

CURRICULUM VITAE

CHESTA RICCARDO EMILIO

CURRENT POSITION

- 01/03/2023 Assistant Professor (Ricercatore di Tipo A)
POLITECNICO DI MILANO
META – Social Sciences and Humanities for Science and Technology
DEIB – Department of Electronics, Information and Bioengineering
NBFC – National Biodiversity Future Center
- 06/11/2024 Abilitazione Scientifica Nazionale alle Funzioni di Professore Associato di Seconda
Fascia nel Settore Concorsuale 14/D1 - SOCIOLOGIA DEI PROCESSI
ECONOMICI, DEL LAVORO, DELL'AMBIENTE E DEL TERRITORIO

PREVIOUS POSITIONS

- 28/02/2023 Post-Doctoral Researcher
01/04/2020 Faculty of Political and Social Sciences
SCUOLA NORMALE SUPERIORE
CIAMPI INSTITUTE FOR ADVANCED STUDIES, FLORENCE
- 15/03/2020 Post-Doctoral Researcher
15/03/2018 Faculty of Political and Social Sciences
SCUOLA NORMALE SUPERIORE, FLORENCE

EDUCATION

- 18/10/2018 PhD in Political and Social Sciences
Contentious Politics of Expertise. Experts, Activists and Grassroots Environmentalism
EUROPEAN UNIVERSITY INSTITUTE, FLORENCE
[ungraded]
Jury Members:
Donatella Della Porta (EUI – Scuola Normale Superiore, Florence)
Luigi Pellizzoni (University of Pisa)
Gianpaolo Baiocchi (New York University)
Stéphane Van Damme (EUI – Sciences Po Paris)
- 14/06/2014 MSc in Political and Social Sciences
01/09/2013 EUROPEAN UNIVERSITY INSTITUTE, FLORENCE
[ungraded]
- 06/09/2011 MSc in Social Sciences
05/09/2009 ÉCOLE NORMALE SUPÉRIEURE
ÉCOLE DES HAUTES ETUDES EN SCIENCES SOCIALES, PARIS
[Trés Bien]
- 01/07/2009 BSc in Sociology
01/09/2005 UNIVERSITY OF TRENTO
[110/110 cum laude]

SCIENTIFIC INTERESTS

Social Theory & Theorizing
Sociology of Knowledge and Expertise
Cultural Sociology
Political Sociology and Social Movements
Environmental Sociology

RESEARCH AND VISITING PERIOD

20/02/2022	Visiting Researcher
20/10/2021	Department of Sociology and Anthropology HEBREW UNIVERSITY IN JERUSALEM, Israel
10/12/2020	Invited Student
10/10/2020	Graduate Seminar <i>New Directions in Economic Sociology: Diversity and Performance</i> Department of Sociology, COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK, US
06/07/2019	Cambridge Data School - Digital Methods
03/07/2019	CRASSH – Centre for Research on the Arts, Social Sciences and Humanities UNIVERSITY OF CAMBRIDGE
20/04/2017	Visiting Scholar at Urban Democracy Lab,
20/03/2017	Department of Sociology, NEW YORK UNIVERSITY, US
03/06/2013	Research Associate, Project <i>Civic Mobilizations against Chemical Risk in France and Italy</i>
03/03/2013	UNIVERSITY OF TOULOUSE 3 – Paul Sabatier, France

PUBLICATIONS (48)Monographs (4)

4. 2025 DELLA PORTA, D., CHESTA, R.E., CHIRONI, D., CHRISTOU, S., FELICETTI, A.
Pandemic Communication and Participation: Learning from Civil Society Engagement in Italy
Cheltenham: Edward Elgar Publishing, 184 pp.
ISBN: 9781035373550
3. 2024 DELLA PORTA, D., CHESTA, R.E., CHIRONI, D., CHRISTOU, S., FELICETTI, A.
Partecipare e Comunicare durante una Pandemia: Il Caso Italiano.
Bologna: Il Mulino, 232 pp.
<https://doi.org/10.978.8815/412768>
ISBN: 9788815390462
2. 2022 DELLA PORTA, D., CHESTA, R.E., CINI, L.,
Labour Conflicts in the Digital Age. A Comparative Perspective
Bristol: Bristol University Press, 176 pp.
<https://doi.org/10.46692/9781529228267>
ISBN: 978-1529228243
Reviewed in: *Critical Sociology; British Journal of Industrial Relations; Work, Organisation, Labour, Globalization*
1. 2020 CHESTA, R.E.,
The Contentious Politics of Expertise. Experts, Activism and Grassroots Environmentalism
London and New York: Routledge, 242 pp.
<https://doi.org/10.4324/9781003033356>
ISBN: 9780367695446

Journal Articles (12)

12. 2025 CHESTA, R.E.
Sociology as a Vocation and a Collective Enterprise: Remembering Michael Burawoy
In *Sociologica. International Journal for Sociological Debate*, 19(1), 5-12
<https://doi.org/10.6092/issn.1971-8853/21756>
11. 2024 CHESTA, R.E., MACCARRONE, V.

Dal Campo allo Schermo: Influenze Sociologiche nel Cinema Realista di Ken Loach
 In *Sociologia del Lavoro*, 169/24, 195-207
<https://doi.org/10.3280/SL2024-1690010>

10. 2024 CHESTA, R.E., *Teoria, istruzioni per l'uso*
 In *Rassegna Italiana di Sociologia*, LXV, n.2/24, 408-415
<https://doi.org/10.1423/114130>
9. 2024 CHESTA, R.E., *Taking Quantitative Evaluation of Intellectual Labor Seriously.*
 In *Sociologica. International Journal for Sociological Debate*, Vol. 17, No.3, 145-148
<https://doi.org/10.6092/issn.1971-8853/18126>
8. 2022 CRIVELLARI, P., CHESTA, R.E.
Why is Technocracy Persistent in Industrial Risk? Evidence from an In-depth Case Study in Italy
 In *International Social Science Journal*, Vol.72, Issue 246, 157-171
<https://doi.org/10.1111/issj.12387>
7. 2022 DELLA PORTA., D. CHESTA, R.E., CINI, L.
Mobilizing Against the Odds. Solidarity in Action in the Platform Economy
 In *Berliner Journal für Soziologie*, 32(2), 213-241
<https://doi.org/10.1007/s11609-022-00471-z>
6. 2020 CHESTA, R.E., *A Factory of Sociologies from Fiat to FCA*
 in *Sociologica. International Journal for Sociological Debate*, issue 2 (14), 265-271
<https://doi.org/10.6092/issn.1971-8853/11400>
5. 2021 CHESTA, R.E., *What is Critical about the Crisis of Expertise?*
 Debate with Gil Eyal on *The Crisis of Expertise*, Cambridge: Polity Press: 2019
 in *International Journal of Politics, Culture and Society*, 34 (2), 111-117
<https://doi.org/10.1007/s10767-021-09402-x>
 With a reply by Gil Eyal
<https://doi.org/10.1007/s10767-021-09403-w>
4. 2019 CHESTA, R.E., ZAMPONI, L., CACIAGLI, C., *Labour Activism and Social Movement Unionism in the Gig Economy: Food Delivery Workers' Struggles in Italy*
 in *Partecipazione & Conflitto*, 12 (3), 819-844
<https://doi.org/10.1285/i20356609v12i3p819>
3. 2019 CHESTA, R.E., *Riconoscere, identificare, spiegare. L'arte di teorizzare e la sociologia di Alessandro Pizzorno* in *Società, Mutamento, Politica. Rivista Italiana di Sociologia*, Vol.10 (20), 179-189
<https://doi.org/10.13128/smp11056>
2. 2019 CARUSO, L., CHESTA, R.E., CINI, L., *Le Nuove Mobilitazioni dei Lavoratori nel Capitalismo Digitale: una Comparazione tra i Ciclo-Fattorini della Consegna di Cibo e i Corrieri di Amazon nel Caso Italiano* in *Economia e Società Regionale*, XXVI (1), 61-78
<https://doi.org/10.3280/ES2019-001006>
1. 2017 CHESTA, R.E., *Stranger in His Own Land. Gramsci and Italian Sociology*
 In *Global Dialogue. Magazine of the International Sociological Association*, issue 3/ vol. 7

