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ACADEMIC CAREER AND INTERESTS

PRESENT ACADEMIC POSITION

2010– **Associate Professor of Sociology** (*tenure*), **Sciences Po**, Paris. Member of the Centre d'études européennes (CEE). Scientific Director of the Biannual Master *Governing the Large Metropolis*.

PAST POSITIONS

- 2009 **Visiting Professor** at **Central European University** – Budapest, Hungary.
- 2008 **Professeur invité** at **Sciences Po Paris**, France (Observatoire Sociologique du Changement).
- 2008 **Professeur invité** at the **INRP** (Institut National de Recherche Pédagogique) – Lyon, Unité Mixte de Recherche Education et Politique France.
- 2006 **Maître de conference invité** at the Ecole des Hautes Etudes en Sciences Sociales – Paris (**EHESS**).
- 2006-10 **Assistant Professor of Sociology** at the Department of Sociology and Social Research, Università degli Studi di Milano-Bicocca.
- 2004 **Visiting researcher** under the direction of Elinor Ostrom at the Workshop in Political Theory and Policy Analysis, **Indiana University** at Bloomington, USA.
- 2003-6 **Postdoctoral Researcher** at the Università degli Studi di Milano-Bicocca.
- 2002-5 **Lecturer** at the Università degli Studi di Milano-Bicocca.
- 2001-2 **Teaching Fellow**, Università degli Studi di Milano-Bicocca.
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EDUCATION

- 2004 Certificate of Achievement awarded for successful participation in the Program for **Advanced Study in Comparative Institutional Analysis and Design** at the Indiana University, USA.
- 2003 Intensive course “*University and Local Development*”, organized by the Journal “Sviluppo Locale” (Local Development) at the Villa Medicea, Artimino (Prato), Italy.
- 2002 **Ph.D. in Sociology, Università degli Studi di Milano.**
- Thesis Title: “*A Pragmatic Approach to Conflict and Norm Production. Three Cases of Conflict over the Allocation of Public Areas Uses*”, under the direction of Ota de Leonardis (Università di Milano-Bicocca) and Costanzo Ranci (Politecnico di Milano).
- 2000-1 **Visiting student of Urban Sociology** at **Sciences Po** (Paris) to take courses and seminars organised by Oliver Borraz, Patrick Le Galès, Marco Oberti, and Edmond Preteceille and at the Ecole des Hautes Etudes en Sciences Sociales – Paris (**EHESS**), to take courses and seminars organised by Luc Boltanski, Robert Boyer, and Robert Castel.
- 2000 Summer School “*Comparative Social Justice Research*”, organised by the European Consortium for Sociological Research at the Department of Sociology, Nuffield College, Oxford, UK.
- 1999 School of Social Research Methodology “*Indicators and G.I.S. for Territorial Analysis*”, Università degli Studi di Milano-Bicocca, Milan, Italy.
- 1999 **M.A. in Political Sciences** (“Laurea in Scienze Politiche”), Università degli Studi di Milano. Dissertation Title: “*Organizing Services, Processes of Sensemaking and Standards of Social Quality*”. Grade: Summa Cum Laude (110/110 + lode).
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CURRENT RESEARCH FIELDS

Spatial Issues:

- Roma and Sinti Segregation
- Organised Crime Presence at the Neighbourhood Level

Collective Action at Urban Level:

- Urban Contention and Social Change or Inertia
- Third Sector Lobbying and Political Influence on Large City Government
- Urban Elites, Governance of De-industrialization in City-Regions and Dynamics of Rent

Local Welfare and Urban Planning:

- Local Policies towards Roma and Sinti Groups
- Forms of Welfare Service Contracting at the Urban Level
- Comparing Governance of Large Metropolis (Paris, Londres, Mexico City, Sao Paulo)

