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PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS

Start Date	End Date	Title	Institution
01/08/2022	-	Law and Philosophy Fellow	University of Chicago , Law School
01/10/2020	30/09/2022	Postdoctoral Researcher	University of Genova , Dipartimento di Antichità, Filosofia, Storia
01/10/2018	30/09/2020	Postdoctoral Researcher	University of Eastern Piedmont , Dipartimento di Studi Umanistici
01/04/2018	31/07/2018	Personal Research Grant	University of Genova , Dipartimento di Antichità, Filosofia, Storia
15/09/2017	15/02/2018	Research Fellow	University of Rijeka , Centre for Advanced Studies (South Eastern Europe)
01/08/2015	30/09/2017	Postdoctoral Researcher	Università degli Studi di Milano , Centro di Ricerca Luigi Einaudi, ERC Project REScEU

EDUCATION

Start Date	End Date	Degree	Institution	Final Mark
01/09/2011	22/09/2015	PhD in Political Studies	Università degli Studi di Milano	Excellent
01/09/2009	03/03/2011	M.A in Philosophy	Università San Raffaele	110/110 cum laude
15/07/2005	25/02/2009	B.A. in Philosophy	Università San Raffaele	110/110

VISITING POSITIONS

Start Date	End Date	Position	Institution
15/03/2021	15/01/2022	Visiting Post-Doc (funded)	American University in Paris , Center for Critical Democracy Studies. Prof. Stephen W. Sawyer
01/01/2019	31/03/2019	Visiting Post-Doc (funded)	Goethe University of Frankfurt , Cluster of Excellence 'Normative Orders'. Prof. Rainer Forst
01/03/2018	30/06/2018	Visiting Post-Doc (funded)	University of Amsterdam , Department of Social and Behavioural Sciences. Dr. Enzo Rossi
15/01/2013	25/06/2013	Visiting PhD (funded)	University of Cambridge , Faculty of Philosophy. Prof. Raymond Geuss
01/09/2009	28/02/2010	Erasmus Student (funded)	Albert-Ludwigs Universität Freiburg , Philosophische Fakultät

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

- 2022 Getting Real about Taxes: Offshore tax sheltering and realism's ethic of responsibility (with Arlen G.) **Ethics & International Affairs**. (H-I 46) ([link](#))
- 2021 The Sources of Political Normativity: The case for instrumental and epistemic normativity in political realism (with Destri C.) **Ethical Theory & Moral Practice** (H-I 26, cited by 9) ([link](#))
- 2020 Political Normativity and the Functional Autonomy of Politics, **European Journal of Political Theory** (H-I 29, cited by 20) ([link](#))
- 2019 Cross-national Solidarity and Political Sustainability in the EU after the Crisis (with Ferrera M.), **Journal of Common Market Studies** (H-I 85, cited by 43) ([link](#))

SCIENTIFIC NATIONAL ABILITATION (ASN ITALIA)

09/11/2020 – Abilitato per le funzioni di professore di II fascia di Filosofia politica, SPS/01, SC 14/A1

