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RESEARCH INTERESTS

European integration, differentiation, and disintegration; national politics and political systems in Western Europe; Brexit; radical left parties

EDUCATION

2014/05 PhD in European Studies, King's College London, without corrections
2006/11 MA in International Relations, University of Bologna, cum laude
2004/11 BA in Political Science, University of Bologna, cum laude

PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS

2020/11 – 2022/12 Research Associate (post-doc), Robert Schuman Centre for Advanced Studies, European University Institute
2019/10 – 2010/09 Lecturer in British Politics (post-doc), Centre for British Studies, Humboldt University of Berlin
2016/09 – 2017/11 Researcher (post-doc), Digital European Integration Studies, University of Luxembourg

PUBLICATIONS

Books

2017 *The radical left party family in Western Europe, 1989-2015*. Abingdon: Routledge.

Edited volumes

2019 (with Frédéric Allemand) (eds). *Competitiveness and solidarity in the European Union: interdisciplinary perspectives*. Abingdon: Routledge.

Refereed journal articles

2016 'Measuring party strength: a new systematic framework applied to the case of Germany, 1991–2013', *German Politics* 25(1): 84–105.

Book chapters

forth. 'The divided left in the UK: partisanship, ideology, and class after Brexit', in Jana Gohrlich and Gesa Stedman (eds.). *Affective Polarisation*. Bristol: Bristol University Press [accepted].

forth. 'Italy', in Fabien Escalona, Luke March, and Daniel Keith (eds). *The Palgrave Handbook of radical left parties in Europe*. London: Palgrave [accepted].

- 2021 'The continuing crisis of the Italian radical left', in Amieke Bouma, Cornelia Hildebrandt, and Danai Koltsida (eds). *Radical in diversity. Europe's left 2010–2020*. London: Merlin Press [accepted].
- 2020 'Make way for the people! Left-wing populism in the rhetoric of Jean-Luc Mélenchon's 2012 and 2017 presidential campaigns', in Giorgos Charalambous and Gregoris Ioannou (eds). *Left radicalism and populism in Europe*. Abingdon: Routledge.
- 2019 'Competitiveness, solidarity, and their relationship: a theoretical framework', in Paolo Chiocchetti and Frédéric Allemand (eds). *Competitiveness and solidarity in the European Union: interdisciplinary perspectives*. Abingdon: Routledge.
- 2019 (with Frédéric Allemand) 'Introduction', in Paolo Chiocchetti and Frédéric Allemand (eds). *Competitiveness and solidarity in the European Union: interdisciplinary perspectives*. Abingdon: Routledge.
- 2019 (with Frédéric Allemand) 'Conclusion', in Paolo Chiocchetti and Frédéric Allemand (eds). *Competitiveness and solidarity in the European Union: interdisciplinary perspectives*. Abingdon: Routledge.
- 2015 'The radical left at the 2014 European Parliament election: a first assessment', in Cornelia Hildebrandt (ed). *Situation on the left in Europe after the EU elections: new challenges*. Berlin: Rosa-Luxemburg-Stiftung.

Working papers and reports

- forth. *Scenarios for differentiation and other forms of flexibility*. EUI Working Papers Series RSC.
- forth. *Models of differentiated integration: past, present, and proposed*. EUI Working Papers Series RSC.
- 2021 *Design principles for efficient and legitimate differentiated integration schemes*. EUI Working Papers Series RSC 66.
- 2012 'Nuove prospettive storiografiche di ricerca comparata e transnazionale', *Archivio Trentino* 2: 249–267.
- 2009 *Il Gruppo Europeo di Cooperazione Territoriale (GECT): un nuovo strumento per la cooperazione territoriale*. Trento: Provincia Autonoma di Trento.

Book reviews

- 2017 'Book review: Gabriele D'Ottavio and Thomas Saalfeld (eds). Germany after the 2013 elections: breaking the mould of post-unification politics? (Farnham: Ashgate, 2015)', *Political Studies Review* 15(4): 661.
- 2016 'Book review: Seth K. Jolly. The European Union and the Rise of Regionalist Parties (Ann Arbor, MI: Michigan University Press, 2015)', *West European Politics* 40(2): 495-496.
- 2011 'Book review: Adeed Dawisha. Iraq: A Political History from Independence to Occupation (Princeton, NJ: Princeton University Press, 2009)', *Journal of Global Analysis* 2(1): 97-99.

