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### **Personal Information**

Citizenship: Italian Date of birth: 10 December 1979

### **Current Positions**

Since 2015	Senior researcher, CREI – Centre de Recerca en Economia Internacional
Since 2009	Adjunct professor, Universitat Pompeu Fabra, Department of Economics
Since 2009	Affiliated professor, Barcelona Graduate School of Economics
Since 2016	Researcher, IPEG – Institute of Political Economy and Governance
Since 2018	Research fellow, CEPR – Centre for Economic Policy Research
Since 2022	Member of the board of directors, Urban Economics Association
Since 2017	Member of the editorial board, Review of Economic Studies

# **Previous and Visiting Positions**

2014, 2022	Visiting professor, Harvard University, Department of Economics
2016	Visiting researcher, IGIER, Bocconi University
2015 - 2020	Associate editor, Journal of the European Economic Association
2011 - 2018	Research affiliate, CEPR – Centre for Economic Policy Research
2009 - 2015	Junior researcher, CREI – Centre de Recerca en Economia Internacional
2002-03	Junior researcher, CeRP – Center for Research on Pensions and Welfare Policies

### **Education**

2009	Ph.D. in Economics, Harvard University
	Thesis committee: Edward L. Glaeser, Elhanan Helpman and Andrei Shleifer
2006	A.M. in Economics, Harvard University
2002	B.A. in Economics (summa cum laude), University of Turin

### **Grants and Fellowships**

2017 – 2022 ERC Starting Grant CITIZINGLOBAL: Citizens, Institutions and Globalization 2017 – 2021 Government of Catalonia grant 2017 SGR 01393 2015 – 2019 Spanish Ministry of Economy and Competitiveness Ramón y Cajal grant RYC- 2013-13838 2015 – 2017 Spanish Ministry of Economy and Competitiveness grant ECO-2014-59805-P 2014 – 2016 Government of Catalonia grant 2014 SGR 830 2014–15 BBVA Foundation grant for Researchers, Innovators and Cultural Creators 2014–15 Barcelona GSE Seed Grant 2014 – 2015 Scholarship of the Institut d'Estudis Autonòmics, Generalitat de Catalunya 2012 – 2014 Spanish Ministry of Science and Innovation grant ECO-2011-25624 2011 – 2013 Spanish Ministry of Science and Innovation Juan de la Cierva grant JCI-2010- 08414 2009 – 2013 Government of Catalonia grant 2009 SGR 1157 2009 – 2011 Spanish Ministry of Science and Innovation grants ECO-2008-01666 and CONSOLIDER-Ingenio 2010 CSD-2006-00016 2008–09 Institute for Humane Studies summer graduate research fellowship	2020	-2023	Spanish Ministry of Science and Innovation grant PID2019-111691RA-I00
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2006 - 2009	Humane Studies fellowship
2005-06	Mario Gasbarri fellowship
2004 - 2005	Harvard University summer research grant
2003 - 2005	Marco Fanno fellowship

#### Other Qualifications and Awards

2020	Economic Journal Annual Referee Prize
2014	Journal of the European Economic Association Excellence in Refereeing Award
2013-14	Italian National Scientific Qualification for the positions of full professor of
	Economics (13/A1), Economic Policy (13/A2), Public Economics (13/A3) and
	Applied Economics (13/A4)
2011	Economic Journal Annual Referee Prize
2008	Harvard University Certificate of Distinction in Teaching
2008	Harvard University Graduate Instruction Committee Award for Excellence in
	Teaching Economics to Graduate Students
2002	Mario Gasbarri Prize
2002	Unione Industriale di Torino "Menzione Optime" Prize
2002	Università di Torino Medal
1998	Alfiere del Lavoro

### **Teaching**

The Geopolitics of Trade and Conflict (graduate), Barcelona School of Economics Spring 2023

Intermediate Microeconomics: Advanced (undergraduate), Harvard University Fall 2022

Spatial Equilibrium and the Economic of Cities, CREI Macroeconomics Summer School Summer 2019

Trade Policy and International Policy Coordination (graduate), Barcelona School of Economics Winter 2019, '20, Spring 2021, '22