TEACHING

CLASSES AND LECTURES

- 2011- **Conflicts and Urban Change in Large Metropolis** for the Department of Sociology, SciencesPo - Paris:
Biannual Master “Governing the Large Metropolis”, I year, 20 master students, 24 h. lectures, weekly office hours for individual advices, examinations and evaluations, master thesis advising and tutoring.
- 2011- **Dynamics of Contention and Political Innovation in European Cities** for the Department of Sociology, SciencesPo - Paris:
Biannual Master “Stratégies urbaines et territoriales”, double diplome with London School of Economics, II year, 15 master students, 24 h. lectures, weekly office hours for individual advices, examinations and evaluations, master thesis advising and tutoring.
- 2010 **Social Planning** for the Faculty of Sociology, Università degli Studi di Milano – Bicocca:
Biannual Master on Social Planning, II year, 15 master students, 48 h. lectures, weekly office hours for individual advices, examinations and evaluations, master thesis advising and tutoring.
- 2010 **The Spatial Embeddedness of Immigrants** at URBEUR (Urban And Local European Studies) Ph.D. program:
Lectures, seminars, weekly office hours for individual advices.
- 2009–10 **Urban Sociology and Social Theory** at the Doctoral School in International and Comparative Studies in Social Sciences, Università degli Studi di Milano-Bicocca:
Lectures, weekly office hours for individual advices.
- 2009–10 **Urban Politics** for the Faculty of Sociology, Università degli Studi di Milano–Bicocca:
Biannual Master on Social Planning, I year, 100 master students each year, 48 h. lectures, weekly office hours for individual advices, examinations and evaluations, master thesis advising and tutoring.
- 2007–9 **Urban Change in Large Cities** within the annual MSc Program “Political Regulation of Local Development” for the Faculty of Political Science, Università degli Studi di Padova:
25 graduate students each year, 8 h. lectures.
- 2007–9 **Local Development** for the Faculty of Sociology, Università degli Studi di Milano–Bicocca:
60 undergraduate students each year, 48 h. lectures, weekly office hours for individual advices, examinations and evaluations, undergraduate final dissertation advising and tutoring.
- 2007–8 **Urban Sociology** at the Lombardy Regional Institute IRER:
30 students each year, 16 h. lectures, students are Municipal Police Executives.
- 2006 **Community Development** for the Faculty of Medicine, Università degli Studi di Trieste:
25 master students, 16 h. lectures.

- 2005 **Public Opinion Research Methods** for the Faculty of Sociology, Università degli Studi di Milano–Bicocca:
20 master students, 24 h. lectures, weekly office hours for individual advices, examinations and evaluations, master thesis advising and tutoring.
- 2004–8 **Social Service Planning** for the Faculty of Sociology, Università degli Studi di Milano–Bicocca:
90 master students each year, 24 h. lectures, weekly office hours for individual advices, examinations and evaluations, master thesis advising and tutoring.
- 2002–5 **Local Development** for the Faculty of Sociology, Università degli Studi di Milano–Bicocca:
Biannual MSc Program “Local Development and Social Quality”, 20 graduate students each year, 48 h. lectures, weekly office hours for individual advices, examinations and evaluations, master thesis advising and tutoring.
- 2001–2 Teaching Fellow on **Sociology** for the Faculty of Sociology, Università degli Studi di Milano–Bicocca.

ADVISING ACTIVITY AND SUPERVISING FOR DISSERTATION

On Urban Sociology:

Degree Completed: Jérémie Molho (M.A., 2011); Rosella Tambornini (M.A., 2011); Sebastiano Citroni (Ph.D., 2010); Federica Squaiella (B.A., 2010); Gianna Vitali (B.A., 2010); Piera Guarino (B.A. 2010); Stefano Tresoldi (M.A. 2010); Ilaria Forlano (M.A., 2010); Lisa Bagnoli (M.A., 2010); Antonella Lipari (M.A. 2009); Davide Ferrario (M.A. 2009); Stefano Arcagni (M.A. 2008); Livia Brembilla (M.A. 2008); Valentina Gatti (B.A. 2006); Daniela Dondè (M.A. 2006); Giovanni Zorzi (M.A. 2006); Laura Di Martino (M.A. 2006); Valeria Bettin (M.A. 2005); Matteo Faifer (M.A. 2004).

Dissertation not yet discussed: Alessandro Maggioni (M.A.); Silvia Cannonieri (M.A.); Monica Grassi (B.A.); Laura Boschetti (Ph.D.); Raffaele Vacca (Ph.D.); Chiara Manzoni (Ph.D.); Greta Persico (Ph.D.).

On Local Development:

Degree Completed: Gaetana Carminati (M.A., 2010); Edoardo Santoni (B.A., 2010); Cinzia Alessi (B.A. 2009); Mattia Pollastri (B.A. 2008); Sonia Sangiorgio (B. A. 2008); Sara Vian (B.A. 2008); Enrico Claps (M.A. 2006); Roberto Codazzi (M.A. 2006); Enrico Atrigna (M.A. 2006); Francesco Vignarca (M.A. 2004).

Dissertation not yet discussed: Elena Bertolini (M.A.).

On Local Welfare:

Degree Completed: Silvia Baggio (M.A., 2011); Corrado Celata (M.A., 2010); Anna Varisco (M.A., 2010); Barbara dell’Acqua (M.A., 2010); Nadia Vimercati (M.A. 2009); Silvia Andrian (M.A. 2009); Marzia Sesana (M.A. 2008); Eliana Gottardello (B.A. 2008); Deborah Rota (M.A. 2008); Anna Maria Russo (M.A. 2006); Simona Lattuada (M.A. 2006); Rossella Bianchini (M.A. 2006); Monica Montingelli (B.A. 2005); Massimo Gottardi (M.A. 2005); Patrizia Pedrazzini (M.A. 2005); Laura Caminada (M.A. 2005); Delfina Rossi (M.A. 2005).

