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PAST APPOINTMENTS

Postdoctoral researcher, Dept. of Economics, Uppsala University May 2021 – September 2021

ACADEMIC AFFILIATIONS

CIFREL (Interuniversity Centre on Local and Regional Finance) 2021 – current
CESifo (Center for Economic Studies and ifo institute) 2020 – current
UCFS (Uppsala Centre for Fiscal Studies) 2017 – current

EDUCATION

Ph. D. in Economics, Dept. of Economics, Uppsala University 2016 – 2021
Ph. Licentiate in Economics, Dept. of Economics, Uppsala University 2016 – 2018
M. Sc. in Economics (*cum Laude*), Dept. of Economics and Statistics, University of Siena 2014 – 2016
M. Sc. in Economics (*with Distinction*), Dept. of Economics, Uppsala University 2014 – 2016
B. Sc. in Economics, Dept. of Economics and Statistics, University of Siena 2010 – 2014

VISITING POSITIONS

Visiting fellow, Dept. of Economics, Harvard University August 2018 – May 2019
Visiting student, Dept. of Economics, Uppsala University August 2015 – June 2016

PUBLICATIONS IN PEER-REVIEWED JOURNALS

- Cipullo, D., Reslow, A. (2022). Electoral Cycles in Macroeconomic Forecasts. **Journal of Economic Behavior & Organization** 202, 307–340.
- Carozzi, F., Cipullo, D., Repetto, L. (2022). Political Fragmentation and Government Stability: Evidence from Local Governments in Spain. **American Economic Journal: Applied Economics** 14(2), 23 – 50.
- Cipullo, D., Le Moglie, M. (2022). To Vote, or not to Vote? Electoral Campaigns and the Spread of COVID-19. **European Journal of Political Economy** 72, 102118.
- Cipullo, D. (2021). Voting Systems and Fiscal Policy: Evidence from Runoff and Plurality Elections. **National Tax Journal** 74(2), 347 – 376.

WORKING PAPERS

- Gender Gaps in Political Careers: Evidence from Competitive Elections. *CESifo WP No. 9075*.
- Biased Forecasts and Voting: The Brexit Referendum Case (*with A. Reslow*). *Sveriges Riksbank WPS No. 364*. Reject and resubmit at **The Economic Journal**.
- When Women Take All: Direct Election and Female Leadership.
- Powers That Be? Political Alignment, Government Formation, and Government Stability (*with F. Carozzi and L. Repetto*). *CESifo WP No. 10047*.

OTHER PUBLICATIONS

2. Cipullo, D., Reslow A. (2022). Are Governments Inflating their Forecasts Ahead of Elections? *SUERF Policy Brief No. 452*.
1. Cipullo, D. (2021). Political Careers, Government Stability, and Electoral Cycles. *Economic Studies 194*, Uppsala Universitet. ISSN 0283-7668; ISBN 978-91-506-2866-1 (Ph. D. thesis).

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Political and Public Economics, M. Sc., Catholic University, Lecturer	2022/2023
Scienza delle Finanze (<i>Public Finance</i>), B. Sc., Catholic University, Lecturer	2021/2022; 2022/2023
Public Finance, B. Sc, Catholic University, Lecturer	2021/2022
Political and Public Economics, M. Sc., Catholic University, Guest lecturer	2021/2022
Applied Econometrics, M. Sc., Uppsala University, Teaching Assistant	2017/2018
Political Economics, M. Sc., Uppsala University, Teaching Assistant	2017/2018, 2019/2020
Supervision of Ph. D. thesis (joint supervision)	2021/2022–2024 (expected)

GRANTS AND AWARDS

8. Italian Society of Public Economics SIEP Prize (EUR 1,500) 2022
7. International Institute of Public Finance Young Economist Honorable Mention 2022
6. EEA Student Travel Award (EUR 400) 2020
5. Nominated for the CESifo Distinguished Affiliate Award in Public Economics 2020
4. Jan Wallander and Tom Hedelius Foundation scholarship. “Harvard University”. Ref: H17-0063 (SEK 640,000; Principal investigator) 2017
3. Jan Wallander and Tom Hedelius Foundation scholarship. “Political Institutions and Economic Policy”. Ref: P2017-0185:1 (SEK 825,000; Investigator; PI: Prof. Eva Mörk) 2017
2. Erasmus+ stipend (EUR 4,000) 2015
1. Honor from the Robert F. Kennedy Foundation of Europe 2010