Online publications

- 2018 (with Hicham Rassafi-Guibal). Europe, State, Market [eTeaching module]. RESuME, 01.09.2018. Available at: <https://resume.uni.lu/story/europe-etat-marche>
- 2017 Interview with Herman Van Rompuy [interview]. RESuME, 28.09.2017. DOI:[10.25517/RESuME-5BW7AJH-2017](https://doi.org/10.25517/RESuME-5BW7AJH-2017)

- 2017 Tommaso Padoa-Schioppa [biography]. RESuME, 5.09.2017. DOI:[10.25517/RESuME-BsKwne7-2017](https://doi.org/10.25517/RESuME-BsKwne7-2017)
- 2017 Democratic Legitimacy [glossary]. RESuME, 28.08.2017. DOI:[10.25517/RESuME-7xN4KF9-2017](https://doi.org/10.25517/RESuME-7xN4KF9-2017)
- 2017 Herman Van Rompuy [biography]. RESuME, 11.07.2017. DOI:[10.25517/RESuME-RJVVkhq-2017](https://doi.org/10.25517/RESuME-RJVVkhq-2017)
- 2017 Wolfgang Schäuble [biography]. RESuME, 6.07.2017. DOI:[10.25517/RESuME-khtAGLk-2017](https://doi.org/10.25517/RESuME-khtAGLk-2017)
- 2017 Solidarity [glossary]. RESuME, 28.06.2017. DOI:[10.25517/RESuME-YxjevDV-2017](https://doi.org/10.25517/RESuME-YxjevDV-2017)
- 2017 The European Commission's "Reflection Paper on Harnessing Globalisation" [paper]. RESuME, 8.06.2017. DOI:[10.25517/RESuME-6evVixD-2017](https://doi.org/10.25517/RESuME-6evVixD-2017)
- 2017 The economic programme of Emmanuel Macron [paper]. RESuME, 3.05.2017. DOI:[10.25517/RESuME-dzxyM6b-2017](https://doi.org/10.25517/RESuME-dzxyM6b-2017)
- 2017 Population ageing [glossary]. RESuME, 16.03.2017. DOI:[10.25517/RESuME-FScynxo-2017](https://doi.org/10.25517/RESuME-FScynxo-2017)
- 2017 Populism [glossary]. RESuME, 23.01.2017. DOI:[10.25517/RESuME-JyutQzd-2017](https://doi.org/10.25517/RESuME-JyutQzd-2017)

Manuscripts in preparation

- The assessment and design of differentiated integration schemes [journal article]
- Leavers vs. Remainers: European identities, party cues, and voting behaviour after the Brexit referendum [journal article]
- The three faces of competitiveness: conceptual history and policy implications [journal article]
- e-Manual on differentiated integration [EUI working paper]

CONFERENCE ACTIVITY

Invited talks

- forth. 'Deepening Eurozone integration: toward an ever more differentiated Union?', TEPSA, Brussels, 2–3 December
- 2020 'Brexit and the 2019 general election', Alexander-von-Humboldt-Stiftung, Berlin, 25 June
- 2019 'European statistics in support of researchers', Eurostat, Luxembourg, 30 September
- 2019 'The 2019 European Parliament election in Italy', Transform!-RLS Workshop, Vienna, 12-14 June
- 2019 'Competitiveness and solidarity in the European Union', Jena Social Theory Colloquium, Universität Jena, Jena, 21 May
- 2019 'La società europea tra competitività e solidarietà', EuregioAkademie, Brixen, 27 April
- 2017 'The competitiveness imperative: what implications for public policy-making', EPRC European Policy Seminar Series, EPRC, Glasgow, 29 November
- 2014 'The radical left at the 2014 European Parliament election: a first assessment', RLS Workshop, Rosa-Luxemburg-Stiftung, Berlin, 21–23 July
- 2012 'Linke Parteien in Deutschland, Frankreich und Italien: Transfer-, Verflechtungs- oder Parallelgeschichte?', Nachwuchsakademie zur Zeitgeschichte, Akademie für politische Bildung Tutzing, Tutzing, 20–22 July

Papers presented

- 2021 Annual conference, PSA, Belfast, 29–31 March (online)

