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## CURRENT POSITION

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### Research scientist (post-doc)

Max Planck Institute for Demographic Research (MPIDR) Rostock, Germany

09/2022 - 09/2025

## EDUCATION

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**Ph.D in Social and Political Sciences**, European University Institute (Italy)

2018 - 2022

**Master of Research in Social and Political Sciences**, European University Institute (Italy)

2018 - 2019

**Master in Comparative Public Policy and Welfare Studies**,

University of Southern Denmark (Denmark)

2016 - 2018

**Bachelor in Political Science: International History and politics**,

University of Padova (Italy)

2013 - 2016

## VISITING PERIODS

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Guest PhD, DYNAMICS research group, Berlin, Germany

09.2021 - 02.2022

Guest PhD, Social Science Center (WZB), Berlin, Germany

09.2021 - 02.2022

Guest PhD, Max Planck Institute for Demographic Research, DCD Lab, Rostock, Germany

04.2021 - 07.2021

Guest researcher, Comparative Political Economy WG, University of Konstanz, Germany

02.2018 - 04.2018

Erasmus student, Department of Political Sciences, University of Trier, Germany

09.2015 - 03.2016

## JOURNAL ARTICLES

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**Conte Keivabu R.** (2022) "Extreme temperature and mortality by educational attainment in Spain, 2012-2018" *European Journal of Population*, DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1007/s10680-022-09641-4>

**Conte Keivabu R.** & Cozzani M. (2022) "Extreme temperatures, birth outcomes, and socioeconomic heterogeneity" *Demography*, DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1215/00703370-10174836>

**Conte Keivabu R.** & Rüttenauer T. (2022) "London congestion charge: the impact on air pollution and school attendance by socioeconomic status", *Population & Environment*, DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1007/s11111-022-00401-4>.

## OTHER PUBLICATIONS

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### PhD Thesis:

**Conte Keivabu R.** (2022) "Climate change, air pollution and inequalities in exposure and vulnerability" URI: <http://hdl.handle.net/1814/74978>

### Working papers:

**Conte Keivabu R.**, Cozzani M., Wilde J., (2023) "Temperature and Fertility: Evidence from Spanish Register Data". MPIDR Working Paper WP-2023-021. DOI:10.4054/MPIDR-WP-2023-021

**Conte Keivabu R.**, Basellini U., Zagheni E.,(2022) "Racial disparities in temperature-related death in the U.S. between 1993 and 2005." MPIDR Working Paper WP-2022-028. DOI:10.4054/MPIDR-WP-2022-028

Bernardi F. & **Conte Keivabu R.** "Poor air at school and educational inequalities by family socioeconomic status". (2023) MPIDR Working Paper WP-2023-014. DOI:10.4054/MPIDR-WP-2023-014

#### **Book reviews:**

**Conte Keivabu, R.** (2021). Michelle Jackson: Manifesto for a Dream: Inequality, Constraint, and Radical Reform. *Sociologický časopis / Czech Sociological Review*, 57(6), 740-743

**Conte Keivabu, R.** (2021). Daniel Markovits: The Meritocracy Trap: How America's Foundational Myth Feeds Inequality, Dismantles the Middle Class, and Devours the Elite. *Sociologický časopis/Czech Sociological Review* 57 (3), 389-392

**Conte Keivabu, R.** (2020). David Epstein: Range: Why Generalists Triumph in a Specialized World. *Sociologický časopis / Czech Sociological Review*, 56(6), 923-925

**Conte Keivabu, R.** (2020). Robert Plomin: Blueprint: How DNA Makes Us Who We Are. *Sociologický časopis / Czech Sociological Review*, 56(3), 428-430.

**Conte Keivabu, R.** (2019). Philip Tetlock and Dan Gardner: Superforecasting: The Art and Science of Prediction. *Sociologický časopis / Czech Sociological Review*, 55(3), 406-408

#### **Blog Articles:**

The COVID-19 lockdown. A breath of fresh air for Italy? : <https://euideas.eui.eu/2020/05/07/the-covid-19-lockdown-a-breath-of-fresh-air-for-italy/> *EUI Ideas Blog*

Fire, Fire everywhere: <https://euideas.eui.eu/2020/10/30/fire-fire-everywhere/>. *EUI ideas blog*

#### **SELECTED WORK IN PROGRESS**

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*Drafts available upon request*

**Conte Keivabu R.** "Temperature and School absences: evidence from England"

**Conte Keivabu R.** "Adapting to the heat? Extreme temperature and birth outcomes over time in Spain, 1985-2016" <https://ehp.niehs.nih.gov/doi/10.1289/isee.2021.O-TO-168>

**Conte Keivabu R.** Widmann T. "The Effect of Temperatures on Cognitive Performance: evidence from 7 million political speeches" *In preparation*

#### **INVITED TALKS AND CONFERENCES**

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**2023:** POPDAYS (Rome, Italy); PAA (New Orleans, U.S.A.); 6th Annual Symposium of the Centre for Fertility and Health (Oslo, Norway).