INVITED SEMINARS AND CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

2023: Bocconi University (scheduled). **2022:** European Commission Joint Research Centre (Ispra); Catholic University of the Sacred Heart; The 34th Congress of the Italian Society of Public Economics (L’Aquila); The 78th Congress of the International Institute of Public Finance (×2; Linz). **2021:** AYEW Monash University – Warwick University; Johannes Kepler University Linz; University of Bologna; Catholic University of the Sacred Heart; The 33rd Congress of the Italian Society of Public Economics (Virtual); The 25th Spring Meeting of Young Economists (Virtual); AEA-ASSA Annual Meeting (Poster session). **2020:** Instituto Tecnológico Autónomo de México; Research Institute of Industrial Economics (IFN), Stockholm; Aarhus University; Uppsala University; Econometric Society Winter Meeting (Virtual); CESifo Area Conference on Public Economics (Plenary session); SNS Job market meeting (Virtual); The 32nd Congress of the Italian Society of Public Economics (Virtual); The 35th Congress of the European Economic Association (Virtual); The 76th Congress of the International Institute of Public Finance (Virtual); AEA-ASSA Annual Meeting (San Diego, CA). **2019:** Uppsala-Stockholm Political Economy Meeting; Uppsala University; Harvard University; The 31st Congress of the Italian Society of Public Economics (Turin); The 34th Congress of the European Economic Association (Manchester); The 75th Congress of the International Institute of Public Finance (×2; Glasgow); Uppsala Centre for Fiscal Studies. **2018:** Harvard University, Uppsala University; The 74th Congress of the International Institute of Public Finance (Tampere); The Nordic Political Economy Workshop (VATT Helsinki); Uppsala Centre for Fiscal Studies. **2017:** Barcelona GSE. **2016:** Uppsala University.

MENTIONS ON POPULAR MEDIA

9. in Elections and the COVID-19 pandemic: to vote or to postpone? *Temi di Economia Pubblica SIEP*, August 31, 2022.
8. in Cervenka, A. (2021). Prognoser vapen i politiskt marktspel. *Dagens Industri*, July 9, 2021.
7. Cipullo, D. and Le Moglie, M. (2021). La pandemia è peggiorata per colpa delle elezioni. *Domani*, May 22, 2021.
6. Study: Banks ‘guilty of propaganda bias’ over economic forecasts. *RT UK News (tv news)*, September 11, 2019.
5. in Wallace, T. (2019). Research reveals ‘Propaganda bias’ in economists’ Brexit forecasts. *The Daily Telegraph*, September 7, 2019.
4. in Singh, H. (2019). Saturday Papers: Boris Johnson told to ‘get Brexit plan B’. *Citywire.co.uk*, September 7, 2019.
3. in Wallace, T. (2019). Banks’ ‘Project Fear’ Brexit forecasts were commercially driven ‘propaganda’, economists say. *Telegraph.co.uk*, September 6, 2019.
2. in Brexit Central (2019). Boris Johnson says ‘I’d rather be dead in a ditch’ than ask for a Brexit extension from Brussels: Brexit News for Friday 6 September. *Brexitcentral.com*, September 6, 2019.
1. Carozzi, F., Cipullo, D., and Repetto, L. (2019). La estabilidad del gobierno en la era de la fragmentación: ¿hacia dónde vamos y qué podemos hacer?. *Nadaesgratis.es*, June 12, 2019.

REFEREING OF JOURNAL ARTICLES

European Journal of Political Economy; International Tax and Public Finance; German Economic Review; Economics of Governance.

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

American Economic Association; European Economic Association; International Institute of Public Finance; Econometric Society; Royal Economic Society; Società Italiana di Economia Pubblica

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Co-organizer seminar series Dept. of Economics and Finance, Catholic University	2022–current
Research Assistant for Prof. Peter Fredriksson (Uppsala University), Prof. Andreas Madestam (Stockholm University), and Prof. Björn Öckert (Uppsala University)	2021
Member of the Ingemar Carlsson Memorial Fund prize committee	2017 – 2018
Civil service at the Associazione Pro Loco San Gimignano	2013 – 2014
Municipality intern (Dept. of Economic Development, Comune di San Gimignano)	2013
Short-time municipality employee (Dept. of Tourism, Comune di San Gimignano)	2010; 2011
President of the Provincial students’ council (Siena)	2009 – 2010
Member of the National Council of provincial students’ presidents	2009 – 2010

Languages: Italian, *Native*; English, *Fluent*; French, *Advanced*; Swedish, *Basic*.

Softwares: Stata, *Fluent*; L^AT_EX, *Fluent*; Python, *Intermediate*; Matlab, *Intermediate*; QGIS, *Intermediate*.