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School of Economics
and Management

master of science

Economics and development

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Our Testimonials

Graduates in Economics

The MSc in Economics and Development - curriculum in Economics started in the a.y. 2014/2015. This corresponds to the previous curriculum in Economia Politica of the Corso di Laurea Magistrale in Scienze dell'Economia and to the former Corso di Laurea Specialistica in Economia politica. Two testimonials were enrolled in the earlier Master in Scienze economiche e sociali.



Aurela

Master in Economics and Development
Curriculum in Economics (2021)

2022 – Trainee-Product Cost Analyst at Eli Lilly Italia



Analysis of variances between planned and actual costs and variables that influence the production costs.



Giovanni

Master in Economics and Development
Curriculum in Economics (2021)

September 2021 – Ongoing Management Consulting Analyst at Accenture

Accenture is a global professional services company with leading capabilities in digital, cloud and security.

As an Analyst, I have been involved in projects within the Financial Services and Capital Markets industries. My activities include:

- The analysis of an organization, its processes and systems, the assessment of the business model and its integration with technology.*
- The support during the test phase, analysis and coordination of different users involved.*



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Giulia

Master in Economics and Development
Curriculum in Economics (2021)

April 2021 – Stage at Capgemini S.p.A

- *Being one of the leading consulting firms worldwide, Capgemini S.p.A supports companies in their digital transformation process by putting technology first.*
- *As Junior SAP Analyst, I analyze the needs of the client company, I check which software is used in the business processes and I propose transformations to make processes more agile.*



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Dario

Master in Economics and Development
Curriculum in Economics (2021)

2021 – Ph.D. Student, Toulouse School of
Economics

2021 – Master in Economics, Collegio Carlo
Alberto (Turin, Italy)



Research interests in Economic Theory, Industrial
Organization, Econometrics



Bianca

Master in Economics and Development
Curriculum in Economics (2020)

2020 – PhD in Economics Networks and
Business Analytics at IMT School for
Advanced Studies Lucca.

*I am interested in Behavioural Economic
Theory. My current focus is on how social status
concern affects preferences for redistribution.*



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Marco

**Master in Economics and Development
Curriculum in Economics (2019)**

November 2021 – ongoing

**Market Operations Analyst at European Central Bank –
Market Operations System**

Analysis and automation of the Asset Purchase Programme process put in place by the ECB.

November 2019 – October 2020

**Trainee at European Central Bank – Market Operations
System**

Analysis of the Asset Purchase Programme put in place by the ECB.

April 2019 – October 2019

Analyst Consultant at Capgemini

Consulting activity related to financial services (banking and insurance).





Elda

Master in Economics and Development
Curriculum in Economics (2019)

2020 – Portfolio analyst, Credit Recovery Section, Findomestic Banca SpA

Management of Salary-backed loans, financial instrument analysis and reporting on a daily basis

2019 – Trainee at Sace Simest, gruppo Cassa Depositi e Prestiti

Sace S.p.A., the Italian Export Credit Agency, is a private or quasi-governmental institution that acts as an intermediary between national governments and exporters to issue export insurance solutions and guarantees for financing.





Luca

Master in Economics and Development
Curriculum in Economics (2019)

2020 – Expert at Bank of Italy – Central
Administration – Directorate General for
Economics, Statistics and Research

*After a six-months research internship at the Bank
of Italy (Florence branch) sponsored by the
University of Florence, I joined the Bank's
Directorate General for Economics, Statistics and
Research in Rome as an Expert in Statistics.*



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Emilia

Master in Economics and Development
curriculum in Economics (2018)

2018 – present

Employed at Centro Studi Confindustria
Firenze

- *Elaboration of economic statistics in support of association's lobbying activities.*
- *Supply of micro and macroeconomic surveys and market sector investigation at request of associated enterprises.*





Andrea

Master in Economics and Development
curriculum in Economics (2017)

2021 – RAI - Radiotelevisione italiana S.p.A.

