role and influence of G7 and G20*, hosted by ISPI and co-organized with IFRI and ISDP (with the support of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Japan), Milan – Palazzo Clerici, 28-29 September 2023

13th edition of the China Watcher – Maria Weber Annual Conference, *China After Zero-Covid: Rethinking the EU Strategy*, hybrid event hosted by ISPI and co-organized with Royal Institute Elcano and Center for China and Globalization (with the support of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation of Italy), 26 April 2023

4th edition of the Asia-Europe Initiative, *Stability and Security in the Indo-Pacific: The US, Japan and the EU Confronting the Elephant in the Room?*, online event hosted by ISPI (with the support of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Japan), 7-8 March 2022

International Conferences

Shangri-La Dialogue organized by IISS, 2023

Raisina Dialogue organized by ORF, 2023

Beijing Xiangshan Forum organized by CIISS and CAMS, editions 2016, 2018, 2019

Belt and Road Forum for International Cooperation, 2017

Huaihai Forum organized by SASS, III edition 2015

Forthcoming projects (2025)

Quarterly Focus for the Italian Senate (official publication with the support of Italian Senate): F. Fasulo (ed.) *China and the Indo-Pacific*, Osservatorio di politica internazionale del Senato della Repubblica, della Camera dei deputati e del Ministero degli Affari Esteri e della Cooperazione Internazionale, issues 7-9 (January, May, September)

Language Proficiency

Italian	mother language
English	advanced
Chinese	upper intermediate (HSK 4)