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[Google Scholar](#) : about 2,200 citations

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PERSONAL DETAILS

Born in Genoa (Italy)

Citizenship: Italy and UK

Two daughters: Sarah (born in 2002) and Alice (born in 2005)

RESEARCH INTEREST

Public Economics, Political Economy, Behavioural Economics

EDUCATION AND QUALIFICATIONS

PhD in Economics, University of Warwick, UK.

Thesis Title: Political Economy and Fiscal Choices *2004*

MSc in Economics, University of Warwick, UK *1998*

Laurea summa cum laude in Economics and Business,
University of Genoa, Italy *1994*

(Italian) Abilitazione Scientifica Nazionale,

Professore Ordinario, (equivalent to Full Professor), field Public Economics, Political Economy *2018-20
round*

APPOINTMENTS HELD

Visiting Professor, CESS- Nuffield College, University of Oxford (UK) *November 2019 - June 2020*

Associate Professor, Department of Economics, University of Warwick (UK) *since 2012*

Visiting Professor, CESifo, Munich *March-April 2014*

Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, University of Warwick *September 2007-September 12*

Visiting Fellow, Robert Schuman Centre, EUI, Florence *Oct.2006-June 2007*

Research Fellow, University of Warwick, CSGR,
(on maternity leave from May 2005 to May 2006, and half time onward.) *October 2003-June 2007*

Research Fellow, ESRC-Warwick Centre for Public Economics, on a ESRC project

Multi-jurisdictional Economies: Trade and Tax/Amenity competition (on maternity leave from
October 2002 to April 2003, and appointed on half time basis onward) *2001- 2003*

IMF Visiting Fellow, Fiscal Affairs Department *June - July 2002*

MEMBERSHIP OF LEARNED OR PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES

CES-Ifo Research Fellow	<i>from 2007</i>
Member of the International Institute of Public Finance (IIPF)	<i>from 2004</i>
CAGE Research Associate	<i>from 2011</i>
Dr@w Warwick	<i>from 2013</i>

PUBLICATIONS AND WORKING PAPERS

PUBLICATIONS AND PAPER UNDER REVIEW

"Politics in the Facebook Era. Evidence from the 2016 US Presidential Elections". (2020) (with Federica Liberini, Antonio Russo, Angel Cuevas and Ruben Cuevas), under revision, CES-Ifo working paper 8235.

"Was Brexit Triggered by the Old and Unhappy? Or by Financial Feelings? "(2019) (joint with Federica Liberini, Andrew Oswald and Eugenio Proto), **Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization**, 161, pp. 287-302.

"Political Competition, Tax Salience and Accountability. Theory and some evidence from Italy" (2019) (joint with Emanuele Bracco and Francesco Porcelli), **European Journal of Political Economy**, 58 , pp. 138-163.

"Happy Voters", (2017) (joint with Federica Liberini and Eugenio Proto), **Journal of Public Economics**, 146, pp. 4157.

"Intergovernmental grants as signal and the alignment effect: theory and evidence." (2015) (joint with Emanuele Bracco, Ben Lockwood, Francesco Porcelli), **Journal of Public Economics**, 123, pp. 78-91.

"Tax Competition among European Countries. Does the EU Matter?" (2014), **European Journal of Political Economy**, 34, pp.353-371.

"Does Centralisation Affect the Number and Size of Lobbies?" (2010), **Journal of Public Economic Theory**, 12(3), pp.407-435.

"Do Countries Compete over Corporate Tax Rates?" (with Mike Devereux and Ben Lockwood), (2008), **Journal of Public Economics**,92(5), pp.1210-1235

"Horizontal and vertical Tax Competition: Theory and Some Evidence from the USA" (with Mike Devereux and Ben Lockwood), (2007), **Journal of Public Economics**, 91, Issue 3-4, pp.451-479.

"The Political Economy of Policy Centralisation: Direct versus Representative Democracy" (with Kim Scharf), (2004), **Journal of Public Economics**,88, pp.799-817.