CONFERENCES

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|------------|---|---|
| 28/11/2022 | Invited, Workshop “Equality and Electoral Democracy”
Sciences Po Paris (FR) | <i>Resilience over Equality - How to justify democracy realistically</i> |
| 04/11/2022 | General Conference “Philosophy, Politics and Economics”, New Orleans (USA) | <i>Moralism as a contemporary pathology of the public sphere (with. Destri C.)</i> |
| 06/10/2022 | Invited, Conference “Varieties of Moralism in Politics”,
Goethe-University Frankfurt, Frankfurt (DE) | <i>Moralism as a Contemporary Pathology of Public Discourse? (with. Destri C.)</i> |
| 13/09/2022 | General Meeting SOLID, European University Institute,
Fiesole (IT) | <i>The Solidarity Deficit of the EU: A missing functional value (with Donati N.)</i> |
| 08/09/2022 | MANCEPT “Realist Democratic Innovations” University
of Manchester (UK) | <i>No Virtue Like Resilience – Machiavelli’s realistic justification of Democracy</i> |
| 16/06/2022 | Invited, Conference “Unpacking the social world: Groups
and Solidarity”, University of Turin (IT) | <i>The function of solidarity and its normative implications</i> |
| 08/06/2022 | ECPR Standing Group European Union, Rome (IT) | <i>The Solidarity Deficit of the EU during the Great Recession</i> |
| 21/04/2022 | Center for Critical Democracy Studies, American
University of Paris, Paris (FR) | <i>Resilient Demos – Machiavelli’s realistic justification of democracy</i> |
| 08/04/2022 | Università Cattolica di Milano, Milano (IT) | <i>I quattro pilastri del realismo</i> |
| 30/03/2022 | ECPR Standing Group on Political Theory Seminar
Series, Online | <i>Resilience as the first realistic virtue of political institutions</i> |
| 02/12/2021 | Invited Lecture, Università di Salerno, Salerno (IT) | <i>La carenza di solidarietà funzionale nell’Unione Europea (with Donati)</i> |
| 22/11/2021 | Invited Seminar, American University of Paris, Paris (FR) | <i>Should the people control public spending? (with Biale)</i> |
| 24/09/2021 | Italian Society of Analytic Philosophy, Noto (IT) | <i>Should the people control public spending? (with Biale)</i> |
| 10/09/2021 | MANCEPT Workshops in Political Theory, University of
Manchester (UK) | <i>The Function of Solidarity and its Normative Implications (with Camboni)</i> |
| 28/05/2021 | Workshop: Cognitive Distortions and Democratic
Failures, Università del Piemonte Orientale, Vercelli (IT) | <i>A Civil War of Information: A Realist Assessment of Fake News</i> |
| 19/05/2021 | ECPR Joint Sessions, Workshop: “Political Normativity:
a Straw Man or a Genuine Problem for Political
Theorizing?”, Online . | <i>The Realist Case for Instrumental and Epistemic Normativity</i> |
| 12/05/2021 | American University of Paris, Center for Critical
Democracy Studies, Paris (FR) | <i>Resilience as the first realistic virtue of political institutions</i> |
| 15/10/2020 | Centre for Social Sciences, Budapest (HU) - Online | <i>Realist legitimacy in Functionalist Key</i> |
| 25/08/2020 | European Consortium for Political Research, Innsbruck (AT) - Online | <i>What is Wrong with Dysfunctional Institutions?</i> |
| 21/11/2019 | Società Italiana di Filosofia Politica, Università Bicocca,
Milano (IT) | <i>The monopoly of power as a crucial political function</i> |

05/09/2019	European Consortium for Political Research, Wroclaw (PL)	<i>The Normative Autonomy of Politics</i>
24/06/2019	Interdisciplinary Perspectives on European Solidarity, University of West of England, Bristol (UK)	<i>Legitimacy through Solidarity in the European Landscape</i>
26/01/2019	Understanding Solidarity, Universität Hamburg, Hamburg (DE)	<i>The Legitimizing Function of Solidarity</i>
22/08/2018	European Consortium for Political Research, Hamburg (DE)	<i>The Legitimizing Function of Solidarity”</i>
06/07/2018	Ruhr Universität, Bochum (DE)	<i>Before Justice: The functional need for legitimacy</i>
15/06/2018	Association for Social and Political Philosophy, Rome (IT)	<i>No Virtue like Legitimacy</i>
11/06/2018	Braga Meeting on Ethics and Political Philosophy, University of Minho, Braga (PT)	<i>Democratic Federalism. An Oxymoron? (with Destri C.)</i>
21/04/2018	Bilkent University Workshop, Ankara (TR)	<i>The Functional Normativity of Politics</i>
01/12/2018	Italian Society of Analytic Philosophy, Genova (IT)	<i>Democratic Federalism. An Oxymoron? (with Destri C.).</i>
9/11/2017	European Consortium for Political Research, University of Oslo, Oslo (NO)	<i>A Theory of Politics</i>
7/11/2017	European Consortium for Political Research, University of Oslo, Oslo (NO)	<i>The Idea of a Social Democracy</i>
28/06/2017	Association for Social and Political Philosophy, University of Sheffield, Sheffield (UK)	<i>A Theory of Order</i>
19/10/2016	Università degli studi di Pavia Seminar, Pavia (IT)	<i>Realismo, Normatività e Irrazionalità Pratica</i>
08/09/2016	MANCEPT Workshops in Political Theory, University of Manchester (UK)	<i>Political Realism and Practical Irrationality</i>
15/01/2016	Braga Colloquium, University of Minho, Braga (PT)	<i>In Defence of Neo-Tribunes: a Liberal Republican Reform (with Destri C.)</i>
08/09/2015	13th Pavia Graduate Conference in Political Philosophy", Università di Pavia, Pavia (IT)	<i>No Rest for the Wicked. What Conflict Is and Why It Is Inevitable</i>
01/09/2015	MANCEPT Workshops in Political Theory, University of Manchester (UK)	<i>Is survival a good reason for action? Realism, liberalism and the value of survival</i>
28/11/2014	International Hobbes Association at American Philosophical Association Eastern Division, Philadelphia (USA)	<i>Thomas Hobbes on Normative Truth</i>
10/09/2014	MANCEPT Workshops in Political Theory, University of Manchester (UK)	<i>Subjectivity is Objective: Thomas Hobbes on Normative Truth</i>
10/04/2014	"Ideals and Reality in Social Ethics", University of South Wales, Newport (UK)	<i>Does Reality Matter for Political Theory?</i>

