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CURRENT EMPLOYMENT

PhD Graduate Student, Università di Bologna
Bologna, Italy

Nov 2023 - Ongoing

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Labour Economics, Feminist Economics, Public Policy Analysis

EDUCATION

MSc in Economics, Policy Economics , Grade: 8,64/10 <i>Cum Laude</i> Erasmus University Rotterdam, the Netherlands	Sept 2021 - Sept 2022
Summer School on Difference-in-Differences with Panel Data Barcelona School of Economics, Barcelona, Spain	July 2025
Summer School on Ecological Economics Università di Pisa, Italy	July 2024
Summer Crash Course on Ecological and Feminist Macroeconomics Universitat de Barcelona, Spain	July 2021
Bachelor's degree in Economics , Grade: 8,08/10 Pompeu Fabra University, Barcelona, Spain	Sept 2015 - April 2021
Bachelor's degree in Law , Grade: 7,88/10 Pompeu Fabra University, Barcelona, Spain	Sept 2015 - June 2020
<i>Erasmus program exchange</i> : European Law School, Maastricht University, the Netherlands	Sept 2018 - Feb 2019
Minor in Gender Studies , 8,97/10 Pompeu Fabra University, Barcelona, Spain Relevant coursework: Public Policies in Gender Equality, Gender and the Family	Jan 2021 - June 2021

EXPERIENCE

External consultant , Espai08 Barcelona, Spain	November 2022 - Ongoing
<i>Espai08</i> is a Catalan interdisciplinary think tank that contributes to the public debate with short articles and policy briefs on current economic issues and public policies, from a progressive and transformative perspective. Member of the <i>Ecological economics and Welfare</i> and <i>Feminist Economics</i> working groups. <i>Previous work</i> : Public policies for feminist societies; The UBI, a tool for gender equality?	
Teaching Assistant University of Bologna, Bologna	Oct 2025 - Feb 2026
Macroeconomia, <i>Laurea in Scienze politiche, sociali e internazionali</i> with prof. Scrutinio and prof. Ardeni	
Teaching Assistant John Hopkins SAIS, Bologna	Oct 2025 - Dec 2025
Statistics for Data Analysis, <i>Master of Arts in International Affairs</i> with prof. Meucci	
Predoctoral Researcher , Institute of Applied Microeconomics University of Bonn, Germany	Nov 2022 - Aug 2023
Project: Maternal expectations and labour supply	
Policy intern , Institut Català de les Dones (Catalan Women's Institute) Barcelona, Spain	Nov 2019 - Jul 2020

SKILLS

Data Analysis Skills	STATA, R, Python
Text Skills	Latex, Microsoft Office, Google Environment

LANGUAGES

English	C2 Reading and Listening, C1 Writing and Speaking
Catalan	Native
Spanish	Native
German	Basic
Italian	Fluent

TRAININGS & WORKSHOPS

Making Feminist Economics Count	Feb 2025
SOAS University of London, Women's Budget Group, Young Scholars Initiative	
BREAD-IGC Virtual PhD Course on Environmental Economics	Sept 2023 - Nov 2023
International Growth Centre (IGC)	
The Economics of Sustainability	March 2022
AEclipse student association & Erasmus School of Economics, Rotterdam, the Netherlands	
Micromasters in Data, Economics and Development Policy	Sep 2019 - June 2020
MITx on edX (online education platform)	
Statistics and R	July 2020
HardvardX on edX (online education platform)	

SCHOLARSHIPS

European Central Bank - Women in Economics	July 2021
Awarded one out of the five scholarships by the ECB to support women who want to pursue a career in Economics. The scholarship funded my master's degree at Erasmus School of Economics. Besides, I entered the mentorship program of the ECB and was assigned a senior female economist of the ECB as a mentor.	
Beca DIME - Fundación Microfinanzas BBVA	August 2022
Awarded one out of the 15 scholarships by Fundación Microfinanzas BBVA to work as an intern at a microcredits institution in South America. Although I obtained the scholarship in 2020, the internship had to be postponed to 2022. I worked as an intern at Banco Adopem in the Dominican Republic in August 2022.	
Spanish Government High School Merit Scholarship	June 2015
I was awarded the Merit Scholarship which recognises the best student of each Spanish high school and covers tuition fees for the first year of University.	