WORKING PAPERS AND WORK IN PROGRESS

"The Effects of Social Capital on Government Performance and Turnover: Theory and Evidence from Italian Municipalities" (2020) (joint with Emanuele Bracco, Federica Liberini, Francesco Porcelli and Daniel Sgroi), CES-Ifo working paper.

"The Transmission of Cultural Identity and Social Capital in Italy" (2020) (joint with Emanuele Bracco, Federica Liberini, Francesco Porcelli and Daniel Sgroi), CES-Ifo working paper, CES-Ifo working paper.

"Testing for Yardstick Competition using Italian Municipalities' Performance Data". (2020) (with Emanuele Bracco, Ben Lockwood, Francesco Porcelli, Antonio Schiavone), coming soon.

"Good Ad, Bad Ad. The Effect of Positive and Negative Political Content of Online Advertising" (2019) (with Federica Liberini and Antonio Russo), in progress.

"Incumbent Effects and Partisan Alignment in Local Elections: A Regression Discontinuity Analysis Using Italian Data", (joint with Emanuele Bracco and Francesco Porcelli), CESifo Working Paper No. 4061.

"The CSGR Globalisation Index: An Introductory Guide", (with Ben Lockwood) Centre for the Study of Globalisation and Regionalisation Working Paper 155/04.

"Capital Account Liberalization and Corporate Taxes", (with Mike Devereux and Ben Lockwood), IMF Discussion paper n 03/180.

POLICY PAPERS

"Politics in the Facebook Era." **Cage Advantage Magazine**, Spring 2019

"Brexit was a cry of financial pain and not the influence of the old" in **CAGE Policy Report**."Which way now? Economic policy after a decade of upheaval", SMF, February 2019

"Politics in the Facebook Era. How reading political ads on Facebook affects our voting behaviour (and helped Trump to win the Presidential elections)" **VoxEU**, November 2018.

"Brexit a cry of financial pain, not the influence of the old", (with Federica Liberini, Andrew Oswald, Eugenio Proto) , **VOX-EU** , 17 October 2017.

"Brexit: financial dissatisfaction or intergenerational conflict?" (with Federica Liberini, Andrew Oswald, Eugenio Proto) , UK in a Changing Europe, 23 October 2017.

"Happy voters Briefing. Is the economy stupid?" **Social Market Foundation**, 31 May 2017.

"Local government areas that are controlled by the same party as national governments receive larger grants and have lower taxes". (with Emanuele Bracco and Francesco Porcelli) **EUROPP Blog** (2013).

"Happiness and voting", (with Federica Liberini, Eugenio Proto), **VOX-EU**, 15 November 2013.

"David Cameron should pay attention to the Happiness of British citizens; it will help him win the next general election", (with Federica Liberini, Eugenio Proto), **LSE British Politics and Policy**, 9 October 2013.

RESEARCH GRANTS

"Social Capital, Electoral Behaviour and Government Performance in Italy: the Role of Culture, Institutions and Family Origin". CAGE Small Grant, with Daniel Sgroi (CI), 5,000 Awarded (2019).

"In the mood for Brexit: Did unhappy people vote for leaving the EU? Understanding British Voters Decision on the EU Referendum using wellbeing data". Understanding Society: Early access to EU Referendum data, Andrew Oswald (Warwick) (PI), Federica Liberini (ETH) (CI), Eugenio Proto (Warwick) (PI) Awarded (2017).

"The impact of data disclosure on political competition: Evidence from the Opencivitas project in Italy". CAGE Small Grant, Francesco Porcelli (SOSE) (CI), Emanuele Bracco (Lancaster) (CI), Ben Lockwood (Warwick) (PI) 5,000 Awarded (2016).

"Are elections useful tools to promote government efficiency?" CAGE Small Grant, Francesco Porcelli (SOSE) (CI), Emanuele Bracco (Lancaster) (CI), 5,000 Awarded. (2014).

