

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Family name: VELLA

First name: GESSICA

Date of birth: 05 -12-1987

Nationality: Italian

EDUCATION

2017 - PhD in Economics - University of Calabria, DESF* - Supervisor: Professor P. Ordine

2016 - Summer School: Labour Market Institutions; Universitat de Barcellona, (Spain)

2014 - Workshop on Spatial Econometrics; Essex University, Colchester, UK

2013 - Master in Applied Economics - University of Calabria, DESF*

2010 - Bachelor in Economics - University of Calabria, DESF*

*Department of Economics, Statistics and Finance

SCIENTIFIC AND PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS

2023 to present: Researcher (RTDA SECS-S/04), DESF, University of Calabria, Supervisor Prof. Manuela Stranges: Focusing on a research programme that aims at generating leading scientific results on ageing process in socioeconomic and demographical terms.

2020 - External Consultant – Effects of Covid-19 Pandemic on social fabric in Basilicata – Contesti SrL, Rende.

2019 – **2023**: Researcher (RTDA SECS-P/02), DISPES, University of Calabria, Supervisor Prof. M.B. Marini: Focusing on the resurgence of a societal function of cultural heritage, we discuss the idea of the museum networks as a socio-economic growth engine through regional cases. Although the literature has been mainly dedicated to assessing the economic impact of large art museums, we focus on small museums in the area of Pollino Park involving Calabria and Basilicata and on its strategy of social and economic enhancement through the organization of cultural networks. Methodologies are based on data collected from the evaluator through interviews to attractors and tourists, and finally the use of regionalized input output matrix. National statistical data are used to corroborate the investigation and compare with other Italian regions.

2018 – to present: External Consultant (FESR – FSE Reports Evaluation Commissioned by EP) – Ismeri SrL, Roma: Involved in the team of the Helpdesk project for DG Regio for the European Commission.

2014 - Visiting research at Essex University (Colchester - UK)

PARTICIPATION IN RESEARCH GROUPS

2021 – to present: Cooperation with the research group for the realization of the evaluation activities of the territorial strategies of the 2014/2020 cohesion policy, foreseen by the POR Calabria FESR FSE 2014/2020, Sustainable Urban Development Strategies and National and Regional Strategy for Internal Areas, for the thematic area relating to the mobility and transport of internal areas.

2020 – **2021**: Research activities related to the effects of covid-19 on society from different points of view: political science, sociology, history and economics.

MAIN RESEARCH AREAS

Scientific disciplinary sector SECS P / 02 and SECS S/04:

Economic Policy: Population Economics, Cultural Economics, Labor Economics, Applied Economics, Education Economics.

FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS

2013 – **2016** PhD Scholarship, DESF, University of Calabria

TEACHING ACTIVITIES

10/01/2023 – 11/01/2023

Position: Lecturer at PhD

Type of activity carried out: Economics of Human Resources Management (6 h)

Name and address of the institution University of CALABRIA - Via Pietro Bucci - ARCAVACATA DI RENDE

Doctoral program in economic science XXXVIII Cycle

26/09/2022 – 12/12/2022

Position: Lecturer

Type of activity carried out: Economics Elements (42 h)

Name and address of the institution University of CALABRIA - Via Pietro Bucci - ARCAVACATA DI RENDE Department of Political and Social Sciences - DiSPeS

26/09/2022 – 12/12/2022

Position: Lecturer

Type of activity carried out: International Economics (63 h)

Name and address of the institution University of CALABRIA - Via Pietro Bucci - ARCAVACATA DI RENDE Department of Political and Social Sciences - DiSPeS

01/03/2022 – 06/06/2022

Position: Lecturer

Type of activity carried out: Economics Institution (42 h)

Name and address of the institution University of CALABRIA - Via Pietro Bucci - ARCAVACATA DI RENDE Department of Political and Social Sciences – DiSPeS

01/03/2022 - 06/06/2022

Position: Lecturer

Type of activity carried out: International Economics (63 h)

Name and address of the institution University of CALABRIA - Via Pietro Bucci - ARCAVACATA DI RENDE Department of Political and Social Sciences - DiSPeS

01/03/2021 - 28/02/2022

Position: Lecturer

Type of activity carried out: International Economics (63 h)

Name and address of the institution University of CALABRIA - Via Pietro Bucci - ARCAVACATA DI RENDE Department of Political and Social Sciences - DiSPeS

01/03/2021 - 28/02/2022

Position: Lecturer

Type of activity carried out: Economics Institutions (42 h)

Name and address of the institution University of CALABRIA - Via Pietro Bucci - ARCAVACATA DI RENDE Department of Political and Social Sciences - DiSPeS

01/03/2020 - 28/02/2021

Position: Lecturer

Type of activity carried out: Europe in the Global Economy (63 h)

Name and address of the institution University of CALABRIA - Via Pietro Bucci - ARCAVACATA DI RENDE Department of Political and Social Sciences - DiSPeS

