

# Curriculum Vitae

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### Born:

June 26 1969, Cuneo (Italy)

### Education:

PhD (Economics, University College London, 1998)  
Master (Economics, University of Torino, 1994)  
Laurea (Political Science, University of Torino, 1992)

### Present position:

Professor of Public Economics, University of Torino (2006-)  
Associate Editor: *International Tax and Public Finance* (2005-)

### Previous positions:

Head of the graduate course in "Social Policy," University of Torino (2009-2012)  
Board Member, Doctoral School in Economics "Vilfredo Pareto" (2008-2012)  
Associate Professor, Public Economics, University of Torino (2001-2006)  
Head of the undergraduate course in "Government and Administration," University of Torino (2001-2004)  
Board Member, PhD Program in Public Finance, University of Pavia (2002-2006)  
Assistant Professor, Economics, University of Torino (1998-2001)  
Teaching Assistant, Economics, University College London (1996-1998)

### Referee:

Over 30 international journals, including: *American Economic Journal*, *Economic Policy*, *Annals of Regional Science*, *Canadian Journal of Economics*, *Economic Journal*, *Economics and Politics*, *Economics of*

*Education Review, Empirical Economics, European Economic Review, European Journal of Political Economy, Journal of Business and Economic Statistics, Journal of Environmental Economics and Management, Journal of Health Economics, Journal of Public Economics, Journal of Urban Economics, National Tax Journal, Papers in Regional Science, Public Choice, Regional Science and Urban Economics, Scandinavian Journal of Economics, Spatial Economic Analysis.*

**Main research grants awarded:**

- 2012: University of Torino - Compagnia di San Paolo, Progetti di Ricerca di Ateneo 2012 for the project: "Tax limits and the bounds of local democracy" (project leader)
- 2010: IEB, Institut d'Economia de Barcelona, Research Grant on Fiscal Federalism for the project: "Tax mix corners and other kinks" (project leader)
- 2005: Italian Ministry of Education, University and Research, Grant for research of relevant national interest (PRIN, No. 2005131989\_002) for the project: "Program evaluation: methodological and data issues" (project team member)
- 2003: Italian Ministry of Education, University and Research, Grant for research of relevant national interest (PRIN, No. 2003139334\_002) for the project: "Evaluation of labour market policies: methods and applications" (project team member)
- 1999: Italian Ministry of Education, University and Research, Grant for research of relevant national interest (PRIN, No. 9913193479\_004) for the project: "Unemployment and labour mobility in Italy: An EU perspective" (project team member)

**Invited lectures:**

- Guest lecturer at the ERSA (European Regional Science Association) Summer School at Umea University, Sweden, on: "Fiscal Federalism, Mobility and Policy Evaluation," 9-12 July 2012.
- Keynote speaker at the Annual Thematic Meeting of the French Economic Association (AFSE, Association Francaise de Science Economique) on: "Economic Geography and Public Policies," 10-11 May 2012, Saint-Etienne.
- Invited talk on "New directions for empirical research on fiscal competition" at the "International Workshop on Tax Havens and Tax Competition," Bocconi University, Milan, 18-19 June 2007.
- Guest lecturer on "Empirical fiscal competition" at the PhD program in Economics at the University of Trondheim, Norway, June 2004.
- Invited seminars at around 20 Universities including Berlin (WZB), Glasgow (Strathclyde), Innsbruck, Mannheim (ZEW), Milan (Catholic University), Rome (CSEI), Trondheim, Uppsala.

## Main international publications:

### ARTICLES

- 1) Tax mix corners and other kinks, *Journal of Law and Economics* (2013) vol. 56, forthcoming.
- 2) (with E. Di Porto) Tax-limited reaction functions, *Journal of Applied Econometrics* (2013) vol. 28, forthcoming. DOI: 10.1002/jae.1275
- 3) (with L. Bianchini) Green politics: Urban environmental performance and government popularity, *Economics and Politics* (2013) vol. 25, pp. 72-90.
- 4) (with B. Geys) Economic and political foundations of local tax structures: an empirical investigation of the tax mix of Flemish municipalities, *Environment and Planning C: Government and Policy* (2011) vol. 29, pp. 410-427.
- 5) (with M. Ghinamo and P. Panteghini) "FDI determination and corporate tax competition in a volatile world," *International Tax and Public Finance* (2010) vol. 17, pp. 532-555.
- 6) "Spend more, get more? An inquiry into English local government performance," *Oxford Economic Papers* (2010) vol. 62, pp. 185-207.
- 7) "Performance competition in local media markets," *Journal of Public Economics* (2008) vol. 92, pp. 1585-1594.
- 8) "Local media networks and social spending: Evidence from the UK," *Economics Letters* (2007) vol. 96, pp. 144-149.
- 9) (with P. Tovmo) "Revealed yardstick competition: Local government efficiency patterns in Norway," *Journal of Urban Economics* (2007) vol. 62, pp. 121-134.
- 10) "Performance rating and yardstick competition in social service provision," *Journal of Public Economics* (2006) vol. 90, pp. 459-475.
- 11) "On spatial public finance empirics," *International Tax and Public Finance* (2005) vol. 12, pp. 475-492.
- 12) (with M. Bordignon and F. Cerniglia) "Yardstick competition in intergovernmental relationships: theory and empirical predictions," *Economics Letters* (2004) vol. 83, pp. 325-333.
- 13) (with M. Bordignon and F. Cerniglia) "In search of yardstick competition: a spatial analysis of Italian municipality property tax setting," *Journal of Urban Economics* (2003) vol. 54, pp. 199-217.
- 14) (with G. Brosio) "The political economy of regional opting out: distributive implications of a prospective Europe of Regions," *Economics of Governance* (2003) vol. 4, pp. 127-142.

- 15) "Reaction or interaction? Spatial process identification in multi-tiered government structures," Journal of Urban Economics (2003) vol. 53, pp. 29-53.
- 16) "Testing the tax mimicking versus expenditure spillover hypotheses using English data," Applied Economics (2002) vol. 34, pp. 1723-1731.
- 17) "Local taxes, national politics and spatial interactions in English district election results," European Journal of Political Economy (2002) vol. 18, pp. 281-299.
- 18) "Spatial patterns in local taxation: tax mimicking or error mimicking?" Applied Economics (2001) vol. 33, pp. 1101-1107.
- 19) "Local government expenditure with piecewise-linear non-convex budget constraints," Environment and Planning C: Government and Policy (1999) vol. 17, pp. 195-210.

#### **BOOK CHAPTERS**

- 1) "Geografiscal federalism" in: G. Brosio, E. Ahmad (Eds.) Handbook of Fiscal Federalism, second edition, Edward Elgar, forthcoming.
- 2) "Tax incentives for cultural heritage conservation" in: A. Mignosa, I. Rizzo (Eds.) Handbook of Cultural Heritage, Edward Elgar, forthcoming.
- 3) "Spatial interactions among governments" in: G. Brosio, E. Ahmad (Eds.) Handbook of Fiscal Federalism, Edward Elgar, 2006, pp. 106-130.
- 4) (with G. Brosio) "The assignment of the income redistribution policy in the presence of migration," Jahrbuch für Neue Politische Ökonomie, 2003, 22, pp. 149-166.
- 5) (with G. Brosio, M. Locatelli and R. Zanola) "Political and economic constraints to the reform of the general grant system for Italian municipalities" in: G. Farber, N. Otter (Eds.) Reforms of local fiscal equalization in Europe, Speyerer Forschungsberichte 232, 2003, pp. 163-188.