Cities and the Geography of Growth (graduate), Universitat Pompeu Fabra Spring 2017, '18, '19, '20, Winter 2021, '22

Government Inefficiency and Reform, CREI Macroeconomics Summer School Summer 2016, '17, '18

Explaining Economic Policy (graduate), Universitat Pompeu Fabra Winter 2015, '16, '17, '18

Agglomeration and Economic Geography (graduate), Universitat Pompeu Fabra Winter 2015, '16, '17, '18, '19, '20, '21, '22, '23

Firms, Technology, and Trade Policy (graduate), Barcelona School of Economics Winter 2015, '16, '17, '18

Microeconomic Theory (undergraduate), Harvard University Fall 2014

Economic Analysis of Electoral Politics, BSE Political Economy Summer School Summer 2014, '16

Political Agency and Accountability, BSE Political Economy Summer School Summer 2014, '16

International Trade (graduate), Barcelona School of Economics Winter 2014

Advanced International Trade (graduate), Barcelona School of Economics Winter 2012, '13

Urban Economics (graduate), Universitat Pompeu Fabra and Barcelona School of Economics Spring 2011; Winter 2012, '13

Political Economics (graduate), Universitat Pompeu Fabra and Barcelona School of Economics Winter 2010, '11; Spring 2012, '13

Topics in Macroeconomics (undergraduate), Universitat Pompeu Fabra Spring 2010, '11, '12; Winter '13, '14, '15, '16, '17, '18; Spring 2020, '22, '23

### **Student Advising**

Ph.D. Thesis Uğur Yeşilbayraktar: Ph.D. UPF 2023, to University of Duisburg-Essen

Supervision: Sebastian Ellingsen: Ph.D. UPF 2021, to University of Bristol

Federica Daniele: Ph.D. UPF 2018, to OECD

Oriol Anguera Torrell: Ph.D. UPF 2016, to CETT – University of Barcelona

Andrei V. Potlogea: Ph.D. UPF 2016, to University of Edinburgh

Ph.D. Thesis Sampreet Goraya: Ph.D. UPF 2021, to Stockholm School of Economics

Committee: Shangyu Liu: Ph.D. UPF 2020, to Nanjing Audit University

Marta Santamaria: Ph.D. UPF 2019, to University of Warwick Guohao Yang: Ph.D. UPF 2019, to University of Namur Yining Geng: Ph.D. UPF 2019, to University of Liverpool Yimei Zou: Ph.D. UPF 2018, to IIES – University of Stockholm Felipe Valencia Caicedo: Ph.D. UPF 2015, to University of Bonn

#### **Professional Activities**

Refereeing: American Economic Journal: Economic Policy, American Economic Review,

American Political Science Review, Democratization, Econometrica, Economic

Inquiry, Economic Journal, Economics of Transition, Economics of

Transportation, European Journal of Development Research, European Journal of Political Economy, Explorations in Economic History, Games and Economic Behavior, International Economic Review, International Review of Law and Economics, Journal of Comparative Economics, Journal of Development Economics, Journal of Economic Geography, Journal of Economic Growth, Journal of Economic Policy Reform, Journal of Economics and Management Strategy, Journal of Economic Theory, Journal of Institutional and Theoretical Economics, Journal of International Economics, Journal of Law and Economics, Journal of Law Economics and Organization, Journal of Law Finance and Accounting, Journal of Legal Studies, Journal of Monetary Economics, Journal of Political Economy, Journal of Politics, Journal of Public Economics, Journal

Economies, Journal of Urban Economics, National Tax Journal, Oxford Economic Papers, Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences, Public Choice, Quantitative Economics, Quarterly Journal of Economics, Review of Economics and Statistics, Review of Economic Dynamics, Review of Economic Studies, Southern Economic Journal, Theoretical Economics, Urban Studies

of the European Economic Association, Journal of the Japanese and International

Evaluation: Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada; Italian Ministry of

Education, University and Research (Italian Evaluation of Research Quality; Research Projects of National Interest); Spanish National Evaluation and Foresight Agency (State Plan for R&D); Riksbankens Jubileumsfond, Sweden

European Economic Association Young Economist Award. Geneva, August 2016; Lisbon, August 2017; Cologne, August 2018; Manchester, August 2019; online, August 2020; online, August 2021; Milan, August 2022