- 2020 Annual conference, ECPR, Innsbruck, 26-28 August (online)
- 2019 Annual conference, PSA, Nottingham, 15-17 April
- 2017 Annual conference, SISP, Urbino, 14-16 September
- 2017 Annual conference, PSA, Glasgow, 10-12 April
- 2017 RESuME workshop, University of Luxembourg, Esch-sur-Alzette, 29–30 March
- 2016 Annual conference, SISP, Milano, 15–17 September
- 2016 SGEU conference, ECPR, Trento, 15–18 June
- 2015 Tag der Politikwissenschaft, ÖGPW, Salzburg, 27–28 November
- 2014 Annual Conference, ASMI, London, 21–22 September
- 2014 Annual Conference, IIPPE, Naples, 16–18 September
- 2013 Annual Conference, PSA, Cardiff, 25–27 March
- 2012 Annual Conference, HM, London, 8–11 November
- 2010 Postgraduate conference, KCLEURESEARCH, London, 15 June

Conferences organised

- 2017 Conference ‘Competitive Europe and the transformation of the welfare state’, RESuME, University of Luxembourg, 24 November
- 2017 Workshop ‘European competitiveness’, RESuME, University of Luxembourg, 29-30 March
- 2013 Postgraduate conference ‘What is local? Exploring cities in the global era’, KCLEURESEARCH, King’s College London, 14 June
- 2012 Postgraduate conference ‘Movements, networks, protest’, KCLEURESEARCH, King’s College London, 15 June
- 2011 Postgraduate conference ‘Developments in contemporary citizenship’, KCLEURESEARCH, King’s College London, 10 June
- 2010 Postgraduate conference ‘Rethinking Europe after the financial crisis’, KCLEURESEARCH, King’s College London, 8 October
- 2010 Postgraduate conference ‘Reflections on the global economic crisis’, KCLEURESEARCH, King’s College London, 15 June

Chair/discussant

- 2019 Panel ‘Populism and politics in Europe and beyond’, PSA, Nottingham, 17 April
- 2017 Panel ‘Themes and authors of historical politology’, SISP, Urbino, 15 September
- 2017 Panel ‘Informal procedures in the EU’s supranational institutions and networks’, HEIRS, Luxembourg, 25 March

TEACHING

Humboldt University of Berlin

- Contemporary British Studies: Political Attitudes and Voting after Brexit. Lecturer, MA module, 5 ECTS, 2021–22
- British International Relations. Lecturer, MA module, 1 ECTS, 2020
- Self, Society, and Agency (Social Theory and Research Methods) (with Felicia Kompio). Lecturer, MA module, 4 ECTS, 1 term, 2020
- Analysing British Politics. Lecturer, MA module, 2 ECTS, 2019–20
- British Constitutional Law and the Political System (with Sam McIntosh). Lecturer, MA module, 2 ECTS, 2019–20

Free University of Bozen/Bolzano

- Comparative Politics. Lecturer, BA module, 8 ECTS, 2020–21

University of Luxembourg

- Europe, State, Market (with Hicham Rassafi-Guibal). Developer, e-teaching BA module, 2017

King's College London

- Globalisation and Social Movements in Europe (with Lorenzo Fusaro). Lecturer, MA module, 10 ECTS, 2011
- Introduction to Politics. Teaching assistant, BA module, 15 ECTS, 2011–12
- Introduction to Politics. Teaching assistant, BA module, 15 ECTS, 2010–11

Guest lectures

- Political Parties and Systems, 10 hours, 2010–present

Qualifications

- 2017/02 French lecturer qualification (qualification aux fonctions de maître de conférence en science politique, MCF CNU 04), Ministère de l'Éducation nationale, Paris (FR)
- 2013/12 British assistant lecturer qualification (Associate Fellow of the Higher Education Academy, AFHEA), Higher Education Academy, London (UK)

Supervision

- First supervisor of three concluded and three ongoing MA thesis (Humboldt Berlin)

RESEARCH**Participation in research projects**

- 2020–21 *Integrating Diversity in the European Union (InDivEU)*. Prof. Bridig Laffan and Prof. Frank Schimmelfennig, European University Institute, Horizon 2020, € 3,132,250. Research on differentiated integration models
- 2020 *Brexit: Britain Dis-connecting*, Deutsches Bundesministerium für Bildung und Forschung, Humboldt-Universität Berlin, € 400,000. Contribution to the grant application (not funded)
- 2016–17 *Ressources sur le modèle socio-économique européen (RESuME)*, Erasmus+, Universität Luxemburg, € 666,113. Research on the European socio-economic model and digital tools for European Studies, contribution to the scientific coordination and management of the project