Book Chapters (15)

15. 2025 CHESTA, R.E., *Expertise, Collective Action and Critique. When Expertise Meets Emancipatory Politics.*
 In MATTONI, A. (eds.) *Handbook of Progressive Politics*, Edward Elgar Publishing, 216-234
<https://doi.org/10.4337/9781800880641.00021>
 ISBN: 9781800880634
14. 2024 CHESTA, R.E., *Tra Politicizzazione e Mediatizzazione. I Paradossi dell'Expertise nella*

Crisi Pandemica da Covid-19

In DELLA PORTA, D. et al. *Partecipare e Comunicare in una Pandemia*. Bologna: Il Mulino, 113-129

<https://doi.org/10.978.8815/412768>

ISBN: 9788815390462

13. 2023 CHESTA, R.E., *Nota Bio-Bibliografica*
In PIZZORNO, A., *La Maschera dei Classici. Leggere i Maestri della Teoria Sociale*
Bari-Roma: Laterza (a cura di CELLA, G.P.), 295-317
ISBN: 9788858149676
12. 2023 CHESTA, R.E., DE FACCI, D., *Controverses d'Experts et Action Contestataire en France et en Italie*. In ANDOLFATTO, D., (eds.), *Citoyens dans la Crise Sanitaire*. Classiques Garnier, Paris, 87-97
<https://doi.org/10.48611/isbn.978-2-406-15398-6>
ISBN: 978-2-406-15396-2
11. 2023 CHESTA, R.E., *Labour Mobilizations in the Digital Economy. A Comparison of Italy and Germany*. In NOTERMANS, T., PIATTONI, S., VERZICHELLI, L., WAGEMANN, C. (eds.) *E La Nave Va? Italy and Germany in Turbulent Times*. Villa Vigoni Verlag, 143-161
ISBN: 978-88-946987-4-9
10. 2022 CHESTA, R.E., *Science and Expert Activism in Environmental Conflicts*
in SNOW, D.A., DELLA PORTA, D., Mc ADAM, D., KLANDERMANS, B., (Eds.)
The Wiley Blackwell Encyclopedia of Social and Political Movements, John Wiley and Sons, Sussex
ISBN: 9781119692201
9. 2022 CHESTA, R.E., *Labour Movements, Gig Economy and Platform Capitalism*
in NESS, I. (eds.), *The Routledge Handbook of the Gig Economy*, London: Routledge, 234-245
<https://doi.org/10.4324/9781003161875-19>
ISBN: 9780367752910
8. 2021 CHESTA, R.E., LEFKOFRIDI, Z., *Symbolic Gestures in Contemporary Protest Movements*
in BETTEL, F. (eds.), *Throwing Gestures. The Entanglement between Gestures, Media and Politics*
VfMK - Verlag für Moderne Kunst, Vienna, 161-184
ISBN: 9783903572256
7. 2021 CHESTA, R.E., MASUTTI, A., MELE, G., NISI, P., SPINEDI, M.
Politiche per il Trasporto delle Merci e la Logistica nelle Aree Urbane
in *Politiche e Strumenti per una Nuova Mobilità Urbana*
Società Italiana di Politica dei Trasporti, Sipotra, Roma, 201-262
ISBN: 9788815292285
6. 2021 CHESTA, R.E., *Prefazione*. In MORIN, E., *La Mia Sinistra*. Trento, Edizioni Erickson, 1-8
ISBN: 9791259820099
5. 2020 CHESTA R.E., *Un saggio, due autori. Attrezzi per leggere e trasformare il presente*.
Introduzione a: BURAWOY, M., *Storia di due Marxismi. Ricordo di Erik-Olin Wright*,
in *Officina PrimoMaggio. Saggi, Inchieste, Documenti*, n.1, 59-61
4. 2020 CHESTA, R.E., *A New Labor Unionism in Digital Taylorism? Explaining the First Cycle of Worker Contention at Amazon Logistics*. In KLUMPP, M., RUINER, C., *Digital Supply Chains and the Human Factor*, Springer, Berlin, 181-198
ISBN 978-3-030-58429-0
<https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-030-58430-6>
3. 2019 CHESTA, R.E., VITALE, T., *Ancora «Motore della Storia?» Il Ritorno delle Classi Popolari nella Sociologia Contemporanea in Popolo Chi? Classi Popolari, Periferie e Politica in Italia*,

Ediesse, Rome, 179-198
ISBN: 9788823022249

2. 2019 CHESTA, R.E., *Kaizen. Toyotismo e Fattore Umano oltre il Determinismo Tecnologico*
In FRASCANI, P., (ed.by) *Le Eredità delle Crisi*, Quaderni 31, Fondazione Feltrinelli,
Milan, 1-10
ISBN: 9788868353513
1. 2018 CHESTA, R.E., *Classico dell'epistemologia politica? Su L'inchiesta operaia di Karl Marx*
Utopie/HistoryBox, Fondazione Feltrinelli, Milan, 8-30
ISBN: 9788868353308

Interviews (5)

5. 2026 CHESTA, R.E., *For a Responsible Expertise. A Conversation with Philippe Van Parijs*
In *Sociologica. International Journal for Sociological Debates*, 3 (forthcoming)
4. 2019 CHESTA, R.E., *The Modern Prince and The Sociological Imagination.*
A conversation with Michael Burawoy,
in *Sociologica. International Journal for Sociological Debates*, 13 (1), 83-96
<https://doi.org/10.6092/issn.1971-8853/9392>
3. 2017 CHESTA, R.E., *Sociology and Its Public. A Conversation with Craig Calhoun*,
in *Sociologica. International Journal for Sociological Debates*, 3, 2017, 1-24
<https://doi.org/10.2383/89513>
2. 2016 CHESTA, R.E., *Critique and Crisis in Social Sciences. A Conversation with Wolfgang Streeck*
in *Sociologica. International Journal for Sociological Debates*, 3, 2016, 1-18
<https://doi.org/10.2383/85816>
1. 2016 CHESTA, R.E., *Between Science and Literature. Luciano Gallino and the Culture of Italian Sociology*, in *Studi Culturali*, XIII, 1, 83-101
<https://doi.org/10.1405/83213>

Editorial Work / Curation (5)

Edited Books (2)

5. 2023 PIZZORNO, A., *La Maschera dei Classici. Leggere i Maestri della Teoria Sociale*
Bari-Roma: Laterza (a cura di CELLA, G.P.), 353 pp.
ISBN: 9788858149676
4. 2018 MARX, K. *Sul Campo. L'inchiesta operaia di Marx: Comprendere il mondo per cambiarlo*
Utopie/HistoryBox, Fondazione Feltrinelli, Milan, 38 pp.
ISBN: 9788868353308

Direction of Journal Issues/ Sections (3)

3. 2024 Focus/Debate on PARDO-GUERRA, J.P., 2022. *The Quantified Scholar*.
New York: Columbia University Press
With Essays by Andrea Saltelli, Étienne Ollion
In *Sociologica. International Journal for Sociological Debates*, 17(3), 145-168
<https://doi.org/10.6092/issn.1971-8853/18126>
2. 2020 Focus/Debate on GADDI, M. *Working Conditions within Fiat-Chrysler Factory Plants*
With Guglielmo Meardi, Adam Mrozowicki, Valeria Pulignano,
Paul Stewart, in *Sociologica. International Journal for Sociological Debates*, 14 (2), 265-319
1. 2019 Focus/Debate on SCHMITTER, P., *The Vices and Virtues of Populism*