Scientific Urban Economics Association Summer School in Urban Economics. Barcelona, June 2022: Chair

BSE Summer Forum Workshop on Political Economy. Barcelona, June 2022,

**'23** 

- CREI Workshop on Geography, Trade and Growth. Barcelona, December 2021
- CREI-IPEG Workshop on Political Economy. Barcelona, November 2021
- Annual Congress of the European Economic Association. Online, August 2021; Milan, August 2022
- Virtual Meeting of the Urban Economic Association. Online, October 2020: Co-Chair
- European Meeting of the Urban Economic Association. Amsterdam, May-June 2019: Vice Chair; Online, April-May 2021: Past Chair
- European Meeting of the Econometric Society. Cologne, August 2018
- BSE Summer Forum Workshop on Geography, Economic Policy, and Political Structure. Barcelona, June 2018
- BSE Summer Forum Workshop on Geography, Trade, and Growth. Barcelona, June 2017, '18, '19, '22, '23
- BSE Summer Forum Workshop on the Political Economy of Globalization. Barcelona, June 2017
- BSE Summer Forum Workshop on Political Institutions. Barcelona, June 2017, '18, '19
- Free University of Bozen-Bolzano Workshop on Political Economy. Bruneck, September 2016; October 2017, '18, '19; November 2021
- BSE Summer Forum Workshop on Housing and Spatial Economics. Barcelona, June 2016
- BSE Summer Forum Workshop on the Economic Analysis of Electoral Politics. Barcelona, June 2014, '15, '16, '17, '18, '19
- IEB Workshop on Urban Economics. Barcelona, June 2014, '16, '18, '22
- Symposium of the Spanish Economic Association. Santander, December 2013; Palma de Mallorca, December 2014; Girona, December 2015; Bilbao, December 2016; Barcelona, December 2017
- BSE Summer Forum Workshop on Trade, Growth, and Income Distribution. Barcelona, June 2013, '14, '15
- CEPR-CREI Workshop on Politics, Information and the Macroeconomy. Barcelona, May 2011

#### **Conference Presentations and Invited Seminars**

- 2023 Institutional and Organizational Economics Academy. Cargèse, May. Lecture on "International Unions."
  - Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona
- NBER Summer Institute Workshop on Urban Economics. Cambridge, MA, July (discussant)
  - NBER Summer Institute Workshop on Income Distribution and Macroeconomics. Cambridge, MA, July
  - Urban Economics Association Summer School in Urban Economics. Barcelona, June. Lecture on "Hedonics and the Rosen-Roback Model."
  - University of Oxford; University of Warwick
- 2021 CREI Workshop on Geography, Trade and Growth. Barcelona, December CEPR Conference in Urban and Regional Economics. Madrid, December (discussant) Free University of Bozen-Bolzano Workshop on Political Economy. Bruneck, November
  - WZB Berlin Social Science Center Workshop on "Instrumentalizing Economics for Political Goals, Instrumentalizing Politics for Economic Goals." Berlin, October

Free University of Bozen-Bolzano Workshop on Political Economy. Bruneck, October CEPR Conference in Urban and Regional Economics. London, September (discussant) NBER Summer Institute, Urban Economics Workshop. Cambridge, MA, July (discussant)

Barcelona GSE Summer Forum, Workshop on Organizational Economics. Barcelona, June (discussant)

UPF-Barcelona GSE-IPEG 7<sup>th</sup> Workshop on the Political Economy of Development and Conflict. Barcelona, May (discussant)

Carnegie-Rochester-NYU Conference on Public Policy: "On the Border of International Cooperation." New York, NY, April

Geneva Trade and Development Workshop; University of Munich; University of Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne; University of Southern Denmark

2018 13<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the Urban Economics Association. New York, NY, October Free University of Bozen-Bolzano Workshop on Political Economy. Bruneck, October NBER Summer Institute, Urban Economics Workshop. Cambridge, MA, July (discussant)

NBER Summer Institute, Political Economy Workshop. Cambridge, MA, July Barcelona GSE Summer Forum, Workshop on Organizational Economics. Barcelona, June (discussant)

Barcelona GSE Summer Forum, Workshop on Geography, Economic Policy and Political Structure. Barcelona, June

CEPR European Summer Symposium in International Macroeconomics. Oslo, May UPF-Barcelona GSE-IPEG 6<sup>th</sup> Workshop on the Political Economy of Development and Conflict. Barcelona, May (discussant)

Royal Economic Society Annual Conference. Brighton, March.