ORGANISATION OF INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES

30/10/2021	International Conference , Università di Genova (IT)	<i>Public Vices</i> . Invited speakers: Heather Battaly, Emanuela Ceva, Fabienne Peter, Alessandra Tanesini.
10/10/2019	International Conference , Università di Milano (IT)	<i>Political Realism and its critics</i> , Invited speakers: Eva Erman; Jonathan Leader Maynard; Enzo Rossi; Manon Westphal

- 06/09/2019 **Workshop**, European Consortium for Political Research, Wrocław (PL) *Challenges to Liberal Democracies II* (with C. Destri), European Consortium for Political Research (ECPR), Invited speakers: Kay Spiekermann; Ugur Aytac; Brian Millstein; Zsolt Kapelner
- 22/06/2018 **Workshop**, Association for Social and Political Philosophy (ASPP), Rome (IT) *The Priority of Legitimacy over Justice*, , Invited Speakers: Enzo Rossi, Ilaria Cozzaglio.
- 14/04/2016 **International Conference**, Università di Milano (IT) Political Realism. Methods and Principles, Invited speakers: Rob Jubb, Glen Newey, Enzo Rossi
- 01/09/2015 **MANCEPT Workshops** in Political Theory, University of Manchester (UK) The Value of Survival, University of Manchester (UK)

PRIZES AND AWARDS

- 2018 Flavio Baroncelli's Prize for young scholars in moral and political philosophy, Università di Genova (10.000 €)
- 2015 MANCEPT Workshops in Political Theory - Bursary Recipient
- 2014 MANCEPT Workshops in Political Theory - Bursary Recipient

FUNDING

- 2019 Mobility Funds: 1500 €. Research Group: 'The Formation of Normative Orders'
- 2013 Mobility Funds: 4500 €, Graduate School of Social and Political Science
- 2011 Ph.D. Fellowship, Università di Milano
- 2009 Erasmus Funding, European Commission

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- 2022-23 JD Seminar in Political Philosophy (Political Realism), Law School, University of Chicago
- 2021-22 BA course in Moral Philosophy (Introduction to Ethics), American University of Paris.
- 2021-22 PhD Seminar in Ethics and Political Philosophy (Political Realism), University of Genova
- 2018-20 PhD Seminar in Ethics and Political Philosophy (Democratic Theory), University of Eastern Piedmont
- 2018-20 TA - MA course in Political Philosophy (Ethics of Migration), University of Eastern Piedmont
- 2018-20 TA - BA course in Political Philosophy (Theories of Justice), University of Eastern Piedmont
- 2011-15 TA - University of Milan

SUPERVISING AND MENTORING ACTIVITIES

- 2020 Co-authoring an article with a FINO PhD Student *Northwestern Italian Philosophy Consortium* (FINO), Vercelli (IT)
- 2019-20 Organizer and chair of FINO Doctoral Seminars in Political Theory (where 12 PhD students each year present and discuss their research) *Northwestern Italian Philosophy Consortium* (FINO), Vercelli (IT)
- 2017 Organizer and Chair of the PhD Reading Group in Political Philosophy (where 8 PhD students each year discuss assigned readings) Network for the Advancement of Social and Political studies (NASPP), Milano (IT)

PEER REVIEWER

American Political Science Review; Journal of Politics; European Journal of Political Theory; Ethical Theory and Moral Practice; Journal of Social Philosophy; Review of Social Economy; Critical Review of Social and Political Philosophy; Journal of Social Philosophy; European Journal of Political Research;

Philosophy East and West; Constellations; Journal of European Integration; Social Theory and Practice; Ethics and Global Politics; Inquiry; Politeia; Rivista di Estetica, Biblioteca delle Libertà.