Commissioned research and scholarships

- 2017–pres. *Varieties of democracy (V-Dem)*, Göteborgs universitet. Country Expert for Italy, ca. € 300 per year
- 2015 Exhibition *35-45: Wars and totalitarianisms in a border region*, Fondazione Museo Storico del Trentino, Trento. Archival research, 100 hours, € 5,000
- 2009 Commissioned research, Euregio Tirol-Südtirol-Trentino, Bruxelles. Research on the European Grouping of Territorial Cooperation (EGTC), 3 months, € 3,200
- 2008 *From generation to generation*, Volkswagen-Stiftung, European University Institute, Fiesole (IT). Biographical interviews with entrepreneurial families, 100 hours, € 1,450
- 2010 *King's Continuation Scholarship*, King's College London, £ 29,000

SERVICE TO PROFESSION**Peer-reviewer**

Acta Politica, European Political Science Review, Government and Opposition, Journal of Modern Italian Studies, Nations and Nationalism, Modern Italy, Österreichische Zeitschrift für

Politikwissenschaft, Partecipazione e Conflitto, Political Studies Review, Rivista Italiana di Scienza Politica

Offices

Executive board member and media officer, PSA Italian Politics Specialist Group, since 2017 (also secretary since 2019)

Member of the Brexit Policy Panel, King's College London, 2018–2020

Deputy editor, RESuME collaborative platform (<https://resume.uni.lu>), 2016–2018

UNIVERSITY SERVICE

Work placement coordinator, GBZ, Humboldt University of Berlin, 2019–20

Elected member of the Academic Board (postgraduate), King's College London, 2012–13

Steering committee of the KCLEURESEARCH postgraduate research group, DEIS, King's College London, 2009–13

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

Arbeitskreis Großbritannien-Forschung (AGF), since 2019

Association for the Study of Modern Italy (ASMI), since 2014

European Consortium for Political Research (ECPR), since 2017

Österreichische Gesellschaft für Politikwissenschaft (ÖGPW), since 2014

Political Studies Association (PSA), since 2012

University Association for Contemporary European Studies (UACES), since 2013

MEDIA COVERAGE

Interviews and op-eds for *BBC Mundo* (UK), *CNN* (US), *Efimerida ton Syntakton* (Greece), *Expresso* (Portugal), *Il Post* (Italy), *Le Jeudi* (Luxembourg), *Mediapart* (France), *Metro* (Portugal/Brazil), *Radio Free Europe* (Albania), *Transform!* (Austria), *speri.comment* (UK)

LANGUAGES

Italian	native speaker	
English	near-native (C2)	<i>CPE</i> , University of Cambridge, 2008
German	fluent (C1)	<i>ÖSD Zertifikat C1</i> , <i>ÖSD</i> , 2015
French	fluent (C1)	<i>Delf II</i> , Alliance Française, 2005
Spanish	conversational (B2)	
Dutch	basic (A2)	

Certificates

Zweisprachigkeitsnachweis A, Autonome Provinz Bozen, 2016 (C1); *ÖSD Zertifikat C1*, *ÖSD*, 2015 (C1); *Certificate of Proficiency in English*, University of Cambridge, 2008 (C2); *Delf II*, Alliance Française, 2005 (B2)

IT SKILLS

Office suites (MS Office, Google tools, Confluence, jotform.eu), data management and analysis (Excel, SPSS), data visualisation (Tableau, Infogr.am), corpus linguistics (WordSmith), website management (Dreamweaver, Wordpress, RESuME), online communication (mailing lists, newsletters, social media), online teaching (Blackboard, Moodle, Zoom, Teams, video capture), spatial analysis (QGIS)

OTHER SKILLS

- Project management and coordination support – 15-month experience in research projects (RESuME, Erasmus+, 666,113 euro) as well as 12-month experience in non-academic cooperation projects (Fit4Co, Interreg, 994,600 euro; EuregioFamilyPass, Interreg, 978,400 euro; EuregioScienceFund, Europaregion Tirol-Südtirol-Trentino/FWF, up to 1.2 million euro per year)
- Research dissemination – 3-year experience as the media officer of the PSA-IPSG research group
- English language teaching – 3-year experience in Italian and Austrian language centres
- Public administration – 1.5-year experience in the Tyrolean regional administration in Innsbruck (AT), the Trentino representation office in Brussels (BE), and the Italian Embassy in Nairobi (KE)
- Political education – programmes for high school students (20 lectures) and groups of young adults (three multi-day events) on regional history, cross-border cooperation, and the European Union (2018–19, AT); moderation of adults in the cross-border citizens' dialogue "European citizens, let's talk!" (2018–19, IT-AT); creation of digital resources on European integration on resume.uni.lu (2016–17, LU); exhibition on inter-war fascism (2016-17, IT).

REFERENCES

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