Labor cost analysis and data elaboration for drawing up corporate financial statements.

2019 – Accountant at OIC Group

Payments within OIC companies, expenses refund to Italian and foreign doctors, credit card receipts check, account book check.

**2018 – International Sales and Distribution at Codifi
(Menarini Group)**

Orders management for intercompany transactions around the world.





Cosimo

Master in Economics and Development
Curriculum in Economics (2017)

2017 – Ph.D. student in Economics at
Brown University (Providence - RI)

*Research interests in macroeconomics
and macroeconometrics*





Federico

Master in Economics and Development
Curriculum in Economics (2017)

2017 – PhD student University of
Mannheim

*Research interests in Microeconomics, in
particular Industrial Organization and
Media Economics*



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A revised version of Federico's Thesis for the
Master in Economics & Development has been
accepted for publication in the *Journal of
Economic Behavior and Organization*



Marco

Master in Economics and Development
Curriculum in Economics (2017)

2017 – Ph.D. student in Economics at
University of Surrey



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*Research interests in Political Economy, Applied
Microeconomics and Applied Econometrics*



Giulio

Master in Economics and Development
Curriculum in Economics (2017)

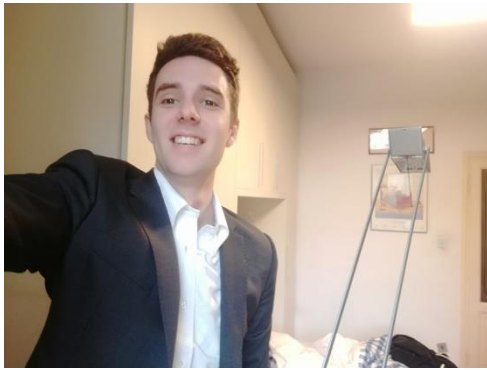
2019 – Ph.D student in Statistics

Causal inference under interference

2018 – External collaborator at IRPET

Analysis of the economic impact of a new tramway line in the peripheral neighborhood





Filippo

Master in Economics and Development
Curriculum in Economics (2016)

2018 – PhD Student in Economics
at University of Florence-Pisa-Siena

Research interests:

- *Evolutionary game theory*
- *Wealth inequality*
- *Sociology*
- *Semiology*





Gabriele

Master in Economics and Development
Curriculum in Economics (2016)

2018 – PhD Student in Economics at
Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore -
Milan

2017 – Project Manager at ITA - Italian
Trade Agency

*Research interests in Monetary Policies,
Behavioural Economics and Macroeconomics*





Andrea

Master in Economics and Development
Curriculum in Economics (2016)

2018 – PhD student, Bologna University

2017 – Master at Barcelona Graduate
School of Economics

*Research interests in International
Macroeconomics and Applied Macroeconometrics.*

A revised version of Chapter 2 in Andrea's Thesis for the
Master in Economics & Development has been accepted
for publication in the *Review of Industrial Organization*.



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Niccolò

Master in Scienze dell'Economia
Curriculum in Economia politica (2016)

2017 – Marketing Analyst in Findomestic
Banca S.P.A (*Personal Finance*, BNP Paribas
Group)

*Creation and Analysis of Database (DWH),
Customer Portfolio Segmentation, Pricing,
Forecast models, Vintage & Financial Analysis*





Filippo

Master in Scienze dell'Economia
Curriculum in Economia Politica (2016)

2017 – PhD Student in Economics
at University of Florence-Pisa-Siena





Eugenio

Master in Scienze dell'Economia
Curriculum in Economia politica (2016)

2017 – PhD Student in Economics
at University of Florence-Pisa-Siena





Ilaria

Master in Scienze dell'Economia
Curriculum in Economia politica (2015)

2017 – Master student at ECARES
(European Center for Advanced Research
in Economics and Statistics) - Université
Libre de Bruxelles.

Current research interests in Industrial
Organization and Contract Theory.