With Replies by Gianpaolo Baiocchi, Zolt Enyedi, Stephen Holmes, Zoe Lefkofridi, Takis Pappas in *Sociologica. International Journal for Sociological Debates*, 13(1), 1-22
<https://doi.org/10.6092/issn.1971-8853/9391>

Miscellanea (7)

Essay-Review (2)

7. 2026 CHESTA, R.E., Neoliberal Nature, Ecological Crisis and the Possibility of Critique. *Science as Culture*, Vol.34 / Issue 3 (forthcoming)
6. 2019 CHESTA, R.E., Essay-Review on BAIOCCHI, G., *We the Sovereign*, Polity Press, 2018 in *European Journal of Cultural and Political Sociology*, 6(4), 509-515
<https://doi.org/10.1080/23254823.2019.1662620>

Book Reviews (3)

5. 2023 CHESTA, R.E., Review of
BORTOLINI, M. *A Joyfully Serious Man. The Life of Robert Bellah*
Princeton University Press, 2022
in *Rassegna Italiana di Sociologia*, LXIV, 3, 571-572
<https://doi.org/10.1423/108591>
4. 2018 CHESTA, R.E., Review of
PACEWICZ, J. *Partisans and Partners. The Politics of the Post-Keynesian Society*
Chicago, The University of Chicago Press, 2016
in *Sociologica. International Journal for Sociological Debates*, 3, 1-4
<https://doi.org/10.2383/89517>
3. 2016 CHESTA, R.E., Review of
DIANI, M., *The Cement of Civil Society. Studying Networks in Localities*,
Cambridge, Cambridge University Press, 2015
in *Sociologica. International Journal for Sociological Debates*, n.2/2016, 1-4
<https://doi.org/10.2383/85295>

Scientific Translations (2)

2. 2020 BURAWOY, M., *Storia di due Marxismi. Ricordo di Erik-Olin Wright*,
in *Officina Primo Maggio. Saggi, Inchieste, Documenti*, n.1, 61-76
1. 2012 BOURDIEU, P., *Capitale Simbolico e Classe Sociale*,
in *Polis. Research and studies on Italian society and politics*, n. 3, 401-418
(Italian Translation from English and French)
<https://doi.org/10.1424/38674>

WORK IN PROGRESS, UNDER REVIEW AND FORTHCOMING

Journal articles

CHESTA, R.E., *Urban Biodiversity between Participation and Expertise: A Sociological Approach*

CHESTA, R.E., DE FACCI, D., *The Contentious Politics of Expert Knowledge in the Covid-19 Crisis: Collective Actors and Scientific Controversies in Italy and France*

CHESTA, R.E., CHIRONI, S., *Between Marketization and Partisanship: The Dilemmas of Scientific Expertise in Public Communication*

PUBLIC DEBATE AND DISSEMINATIONBooks

39. 2022 CHESTA, R.E., *Il Caso Rostagno*, Serie “Storia dei Grandi Segreti d’Italia”
Milan: Corriere della Sera / Gazzetta dello Sport, Rizzoli Editore
(2nd Edition, 2023, published with OGGI Series)

Articles

38. 2024 CHESTA, R.E., *La biodiversità urbana. Nuova frontiera della sostenibilità e del conflitto?*
In *Equilibri Magazine. Rivista di Sviluppo Sostenibile*, December
37. 2024 CHESTA, R.E., *Il linguaggio della scienza*
In *Equilibri Magazine. Rivista di Sviluppo Sostenibile*, December
36. 2024 CHESTA, R.E., *Il cambiamento climatico: da fatto naturale a fatto sociale?*
In *Equilibri Magazine. Rivista di Sviluppo Sostenibile*, November
35. 2024 CHESTA, R.E., *L’epidemiologia partecipata*
In *Equilibri Magazine. Rivista di Sviluppo Sostenibile*, June
34. 2024 CHESTA, R.E., *Le tentazioni della carne (sintetica)*
In *Equilibri Magazine. Rivista di Sviluppo Sostenibile*, March
33. 2023 CHESTA, R.E., *La partecipazione civile*
In *Equilibri Magazine. Rivista di Sviluppo Sostenibile*, December
32. 2023 CHESTA, R.E., *Il reddito di base. Storia di un’utopia reale.*
In *Equilibri Magazine. Rivista di Sviluppo Sostenibile*, December
31. 2023 CHESTA, R.E., *Il primo Deliberative Camp a Firenze*
In *Equilibri Magazine. Rivista di Sviluppo Sostenibile*, July
30. 2023 CHESTA, R.E., *La partecipazione e la riflessività democratica: la Convention Citoyenne francese.*
In *Equilibri Magazine. Rivista di Sviluppo Sostenibile*, May
29. 2023 CHESTA, R.E., *L’Estetica dell’Antropo-Catastrofe al Cinema.*
In *Equilibri Magazine. Rivista di Sviluppo Sostenibile*, January
28. 2023 CHESTA, R.E., *‘Bisogna Coltivare il Proprio Giardino’: Il Nuovo Ambientalismo Locale tra Partecipazione e Conoscenza*, In *Equilibri Magazine. Rivista per lo Sviluppo Sostenibile*, January
27. 2022 CHESTA, R.E., DE FACCI, D., *Movimenti Sociali e Controversie Scientifiche: una Comparazione della Crisi Covid-19 in Francia e Italia*, In *Equilibri Magazine. Rivista per lo Sviluppo Sostenibile*, November
26. 2022 CHESTA, R.E., *Quel Non Voto di Classe e la Crisi della Rappresentanza Democratica*
In *Sinistra Sindacale*, n.16/22, September
25. 2022 CHESTA, R.E., *Classi contraddittorie o contraddizioni di classe?*
In *Equilibri Magazine. Rivista per lo Sviluppo Sostenibile*, September
24. 2022 CHESTA, R.E. *La Prima Volta di Amazon in Italia*
In GHIGI, R. (eds.) *Calendario Civile. Le Prime Volte degli Italiani*, Bologna, Il Mulino, 4/21
23. 2021 CHESTA, R.E., *Tra Conflitto e Pratica dell’Obiettivo. Intervista alla Tech Workers Coalition Italia*
In *Officina Primo Maggio. Saggi, Inchieste, Documenti*, n.3
22. 2021 CHESTA, R.E., GELDERBLUM, C., *Amazon, il voto in Alabama ed i conflitti nel mondo*

