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Employment

Assistant Professor, Università Bocconi	2020 – Present
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Education

Ph.D. in Accounting, London Business School	2020
M.Phil. in Finance, Cambridge University	2015
M.Sc. and B.Sc. in Finance, Bocconi University, <i>cum laude</i>	2013

Research

Research Interests:

Empirical Financial Accounting: Voluntary Disclosure, Debt Markets, Supply Chains, Private Firms, M&A.

Publications and Working Papers:

1. “**Voluntary Disclosures for the Bond Market: Evidence from an Unconventional Monetary Policy Tool**”, *Review of Accounting Studies* [Solo-Authored]
2. “**External Legal Counsels as Transaction Cost Engineers in Syndicated Loan Contracting**”, R&R at *The Accounting Review* [with Peter Pope (Bocconi) and Peeyush Taori (HKU)]
3. “**The Role of Financial Information in Supply Chains: Evidence from Electronic Business Registers in Europe**” R&R at *Review of Accounting Studies* [with Antonio Marra (Bocconi), Ron Shalev (University of Toronto), and Vincent Giese (University of Mannheim)]
4. “**Industry Expert Analysts and KPI Forecasts**” [with Wanli Zhao (Bocconi)]
5. “**Consumer Voices, Corporate Consequences: The Oversight Power of Customer Reviews in E&S Crises**” [with Angelo Dittillo (Bocconi) and Michele Fumagalli (Bocconi)]
6. “**Now You See it, Now You Don’t: Balancing Reputation with Competitive Concerns in Suppliers’ Identities Disclosures**” [with Ariela Caglio (Bocconi) and Aytekin Ertan (LBS)]
7. “**Are Disclosed Merger Synergies Realized?**” [with Atif Ellahie (Utah), Irem Tuna (LBS), and Xuanheng Huang (Bocconi)]

Work in Progress

8. “**M&A Bankers’ Human Capital: The Role of Expertise, Connections, and Background in Deal-Making**” [with Atif Ellahie (Utah) and Francesco Grossetti (Bocconi)]

Presentations and Invited Conference Participations

2025: Swiss Accounting Research Alpine Camp; University of Bristol; European Accounting Association Conference; LBS Accounting Symposium; Bocconi Accounting Symposium; Accounting Summer Camp 2025; Financial Management and Accounting Research Conference 2025; ESMT Junior Accounting Conference

2024: International Accounting Section Midyear Meeting; INSEAD Accounting Symposium; LBS Accounting Symposium; Bocconi Accounting Symposium; ESMT Junior Accounting Conference; JBFA Conference; 2024 Bayes Analyst Research Conference; 2024 EUFIN Conference; IESE; Bocconi-ECGI Corporate Finance and Governance Conference

2023: Indian School of Business Accounting Conference; Early Career Accounting Scholars Conference; LBS Accounting Symposium; Bocconi Accounting Symposium, European Accounting Association Conference; Columbia Junior Accounting Conference

2022: INSEAD Accounting Symposium; LBS Accounting Symposium; JBFA Conference

2021: Free University of Bozen-Bolzano; Bocconi Accounting Mini-Conference; JBFA Conference

2020: EASYS-Online Workshop; University of Amsterdam; HEC Lausanne; Bocconi University; Frankfurt School of Finance and Management.

2019: RAST Conference; JAE Conference; Transatlantic Doctoral Conference; EAA Doctoral Colloquium; European Accounting Association Conference; AMBS/LSE/LUMS Conference; LBS Accounting Symposium.

2018: Scandinavian Accounting Research Conference; LBS Accounting Symposium; Transatlantic Doctoral Conference.

Teaching Experience

Instructor:

Bocconi University	
Accounting and Financial Statement Analysis (Undergraduate)	2024
Instructor Rating: 8.0/10.0	
Accounting and Financial Statement Analysis (Undergraduate)	2023
Instructor Rating: 8.4/10.0	
Accounting and Financial Statement Analysis (Undergraduate)	2022
Instructor Rating: 8.5/10.0	
Accounting and Financial Statement Analysis (Undergraduate)	2021
Instructor Rating: 8.3/10.0	

Teaching Assistant:

London Business School	
Systematic Investment in Credit Markets (Assistant to Scott Richardson)	2017 – 2020
Financial Accounting (Assistant to Karthik Balakrishnan and James Ryans)	2016 – 2017
Corporate Valuation (Assistant to Mario Massari)	2013 – 2014

Other Professional Experience

Academic

Visiting Scholar – University of Washington, Foster School of Business	2022
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Industry

M&A Coverage – UBS	2012
DCM and Interest Rates Coverage – Barclays Capital	2011

Services

Ad-Hoc Reviewer

Review of Accounting Studies; Journal of Business Finance and Accounting; Accounting and Business Research

Conference Reviewer & Organizer

AAA Annual Meeting; Bocconi Accounting Symposium; FARS Meeting; Transatlantic Doctoral Conference; London Business School Accounting Symposium; EAA Annual Conference

Institutional Responsibilities

BIEF Student-Faculty Joint Committees 2023-2026

Graduate Thesis Advisor (Università Bocconi: 2 Students)

Undergraduate Thesis Advisor (Università Bocconi: 12 Students)

Departmental Seminar Organizer (2022; 2021)

Awards

Bocconi Junior Researchers' Grant	2023
Ermenegildo Zegna Founder's Scholarship (First Recipient)	2014
Bocconi Graduate Merit Award	2010 – 2012