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Education

Ph.D. Economics, Boston College, 2021

M.Sc. Economics and Public Policies, University of Modena and Reggio Emilia, 2014

B.A. Economics and Finance, University of Parma, 2012

Academic Positions

2025-present Assistant Professor (RTT), Department of Economics, University of Bologna

2021-present Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, University of Alberta (on leave without pay)

Fields of Interest

Macroeconomics, monetary economics, macroeconometrics, macro-finance

Refereed Publications

1. Marco Brianti and Vito Cormun, “[Expectation-Driven Boom-Bust Cycles](#), *Journal of Monetary Economics*, September 2024, 146:103575
2. Pierluigi Balduzzi, Emanuele Brancati, Marco Brianti, and Fabio Schiantarelli, “[Credit Constraints and Firms’ Decisions: Evidence from the COVID-19 Outbreak](#)”, *Journal of Monetary Economics*, March 2024, 142:103519
3. Marco Brianti, Laura Gati, “[Information and Communication Technologies and Medium-Run Fluctuations](#)”, *Journal of Economic Dynamics and Control*, November 2023, 156:104740
4. Pierluigi Balduzzi, Emanuele Brancati, Marco Brianti, and Fabio Schiantarelli, “[Populism, Political Risk, and the Economy](#)”, *The Economic Journal*, July 2023, 133(653):1677-1704
5. Marco Brianti, Mario Menegatti, and Marco Magnani, “[Optimal choice of prevention and cure under uncertainty on disease effect and cure effectiveness](#)”, *Research in Economics*, June 2018, 72(2):327-342

Working Papers

1. [Financial Shocks, Uncertainty Shocks, and Corporate Liquidity](#) *Reject & Resubmit Journal of Applied Econometrics*

Work in Progress

1. Monetary Policy Transmission and the Role of Inventories (with Vito Cormun and Jianlin Wang)
2. Pricing Strategies of Exporting Firms: Panel Data Evidence from Italy (with Emanuele Brancati, Jaromir Nosal, and Fabio Schiantarelli)
3. Asymmetric Transmission of Demand Shocks Through the Lens of a Nonlinear Structural Dynamic Factor Model (with Mario Forni, Luca Gambetti, and Antonio Granese)

Non-Scientific Publications

1. Pierluigi Balduzzi, Emanuele Brancati, Marco Brianti, and Fabio Schiantarelli “[Populism, political risk and the economy: What we can learn from the Italian experience](#)”, *VoxEU*, February 2020.

Non-Scientific Publications (continued)

2. Pierluigi Balduzzi, Emanuele Brancati, Marco Brianti, and Fabio Schiantarelli “Economic effects of Covid-19: the importance of credit constraints”, *IZA Commentary*, September 2020.

Grants

- 2021 Economic Research Allowance, University of Alberta (\$10,000)
- 2021 Economic Research Allowance, University of Alberta (\$5,000)
- 2021 Research Start-Up Grant, University of Alberta (\$15,000)
- 2019 Graduate Merit Fellowship, Boston College (\$10,500)
- 2016 H. Michael Mann Research Fund, Boston College (\$3,500)
- 2016 Giorgio Mortara Fellowship, Bank of Italy (\$27,000)

Selected Conference Presentations

ASSA Annual Meeting, Canadian Economic Association Annual Meeting, Midwest Macroeconomic Conference, Society of Economic Measurement Annual Conference, European Economic Association Annual Meeting, Vienna Macro Café, Irish Economic Association Annual Meeting, Canadian Macro Study Group, Southern Economic Association Annual Meeting, Young Economists Symposium, SNDE Symposium

Seminar Presentations

Bank of Italy, KU Leuven, Wilfrid Laurier University, Bank of Lithuania, Purdue University, Federal Reserve Board, University of Padova, University of Parma, Orebro University, Wilfrid Laurier University, University of North Carolina Wilmington, University of Modena and Reggio Emilia

Awards for Research

- 2021 Carlo Giannini Prize for the Best Paper written by Young Scientists in Macroeconometrics and Financial Econometrics, SIde - Italian Econometric Society (\$2,500)
- 2020 Young Scientist Best Paper Award, the Risk Society (\$1,000)

Teaching

- University of Bologna Macroeconomic Models for Policy Analysis (M.Sc.)
- University of Alberta Introductory Econometrics (Undergraduate)
Advanced Topics in Macro-Finance (Ph.D.)
- Boston College Principles of Macroeconomics (Undergraduate)
Principles of Economics (Undergraduate)

Awards for Teaching

- 2019 Donald J. White Teaching Excellence Award, Boston College (\$1,500)

Advising (Ph.D. Students)

- 2025 Fang Li (main advisor – ATB Financial)

Professional Service

- 2022-2024 Organizer of the Macroeconomics Seminars, University of Alberta
- 2018-2021 Organizer of the Macro Reading Group, Boston College

Referee

Journal of Monetary Economics, Journal of Applied Econometrics, Journal of Economic Dynamics and Control
The Review of Corporate Finance Studies, Empirical Economics, Journal of Financial Stability

Discussions

- 2021 Sovereign Risk and Intangible Investment (by Minjie Deng and Chang Liu) presented at the *Canadian Macro Study Group*
- 2021 Tail Risk and Expectations (by Yeow Hwee Chua and Zu Yao Hong) presented at the *Spring Meeting of Young Economists*
- 2021 Above, but close to two percent. Evidence on the ECB's inflation target using text mining (by Johannes Zahner) presented at the *14th RGS Doctoral Conference*
- 2020 The Effects of Monetary policy on Consumption and Inequality (by Donggyu Lee) presented at the *Young Economists Symposium*
- 2020 Is there a Bang for a QE Buck? (by Lior Cohen) presented at the *3rd Workshop on Macroeconomic Research*

References

Ryan Chahrour, Ernest S. Liu Professor, Economics Department, Cornell University, ryan.chahrour@cornell.edu
Peter Ireland, Murray & Monti Professor, Economics Department, Boston College, peter.ireland@bc.edu
Fabio Schiantarelli, Full Professor, Economics Department, Boston College, fabio.schiantarelli@bc.edu

Other Information

Born July 11, 1989
Citizenship Italian, Canadian Permanent Resident
Languages English (fluent), Italian (native)