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PERSONAL	Italian and British citizen	
RESEARCH FIELDS	Econometrics, Applied Microeconomics, Empirical Industrial Organisation	
ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT	Senior Lecturer (Associate Prof.) at Queen Mary University of London (QMUL), 2023- Lecturer (Assistant Prof.) at QMUL, 2021-2023 Assistant Professor at Toulouse School of Economics (TSE), 2017-2021	
VISITING POSITIONS	Einaudi Institute for Economics and Finance (EIEF), April 2024 LUISS University - Rome, May 2024 University of Cambridge, Faculty of Economics, 2020-2021	
OTHER AFFILIATIONS	TSE Associate Faculty, 2021- CeMMAP Research Associate, 2021-	
OTHER EMPLOYMENT	Bank of Italy, Economist, Financial Stability Directorate, 2014-2015	
EDUCATION	University College London Ph.D. in Economics, 2012-2017 (Advisors: Adam Rosen and Aureo de Paula) MRes in Economics, 2011-2012 University of Rome Tor Vergata MSc in Economics, 2009-2011 (Summa cum Laude) BSc in Economics, 2006-2009 (Summa cum Laude)	
PUBLICATIONS	<i>An Econometric Model of Network Formation with an Application to Board Interlocks between Firms</i> , Journal of Econometrics, 2021, 224(2), 345-370. <i>Partial Identification in Matching Models for the Marriage Market</i> , with S. Sinha, Journal of Political Economy, 2023, 131(5), p.1109-1171. <i>Discussion of “Risk Preference Types, Limited Consideration, and Welfare” by Levon Barseghyan and Francesca Molinari</i> , Journal of Business and Economic Statistics, 2023, 41(4), 1035-1038. <i>Identification in Discrete Choice Models with Imperfect Information</i> , Journal of Econometrics, 2024, 244(1), 105854.	
WORKING PAPERS	<i>Price Competition and Endogenous Product Choice in Networks: Evidence from the US Airline Industry</i> , with C. Bontemps and K. Remmy (Resubmitted to Econometrica)	

On the Identification of Models of Uncertainty, Learning, and Human Capital Acquisition and the Determinants of Sorting, with A. de Paula, E. Pastorino, and S. Salgado

WORK IN PROGRESS *When Are Instrumental-Variable Methods Appropriate for Models of Learning and Comparative Advantage?*, with E. Pastorino

Robust Identification in Repeated Games: An Empirical Approach to Algorithmic Competition, with A. Cozzolino, N. Lomys, and L. Magnolfi

CONFERENCES
WORKSHOPS
SEMINARS
2025: University of Oxford, University of Cyprus, QMUL School of Mathematical Sciences, University of Bonn, WashU, University of Warwick, University of Cambridge, Toulouse School of Economics, Berlin IO Day, Bristol IO Workshop, Montreal Summer IO Conference

2024: European Central Bank, PSE/ESSEC workshop on “platforms, mobility and the sharing economy”, 2024 Cowles Conference on Econometrics, UCL PhD Alumni Conference (plenary speaker), University of Naples PhD Conference (keynote speaker), Tilburg University, Bocconi, University of Exeter, Sciences Po

2023: (maternity leave February-September 2023) Imperial College, University of Kent, EIEF-UNIBO-IGIER Workshop on Industrial Organisation

2022: University of Oslo, Workshop “Encounters in Econometric Theory” at Nuffield College (University of Oxford), Barcelona GSE Summer Forum, Workshop “Methods and applications for network data” at the University of Essex, University of Bristol, Aarhus Workshop in Econometrics, London School of Economics, LUISS Guido Carli, ASSA 2023 (invited JBES discussion)

2021: University of Surrey, University of Essex, University of Cambridge, Cornell University, The Ohio State University, CEMFI, CeMMAP-TSE Conference on the Econometrics of Games, Matching, and Networks, University of Toronto

2020: QMUL, University of Cambridge, Sciences Po, Tinbergen Institute Amsterdam, World Congress of the Econometric Society, Aarhus University, University of Essex, Lindau Meeting on Economic Sciences (postponed)

2019: Conference on Optimal Transport and its Applications in Economics at Cowles Foundation Yale, Network Econometrics Juniors Conference at Northwestern, University of Warwick, Advances in Econometrics Conference: The Econometrics of Networks, EEA-ESEM Annual Congress, Bristol-TSE Econometric Workshop

2018: Bristol Econometric Study Group, IMT 7th Annual Workshop on Networks in Economics and Finance

