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Professional Experience

Assistant Professor of International Health Economics Harvard School of Public Health	July 2008 - present
Post-doctoral Fellow, Program on the Global Demography of Aging Harvard School of Public Health	2006-2008

Undergraduate and Graduate Studies

Ph.D. in Economics, Bocconi University, Milan, Italy, 2001-2006
Master of Arts in Applied Economics, University of Michigan, 1998 -1999
Magister in International Economic Sciences, University of Innsbruck, Austria, 1991-1997

Publications

“Elite Institutions and Inequality,” (with Andreas Bergh), forthcoming *European Economic Review*
“Higher Education Policy, Enrollment and Income Inequality,” (with Andreas Bergh), *Social Science Quarterly*, 89(1), 217-235, March 2008
“Urbanization and the Wealth of Nations” (with David E. Bloom and David Canning), *Science*, vol. 319, no. 5864, 772 - 775, February 8, 2008
“Does Age Structure Forecast Economic Growth?” (with David Bloom, David Canning and Jocelyn Finlay), *International Journal of Forecasting*, 23(4), 569-585, December 2007

Submitted Papers

“Population Aging and Economic Growth” (with David Bloom and David Canning), July 2008
“Realizing the Demographic Dividend — Is Africa Different?” (with David Bloom, David Canning and Jocelyn Finlay), *African Economic Research Consortium*, March 2007
“Determinants of International Emergency Aid — Humanitarian Need Only?” (with Silvia Redaelli), July 2007
“The Political Economy of Tertiary Education”, July 2007
“Fertility, Female Labor Force Participation, and the Demographic Dividend,” (with David Bloom, David Canning and Jocelyn Finlay), September 2007

Work in Progress

“Aging, Social Security and Male Labor Supply,” (with David Bloom, David Canning and Jocelyn Finlay), July 2007
“Altruism, Bequest and Human Capital — A Positive Theory on PAYGO Social Security Systems,” March 2007

- “College Education and Fertility Outcomes: Solving the Expectation Puzzle,” October 2007
 “Immigration and Welfare State Preferences,” (with Andreas Bergh), June 2007
 “Understanding Bequest Motives — An Empirical Analysis of Intergenerational Transfers,” (with Laura Puzzello and Silvia Redaelli), *DNB Working Paper 42*
 “Urban Settlement: Data, Measures, and Trends,” (with David Bloom, David Canning, Tarun Khanna and Patrick Salyer), PGDA Working Paper 29, 2007

Teaching Experience

Fall 2007	PIH274 Applied Quantitative Methods, Harvard School of Public Health, Instructor
Spring 2006	Advanced Macroeconomics, Bocconi University, TA for Prof. Giavazzi
Spring 2006	Political Economics, Bocconi University, TA for Prof. Tabellini
Spring 2005	Microeconomics 5014, Bocconi University, TA for Prof. Messner
Fall 2004	Macroeconomics 5044, Bocconi University, TA for Prof. Soderstrom
Fall 2004	Macroeconomics 5044, Bocconi University, TA for Prof. Sala
Spring 2003	Comparative Political Economics, Bocconi University, TA for Prof. Galasso
Fall 2002	Microeconomics 1.1, Bocconi University, TA for Prof. Messner
Fall 2002	Microeconomics 1.2, Bocconi University, TA for Prof. Montesano

Professional Experience

2000 - 2001	Ford of Europe, European Research Economist
Summer 1999	Ford Motor Company Global Headquarters, Research Assistant

Honors, Scholarships, and Fellowships

2001-2006	Ph.D. Fellowship Bocconi University
1999	Austrian Government Grant for Foreign Studies
1998	Fulbright Scholarship

Languages

German	Native
English	Fluent
Italian	Fluent
French	Oral fluency
Spanish	Basic knowledge