In *Sbilanciamoci*, Sezione Società, April

21. 2021 CHESTA, R.E., CINI, L., *I riders in sciopero ed il capitalismo digitale*
In *Sbilanciamoci*, Sezione Società, March
20. 2021 CHESTA, R.E., *L'Expertise Critica. Ripensare il Nesso tra Scienza ed Utopia.*
In Sezione Disurbanità, *Machina. Rivista Online*. Ed. Derive/Approdi
19. 2020 CHESTA, R.E., *Lavorare a Fiat-Chrysler, ieri e domani*, in *Inchiesta*, Rivista Trimestrale,
Edizioni Dedalo.
18. 2020 CHESTA, R.E., *Territorio*, in *Le Parole Rubate*, in *Left*, November, n.42
17. 2020 CHESTA, R.E., *10 Novembre 2010: Amazon sbarca in Italia*, in *Il Mulino. Rivista*
Bimestrale di Politica e di Cultura, n.5
16. 2020 CHESTA, R.E., *Neoliberismo, Tecnoscienza e Democrazia nell'Era Covid*,
in LUCCHESI, M., ZOLA, D., (eds.) *In Salute, Giusta, Sostenibile. Ripensare l'Italia dopo*
la Pandemia, Libri di Sbilanciamoci, Roma.
15. 2020 CHESTA, R.E., *Capitalismo Digitale: Profitti e Conflitti nell'Epidemia*, in *Sbilanciamoci*,
Sezione Società, May.
14. 2020 TASSINARI, A., CHESTA, R.E., CINI, L., *Labour Conflicts over Health and Safety in the*
Italian Covid19 Crisis, in *Interface. A Journal For and About Social Movements*, Vol.12 (1), May
13. 2020 CHESTA, R.E., *Pandemia, quello che non sappiamo*, in *Sbilanciamoci*, Sezione Primo Piano,
May.
12. 2020 CHESTA, R.E., *Introduzione a BURAWOY, M., Storia di Due Marxismi. Ricordo di Erik*
Olin Wright, in *Officina Primo Maggio. Saggi, Inchieste, Documenti*, n.1
11. 2020 CHESTA, R.E., *Conflitti nel Taylorismo Digitale. Le Lotte dei Drivers di Amazon a Milano*,
In *Officina Primo Maggio. Saggi, Inchieste, Documenti*, n.1
10. 2019 CHESTA, R.E., *Davanti e Oltre i Cancelli delle Fabbriche. La Carica Trasformativa dell'Autunno*
Caldo e i Diritti da Conquistare, June, Fondazione Giangiacomo Feltrinelli, Milano.
9. 2019 CHESTA, R.E., *Il Dilemma Più Crudele della Sinistra ed il Reddito di Base Incondizionato.*
Intervista a Philippe Van Parijs, May, Fondazione Giangiacomo Feltrinelli, Milano.
8. 2019 CHESTA, R.E., *Ridefinire l'Europa nella Globalizzazione: Capitalismo, lavoro, democrazia.*
May, Fondazione Giangiacomo Feltrinelli, Milano
7. 2019 CHESTA, R.E., *Alessandro Pizzorno. Sociologo ed Intellettuale Senza Confini.*
April, Fondazione Giangiacomo Feltrinelli, Milano
6. 2019 CHESTA, R.E., *Oltre il Cottimo e la Piattaforma. Ciclofattorini e Sindacalismo Sociale nell'era*
del Capitalismo Digitale, Gennaio, Fondazione Giangiacomo Feltrinelli, Milano
5. 2018 CARUSO, L., CHESTA, R.E., CINI, L., *Le Nuove Mobilitazioni dei Lavoratori nel Capitalismo*
Digitale, in *Alternative per il Socialismo*, June-July, n.54
4. 2018 CHESTA, R.E., *Quale Popolo per Quale Politica. Un'Inchiesta per ripartire*,
in *MicroMega. Per una Sinistra Illuminista*, June
3. 2018 CHESTA, R.E., *Sull'uso critico dell'inchiesta. Passato e attualità del dibattito italiano*,
in *Alternative per il Socialismo*, October-November, n.51

2. 2018 CHESTA, R.E., *Laboratorio 4.0: La Fabbrica Mondo*, in *Laboratorio 4.0*, Scenari, Fondazione Giangiacomo Feltrinelli
1. 2018 CHESTA, R.E., *Il Sogno del Lavoro*, Aprile, Fondazione Giangiacomo Feltrinelli, Milano

Media Coverage

- 2025 Video Interview, Comment on Ken Loach's *The Old Oak*, Cinemovel Foundation
<https://cinemovel.tv/chi-siamo/persona/>
- 2024 Radio Interview on *Participatory Epidemiology*, Ep.9 - Equilibri Podcast, October 15th
<https://music.amazon.de/podcasts/1c35d00f-558a-4f22-9792-628da3074faa/equilibri-podcast>
- 2023 Video Interview on the book *La Maschera dei Classici. Leggere i Maestri della Teoria Sociale* Festival della Sociologia, Narni, October 10th (available on the Youtube channel)
- 2023 Interview on the book *Il Caso Rostagno*, Parliamo di Mafia, L'Espresso, August
- 2022 Interview on the book *Il Caso Rostagno*, Corriere del Trentino and L'Adige Section "Cultura e Spettacoli", January 11th
- 2020 Video interview for *Riders and Food-Delivery Platforms in the Covid-19 Crisis* Into the Black Box – H2020 PLUS project, July 3rd
- 2020 Guest Speaker, *Food-Delivery Platforms and Working Conditions* Radio Duga – Kritica Economica, Episode 9, June, 3rd
- 2020 Interview on *Platform Economy and the City: About Airbnb*, Corriere della Sera – Florence, February, 2nd
- 2020 Guest Speaker, *The New Forms of Capitalism*, Moby Dick, Radio Svizzera Italiana, January, 13th
- 2019 Cited in La Repubblica – Venerdì, Article: *Riders on the Storm*, June, 1st.

PROFESSIONAL AND SCIENTIFIC EXPERIENCES

- (ongoing)
3/10/2024 External Expert and Evaluator
Protocol for Participatory Epidemiological Inquiry, *OneHealth Citizen Science Project*
Istituto Superiore di Sanità, University of Padua, Regione Veneto
- (ongoing)
24/06/2024 Associate Editor, *Sociologica. International Journal for Sociological Debate*, Bologna
- 28/06/2024
24/06/2024 Faculty Member, Training School *Knowledge Transfer in and through Living Labs*
IDEA League - International Conference and Training Program,
RWTH Aachen University (DE)
- 15/08/2023
01/04/2021 ComPart Research Project *Communication and Participation under Covid-19*
Faculty of Political and Social Sciences, Scuola Normale Superiore, Florence
Meyer Center for Global Health, Faculty of Medicine, University of Florence
Funded by Regione Toscana (Fund Raised: € 226,275.00)
- 06/06/2024
17/09/2022 Associate Member, Research Cluster *The Crisis of Expert Knowledge and Authority*
School of Transnational Governance, European University Institute, Florence
- 02/06/2022
13/01/2021 Invited Scholar, *Solidarity and Healthcare* Study Group, Van Leer Institute in Jerusalem
organized by Hagai Boas (Van Leer Institute), Dani Filc (Ben Gurion University)

09/01/22 29/09/21	Writer, Rizzoli-Corriere della Sera MediaGroup, Series: <i>Storia dei Grandi Segreti d'Italia</i> , published by La Gazzetta dello Sport
01/07/2019 01/10/2018	Research Associate in Labour Studies and Technological Innovation Giangiacomo Feltrinelli Foundation, Milan
01/03/2018 01/12/2017	Research Assistant Department of Sociology and Political Sciences, Scuola Normale Superiore, Florence Project <i>CRI_OUT – Critical Young Europeans</i> Funded by Italian Ministry of Education and Research (MIUR)
(ongoing) 17/06/2016	Editorial Board, <i>Sociologica. International Journal for Sociological Debates</i> , Bologna
2014-16	Assistant for the Book Edition <i>Hobbes and the Social Theory of Recognition</i> (Ed. Laterza) Project Director: Alessandro Pizzorno (Emeritus Professor, EUI, Florence)

OTHER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCES

2020-21	Post-Doctoral Representative for the Faculty of Political and Social Sciences Conferenza di Ateneo, Scuola Normale Superiore
2020-2021	Collaborator for <i>Report Si.Po. Tra 2021 – Policies for Urban Logistics</i> Italian Society of Transport Policies (Si.Po.Tra), Coordinator: Dr. Marco Spinedi
2019-2021	Member of the Editorial Board for the journal <i>Officina PrimoMaggio</i> , Milan
2015-2018	PhD Representative for the PhD Selection Process (Italian Grants, 2015; 2016; 2017; 2018; French Grants, 2017) European University Institute, Florence
2014	Secretary at the Consensus Conference <i>SURPrise – Surveillance, Privacy, Security</i> European project – 7 th Research Framework Programme, Palazzo degli Affari, Florence Direction Prof. Martin Scheinin, (Law Department, EUI)

TEACHING QUALIFICATIONS AND EXPERIENCE

Training & Certificates

2015	EUI Teaching Certificate for Higher Education European University Institute, Florence
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Modules Taught - PhD, MA and Graduate Level (14) (521h)

Doctoral Programs (3) (68h)