Dutch Social Choice Colloquium. Rotterdam, March.

Annual Meeting of the American Economic Association. Philadelphia, January (discussant)

University of Bern; University of Chicago, Harris School of Public Policy; University of Edinburgh; University of Padua; University of Warwick

2017 Center for Market Studies and Spatial Economics Winter Workshop in Urban Economics and International Trade. Moscow, December.

CEPR Annual Macroeconomics and Growth Programme Meeting. Frankfurt, November (discussant)

Free University of Bozen-Bolzano Workshop on Political Economy. Bruneck, October CEPR Conference in Urban and Regional Economics. Paris, September

University of Konstanz Workshop on Political Economy: Theory Meets Empirics. Konstanz, August-September

Annual Congress of the European Economic Association. Lisbon, August

Econometric Society European Meeting. Lisbon, August

NBER Summer Institute, Urban Economics Workshop. Cambridge, MA, July (discussant)

NBER Summer Institute, Real Estate Workshop. Cambridge, MA, July

NBER Summer Institute, Political Economy Workshop. Cambridge, MA, July

Annual Meeting of the Society for Economics Dynamics. Edinburgh, June

IEB Workshop on Political Economy and Fiscal Federalism. Barcelona, June

Barcelona GSE Summer Forum, Workshop on the Political Economy of Globalization. Barcelona, June

1<sup>st</sup> Catalan Economic Society Conference. Barcelona, May

UPF-Barcelona GSE-IPEG 5<sup>th</sup> Workshop on the Political Economy of Development and Conflict. Barcelona, May (discussant)

Royal Economic Society Annual Conference. Bristol, April

NYU/Penn Conference on Law and Finance. New York, February

London School of Economics; University of Namur; New York University School of Law; University of St Andrews

2016 European University Institute Workshop on Economic Policy Challenges. Florence, November

Free University of Bozen-Bolzano Workshop on the Political Economy of Federalism and Local Development. Bruneck, September

XXXI Jornadas de Economía Industrial. Palma, September

NBER Summer Institute, Urban Economics Workshop. Cambridge, MA, July (discussant)

EIEF Workshop on Political Economy. Rome, July

Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona, X DEMO Workshop, Bellaterra, June

CEPR European Research Workshop in International Trade. Copenhagen, June

UPF-Barcelona GSE 4<sup>th</sup> Workshop on the Political Economy of Development and Conflict. Barcelona, May (discussant)

World Bank Conference "Can the South Keep Rising? A Response from East Asia and Latin America." Kuala Lumpur, May

Royal Economic Society Annual Conference. Brighton, March

CERGE-EI Conference on the Economics of Livable Cities. Prague, March

Bocconi University; Catholic University of Milan; University of Chicago, Harris School of Public Policy; New York University; Norwegian Business School; Queens College, CUNY; Stanford University, Graduate School of Business; Vanderbilt University

2015 CEPR Conference in Urban and Regional Economics. Basel, September.

NBER Summer Institute, Urban Economics Workshop. Cambridge, MA, July (discussant)

NBER Summer Institute, Political Economy Public Finance Workshop. Cambridge, MA, July

Annual Meeting of the Society for Economics Dynamics. Warsaw, June

IEB Workshop on Political Economy and Public Finance. Barcelona, June (discussant)

UPF-Barcelona GSE 3<sup>rd</sup> Workshop on the Political Economy of Development and Conflict. Barcelona, May (discussant)

CREI-TSE Transpyrenean Macro Workshop. Andorra, March

Bocconi University; University of Bristol; IESE; University of Nottingham

NBER Summer Institute, Urban Economics Workshop. Cambridge, MA, July

NBER Summer Institute, joint session of the Income Distribution and

Macroeconomics and Political Economy Workshops. Cambridge, MA, July

NBER Summer Institute, Political Economy Workshop. Cambridge, MA, July (discussant)