04/03/2019 - 30/09/2019

Position: Lecturer

Type of activity carried out: Personnel economics (42 h)

Name and address of the institution University of CALABRIA - Via Pietro Bucci - ARCAVACATA DI RENDE Department of Business and Legal Sciences – DiScAG

07/2020

Position: Lecturer

Type of activity carried out: Personnel economics (6 h)

Name and address of the institution Master in “Management of Public Administration” - Higher School of Sciences of Public Administration – Unical

09/2021

Position: Lecturer

Type of activity carried out: Personnel economics (6 h)

Name and address of the institution Master in “Management of Public Administration” - Higher School of Sciences of Public Administration – Unical

09/2022

Position: Lecturer

Type of activity carried out: Personnel economics (8 h)

Name and address of the institution Master in “Management of Public Administration” - Higher School of Sciences of Public Administration – Unical

SUPERVISION OF GRADUATE STUDENTS

2022 – 2023 Number of 1 Master Student DISPES, University of Calabria

2021 – 2022 Number of 1 Master Student DISPES, University of Calabria

2020 – 2021 Number of 7 Master Students DISPES, University of Calabria

2019 – 2020 Number of 2 Bachelor Students DISCAG, University of Calabria

INSTITUTIONAL RESPONSIBILITIES

2020 Member of Monitoring Commission (bachelor's and master's degrees in political science), DISPES, University of Calabria

2022 – to present Communication Responsible for bachelor's and master's degrees in political science, DISPES, University of Calabria

REVIEWING ACTIVITIES AND MEMBERSHIPS OF SCIENTIFIC SOCIETIES

2020 – to present Reviewer for International Journal of Manpower

2015 – to present Member of the Italian Association of Labour Economics (AIEL)

NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES

2023 – DIS – RED Workshop, University of Calabria - Rende (Italy)

2022 – XXXV – ESPE Conference, University of Calabria - Rende (Italy)

2019 - XXXIV - Aiel Conference, University of Eastern Piedmont Amedeo Avogadro Novara;

2017 - XXXII - Aiel Conference, University of Calabria - Rende (Italy)

2015 - 80th IAES Conference - International Atlantic Economic Society, Boston (United States)

2015 - XXX - Aiel Conference University of Cagliari - Cagliari (Italy)

2014 - Workshop on Spatial Econometrics, Essex University, Colchester, UK.

PUBLICATIONS

- Vella, G., Passarelli, G. (2023). Lento Pede. Vivere nell'Italia estrema, (a cura di): Domenico Cersosimo, Sabina Licursi. Donzelli editore, ISBN: 9788855225021.
- Rose, G., Ordine, P., Ferraguto, F., & Vella, G. (2022). Train to Reason: Sports and the Girls' Math-Reading Gap. *Creative Education*, 13(7), 2354-2384.
- Ordine, P., Rose, G., & Vella, G. (2019). Employment protection and gender gap: Evidence from a reform of the Italian labor market regulation system. *International Journal of Manpower*.
- Ordine, P., Rose, G., & Vella, G. (2017). The Effect of Temporary Agency Workers on Wage of Permanent Employees: Evidence From Linked Employer-Employee Data. *Labour*, 31(4), 415;
- Vella, G., Ferrara, A. R. (2020). La stagione persa: impatti e tendenze del lavoro flessibile nel settore turistico, (a cura di): Domenico Cersosimo Felice Cimatti Francesco Raniolo, STUDIARE LA PANDEMIA Disuguaglianze e resilienza ai tempi del Covid-19. Donzelli editore, ISBN: 978-88-5522-157-3.
- Daraio, A., Naldini, A., Römisch, R., Vella, G., & Wolleb, E. (2019). Research for REGI Committee– Externalities of Cohesion Policy (No. 437). wiiw Research Report.

- Marini, M.B., Vella, G. (2022) La frontiera programmatica da consolidare: la cooperazione interregionale e transnazionale. In: *UN NUOVO REGIONALISMO PER L'ITALIA DI DOMANI Le Regioni a 50 anni dalla loro istituzione: strategie per le riforme necessarie*, (a cura di) R. Leonardi, R. Nanetti. Pag 209 – 228, Marchesi Grafiche Editoriali S.p.A, <https://www.affariregionali.it/media/508695/un-nuovo-regionalismo-per-litalia-di-domani.pdf>.

WORK IN PROGRESS:

- Marini B. M. – Vella G. “Le reti museali come volano per lo sviluppo economico e sociale, un’analisi I-O sui SLL”.
- Castiglione, C – Vella G. “digitalization and tourist flows: an analysis of the Italian museum system”
- Vella G. “Educational path and political participation rates: does civic education matter?”;
- Vella G. – Stranges M. “Divorce and Poverty, an analysis of Italian families”
- Vella G. – Stranges M. “Gender and socioeconomic differences in “Double Standard” in Aging Threshold”