Dissertation not yet discussed: Elisabetta Bonfanti (M.A.); Enrica Preatoni (M.A.); Francesca Ridolfi (M.A.); Maria Cristina Bosisio (M.A.); Marianella Moroni (M.A.); Adele Casiraghi (M.A.); Tommaso Fumagalli (M.A.); Valentina Comite (M.A.).

RESEARCH

EDITED BOOKS

- 2011 Piccolo Nord. Scelte pubbliche e interessi privati nell’Alto milanese [*Small North. Public Choices and Private Interests in Northern Milanese Area*]. Bruno Mondadori, Milano, 304 p. (with S. Tosi). ISBN: 978-8861595293.
- 2011 Dalla proposta alla protesta, e ritorno. Conflitti locali e innovazione politica [*From Proposal to*

- Protest, and Back Again. Local Contention and Political Innovation]*, Bruno Mondadori, Milano, p. 256 (with N. Podestà). ISBN: 978-88-615-9528-6.
- 2009 Ai margini dello sviluppo urbano. Uno studio su Quarto Oggiano [*On the Fringes of Urban Development. A Study on Quarto Oggiano*], Milano: Bruno Mondadori, p. 192 (with R. Torri). ISBN: 978-88-615-9376-3.
- 2009 Politiche possibili. Abitare le città con i rom e i sinti [*Feasible Policies. Living in the Cities with Roma and Sinti*]. Roma: Carocci, p. 300. ISBN: 978-88-430-5049-9. Reprinted on line in 2010.
- 2008 I rom e l'azione pubblica [*Roma and Public Policies*]. Milano: Teti editore, p. 288 (with G. Bezzecchi e M. Pagani). ISBN: 978-88-7039-0377. Reprinted in 2009.
- 2007 Le convenzioni del lavoro, il lavoro delle convenzioni [*Work Conventions, the Work of the Conventions*], Milano: FrancoAngeli, p. 320 (with V. Borghi). ISBN: 978-88-464-8424-6.
- 2007 In nome di chi? Partecipazione e rappresentanza nelle mobilitazioni locali [*In Whose Name? Participation and Representation in Local Mobilization*], Milano: FrancoAngeli, p. 320. ISBN: 978-88-464-8540-3.

EDITED MONOGRAPHIC ISSUES

- 2010 “La scelta dell’educare per convivere tra sinti e gagé” [*The Choice of Educating for the Life Together between Sinti and Gadjos*], special issue of the Journal “Animazione Sociale. Mensile per gli operatori sociali”, vol. 40, n. 241, pp. 32-75 (with P. Reggio and E. Ripamonti). ISSN: 0392-5870.
- 2006 Le convenzioni del lavoro, il lavoro delle convenzioni [*Work Conventions, the Work of the Conventions*], special issue of the Journal “Sociologia del lavoro”, n. 104 (with V. Borghi). ISSN 0392-5048. *Reprinted in 2007 as a book* with the same title, ISBN: 978-88-464-8424-6.
- 2006 Che cosa è pubblico? [*What is Public?*], special issue of the Italian Journal of Social Policy (La Rivista delle Politiche sociali), vol. 3, n. 2 (with L. Bifulco, V. Borghi e O. de Leonardi, eds). ISSN: 1724-5389.

ARTICLES IN ACADEMIC PEER REVIEWED JOURNALS

- 2011 I sondaggi e il loro uso. Problemi di cecità logica a partire dal caso dei Rom [*Opinion Pools and their Use. Problems of Logical Blindness from the Roma Case*], in Comunicazione Politica (Com Pol), n. 2/2011, pp. 167-95 (with E. Claps and P. Arrigoni). ISSN: 1594-6061. DOI: .
- 2010 “*Regulation by Incentives, Regulation of the Incentives in Urban Policies*”, in Transnational Corporations Review, vol. 2, n. 2, pp. 58-68. ISSN: 1918-6444. DOI: 10.5148/tncr.2010.1044.
- 2009 “*Sociologia dos Conflitos Locais contra os Rom e os Sintos na Itália: pluralidade de contextos e variedade de instrumentos políticos*”, in Revista Cidades. Comunidades e Territórios, n. 19, pp. 65-80. ISSN: 1645-0639.
- 2009 “*Explaining How Political Culture Changes: Catholic activism and the secular left in Italian peace movements*”, in Social Movements Studies, vol. 8, n. 2, pp. 131-47 (with Simone Tosi). ISSN: 1474-2837.
- 2008 “Etnografia degli sgomberi di un insediamento rom a Milano. L’ipotesi di una politica locale eugenetica” [*Ethnography of the Evictions of a Roma Settlement in Milan*], in Mondi migranti. Rivista di studi e ricerche sulle migrazioni internazionali, n. 1/08, pp. 59-74. ISSN: 1972-4888.
- 2008 “La sfida di Partecipazione e Conflitto” [*The Challenge of “Partecipazione e conflitto”*], in Partecipazione e conflitto. Rivista di studi politici e sociali, n. 0/07, pp. 5-14 (with L. Alteri, et al.). ISSN 1972-7623.
- 2007 “*La gauche italienne face au mouvement pour les libertés civiles des sans-papiers*”, in Critique internationale, n. 37, pp. 9-21 (with Bruno Cousin). ISSN 1290-7839.
- 2007 “*Comment on Andrew Abbott*”, in Sociologica. Italian journal of sociology on line, n. 2/07, 8 pp., doi: 10.2383/24753. ISSN: 1971-8853.
- 2006 “Una sociologia politica e morale delle contraddizioni” [*A Political and Moral Sociology of*

