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EDUCATION

European University Institute

Ph.D Researcher in Economics
Master of Research in Economics

Florence, Italy

2023 – Present
2022 - 2023

Barcelona School of Economics

Master of Science in Economics

Barcelona, Spain

2020 - 2021

Trinity College Dublin

Bachelor of Arts with a major in Economics and minor in Sociology

Dublin, Ireland

2016 - 2020

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Applied Microeconomics, Economics of Migration, Labour Economics, Political Economy, Cultural Economics

RESEARCH IN PROGRESS

"Refugee Ethnic Composition and the Integration of Earlier Immigrants"

"Who Should Go Where: The Role of Job Referrals in Refugee Allocation Policy" with Allen Magsino

TEACHING & OTHER EXPERIENCE

European University Institute

Teaching Assistant for Alessandro Tarozzi

Ph.D level: Modern DiD, Event-study Design, and other Topics in Applied Econometrics

Florence, Italy

2026

First-Year PhD Tutor: Econometrics Sequence

Florence, Italy

2023 – Present

European University Institute, Migration Policy Center

Co-coordinator

EUI Migration Working Group

Florence, Italy

2025-2027

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Universitat Pompeu Fabra & Northwestern University
*Pre-Doctoral Research Assistant for Erika Deserranno and
Gianmarco León-Ciliotta*

Dublin, Ireland
2021 - 2022

- Working on papers in the field of personnel economics that assess the impact of meritocracy and incentive distribution within an organisation.

**Stockholm School of Economics -
Mistra Center for Sustainable Markets**
*Research Assistant for Andrea Guariso and
Martina Bjorkman Nyqvist*

Dublin, Ireland
07/2021– 10/2021

- Worked on a long-run study of child mortality in Uganda.

Trinity College Dublin
Research Assistant for Andrea Guariso and Marvin Suesse

Dublin, Ireland

- Worked on a paper that uses an RCT to compare the outcomes of different learning methods on primary school kids in India.
- Worked on a paper on the Fiscal State in Africa.
- Worked on a paper dealing with market integration and ethnicity in Africa

08/2020– 09/2020

05/2020- 07/2020
07/2019- 09/2019

Research tasks have included: writing a grant proposal; literature review; data collection, cleaning and analysis using Excel, Stata and LaTeX.

CONFERENCES & SEMINARS

10th Understanding Voluntary and Forced Migration International Conference (Lille), 4th Junior Workshop on the Economics of Migration (Madrid), EUI Microeconometrics Working Group (Florence), EUI Migration Working Group (Florence), 4th Milan PhD Workshop (Milan)

LANGUAGES & IT SKILLS

Language skills: English (Native), Spanish (Basic), Italian (Basic)

IT skills: Stata, MATLAB, Excel, PowerPoint, LaTeX, Qualtrics, R

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Citizenship: Ireland; Nigeria