2017: Einaudi Institute for Economics and Finance, Royal Holloway, TSE, University of Arizona, UC Davis ARE, 2016 Annual Conference of the Royal Economic Society, 5th European Conference on Networks (University College London), 9th French Econometrics Conference (ENSAE)

2016: EEA-ESEM Annual Congress, IAEE Annual Conference, ENTER Jamboree Conference, Duke Econometric Workshop, European Winter Meeting of the Econometric Society, Symposium of the Spanish Economic Association

2014: Bank of Italy, Zurich Initiative on Computational Economics (University of Zurich, poster session)

2013: “Stats in Paris”, Conference, CREST (poster session)

TEACHING EXPERIENCE (LECTURER)	Fall	2022,2023,2024,2025	Topics in Microeconometrics (Ph.D., QMUL)
	Fall	2021,2022	Econometrics 1 (Undergraduate, QMUL)
	Fall	2017,2018,2019	Econometric Methods for Empirical Economics (Master 2, TSE)
	Fall	2017,2018,2019	Advanced Econometrics (Ph.D., TSE)
	Fall	2019	Intermediate Econometrics (Master 1, TSE)
	Spring	2017,2018,2019	Supervision, Applied Econometrics (Master 1, TSE)
	Spring	2017,2018	Econometrics and Empirical Economics (Master 2, TSE)

RESEARCH GRANTS	2024-2028	ESRC New Investigator Grant (PI), <i>Econometric Analysis of Dynamic Games with Limited Information</i> , £299,859
	2026-2031	ERC Starting Grant (PI), <i>Robust Econometrics of Games in IO</i> (REGIO), € 1.5 million

HONOURS AND AWARDS	2023	QMUL Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences Research Award
	2022	Review of Economic Studies, Excellence in Refereeing Award
	2021	Review of Economic Studies, Excellence in Refereeing Award
	2020	Review of Economic Studies, Excellence in Refereeing Award
	2013-2017	Ricardo Scholarship, University College London
	2012-2013	Einaudi Institute for Economics and Finance Scholarship

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES	<i>Editorial Positions</i>	
	Editorial board member for The Review of Economic Studies (since 1 Jan 2025)	
	Associate Editor for the Journal of Applied Econometrics (from 1 Jan 2026)	

Referee

Econometrica, Econometric Theory, Journal of Nonparametric Statistics, Journal of Political Economy, Review of Economics and Statistics, Review of Economic Studies, Journal of Applied Econometrics, Quantitative Economics, Journal of Econometrics, Journal of Labor Economics, Oxford Bulletin of Economics and Statistics, JPE Micro

Review of Grant Applications

US National Science Foundation

Committees

ESRC Peer Review College team
Grader for 2024 European Summer Meeting of the Econometric Society (IO)
Program committee at 2024 European Winter Meeting of Econometric Society (Econometrics and Applied Econometrics)
Referee for 2025 IAAE (Empirical IO and Auctions)

Conferences, Seminars and Workshops

Co-organizer of the Econometrics seminar series at QMUL (2021-2023)
Co-organizer of the Econometrics and Empirical Economics seminar series at TSE (2018-2020)
Co-organizer of the Conference on the Econometrics and Models of Strategic Interactions, joint with Christian Bontemps, Andrew Chesher, Aureo de Paula, and Tong Li, May 2025, QMUL
Co-organizer of the Conference on the Econometrics and Models of Strategic Interactions, joint with Christian Bontemps, Andrew Chesher, Aureo de Paula, Tong Li, and

Niccoló Lomys May 2024, University of Naples

Co-organizer of the Conference on the Econometrics and Models of Strategic Interactions, joint with Christian Bontemps, Andrew Chesher, and Tong Li, May 2023, Vanderbilt University

Co-organizer of the TSE and CeMMAP Conference on the Econometrics of Games, Matching and Networks, June 2021, online

Supervision

Irene Rizzoli, Ph.D. at QMUL (1st advisor)

Daniel Lopes Ribeiro, Ph.D. at QMUL (2nd advisor)

Tim Ederer, Ph.D. at TSE (committee member, 1st placement: post-doc at Becker Friedman Institute and then Assistant Professor at Carnegie Mellon)

Max Lesellier, Ph.D. at TSE (committee member, 1st placement: Assistant Professor at Université de Montréal)

Administrative assignments

Research Committee. Rep - Econometrics at QMUL (2023-2024, 2024-2025, 2025-2026)

Graduate Studies Committee Representative at QMUL (2022-2023)

Undergraduate Chair of Teaching Review Group at QMUL (2022-2023)