Politecnico di Milano (2, 48h)

2024-25	Lecturer in <i>Social and Political Challenges of Sustainability</i> 24h PhD Program in <i>Science, Technology and Policy for Sustainable Change</i> Politecnico di Milano
2023-24	Lecturer in <i>Social and Political Challenges of Sustainability</i> 24h, PhD Program in <i>Science, Technology and Policy for Sustainable Change</i> Politecnico di Milano

Scuola Normale Superiore, Florence (1, 20h)

2019-2020	Lecturer in <i>Industry 4.0, Digital Capitalism and the New Workers Movements</i>
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20h, PhD Program, Department of Political Sciences and Sociology
Scuola Normale Superiore, Florence

MA Programs (3) (124h)

Politecnico di Milano (2, 104h)

- 2024-25 Lecturer in *Sociology of Environmental Issues*
52h, Master Program, Department of Electronics, Information and Bioengineering
Politecnico di Milano
- 2023-24 Lecturer in *Sociology of Environmental Issues*
52h, Master Program, Department of Electronics, Information and Bioengineering
Politecnico di Milano

University of Milan – Bicocca (1, 20h)

- 2021-22 Tutorship in *Methods for Cultural Research*
20h, Module, Master Program in Sociology
Department of Sociology and Social Research, University of Milan – Bicocca

BA and Undergraduate Level (8) (278h)

Stanford University, Florence (1, 30h)

- 2024-25 Lecturer in *Environment and Society*
30h Module, Bachelor in Social Sciences
Stanford University, Florence

Lorenzo De Medici Institute of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences, Florence (4, 168h)

- 2022-23 Lecturer in *Sociology of Organized Crime*
2 Courses x 42h Module, Bachelor in Sociology (Spring Semester)
Lorenzo De Medici Institute of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences, Florence
- 2022-23 Lecturer in *Sociology of Organized Crime*
42h Module, Bachelor in Sociology (Fall Semester)
Lorenzo De Medici Institute of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences, Florence
- 2021-22 Lecturer in *Sociology of Organized Crime*
42h Module, Bachelor in Sociology (Spring Semester)
Lorenzo De Medici Institute of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences, Florence

IUL – Università Telematica degli Studi, Florence (2, 60h)

- 2022-23 Lecturer in *Foundations of Social Sciences*
30h Module, Bachelor in Communication Sciences and Digital Knowledge
IUL - Università Telematica degli Studi, Florence
- 2021-22 Lecturer in *Foundations of Social Sciences*
30h Module, Bachelor in Communication Sciences and Digital Knowledge
IUL - Università Telematica degli Studi, Florence

Università per Stranieri di Perugia (1, 20h)

- 2019-2020 Lecturer in *Ethnographic Methods and Qualitative Research*
20h Module, Bachelor in Political Sciences and Sociology
Department of Political Sciences, Università per Stranieri, Perugia

Invited Lectures, Seminars and Workshops Convened (13) (51h)

13. 2025 Invited Lectures, *Max Weber's Science and Politics as a Vocation*
4h, Course *Social Action, Power, Authority* (prof. Chiara Loschi)
Department of Philosophy, University of Bologna, 6-7 May
12. 2025 Invited Lecture, *Biodiversity Politics and Governance*
6h, Spring Course *Environmental Governance* (Dr. Gemma Gessau), Georgetown University
BA Overseas Program Villa Le Balze, Florence, 26 February
11. 2025 Invited Lecture, *Sociology of Italo-American Mafia* (prof. Elisa Volpi)
3h, Department of Social Sciences, Franklin University Switzerland
BA Program, Lugano, 31 January
- 10.2025 Invited Lecture, *Biodiversity between Knowledge and Politics*
6h, Fall Course *Environmental Governance* (Prof. Chiara Loschi), Georgetown University
BA Program, Overseas Program Villa Le Balze, Florence, 6 November
9. 2024 Lecturer, *Social and Political Challenges of Sustainable Development*
5h, Master ENI Energy and Innovation, 21-28 November
Department of Energy, Politecnico di Milano
8. 2024 Invited Lecturer, *Democracy and Participation in Living Labs*
2h, Training School *Knowledge Transfer in and through Living Labs*
IDEA League - International Conference and Training Program,
RWTH Aachen University (DE), 24 – 28 June
7. 2024 Invited Lecturer, Topics: *Participation, Risk Communication, The Crisis of Expertise*
5h, Master of Epidemiology, University of Torino
Arsenale della Pace, Torino, 11-12 April
6. 2024 Invited Lecture, *Sociology of Italo-American Mafia* (prof. Elisa Volpi)
3h, Department of Social Sciences, Franklin University Switzerland
Lugano, 31 January
5. 2023 Lecturer, *Social and Political Challenges of Sustainable Development*
5h, Master ENI Energy and Innovation, 15-22 November
Department of Energy, Politecnico di Milano
4. 2021 Lecturer for a session on *Expertise and Grassroots Environmentalism*
2h, Course in *Sociology of Environment and Territory* (Chair: Luigi Pellizzoni)
Department of Political Sciences, University of Pisa
3. 2020 Lecturer for a session on *Worker Organizing in Digital Capitalism*
4h, Seminar *International Political Economy* (Chair: Mario Pianta)
Department of Political and Social Sciences, Scuola Normale Superiore, Florence
2. 2020 Lecturer for sessions on *Work and Technology at Amazon Logistics*
4h, Seminar *Digital Economy*, (Chair: Mario Pianta)
Department of Political and Social Sciences, Scuola Normale Superiore, Florence
1. 2017 Lecturer for the Methodological class
Corpus et Anima. Interviewing as Researching with Living Sources
2h, Lyon-Florence Masterclass *Exploring Corpus in History and Social Sciences*
In collaboration with the Ecole Normale Supérieure de Lyon
Department of Human Sciences

Supervision

- 2025 Supervisor Sergio Comi, MA Student
Ecological Modernization in Thai Islands: Critical Dilemmas
Politecnico di Milano
- 2025 Co-Supervisor (with Prof. Stefan Bösch, RWTH Aachen)
Alexander Sonntag, MA Student *Living Labs between Gift and Business*
RWTH Aachen (DE)
- 2017-20 Peer-Supervision for Master and PhD Thesis Projects
Department of Political Sciences and Sociology
Scuola Normale Superiore, Florence
- 2016-17 Peer-Supervision for early-stage PhD Thesis Projects
Department of Social and Political Sciences
European University Institute, Florence
- 2015-16 Co-Supervisor for Bachelor Dissertations in Sociological Theory
(with prof. Salvatore Cingari) Department of Social and Political Sciences,
University for Foreign Students, Perugia

Peer Reviewing for Scientific Journals and Reviews

- 2016-[...] Anonymous Peer Reviewer
- Journals:
- Constellations. An International Journal of Critical and Democratic Theory*
Cultural Sociology
IPS - Italian Political Science
International Review of Sociology, Revue Internationale de Sociologie
Partecipazione & Conflitto,
Politica & Società. Journal of Political Philosophy and Social Studies
Quaderni di Teoria Sociale
Social Movement Studies
Sociologia del Lavoro
Sociologica. International Journal for Sociological Debate
The American Sociologist
- Press and Publishers
Routledge, Bristol University Press
- 2017-2024 Section Leader and Reviewer *Focus in Sociologica. International Journal for Sociological Debates*
(in collaboration with Dario Minervini, University of Napoli Federico II)

ORGANIZATION OF CONFERENCES & SCIENTIFIC EVENTS

11. 2025 Meta Lecture Series
Guest Speaker: Kristin Asdal (TIK Center for Technology, Oslo University)
Seeing from Leviathan: tools of appropriation and versions of economization in the Anthropocene,
Politecnico di Milano, 4 December
10. 2025 Meta Lecture Series, Guest Speaker: Rolf Lidskog (Örebro University)
Navigating Global Environmental Challenges. Disciplinarity, Interdisciplinarity and Multidisciplinarity
Politecnico di Milano, 6-7 November
9. 2025 Panel *Expertise for the Good? Expertise and Technoscience Governance in Turbulent Times*

