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EDUCATION

2015-2019 (exp.) PhD in Economic History - London School of Economics and Political Science

Supervisors: Prof. Joan Rosés and Prof. Leigh Gardner.

Thesis title: The economic impact of Italian colonial investments in Libya and in the Horn of

Africa, 1920-2000.

✓ 2017 - Visiting Research Student - *University of Stellenbosch*

Supervisor: Prof. Johan Fourie

2013-2015 MPhil in Economic and Social History (Distinction) - *University of Oxford*

Supervisor: Prof. James Fenske

2010-2013 BA in History (110/110 Magna cum Laude) - *University of Milan*

Supervisor: Prof. Giulio Sapelli

✓ 2013 - Visiting Erasmus Student - *Université Paris X Nanterre La Défense*

RESEARCH

Bertazzini, Mattia C. (2018) "The Long-term Impact of Italian Road Construction in the Horn of Africa, 1920-2000", *Economic history working papers series*, paper 272.

Revise and Resubmit Journal of Economic Geography. First chapter of PhD thesis.

Cultivating the Fourth Shore: The Effect of Italian Farming in Colonial Libya, 1920-1942. Second chapter of PhD thesis, working paper.

Expulsions, Productivity Shocks and Indigenous Responses: Evidence from Post-colonial Libya, 1930-2005. Third chapter of PhD thesis, working paper.

TEACHING AND WORKING EXPERIENCE

Course EH 101 – The internationalization of economic growth, from 1870 to present day

Lecturers: Prof. Eric Schneider and Prof. Christopher Minns

The course examines the inter-relationships between the development of the international

economy and the growth of national economies since the late nineteenth century.

2016-2017 Graduate Teaching Assistant - LSE – Department of Economic History

Course: EH 211 – Africa and the World Economy, 1500-2000.

Lecturer: Prof. Leigh Gardner.

The course explores the long-run patterns of African development and looks for the

historical causes of Sub-Saharan Africa's underdevelopment.

2016 Research Assistant - Dr. Luciano Ciravegna – King's College

Qualitative research on online newspaper databases - Business case studies on

internationalization strategies of family firms.

2015 Research Assistant - Prof. Robert Allen - NYU Abu Dhabi/University of Oxford

Spatial and network analysis, maps digitalization, mapping, data collection and statistical

analysis.

2014 Language Tutor - Language Centre, University of Oxford

2009-2011 Basketball player (B national series) - Forti e Liberi Monza

HONORS, AWARDS AND FUNDING

2018 Olga Crisp PhD Bursary – *Economic History Society (EHS)*

Conference Travel Grant – Economic History Association (EHA)

Student Support Fund Grant – (LSE)

2017 Oversea Institutional Visit Grant - Economic and Social Research Council (ESRC)

Conference Travel Grant - European Historical Economics Society (EHES)

2016 Feinstein Prize for the best master dissertation in Economic History - *University of Oxford*

Radwan Travel and Discovery Fund for fieldwork and archival research - Economic History

Department (LSE)

2015 Full Tuition Fees and Living Stipend Scholarship for PhD studies - Economic and Social

Research Council (ESRC) | LSE Doctoral Training Centre (DTC)

2013 Erasmus Scholarship – *University of Milan/EU*

PRESENTATIONS AT CONFERENCES AND SEMINARS

2018 8th Economic History Tune (University of Siena) - *Scheduled*

13th African Economic History Network Conference (University of Bologna)

Conference of the Economic History Association (Montréal)

World Economic History Conference (MIT)

9th Workshop on Economics, History and Development (University of Southern Denmark)

Research Seminar (Bank of Italy)

OWL Workshop (University of Oxford – Nuffield College)

Time Preference, Capital Markets, Interest Rates, Savings and Investment Behaviour

Workshop (FRESH – University of Stellenbosch)

12th African Economic History Network Conference (University of Stellenbosch)

Research Seminars Series (University of Stellenbosch) LEAP Seminars Series (University of Stellenbosch)

12th European Historical Economics Society Conference (University of Tubingen)

Core, periphery and the forging of an international economy, 1880-1939 (LSE - workshop)

3rd Agricliometrics Conference (University of Cambridge – Magdalen College) Economic History Society Annual Conference (University of Royal Holloway)

RHI Graduate Seminar (University of Wageningen)

2015-2016 11th African Economic History Network Conference (University of Sussex)

6th Economic History Tune (University of Siena)

Annual Economic and Social History Workshop (University of Oxford – All Souls College)

2nd Interwar Economic History Workshop (LSE)

Graduate Thesis Seminar (University of Oxford – Nuffield College)

OTHER RELEVANT POSITIONS

2018-2019 Graduate Teaching Assistant mentor (LSE)

2018 Co-organizer – 4th LSE Interwar Economic History Workshop

2015-2018 Referee - Economic History of Developing Regions

2016-2017 Convenor – Graduate Seminar in Economic History (LSE – Economic History Department)
 2017 Co-organizer: Core, periphery and the forging of an international economy, 1880-1939 (LSE)
 2016 Co-organizer: Command Economies and State Intervention in Economic History (LSE)

SKILLS AND MEMBERSHIPS

Language skills: Italian (mother tongue), English (advanced), French (advanced), Spanish (intermediate)

Latin (advanced), Ancient Greek (advanced)

IT skills: Stata, GIS, Office, Latex, Beamer, Python

Memberships: European Historical Economics Society (EHES), Economic History Society (EHS),

Economic History Association (EHA), Associazione per la Storia Economica (ASE), LSE Basketball Club, Regent's Park College Rowing Club, National Lifeguard Association

(Associazione Nazionale di Salvamento)

REFERENCES

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