**2022:** EAPS Working Group on Register-Based Fertility Research (Rostock, Germany); Wittgenstein Centre Conference 2022 (Vienna, Austria); POPFEST2022 (Florence, Italy); Environmental inequality workshop (Kaiserlautern, Germany); BSPS (Winchester, England) ; PAA (Atlanta, U.S.A.) ; EPC (Groningen, 2022) ; ECSR (Amsterdam, Netherlands) ; SISEC (Bologna, Italy).

**2021:** SISEC (online) ; Danish Center for Welfare studies Conference (online); Lab talk MPIDR Lab of Digital and Computational Demography (online) ; American Sociological Association(ASA) Conference (online); ECSR Spring School (Online); INVALSI conference (online).

**2020:** SISEC (Torino, Italy) ; ECSR conference (online).

**2019:** ESPANET Italy Conference (Urbino, Italy), Nordwell Conference (Bremen, Germany)

**2018:** NOPSA (Odense, Denmark); PROMEBI Summer School (Oviedo, Spain) .

#### **TEACHING**

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**Graduate level workshops:**

Workshop on “Data and modeling approaches to assess climate-conflict impact on population dynamics” at PAA 2023 New Orleans(U.S.A.) in collaboration with L. Andriano, R. Muttarak, R. Hoffmann and F. Zanasi spring 2023.

Workshop on “Introduction to climatic and geospatial data in sociological research with R” at Universidad de Educacion a Distancia (UNED) in Madrid spring 2023.

Guest lecture on ”Climate Change, Health and Mortality” at the University of Bologna, MA course in Population and Climate change of R. Muttarak spring 2022.

Two seminars on the “Social consequences of Natural disasters” at the University of Florence, MA course in geoengineering of A. Petrucci spring 2021.

Workshop on “Big data and social science: an application of Google trends with R” at the Inequality Working Group of the EUI (Florence) fall 2020.

### **Undergraduate:**

T.A. in ”Microsociology and Demography” taught by H. Zagel, A. Fasang and G. Yurdakul at Humboldt University (Berlin) fall term 2021.

T.A. in ”Economic principles and politics” taught by professor P. Vanhuysse at SDU (Odense) fall term 2017

T.A. in “Globalization, Organization and the State” taught by professor P. Starke at SDU(Odense) fall term 2017

### **AWARDS**

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*Employment grant* covering the PhD studies provided by the Danish Ministry of Education. 09.2018 - 09.2022

*Talented student program grant* from the Centre for Welfare State Research at SDU. The grant financed a visiting stay at the University of Konstanz, Germany 2018

*Talented student program grant* from the Centre for Welfare State Research at SDU. Funded the participation at the Oslo summer school in Comparative Social Science Studies. 2018

*Erasmus program grant* from the University of Padova (Italy). Funded the stay at the University of Trier (Germany). 2015

### **SKILLS**

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**Computing:** STATA, R, Python, LaTeX, Microsoft Office;

**Languages:** Italian (native), English (fluent), Estonian (intermediate), German (intermediate), French (intermediate), Danish (beginner).

### **POSTGRADUATE EDUCATION**

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Data visualization- the art/skill cocktail(online): Max Planck Institute for Demographic Research 2021

Spatial Econometrics (online): Spatial Econometrics association 2021

Teacher Training Certificate (online): Teaching in Higher Education, European University Institute 2020

Topics in Digital and computational demography (online): Max Planck Institute for Demographic Research 2020

Demographic methods (online): Max Planck Institute for Demographic Research. 2020

Trento School of Applied Quantitative Research, Trento (Italy) 2019

Oslo Summer School, Oslo (Norway): “Political Psychology” taught by Fathali Moghaddam 2017

### **ACADEMIC AND UNIVERSITY SERVICE**

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**Peer Review:**

*Journals:* Population and Environment, Genus, British Journal of Sociology, Vienna Yearbook of Population Research.

*Grants and others:* ERC starting grant reviewer.

**Mentoring:**

EDSD student mentor , Sahar Ahmed, MA student, EDSD program;

PHDS advisor of Xiuqi Yang, PhD student, University of Pennsylvania;

PHDS advisor of Dorien Beeres, PhD student, Erasmus University Rotterdam;

**Conference session organization:**

EPC Conference convener session on *Environment and Sustainability*; in progress for 2024

BSPS conference session on *Climate change, environmental problems, and population dynamics*; in progress for 2023

BSPS conference session on *Sociodemographic disparities in environmental risks*; 2022.

**Institutional service:**

Roundtable session organizer at MPIDR 2023 - Chair of the sustainability group at MPIDR 2022-

Assessment committee of new postdoctoral researchers at MPIDR 2022

Support in the first-gen initiative, EUI 2020 - 2021

Engaged Academics - EUI, video and radio recording on Climate Change 2020

STATA tutor at the ICT service of the EUI 2019 - 2020

Inequality Working Group & IWG Reading club co-organizer, EUI 2019 - 2021

Introduction MA program “Comparative Public Policy and Welfare Studies”, SDU 2017

Bachelor student’s representative at the Department of Political Science, University of Padova 2015 - 2016