With Luigi Pellizzoni (Scuola Normale Superiore)
10th STS Italia Annual Conference, Politecnico di Milano, 11-13 June

8. 2025 Organization *Technoscience for the Good? Designing, Caring, Reconfiguring*
10th STS Italia Conference
Politecnico di Milano, 11-13 June

7. 2024 Training School Faculty Member, *Knowledge Transfer in and through Living Labs*
IDEA League - International Conference and Training Program,
24-29 June, RWTH Aachen University (DE)

6. 2023 Organization, Conference *Still the Resurgence of Class Conflict? New Identities, Interests and Worker Mobilizations: A Conference in Memory of Alessandro Pizzorno*
With Donatella Della Porta and Guglielmo Meardi
16-17 November, Department of Political and Social Sciences
Scuola Normale Superiore, Florence

5. 2023 Organization and Chair, Conference *Communicating and Participating in Times of Emergency: Opportunities and Challenges*
with Daniela Chironi (SNS), Andrea Felicetti (University of Padua)
19-20 October, Scuola Normale Superiore, Florence

4. 2021 Organization and Chair *Lay-Expertise*,
Guest Speaker: Steven Epstein (Northwestern University)
Cosmos Talk Series, Department of Political and Social Sciences
Scuola Normale Superiore, Florence

3. 2017 Organization and Chair, Workshop *Social Sequences Analysis*
16-19 May 2017 Department of Social and Political Sciences
European University Institute, Florence
with the participation of
Philippe Blanchard (Warwick University)
Lara Monticelli (Scuola Normale Superiore, Florence)

2. 2014 Organization of the EUI Colloquium
The Transnational University and Its Possible Futures
Wednesday 22 October 2014, Badia Fiesolana
with Zygmunt Bauman (University of Leeds)
Joseph H.H. Weiler (President of the EUI)
Rainer Baubock (EUI Dean of Graduate Studies)
Ann Thompson (Professor of Intellectual History, EUI)

1. 2014 Organization and Chairing of the Researchers Seminar
The Sociology of Zygmunt Bauman and Its Legacy
Tuesday, 21 October 2014, Villa Schifanoia
European University Institute, Florence
with the participation of Zygmunt Bauman (University of Leeds)

SCIENTIFIC PARTICIPATIONS

50. 2025 Paper Presentation, *Participation, Expertise and Urban Eco-Systems*
Invited by Patrice Mélé and Claudia Cirelli (Université de Tours, France)
Laboratoire CNRS – CITERES - Cités, Territoires, Environnement, Sociétés
27-29 November

49. 2025 Invited Speaker, Congress *Bauman 100: In Dialogo Sul Futuro*
Scuola Crispi, Palazzo Benvenuti, Trento, 8 November

48. 2025 Invited Speaker, *City Science Interfaces. Between Cities and Universities*
CRAFT – Research Center on Anti-Fragile Territories, Politecnico di Milano

Department of Urban Studies, 24 September

47. 2025 Chair, Session 7 – *Urban Policies and Ecological Conflicts*, Panel I, III, III
With Maria Claudia Cusumano and Luca Daconti (University of Milan – Bicocca)
XV Convegno AIS – Sociologia dell’Ambiente
Deep Transition? War, Conflicts and Socio-Ecological Transformations
Dipartimento di Culture, Politica e Società, Università di Torino, 6-8 Settembre
46. 2025 Paper Presentation *Urban Biodiversity: A New Right to Nature in the City?*
XV Convegno AIS – Sociologia dell’Ambiente
Deep Transition? War, Conflicts and Socio-Ecological Transformations
Dipartimento di Culture, Politica e Società, Università di Torino, 6-8 Settembre
45. 2025 Paper Presentation *Civic Engagement and The Urban Politics of Biodiversity: A qualitative inquiry on grassroots initiatives*, Panel 9 Distant Neighbours: Urban Ethnography through temporary practices and digital connections
10th Ethnography and Qualitative Research International Conference
University of Trento, 9-12 July
44. 2025 Invited Paper Presentation *Expertise and Participation on Environmental Issues: the case of urban biodiversity and environmental health*
Workshop ‘Understanding the New Regimes of Expertise’, University of Paris 4-6 June
43. 2025 Invited Presentation *L’Expertise e la Democrazia nelle questioni ambientali*
Roundtable, R2CA ‘The Right to Clean Air Project’ (Prof. Cristina Poncibò, UniTo)
‘L’Aria Pulita in Città. Sfide, conflitti e nuove prospettive di partecipazione’
Università di Torino, Campus Einaudi, 7 March
42. 2025 Presentation (with Renato Casagrandi, Politecnico di Milano)
The Social Construction of Urban Biodiversity: A New Right to Nature in the Green City?
Panel ‘Territori invisibili: la dimensione locale della transizione ecologica’
SISEC - Società Italiana di Sociologia Economica,
Università di Pavia, 29 January – 1 February
41. 2024 Paper Presentation (with Renato Casagrandi, Politecnico di Milano)
Democratizing the Green City? Urban Biodiversity between Participation and Expertise
RN32 Political Sociology, ESA - European Sociological Association
University of Porto, 26-31 August
40. 2024 Paper Presentation *The Contentious Politics of Expertise and the Covid-19 Crisis*
International Workshop *Understanding New Regimes of Expertise*
University of Lucerne (CH) 7-9 June
39. 2024 Presentation *Teoria Istruzioni per l’Uso*
Conference *Pensare la Società con Alessandro Pizzorno*
Istituto Italiano di Studi Filosofici di Napoli 29-30 May
With Pietro Costa (University of Florence), Pier Paolo Portinaro (University of Torino)
Gian Primo Cella (University of Milan), Roberta Sassatelli (University of Bologna)
38. 2023 Presentation *Conceptual Analysis and The Art of Theorizing*
Book Presentation *La Maschera dei Classici. Leggere i Maestri della Teoria Sociale*
With Alberto Vannucci (University of Pisa), Gian Primo Cella (University of Milan)
17 November, Department of Political and Social Sciences
Scuola Normale Superiore, Florence
37. 2023 Paper Presentation *The Challenges of Democratic Expertise in Times of Pandemic*
Conference *Communicating and Participating in Times of Emergency: Challenges & Opportunities*
19-20 October, Faculty of Political and Social Sciences, Scuola Normale Superiore