SIRE-University of Edinburgh Workshop on Country Size and Border Effects in a Globalised World. Edinburgh, June

Barcelona GSE Summer Forum, Workshop on Trade, Growth and Income Distribution. Barcelona, June

Barcelona GSE Summer Forum, Workshop on Economic Analysis of Electoral Politics. Barcelona, June (discussant)

UPF-Barcelona GSE 2<sup>nd</sup> Workshop on the Political Economy of Development and Conflict. Barcelona, May (discussant)

Political Economy Workshop, Catholic University of Milan. Milan, May

Royal Economic Society Annual Conference. Manchester, April

University of Chicago, Harris School of Public Policy; Harvard University; Yale University

- 2013 VATT Empirical Political Economics and Political Science Workshop. Helsinki, December
  - 8<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the Urban Economics Association. Atlanta, GA, November
  - CEPR-LSE Conference in Urban and Regional Economics. London, October (discussant)
  - 13<sup>th</sup> SAET Conference on Current Trends in Economics. Paris, July
  - NBER Summer Institute, Political Economy Public Finance Workshop. Cambridge, MA, July (discussant)
  - 5<sup>th</sup> IEB Workshop on Fiscal Federalism: The Political Economy of Decentralization. Barcelona, June (discussant)
  - UPF-CREI 1<sup>st</sup> Workshop on the Political Economy of Development and Conflict. Barcelona, May (discussant)
  - Royal Economic Society Annual Conference. Egham, April
  - CEMFI; IMT Institute for Advanced Studies Lucca; Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona; Vanderbilt University
- NBER Political Economy Program Meeting. Cambridge, MA, November (discussant)
  CRENoS Workshop on Institutions, Individual Behavior and Economic Outcomes.
  Argentiera, September
  - Annual Meeting of the Society for Economics Dynamics. Limassol, June
  - 11<sup>th</sup> Journées Louis-André Gérard-Varet. Marseille, June
  - CEPR European Summer Symposium in International Macroeconomics. Tarragona, May
  - CEPR-La Sapienza-EIEF Conference on the Economics of Interactions and Culture. Rome, April
- NBER Summer Institute, International Trade and Investment. Cambridge, MA, August NBER Summer Institute, Political Economy. Cambridge, MA, July (discussant) Annual Meeting of the Society for Economics Dynamics. Ghent, July
  - Annual Meeting of the Spanish Law and Economics Association. Barcelona, June (discussant)
  - CEPR European Research Workshop in International Trade. Nottingham, June
  - CEPR European Summer Symposium in International Macroeconomics. Gerzensee, May-June (discussant)
  - CEPR-CREI Workshop on Politics, Information and the Macroeconomy. Barcelona, May
  - CREI and Universitat Pompeu Fabra; Erasmus University Rotterdam and Tinbergen Institute; Georgetown University; Pennsylvania State University; Universitat Pompeu Fabra
- 2010 Collegio Carlo Alberto; Universitat de Barcelona and Institut d'Economia de Barcelona
- 2009 IAE-CSIC Workshop on Institutions, Contracts and Growth: Links and Dynamics. Barcelona, June (discussant)
  - Universiteit van Amsterdam; Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona and Institut d'Anàlisi Econòmica; Bank of Italy; Bocconi University; University of Cambridge; CREI and Universitat Pompeu Fabra; EIEF; Paris School of Economics; University of Zurich
- 2008 Cornell University
- NBER Conference on the Economics of Agglomeration. Cambridge, MA, November-December
  - NBER Summer Institute, Real Estate Markets, Local Public Finance, and Public Policy. Cambridge, MA, July

