

## CURRICULUM VITÆ

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## RESEARCH FIELDS

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Economic and Social History

## ACADEMIC POSITIONS

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- DEC 2022 - DEC 2025 Postdoctoral Researcher (*Assegnista di ricerca*)  
**Sant'Anna School of Advanced Studies (SSSA)**  
PRIN project 'Industrialization in France and Britain: a new comparative economic history (1700-1913)'
- JAN 2023 - DEC 2023 Postdoctoral Researcher (*Assegnista di ricerca*)  
**Sant'Anna School of Advanced Studies (SSSA)**  
PRIN project 'Lost Highway - Skills, technology and trade in Italian economic growth, 1815-2020'

## EDUCATION

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- OCT 2018 - 5 MAY 2023 (VIVA) Ph.D. in ECONOMICS (*cum laude*)  
**Sant'Anna School of Advanced Studies (SSSA)**  
Thesis Supervisor: Prof. ALESSANDRO NUVOLARI  
Visiting Researcher at the **University of Oxford** (FALL 2022)
- OCT. 2016 - JULY 2018 M.Sc. in ECONOMICS (*cum laude*)  
**SSSA – University of Pisa**  
Thesis supervisor: Prof. Alessio MONETA  
Exchange at the **University of Mannheim** (FALL 2017)
- OCT. 2014 – 2016 B.Sc. in ECONOMICS (*cum laude*)  
**University of Pisa**  
Thesis supervisor: Prof. Luciano FANTI  
Exchange at **Erasmus University Rotterdam** (SPRING 2015)

## JOURNAL PUBLICATIONS

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- It's not About the Money: New evidence on U.S. reconstruction aid in Italy, 1947-1968. *Forthcoming* at **The Economic History Review**. doi: 10.1111/ehr.13349
- Social Mobility and Literacy in 19<sup>th</sup> century Italy: a Case Study Approach. *Forthcoming* at **Rivista di Storia Economica / Italian Review of Economic History** Vol XXXX (1), 2024. doi: 10.1410/109335 (*with Giuliana Freschi*)
- The Origins of Italian Human Capital Divides: New Evidence from Marriage Signatures, 1815. **Cliometrica**, 2024, , Vol. 18(12), pp. 567-617,. doi: 10.1007/s11698-023-00271-2.
- Why Experimental Balance is Still a Reason to Randomize. **The British Journal of Philosophy of Science** Vol. 75(2), 2024. doi: 10.1086/716096 (*with David Teira*)
- Rome and the Polis: Tradition and Change in the Financial Accounts of Tauromenion, 1<sup>st</sup> century B.C., **Annals of the Fondazione Luigi Einaudi** Vol. LVI, 2022. doi: 10.26331/1175 (*with Filippo Battistoni*)

## WORK IN PROGRESS

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1. Technological Transfer and Industrialization: Evidence from a new dataset of Italian inventors, 1861-1914, R&R at *The European Review of Economic History*
2. A Reconstruction of the Italian Road Network, 1861-1910, R&R at *The Rivista di Storia Economica / Italian Review of Economic History*
3. Assessing Inequalities in the Ancient World: Hellenistic Delos (*with Filippo Battistoni*), R&R at *The Journal of Interdisciplinary History*
4. Decolonizing the Ancient Mediterranean: Lessons from V century BCE Athens and Carthage, *under review*
5. A Geography of Women Inventors in Italy, 1861-1939, *under review*
6. Rails of Progress? Exploring the nexus between railroad access and innovation in 19th century Italy (*with Alessandro Nuvolari and Michelangelo Vasta*)
7. Patterns of Innovation in Italy: Evidence from a new patent dataset, 1855–1938 (*with Alessandro Nuvolari and Michelangelo Vasta*)
8. Learning from Early Mistakes: The World Bank’s design and evaluation of Cassa per il Mezzogiorno programs, 1950-1958