36. 2023
Invited Speaker *Gli Esperti Scientifici durante la Pandemia*
STS Seminar *Esperti, Scienza, Società*
10 October, Department of Sociology and Social Research, University of Trento
35. 2023
Paper Presentation (with Daniela Chironi, Scuola Normale Superiore)
The Covid-19 and the Public Authority of Experts
Panel 15- Boundary Struggles: Truth, Interest and Epistemic Authority
28-30 June, Science and Technology Studies – Italia, University of Bologna
34. 2023
Paper Presentation (with Damiano De Facci, University of Paris VII)
The Contentious Politics of Expertise in the Covid-19 Crisis: Expert Controversies and Collective Actors in Italy and France, Panel 45 – Questioning Institutional Science and Expertise
28-30 June, Science and Technology Studies – Italia, University of Bologna
33. 2023
Chair, META Workshop *Numbers and Stories: Climate Storylines and Scenarios*
Session II: Scenarios and Integrated Assessment Models
Steven Yearley (University of Edinburgh), Sara Giarola (Politecnico di Milano)
21 June, Politecnico di Milano
32. 2023
Paper Presentation (Invited Speaker) *The Contentious Politics of Expertise of Covid-19 Crisis. Experts Controversies and Collective Actors in Italy and France*
'The Crisis of Expert Knowledge' Cluster
23 March, Villa La Fonte, European University Institute, Florence
31. 2023
Paper Presentation *Neither Neutral, Nor Partisans: Scientific Experts and Public Communication*
Workshop *Post-Truth Politics and the Resilience of the European Public Sphere*
16-17 March, Faculty of Political and Social Sciences
Scuola Normale Superiore, Florence
30. 2023
Paper Presentation (with Daniela Chironi, Scuola Normale Superiore)
Scientific Experts and Public Communication in Times of Pandemic
Conference *After the Pandemic. Exploring Political, Social, Economic Changes*
14 March, Palazzo Strozzi, Scuola Normale Superiore, Florence
29. 2022
Book Presentation (Invited Speaker) *The Contentious Politics of Expertise*
Workshop *Esperti: approcci filosofici e sociologici*
15 November Dipartimento di Civiltà e Forme del Sapere, Università di Pisa
28. 2022
Paper Presentation (with Damiano De Facci, Université de Paris – VII, Dauphine)
Crise Covid-19 et Politique conflictuelle de l'expertise: le cas italien et français
17-19 November Colloque *Citoyenneté et Crise Covid-19*, Université de Bourgogne, Dijon
27. 2022
Invited Speaker *The Environment and the Contentious Politics of Expertise*
META – Social Sciences and Humanities for Science and Technology
19 September, Polytechnical University in Milan
26. 2022
Paper Presentation (with Casper Gelderblom, European University Institute, Florence)
Organizing Transnational Labour Solidarity: The Global Amazon Struggle
SASE – Society for the Advancement of Socio-Economics, Annual Conference
TH09 – Labor and Collective Action in Transformation
9-11 July, University of Amsterdam
25. 2022
Paper Presentation (with Damiano De Facci, Université de Paris – VII, Dauphine)
The Contentious Politics of Expertise of Covid-19 Crisis. Experts Controversies and Collective Actors in Italy and France
SASE – Society for the Advancement of Socio-Economics, Annual Conference
TH02 - Controversies in the Struggle for Innovation and Control of Health and Medicine
9-11 July, University of Amsterdam

24. 2022 Paper Presentation (with Casper Gelderblom, European University Institute)
Repertoires of (contra-)contention at Amazon: Comparing anti-union strategies
SISEC- Sixth Conference, Session 15 – Industrial Relations in Transition(s)
8-11 June, University of Bologna
23. 2022 Paper Presentation (with Casper Gelderblom, European University Institute)
Transnational Labour Activism and Multinational Corporations: the case of Amazon in Germany, Italy and the US
ILPC - International Labour Process Conference
21-23 April, University of Padua
22. 2022 Paper Presentation and Debate
Conference *L'uso del mondo. In ricordo di Enzo Rutigliano*
Department of Sociology and Social Research,
25 March, University of Trento
21. 2022 Debate and Presentation at the Panel *Resilient Categories of Science*
3-Days Workshop *Philosophy and the Challenge of New Technologies*
9 February, with Luigi Pellizzoni, Pierluigi Barotta, Roberto Gronda (University of Pisa)
20. 2022 Paper Presentation *Expertise et Participation dans les Conflits Environnementaux*
31 January, CNRS – Université de Tours, Roundtable Conference AGIRE –
Action collective, Engagements de proximité et Gestion des Déchets
invited by Patrice Melé and Claudia Cirelli (Université de Tours)
19. 2021 Paper Presentation *Labour Conflicts in the Digital Age*
Digital Society and Economy: Interdisciplinary Perspectives
Organized together with Scuola Sant'Anna di Pisa, University of Rome – La Sapienza
Palazzo Strozzi, Scuola Normale Superiore, Florence, 29 November
18. 2021 Paper Presentation *A New Unionism in the Big-Tech? Comparing workers mobilization at Amazon in Italy and Germany*, Italo-German Conference, 7-9 October
Italo-German Center for European Excellence, Villa Vigoni, Como
17. 2021 Chair, Panel *Work Quality and Pandemic*
What Recovery for Industrial Relations?
IREC – Industrial Relations in Europe Conference
Scuola Normale Superiore, Florence, 16-17 September
16. 2021 Paper Presentation *Organizing the Big-Tech: Trade Unions in Italy and Germany*
What Recovery for Industrial Relations?
IREC – Industrial Relations in Europe Conference
Scuola Normale Superiore, Florence, 16-17 September
15. 2020 Presentation *Algorithms, Digital Taylorism and Worker Contention: The case of Amazon drivers*
29-January-1February, Campus Luigi Einaudi, University of Turin
Società Italiana di Sociologia Economica (SISEC)
14. 2020 Paper Contribution *Between Algorithms and Worker Contention: Evidences from Amazon Logistics*,
In Disrupting Technology: Contextualizing Continuity and Change in Technology, Work and Employment
16-17 January, Centre for Employment Relations Innovation and Change,
University of Leeds
13. 2019 Paper Contribution *Recognition, Collective Action and Labor Mobilization.*
A Comparison of Food-Delivery Riders and Amazon Drivers
International Congress in Memory of Alessandro Pizzorno
State University of Milan, 19-20 November
Organizers: Marino Regini (State University of Milan), Salvatore Veca (IUSS Pavia)

12. 2019 Paper Contribution *Fields or Networks? How to Define Legitimate Expertise in Contentious Politics*
Conference *Doing Research with Bourdieu. Tools, Applications, Problems, Comparisons*
Organized by «Rete Bourdieu», 15 November, University of Bologna
11. 2019 Paper Contribution *Top-Down Toyotism and Social Movement Unionism at Fiat-Chrysler*
14th Conference of the European Sociological Association
Manchester Metropolitan University
Research Stream N17 – Work, Employment and Industrial Relations
10. 2019 Cambridge Data School - Digital Methods
CRASSH – Centre for Research on the Arts, Social Sciences and Humanities
University of Cambridge, 2-6 June
9. 2019 Paper Contribution *Contentious Expertise and Working-Class Environmentalism*
Toxic Expertise Workshop, 30-31 May
Department of Sociology - University of Warwick
8. 2017 Paper Contribution *Lineages of the People:
Embedded and transregional histories of contemporary populism*
International Workshop, Social Science Research Council (InterAsia Program), NYC
August 17-18, University of Göttingen, Germany
Organizers: Srirupa Roy (Göttingen); Paula Chakravartty & Gianpaolo Baiocchi (NYU)
7. 2017 Paper Contribution *Speaking truth to society?*
Experts, Activists and Citizens in local mobilization against big infrastructural projects
13th Conference of the European Sociological Association, Athens
Research Network N32 – Political Sociology
6. 2017 Paper Contribution *A Marshall Plan for the Italian Social Sciences.
The Americanization of The Sociological Field In Italy (1945-1961)*
13th Conference of the European Sociological Association, Athens
Research Stream N12 – Sociology of Knowledge
5. 2017 Paper Contribution *Contentious Politics by other means.
Activism and Expertise in Environmental Mobilizations*
NY/LON Workshop, Institute For Public Knowledge, New York
Department of Sociology, New York University
4. 2016 Invited Lecture *Grassroots Environmentalism and Contentious Politics of Expertise in Italy*
Observa – Science in Society Research Center, Vicenza
3. 2015 Invited Talk at the conference *Sociology as Profession. Luciano Gallino and Its Legacy*
Guest Speaker at the Department of Sociology and Social Research, Trento
with Mario Diani (Head of Department), Paolo Ceri (University of Turin)
Enzo Rutigliano (University of Trento), Antonio Schizzerotto (University of Trento)
2. 2015 Paper Contribution: *How many colors does the green contain?*
Cognitive work and cultural change in the environmental movement
12th Conference of the European Sociological Association, Prague
Research Network RN25 – Social Movements
1. 2014 Summer School *Methods in Social Sciences and Humanities Studies*, Nice (France)
financed by the ERC Project INTERCO-SSH 7th Research Program/ LabEx TEPsis