PUBLIC DISSEMINATION

Opinion Articles

- 2022 [The King's Dilemma, a game that teaches that in politics there are no easy choices](#), *NASPread*
- 2022 [Europe without solidarity? It's like a dog without a tail](#), *NASPread*
- 2022 [Il valore della solidarietà per un'Unione Europea funzionante](#), Unige.life
- 2021 [A heart pumping no blood: why Italy is in a permanent \(government\) crisis](#), *NASPread*
- 2020 [Introduzione a Ernest Renan](#), Staffetta con la Storia, Fondazione Giangiacomo Feltrinelli.
- 2019 [Essere realisti: istruzioni per l'uso](#), *NASPread*
- 2018 [Re-solidarizing Europe and Defusing the Crisis](#), *Euvisions*
- 2018 [Solidarietà e protezione sociale: la via politica del rilancio europeo](#), *Messaggero Veneto*.
- 2016 [Solidarity, Charity and Stability](#). *Euvisions*
- 2015 [Fraternity: a realistic standpoint for solidarity](#). *OpenDemocracy*.

Public Conferences

- 2018 Art, Power and Propaganda: Lessons from the Roman Empire. *Society of Architects*, Rijeka (HR).
- 2017 Oltre l'utopia: Per una reale integrazione e stabilità europea: *Centro Culturale Zanussi*, Pordenone (IT)
- 2017 La Resilienza nelle istituzioni politiche: *Public Conference*, Ordine degli Psicologi, Treviso (IT).

OTHER PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

- 2019 **Board-Game:** [The King's Dilemma](#), HG, 2019. I was *Lead Writer and Narrative Designer* of this voting game about the responsibility of ruling. The game had a significant impact on the market, being fully translated in 8 languages. Its innovative design is certified by a nomination for the [Kennerspiel Des Jahres 2020](#), the most important award in the field.
- 2017 **Evaluator of Ethical Code of Conduct.** I assessed the ethical code of conduct of ASM Pavia (with Ceva E. & Bocchiola M.), by identifying its shortcoming and highlighting potential paths for improvement. Theoretically, I referred to the state-of-the-art literature in business ethics, and practically I compared ASM Pavia's ethical code with those adopted by similar public companies.
- 2010 **Theatre Play:** ['Pubblico vogliamo parlarti chiaro'](#). I was *Playwright* of this philosophical dialogue about the value of freedom. The play was performed at Teatro Franco Parenti in Milano by professional actors Lombardi, Maglietta and Schilton under the direction of Shammah. The play was commissioned by Corriere della Sera, an important Italian newspaper, in order to launch a weekly series of philosophical essays about freedom of information.

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COMPLETE LIST OF PUBLICATIONS (Cited by 97)

Peer-Reviewed Articles:

- 2022 Getting Real about Taxes: Offshore tax sheltering and realism's ethic of responsibility (with Arlen G.) *Ethics & International Affairs*. (H-I 46). ([open access](#))
- 2021 The Sources of Political Normativity: The case for instrumental and epistemic normativity in political realism (with Destri, C.) *Ethical Theory & Moral Practice*. (H-I 26, cited by 8). ([open access](#))
- 2020 Political Normativity and the Functional Autonomy of Politics. *European Journal of Political Theory*. (H-I 30, cited by 19). ([open access](#))
- 2020 Norms from Nature: Etiological functions as normative standards. *Phenomenology and Mind*, 17, 188-197. (H-I 2, cited by 1). ([open access](#))
- 2019 A Realistic Conception of Politics: Conflict, order and political realism. *Critical Review of International Social and Political Philosophy*. (H-I 19, cited by 9). ([open access](#))
- 2019 Cross-national Solidarity and Political Sustainability in the EU after the Crisis (with Ferrera, M.). In: *Journal of Common Market Studies*, 57(1), 94-110. (H-I 90, cited by 43). ([open access](#))
- 2019 The Good and the Best: Being realistic about social change. *Filozofija i društvo / Philosophy and Society*, 152-157. (H-I 1). ([open access](#))
- 2018 Solidarity, Stability and Enlightened Self-Interest in the EU. In: *Politiche Sociali / Social Policies*, 3, 449-464. (H-I 5, cited by 6). ([open access](#))
- 2018 Subjectivity is Objective: Thomas Hobbes on Normative Truths. In: *Notizie di Politeia*, XXXIV, 129, 98-113. (H-I 5, cited by 3). ([open access](#))
- 2016 Verso una Concezione Realistica della Politica. In: *Biblioteca della Libertà*, LI 216, 2016, 23-47. (Cited by 1). ([open access](#))

