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REFERENCES

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EDUCATION & RESEARCH POSITIONS

- **CEMFI**
PhD candidate in *Economics* **Madrid, Spain**
2021 - Present
- **INPS (Italian Social Security Institute)**
Visiting researcher (VisitINPS) **Italy**
2023 - Present
- **Bocconi University**
Visiting PhD Student **Milan, Italy**
February - May 2023
- **CEMFI**
Master's degree in *Economics and Finance* **Madrid, Spain**
2019 - 2021
- **Bocconi University**
Master's degree in *Economic and Social Sciences* **Milan, Italy**
2016 - 2019
- **IGIER (Innocenzo Gasparini Institute for Economic Research, Bocconi)**
Visiting Student **Milan, Italy**
2017 - 2019
- **Collegio Carlo Alberto**
Diploma in Economics, *Allievi Honors Program* **Turin, Italy**
2014 - 2016
- **University of Turin**
Bachelor's degree in *Economics* **Turin, Italy**
2013 - 2016

TEACHING AND RESEARCH FIELDS

Macroeconomics, Labor economics

RESEARCH

Working papers

- **Income dynamics in dual labor markets** ([Job market paper](#))

In dual labor markets, stable jobs coexist with short, fixed-duration contracts. While some workers hold permanent positions, others experience employment instability, transitioning through multiple short-term jobs before securing a stable contract. This paper examines how employment instability arises from contract types versus worker characteristics and how duality impacts individual income volatility. I propose a statistical framework where observable and latent individual characteristics jointly influence labor market trajectories and income dynamics. The model decomposes the portion of income not attributable to individual factors into persistent and transitory components. The persistence and the magnitude of these components are allowed to vary with labor market status and transitions, giving rise to nonlinear and non-normal income dynamics. The estimates reveal that latent characteristics are key drivers of heterogeneity in employment instability and that labor market status and transitions significantly affect income volatility. The analysis further uncovers substantial welfare costs of employment instability driven by heightened precautionary savings.

Work in progress

- [Temporary Jobs, Permanent Consequences](#) (with Samuel Bentolila)
- [Downward Workers' Mobility](#) (with Edoardo Accabi & Antonella Trigari)
- [Unemployment Dynamics: Accounting for Individual and Contractual Heterogeneity](#) (with Antonella Trigari)

ACADEMIC CONFERENCES

- **European Association of Young Economists (EAYE)**. Turin, Italy. September 2023
- **The Econometric Society Winter Meeting**. Berlin, Germany. December 2022
- **XX Brucchi Luchino Labour Economics Workshop**. Naples, Italy. December 2022
- **VPDE 15th PhD Workshop in Economics**. Turin, Italy. November 2022

AWARDS AND SCHOLARSHIPS

- **María de Maetzu Scholarship, CEMFI** 2019 - Present
- **Scholarship ISU Bocconi** 2016 - 2019
- **Allievo Scholarship, Collegio Carlo Alberto** 2014 - 2016

WORK EXPERIENCES

- **CEMFI** **Madrid, Spain**
Teaching (Statistical Method in Econometrics) and research assistant 2021 - 2023
- **Fondazione Rodolfo Debenedetti** **Milan, Italy**
Research assistant under the supervision of Professor Tito Boeri March 2019 - August 2019
- **Bocconi University – IGIER** **Milan, Italy**
Employment, Skills and Productivity in Italy October 2018 - May 2019
Research project on field: Research assistant to Prof. A. Trigari on US unemployment benefits April 2018 - July 2018

POLICY PUBLICATIONS

- ***Un mondo sempre più fragile. XXV rapporto sull'economia globale e l'Italia*** 2021
Contributor. The book is edited by Professor Mario Deaglio. ISBN: 9788862508209
- ***Beyond the concept of the "fixed number" of jobs*** 2018
Article written with Professor Elsa Fornero – Former Italian Minister of Labour. ISSN: 1970-7290
- ***Europe reset. The Union after Brexit*** 2016
Contributor for *La Stampa* E-book, edited by Professor Mario Deaglio. ISBN: 9788865866566

GRANTS

- **Young Scholar Initiative** grant by the Institute for New Economic Thinking (New York) 2018
for the realization of a two-day academic workshop on Global Value Chains (\$4500)
- **Editor** of a publication on the **Italian Jobs Act and labour market**, funded by 2017
Collegio Carlo Alberto & *Luigi Einaudi* Research Centre (€3500)
- Workshop **Welfare State. Crisis and development prospects**, funded by 2016
Fondazione Fondo Ricerca e Talenti (University of Turin) (€4000)

VOLUNTEERING

• **Luigi Einaudi Research Centre**
Junior affiliate

Turin, Italy
June 2018 - Present

• **Lavoce.info Journal**
Peer-reviewed website hosting economic articles

Milan, Italy
July 2017 - Present

LANGUAGES

• **Italian** (Native), **English** (C1 Level – IELTS: 7), **French** (B1 Level), **Spanish**

COMPUTER SKILLS

Stata (Proficient), **Matlab** (Proficient), **R** (Good working knowledge), **Julia** (Proficient), **EViews** (Basic knowledge), **SAS** (Basic knowledge). Proficient with **LaTeX**