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Education

University of California, Davis Ph.D. Candidate in Economics (<i>advanced to candidacy in Sept 2023</i>)	<i>Sept 2020 - Present</i>
Bocconi University M.Sc. in Economic and Social Sciences (ESS/DES), cum laude	<i>Sept 2016 - Mar 2019</i>
Dartmouth College Department of Economics - Exchange program	<i>Fall 2015</i>
Bocconi University B.Sc. in International Economics (BIEMF), cum laude	<i>Sept 2013 - Oct 2016</i>

Research interests

Labor Economics, Economics of Migration, Personnel Economics

References

Giovanni Peri Professor Department of Economics University of California Davis gperi@ucdavis.edu	Marianne P. Bitler Professor Department of Economics University of California Davis bitler@ucdavis.edu	Santiago Pérez Associate Professor Department of Economics University of California Davis seperez@ucdavis.edu
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Publications, Projects and Media Contributions

Peer-reviewed publications

“Unsafe jobs, labour market risk and social protection” (*with G. Basso, T. Boeri, M. Paccagnella*) - *Economic Policy*, April 2022. Vol. 37, issue 110: pp. 229-267.

“Mitigating the work-safety trade-off” (*with T. Boeri, M. Paccagnella*) - *CEPR Covid Economics*, April 2020. Issue 2: pp. 60-6.

appeared on: lavoce.info, VoxEU

Working papers

“Quality of employers, co-ethnic networks, and the economic integration of refugees ” (*with E. Simonsen*) - [JMP]

“Immigration’s effect on US wages and employment redux” (*with G. Peri*) - [NBER wp 32389](#)

appeared on: [The New York Times](#), [Forbes](#), [The Epoch Times](#), [Bloomberg](#), [El Pais](#)

“The effect of labor market tightness on recruiting levers: Evidence from US employers during Covid-19” (*with A. Abdelfattah*)

Policy briefs / Media contributions

“Immigration and waning US labor force growth” (*with G. Peri*) - [EconoFact](#)

“Come ridare smalto alla scuola senza qualità del Sud” (*with T. Boeri*) - lavoce.info

“Più competitività per aiutare la crescita basata sull’export” (*with C. Cottarelli*) - [Il Sole 24 Ore](#)

Fellowships, Grants and Affiliations

Humane Studies Fellowship, Institute for Humane Studies (IHS)	<i>2025 - Present</i>
Global Migration Center, UC Davis, Graduate Student Affiliate	<i>2023 - Present</i>
Fondazione Rodolfo DeBenedetti, Research Affiliate	<i>2020 - Present</i>
Travel Grant Award, Graduate Studies, UC Davis	<i>2025</i>
Research and Travel Grant, Department of Economics, UC Davis	<i>2023</i>
Non-Resident Tuition Fellowship, UC Davis	<i>2020 - 2023</i>
Provost's Fellowship in the Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences, UC Davis	<i>2020 - 2021</i>

Invited seminars and conference presentations

2026

ASSA Annual Conference (scheduled)

2025

SEA Annual Meeting (scheduled); GMC & UC Alianza MX Summer School on the Economics of Migration (Mexico City); The ROCKWOOL Foundation, Migration Workshop (Copenhagen); 6th EBRD/King's College London/UC3M Workshop on the Economics and Politics of Migration (Madrid); IZA/Leiden University/OECD Workshop on Labor Economics Using Linked Employer-Employee Data (The Hague); Global Migration Center seminar series (UC Davis)

2024

4th CReAM/RWI Workshop on the Economics of Migration (Essen, Germany); Macroeconomic Implications of Migration, 3rd edition North America (Mexico City)

Teaching Assistance

Undergraduate-level

at UC Davis - Dept. of Economics

Fall 2021 - Present

- International public economics (ECN138); International economic relations (ECN162); Public finance (ECN131); Principles of Macroeconomics (ECN1B); Intermediate Microeconomic Theory (ECN100B); Principles of Microeconomics (ECN1A); Economic Development (ECN115B)

Graduate-level

at UC Davis - Graduate School of Management

Spring 2024, 2025

- Big Data Analytics, BAX423 (Prof. P. Loupos)

at Bocconi University - Dept. of Economics

Spring 2020

- Labour and personnel economics, 20152 (Prof. T. Boeri)

Skills

Languages	Italian (native), English (fluent), French (basic)
Statistical Softwares	Stata, SAS, EViews
Programming Languages	Python (numpy, pandas, scikit-learn, matplotlib, pyspark, graphframes, PuLP)
Development Tools	JupyterLab
Other	Neo4j

Work experiences and other activities

Co-organizer of the Applied Micro Graduate Student Talks, UC Davis	<i>April 2023 - Dec 2023</i>
External consultant for the OECD	<i>May 2020 - July 2020</i>
Research coordinator of a project on job classification in EU labor markets	
Junior Economist at Osservatorio sui Conti Pubblici Italiani (OCPI)	<i>Jan 2019 - July 2019</i>
based at the Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore (Milan, Italy)	
Intern at the Permanent Representation of Italy to the EU (Brussels)	<i>May 2016 - July 2016</i>
Nicolaidis group, Political and Security Committee (PSC), and External Relations Department at the EU Council	
Intern at Citigroup (London)	<i>Apr 2014</i>
Citi Quest program in the Investment Banking Division, Financial Institutions Group	