Monographs:

- 2020 *Realtà Necessità Conflitto: Il realismo in filosofia politica*. Milano: Carocci.
- 2010 *E fu lo Stato: Hobbes e il dilemma che imprigiona*. Milano: Mimesis.

Chapters:

- 2022 Editorial 'Political Normativity. Critical Essays on the Autonomy of the Political' (with Cozzaglio, I., Destri, C., Favara, G.). *Ethical Theory and Moral Practice*. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s10677-022-10315-7>
- 2022 The Solidarity Deficit of the EU: A missing functional value (with Donati N.). In: *European Solidarity: Interdisciplinary Perspectives*. Eds. Quenivet, N. Tava, F.. ECPR Press.
- 2022 L'etica della necessità – I quattro pilastri del realismo politico. In. Ed. Palano D., Milano: Mimesis.
- 2022 Realismo político. In: *Manual de filosofia política*. Ed. Rosas, J. C. Coimbra: Almedina.
- 2022 Il Moralismo e la Degenerazione del Dibattito Pubblico Contemporaneo. In: *A New Deal*. Eds. (Bistagnino, G., Pasquali, F.)
- 2022 Il valore della solidarietà per un'Unione Europea funzionale, (with Donati, N.). *Rivista Centro Studi Europei*.
- 2021 Una politica che funzioni: Il monopolio del potere come funzione realista della politica. In: *Potere, autorità e libertà*. Ed. Petrucciani S. Milano: Mimesis.

- 2020 The Environmental Crisis and its Injustice (with. Pala, D.). In: 'Ethics of the Environmental Crisis' (eds. Burelli, C., Pala, D.). *Rivista di Estetica*.(cited by 1) ([open access](#))
- 2018 Re-solidarizing Europe and Defusing the Crisis. In: *Responses of European Economic Cultures to Europe's Crisis Politics: The Example of German-Italian Discrepancies*. Eds. Hien, J and Joerges, C. (Florence: Robert Schumann Center EUI), 263-268. ([open access](#))
- 2017 No Rest for the Wicked. Political Realism and the Inevitability of Conflict. In: *LPF Annals 2017*. Eds. Ferrera M., Jessoula M., Magni B., 226-247. ([open access](#))
- 2015 [Lex Facit Veritatem](#). In: *Filosofia, Verità e Politica. Questioni classiche*, Eds. Besussi, A. (Roma. Carocci), 33-46. ([open access](#))

Edited Volumes:

- 2022 Special issue: Political Normativity Critical essays on the autonomy of the political (with Cozzaglio, I., Destri, C., Favara, F.). In: *Ethical Theory and Moral Practice*
- 2020 Special issue: Ethics of the Environmental Crisis (with. Pala, D.). In: *Rivista di Estetica*. ([open access](#))

Reviews:

- 2020 Bartolini: The Political. *Ethical Theory and Moral Practice*. ([open access](#))
- 2019 Ingannare sé stessi per fuorviare il cittadino. (Review Article). In: *Biblioteca della Libertà*, LIV (224), 97-108. ([open access](#))
- 2018 Comments and Responses to Tamar Meisels' "Targeted Killing with Drones? (et Al.). In: *Filozofija i društvo / Philosophy and Society*, 29 (1), 1-152. ([open access](#))
- 2017 Solidarity, Diversity and the Future of Liberal Societies (Review Article). In: *Biblioteca della Libertà*, LII (219), 109-120. ([open access](#))
- 2016 Middelaar: A passage to Europe. *Euvisions*. ([open access](#))

Working Papers:

- 2016 Realistic Solidarity for the Real EU. In: *REScEU Project Working Paper series*, 11, 1-31. (Cited by 3) ([open access](#))