#### **Publications**

- "Globalization and Political Structure," with Gino Gancia and Jaume Ventura. *Journal of the European Economic Association*, Vol. 20, No. 3 (June 2022): 1276–1310
- "Securing Property Rights," with A. Patrick Behrer, Edward L. Glaeser and Andrei Shleifer. *Journal of Political Economy*, Vol. 109, No. 4 (April 2021): 1157–1192.
- "A Theory of Economic Unions," with Gino Gancia and Jaume Ventura. *Journal of Monetary Economics*, Vol. 109 (January 2020): 107–127.
- "The Political Economy of Transportation Investment," with Edward L. Glaeser. *Economics of Transportation*, Vol. 13 (March 2018): 4–26.
- "Infrastructure, Incentives, and Institutions," with Nava Ashraf and Edward L. Glaeser. *American Economic Review: Papers & Proceedings 2016*, Vol. 106, No. 5 (May 2016): 77–82.
- "Urban Networks: Connecting Markets, People and Ideas," with Edward L. Glaeser and Yimei Zou. *Papers in Regional Science*, Vol. 95, No. 1 (March 2016): 17–59.
- "Political Centralization and Government Accountability" with Federico Boffa and Amedeo Piolatto. *Quarterly Journal of Economics*, Vol. 131, No. 1 (February 2016): 381–422.
- "Shrouded Costs of Government: The Political Economy of State and Local Public Pensions," with Edward L. Glaeser. *Journal of Public Economics*, Vol. 116 (August 2014): 89–105.
- "Cities, Skills, and Regional Change," with Edward L. Glaeser and Kristina Tobio. *Regional Studies*, Vol. 48, No. 1 (January 2014): 7–43.
- "Stare Decisis: Rhetoric and Substance," with Patricio A. Fernandez. *Journal of Law, Economics, and Organization*, Vol. 28, No. 2 (June 2012): 313–336.
- "Clusters of Entrepreneurship," with Edward L. Glaeser and William R. Kerr. *Journal of Urban Economics*, Vol. 67, No. 1 (January 2010): 150–168.
- "Did the Death of Distance Hurt Detroit and Help New York?" with Edward L. Glaeser. In E. Glaeser (ed.), *Agglomeration Economics* (Chicago, IL: University of Chicago Press, 2010): 303–337.
- "Case Law versus Statute Law: An Evolutionary Comparison," with Patricio A. Fernandez. *Journal of Legal Studies*, Vol. 37, No. 2 (June 2008): 379–430.
- "Why Does Democracy Need Education?" with Edward L. Glaeser and Andrei Shleifer. *Journal of Economic Growth*, Vol. 12, No. 2 (June 2007): 77–99.
- "Strategic Extremism: Why Republicans and Democrats Divide on Religious Values," with Edward L. Glaeser and Jesse M. Shapiro.
- Quarterly Journal of Economics, Vol. 120, No. 4 (November 2005): 1283–1330.
- "Analisi comparativa dell'onerosità dei prodotti previdenziali individuali," [A comparative analysis of the costs of individual pension products] with Elsa Fornero and Carolina Fugazza. *Mercato, Concorrenza, Regole,* Vol. 5, No. 2 (August 2004): 297–328.
- "The Market for Annuities in Italy: Reality or Chimera?" with Margherita Borella and Elsa Fornero. In E. Fornero and E. Luciano (eds.), *Developing an Annuity Market in Europe* (Cheltenham: Edward Elgar, 2004): 262–290.

# **Research Papers**

- "Do Incompetent Politicians Breed Populist Voters? Evidence from Italian Mayors," with Federico Boffa and Vincenzo Mollisi (March 2023).
- "The Dracula Effect: Voter Information and Trade Policy," with Maria Petrova and Ruben Enikolopov. CEPR Discussion Paper No. 8726 (revised, June 2021).
- "Social Capital, Government Expenditures, and Growth," with Ugo Troiano. CEPR Discussion Paper No. 9891 (revised, April 2018). R&R, *Journal of the European Economic Association*.

"Fundamental Errors in the Voting Booth," with Edward L. Glaeser.

CEPR Discussion Paper No. 12206 (August 2017).

"Optimally Vague Contracts and the Law," with Nicola Gennaioli.

CEPR Discussion Paper No. 10700 (revised, January 2017).

"Infrastructure, Incentives and Institutions," with Nava Ashraf and Edward L. Glaeser.

CEPR Discussion Paper No. 11072 (January 2016).

"Intellectual Property Rights and Efficient Firm Organization."

CEPR Discussion Paper No. 9212 (revised, June 2014).

### **Work in Progress**

"Legal Evolution, Contract Evolution, and Standardization," with Nicola Gennaioli and Enrico Perotti

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