"Social Choice and Individually Reported Subjective Well-Being". CAGE Small Grant, Peter Hammond (Warwick) (PI) Eugenio Proto (Warwick) (CI), 10,000 Awarded (2013)

REFEREEING ACTIVITY

American Economic Review, American Journal of Political Science, Economic Journal, Review of Economics and Statistics, Journal of the European Economics Association, Review of Economics Studies, Journal of Public Economics, International Tax and Public Finance, Journal of International Economics, European Journal of Political Economy, European Economic Review, Canadian Journal of Economics, Fiscal Studies, Economic Enquire, Global Networks, Journal of Institutional and Theoretical Economics, Economics and Politics, Journal of Economics Behavior and Organization, Oxford Review of Economic Policy.

SEMINAR AND CONFERENCE PRESENTATION (SINCE 2013)

2020: Oxford Nuffield College CESS Invited Seminar (February 2020), Dr@Forum Warwick (February 2020), Harvard Political Economy Seminar (invited) (March 2020)(Cancelled because of COVID-19), Monash University (Melbourne) Applied/CDES seminar (Cancelled because of COVID-19), Women in Political Economy Workshop (Stockholm)(Cancelled because of COVID-19) (June 20), Workshop Political Economy Rotterdam (invited) (June 20), IIPF (August 20) (Cancelled because of COVID-19).

2019: Ofcom London (invited speaker) (January 19), Sheffield Workshop on Political Economy (invited speaker) (February 19), Media Bias Workshop (Berlin) (March 19), University of Stirling (departmental seminar) (April 19), 11th Paris Conference on Digital Economics (Telecom ParisTech), Barcelona Summer Forum (Political Economy and Public Economics), Tilburg Conference on Digital Economy, Ofcom London (invited speaker, second seminar), Barcelona GSE Workshop on Political Economy (June 2019), CAGE Workshop on Language and Economics (June 19), Alghero X Workshop on Institution, Individual Behavior and Economic Outcomes (June 19), Tilburg invited seminar (November 2019), Social Media Workshop CESS- Oxford (November 19), SOSE Rome (invited speakers) Data Science and Civic Responsibility (November 19), Rothermere American Institute - University of Oxford, Crashing out of Politics: Inequality and Representation 90 years on (Invited Speaker) (December 19).

2018: Public Economic Theory Conference (Vietnam), NICEP Conference (Nottingham), Workshop in Political Economy (Brunico, Italy), University of Hull Department Seminar, CAGE Warwick, University of Brescia (Italy), departmental seminar.

2017: University of Bath, Departmental Seminar (February 2017), VATT (Helsinki) Workshop (invited speaker) (May 2017), University of Essex, Understanding Society, Brexit Workshops (May and June 2017)

2016: PET 2016 (Rio de Janeiro, BR), Political Economy and Development Workshop (September 2016) (invited speaker) (Delhi, IN)

2015: SIEP Ferrara (Annual Meeting of the Italian Society of Public Economics), (Invited speaker), (September 2015), ZHT Zurich Department of Economics, Departmental Seminar, (invited speaker) (February 2015), Lancaster University - Workshop in Political Economy, (invited speaker) (May 2015) IIPF 2015 (Dublin-IR) (August 2015), Bocconi University, Dondena Seminar (invited speaker) (September 2015)

2014: University of Loughborough, Departmental Seminar (February 2014) University of Milan Bicocca (IT), invited speaker, Departmental Seminar (March 2014), CES-Ifo Workshop and PhD 3 CES Lectures, invited speaker (April 2014) IIPF 2014 (Lugano- CH) , (August 2014).

2013 Royal Economic Society Annual Conference (April 2013) Royal Holloway Barcelona (IEB), V Workshop on Fiscal Federalism- The Political Economy of Decentralisation, (June 2013), IIPF (Taormina-IT) (August 2013) Public Economics Conference - University of Exeter, (invited speaker) (September 2013) CES-Ifo 7th Workshop on Political Economy (Dresden), (November 2013)