## PRESENTATIONS (LAST FIVE YEARS)

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| 2025 (SCHEDULED)            | LUND World Economic History Conference (WEHC) 2025  |
| 2024                        | BRESCIA ARiSE annual conference<br>PALERMO Workshop "Why the South still lags behind?"<br>TURIN ASE annual conference<br>ALGHERO IBEO Workshop<br>YORK EBHS Conference*<br>UTRECHT Business History Workshop  |
| (*: presented by coauthors) | PADUA Workshop on the World Bank and IMF in Southern Europe, 1950-1980s<br>ROME Eternal City Economic History Workshop<br>DATINI-ESTER Prato Annual Meeting*<br><i>European Review of Economic History</i> Fast-track meeting   |
| 2023                        | CAMBRIDGE Economic History Seminar*<br>BALTIMORE Conference on Patents, Innovation, and Technological Change in History*<br>WASHINGTON DC Social History Association (SSHA) Annual Conference*<br>MANNHEIM Economic History Research Seminar<br><i>Società Italiana di Economia</i> (SIE) Seminar for the <i>XXIII<sup>th</sup></i> Ph.D. Theses Prize<br>PITTSBURGH Economic History Association (EHA) Annual Conference*<br>VIENNA Historical Economics Society Conference (EHES)<br>LOST HIGHWAY Economic History Workshop<br>PARIS Workshop on Migration and Family Economics<br>HELSINKI Baltic Connections: A Conference in Social Science History<br>PORTO Economic and Business History Conference<br>BERGAMO RSE/IREH Fast Track Meeting |
| 2022                        | SIENA Economic History Workshop<br>OXFORD Economic and Social History Group seminar<br>CHICAGO Social History Association (SSHA) Annual Conference<br>PARIS World Economic History Conference (two presentations)<br>DATINI-ESTER Prato Annual Meeting<br>CAMBRIDGE Economic History Society Annual Meeting (ambassador)<br>SANT'ANNA - SNS Economic and Social History Seminars  |
| 2021                        | BANK OF ITALY Economic History Seminar in Memory of Stefano Fenoaltea<br>SIENA Lost Highways Economic History Seminar<br>CARLOS III-UB-UV Economic History Workshop   |

OXFORD Labour and Precarity workshop, Labour History group  
SAPIENZA 3rd Economic History workshop

## TEACHING

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- Fall 2023 & 2024 *Quantitative methods for the humanities and social sciences*  
University of Pisa, co-organized with prof. Lavista
- Spring 2023 *Quantitative Economics for Business* (introduction to econometrics),  
University of Pisa. Course chair
- Fall 2023 *Ancient Greek History*,  
University of Pisa, prof. Battistoni. Guest lecture on economic history
- Spring 2017 *Introduction to Economics*, Prof. Morroni, University of Pisa. Teaching Assistant

## AWARDS, SCHOLARSHIPS, & GRANTS

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1. Marcello De Cecco prize in Economics and in the History of Institutions (2023)
2. *Società Italiana di Economia* (SIE - Italian Society of Economics) 2023 Prize for the best doctoral thesis in Economics (finalist)
3. *Talento All'Opera* Sant'Anna School of Advanced Studies research-based prize (2022)
4. *M.I.U.R.* (Italian Ministry for Education and Research) full Ph.D. scholarship (Sep 2018-Dec 2022)
5. *D.S.U.* income and merit-based full University scholarship (Sep 2014-Sep 2018)

## SERVICE

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- *Cultore della materia* (assistant) of Ancient Greek History (Dr. Battistoni) and Economic History (Prof. Pinchera), Università di Pisa (2024-2026)
- Ph.D. representative at the Scuola Sant'Anna Library Committee (Jan 2020 - Dec 2022)
- Orienteering activity for high-school students wishing to study economics at SSSA (2022, 2023 and 2024)
- Economic History Society Student Ambassador for Pisa (May 2020 - May 2022)
- Member of *Studiare Oggi* association for high school students (Sep 2021 - ongoing)
- Royal Yachting Association (RYA) Diversity and Inclusion team member (Jun 2022 - ongoing)
- Volunteer Sailing Instructor (dinghy and yacht) at the *Centro Velico Caprera*

## REFEREEING ACTIVITY

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Cliometrica, Rivista di Storia Economica/IREH,  
British Journal for the Philosophy of Science, History and Philosophy of the Life Sciences,  
International Statistical Review.

## PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

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Associazione per la Storia Economica (ASE)  
European Historical Economics Society (EHES)  
Economic History Society (EHS)  
Economic History Association (EHA)

## REFERENCES

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PROF. ALESSANDRO NUVOLARI Professor of Economic History | *SSSA*  
PROF. MICHELANGELO VASTA Professor of Economic History | *Università di Siena*  
DR. BRIAN A'HEARN Fellow and Tutor in Economics | *Oxford University*  
PROF. DOMITILLA CAMPANILE Professor of Roman History | *Università di Pisa*