David

Master in Scienze dell'Economia
Curriculum in Economia politica (2012)

**2017 – Structured & Project Finance
Manager at MPS Capital Services**

*Arrangement of long term financing in the fields
of renewable energy, infrastructures and utilities.*





Duccio

Master in Scienze dell'Economia
Curriculum in Economia politica (2012)

2020 - Postdoc Researcher at Catholic
University, Milan

2017 - 2019 Postdoc Researcher at the
University of Exeter, UK

2013 –2017 PhD in Economics
IMT, School for Advanced Studies, Lucca

*I apply microeconomic theory to investigate how
psychological, social and cognitive factors affect tax
compliance
My empirical research is focused on estimating local
government performance*





Marco

Master in Scienze dell'Economia
Curriculum in Economia politica (2011)

**2021 – Senior Consultant at Tetra Tech
International Development**

*Marco is a consulting economist working as
evaluator for international development projects.
He applies his knowledge of economics to
measuring and assessing the impacts of public
policies and donor-funded projects.*





Marco

Master in Scienze dell'Economia
Curriculum in Economia politica (2011)

**2021 – Senior Consultant at Tetra Tech
International Development**

**(previously Consultant at Nathan
Associates-London office)**

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evaluator for international development projects.
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measuring and assessing the impacts of public
policies and donor-funded projects.*





Stefania

Master in Scienze economiche e sociali (2010)

2017 – Ph.D. fellow at Maastricht University - United Nations University (MERIT), currently Junior Visiting Scholar at Nuffield College (Oxford University)

Stefania worked for the Italian Institute for Foreign Trade, then as research assistant at the European University Institute and at the Social Security department of the UN-International Labour Organization in Geneva. Her master thesis was awarded the 2010 Villa Favard Prize. In 2011, she was a consultant at the Italian Ministry of Economics and Finance in Rome. In September 2012, she joined Maastricht University (UNU-MERIT) to start her Ph.D. Currently, she is visiting Nuffield College (Oxford University). Her research interests lie in microeconomics, behavioural and experimental economics, institutional economics.



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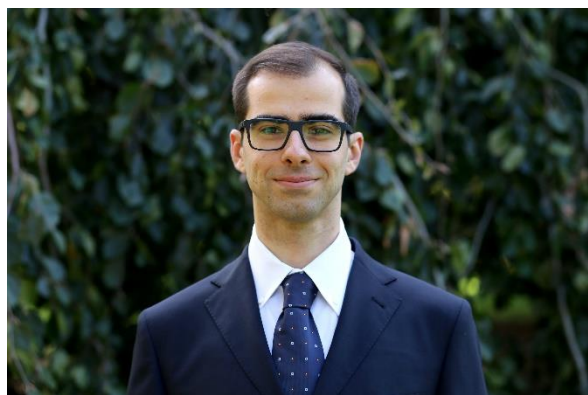
Giulio

Master in Economia politica (2009)

2017 – Expert at Banca d'Italia

In 2014 I joined the economic research office at the Turin branch of the Banca d'Italia. Here I contribute to reports on the regional economy and to research projects with people from the branch network and the directorate for economics and statistics.





Lorenzo

Master in Economia Politica (2008)

2016 – Assistant professor of economics,
University of Wisconsin-Madison

2016 – Ph.D in Economics, Yale University

I do research in empirical industrial organization at UW-Madison. My research topics include new methods for estimating game-theoretic models, the impact of political connections on market structure, and inter-state competition in the US market for corporate law. After my master in Firenze, I got advanced degrees from Pompeu Fabra and EUI.



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Guglielmo

Master in Scienze economiche e sociali (2007)

2017 – Managing partner and co-founder at Kernel Analytics, a company based in Spain and specialized in data analysis and predictive algorithms

Leads a team of data scientists designing and developing analytics and machine learning applications to create corporate solutions that leverage on corporate data to support business decision making