PUBLIC DISSEMINATION CONFERENCES

13. 2022 Invited Speaker, *A Workers' Inquiry: Historical Genesis and Current Applications*
International Workshop organized by Transform Europe – FIOM CGIL

Chamber of Labour, Bologna, 14 October

12. 2022 Invited Speaker, Debate *Sfide e opportunità nella Transizione Energetica ed Ecologica*
Festa de L'Unità di Fiesole, Fiesole (FI) 18 July
11. 2022 Invited Speaker, Book Presentation, *Il Caso Rostagno*
Fondazione Museo Storico di Trento
Public Debate with Marco Boato, Vincenzo Calì, Roberto de Bernardis
10. 2021 Invited Talk, *Work and Workers Rights and the Pandemics*
Public Webinar With Anna Carreri (IRES) Andrea Crisanti (University of Padua)
FILCAMS CGIL Veneto
9. 2020 Invited Talk, Book Presentation *Popolo Chi? Classi Popolari, Politica e Periferie*
Public Debate at «Archi Bellezza», Milan
8. 2019 Invited Talk, Book Presentation *Popolo Chi? Classi Popolari, Politica e Periferie*
Public Debate at «Cesare Alfieri» University of Florence
- 7.2019 Moderator for the Section *Political Participation and Civil Society*
Democrazia Minima Forum, directed by Nadia Urbinati (Columbia University)
Fondazione Giangiacomo Feltrinelli, Milan, April 3th
- 6.2018 Moderator for *Karl Marx's Critique of Political Economy*
Conference at MACRO Museum, Rome
With Sandro Mezzadra, Carlo Vercellone, Laura Pennacchi, Donatella Di Cesare
Organized by Lelio Basso, Di Vittorio, Friedrich Ebert, Feltrinelli, Gramsci Foundations
- 5.2018, 2019 Moderator for the Sections *Gig Economy and Platform Capitalism*, and *Work Representation*
Jobless Society Forum, Fondazione Giangiacomo Feltrinelli,
Funded by Cariplo, The Adecco Group, Municipality of Milan
4. 2018 Invited Talk *Environment at Risk: Florence, Venice, Rome*
«Quinto Alto» Association, Gabinetto Vieusseux, Palazzo Strozzi, Florence
Discussant with Ilaria Agostini (Professor of Urban Planning, University of Bologna)
Carlo Cellamare (Professor of Environmental Engineering, University of Rome)
3. 2018 Invited Talk *50 Years After 1968: Reimagining the City*
Round Table at the French Institute, Florence
Discussant with Stefano Boeri (Architect and Urban Planner, Boeri Architetti),
Jean-Louis Missika (Commissioner for Urban Planning, city of Paris)
2. 2016 Invited Talk *Citizens' Participation and the Flood in Florence (1966-2016)*
Public Lecture and Debate at the citizens assembly of *L'Isolotto*, Florence
1. 2016 Invited Talk *Precarious Work*
Seminar Cycle *Understanding the present*
Funded by Umbria Region, University of Perugia, Perugia
Discussant with Andrea Fumagalli (Economist, University of Pavia)
Mario Bravi (Trade Unionist, CGIL, Fondazione Di Vittorio)

GRANTS & AWARDS

- 2020-21 Public Funding for *ComPart* Research Project:
Communicating and Participating under Health Emergencies: Practices of Prevention under Pandemics
Faculty of Political and Social Sciences, Scuola Normale Superiore, Florence
Research Call on Covid-19 financed by Regione Toscana (Fund Raised: € 226,275.00)
- 2020-21 Post-Doctoral Grant *Work, Technology and Social Conflicts*

Carlo Azeglio Institute for Advanced Studies, Scuola Normale Superiore

- 2019 Grant for the Participation to the Cambridge Data School - Digital Methods
CRASSH – Centre for Research on the Arts, Social Sciences and Humanities
University of Cambridge, 2-6 June
- 2018-20 Post-Doctoral Grant *The Social Consequences of Industry 4.0 and Digital Capitalism*
funded by European Social Fund, Scuola Normale Superiore, Region of Tuscany
- 2018 Project *CRY_OUT – Critical Young Europeans*
Funded by Italian Ministry of Education and Research (MIUR)
- 2017 Funding for Paper Presentation at the International Workshop
Lineages of the People. Embedded and Transregional histories of contemporary populism
awarded by the Social Sciences Research Council, New York, US
- 2017 Mission Funding for the Scientific Participation at the ESA 2017 in Athens
awarded by the Department of Political and Social Sciences, EUI – Florence
- 2017 Grant for the organization of the Workshop *Social Sequence Analysis* (2,000 €)
awarded by the Department of Social and Political Sciences, EUI – Florence
- 2016 Mission Funding for Research Exchange at New York University (1450 €)
awarded by the Department of Political and Social Sciences, EUI – Florence
- 2013 4-Years Scholarship, Department of Political and Social Sciences (69,600 €)
European University Institute, Florence – Italian Ministry for Foreign Affairs
- 2011-12 Economic Award for Student Merit by University of Trento (500 €)
- 2010-11 Yearly Grant *Master Ile-de-France* for International Students in Paris (10,000 €)
Funded by Ile-de France Regional Council – Research & Innovation Section, Paris
- 2008-09 1-Year Erasmus Scholarship, Ecole des Hautes Etudes en Sciences Sociales, Paris
(2,000€)
- 2008-09 10 Months LLP-Erasmus Scholarship, Humboldt University Berlin, (Refused)
- 2008-09 10 Months LLP-Erasmus Scholarship, University of Creta (Greece), (Refused)
- 2007-8 Economic Award for Student Merit by University of Trento (500 €)

PROFESSIONAL AND SCIENTIFIC MEMBERSHIPS

Research Centers and Units

- 2013 - (...) Member of COSMOS – Centre of Social Movement Studies
Scuola Normale Superiore, Florence
Director: Donatella Della Porta (Scuola Normale Superiore, Florence)
- 2020 - 2022 Member of the Carlo Azeglio Ciampi Institute for Advanced Studies
Faculty of Political and Social Sciences, Scuola Normale Superiore, Florence
- 2023 - (...) Member of META – Social Science and Humanities for Science and Technology
Polytechnic of Milan, Milan
- 2023 - (...) Member of NBFC – National Biodiversity Future Center

Professional Associations

- 2016 - (...) Member of the Editorial Board of *Sociologica. International Journal for Sociological Debate*
Director: David Stark (Columbia University, New York)
- 2017 – 19 Member of the ASA – American Sociological Association
Sections: Theory; Methodology; Collective Behavior/Social Movements;
Political Sociology; Science, Knowledge, Technology
- 2020 – (...) Member of SISEC - Società Italiana di Sociologia Economica
- 2023 - (...) Member of STS Italia (Italian Association of Science and Technology Studies)
- 2024 - (...) Member of the ESA – European Sociological Association
Research Networks on STS (RN24), Environment & Society (RN12)
Social Movements (RN25), Political Sociology (N32)

PROFESSIONAL SKILLS

Language

Mother Tongue: *Italian*;

Proficiency: *English, French, Spanish*;

Advanced Knowledge: *German*

Computer

ECDL (European Computer Driving Licence); Windows; Linux; Mac

METHODS AND TECHNIQUES

Qualitative: Comparative Analysis; Semi-Structured and In-Depth Interview; Participant Observation and Ethnography; Abductive Theorizing; Archival Research

Autorizzo il trattamento dei miei dati personali presenti nel CV ai sensi del Decreto Legislativo 30 giugno 2003, n. 196 “Codice in materia di protezione dei dati personali” e del GDPR (Regolamento UE 2016/679). Consapevole delle sanzioni penali previste dall’art. 76, D.P.R. 28.12.2000 n. 445, nel caso di dichiarazioni mendaci, dichiaro che quanto riportato sopra corrisponde a verità.

In Fede,
October, 2025