- Contradictions]*, in Rassegna Italiana di Sociologia, vol. 46, n. 1, pp. 91-116 (with Luc Boltanski). ISSN: 0486-0349.
- 2006 “*Contracting for Welfare Services in Italy*”, in Journal of Social Policy, vol. 35, n. 3, pp. 495-513, doi: 10.1017/S0047279406009895 (with L. Bifulco).
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RESEARCH ARTICLES IN OTHER ACADEMIC JOURNALS

- 2009 “*Regards croisés. Antitsiganisme et possibilité du vivre ensemble, Roms et gadjés, en Italie*”, in Etudes Tsiganes, n. 35, pp. 80-103 (with Enrico Claps and Paola Arrigoni). ISSN: 0014-2247.
- 2009 “Sociologia dei conflitti locali contro i rom e i sinti in Italia: pluralità di contesti e varietà di Policy Instruments” [*Sociology of Local Conflicts against Roma and Sinti: Multiplicity of Contexts and Variety of Policy Instruments*], in Jura Gentium. Journal of Philosophy of International Law and Global Politics, vol. 9, n. 1. ISSN 1826-8269.
- 2009 “Da sempre perseguitati? Effetti di irreversibilità della credenza nella continuità storica dell’antiziganismo” [*From Time Immemorial Persecuted? Non-Reversibility Effects of the Belief in Historical Continuity of Anti-Gypsyism*], in Zapruder. Rivista di storia della conflittualità sociale, n. 19, pp. 46-61. ISSN: 1124-1276.
- 2008 “Conflitti e panacee. Insegnare lo sviluppo locale” [*Conflicts and Panaceas. Teaching Local Developments*], in Sociologia del lavoro, special issue on Le istituzioni dello sviluppo. Questioni e prospettive a confronto, Vando Borghi and Federico Chicchi (eds), n. 109, pp. 273-89, Milano: FrancoAngeli. ISSN 0392-5048. DOI: 10.1400/114847. Reprinted in 2008 as a book with the same title, ISBN: 9788846498199.
- 2008 “Quale legalità? Rom e gagi a confronto” [*Which Kind of Lawfulness? A Comparison between Roma and Gadjis*], in Aggiornamenti sociali, n. 3/08, pp. 182- 94 (with P. Arrigoni). ISSN 0002-094X.
- 2006 “Convenzioni, economia morale e ricerca sociologica” [*Conventions, Moral Economy and Sociological Research*], in Sociologia del lavoro, special issue on “Le convenzioni del lavoro, il lavoro delle convenzioni”, Vando Borghi and Tommaso Vitale (eds), n. 104, pp. 7-39, Milano: FrancoAngeli. ISSN 0392-5048; DOI: 10.1400/70638 (with Vando Borghi).
- 2005 “Contrattualizzazione sociale” [*Social Contractualization*], in La Rivista delle Politiche Sociali, n. 1/05, pp. 291-323.
- 2003 “Da strutture a processi: servizi, spazi e territori del welfare locale” [*The Shift from Structures to Processes. Services, Spaces and Territories of the Local Welfare*], in Sociologia Urbana e Rurale, volume XXV, n° 72, pp. 95-108. ISSN: 1971-8403; DOI: 10.1400/70351 (with Lavinia Bifulco).
- 2003 “Drogher, territorio e ricerca sociologica: perché un approccio ravvicinato e pragmatico ai mondi delle droghe?” [*Drugs, Territory, and Sociological Research. Why a Pragmatic and Field-Based Approach to the Worlds of Drugs?*], in Sociologia Urbana e Rurale, volume XXV, n° 70, pp. 153-64. ISSN: 1971-8403; DOI: 10.1400/70335 (with Bruno Cousin).
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RESEARCH CHAPTERS IN EDITED BOOKS

- 2011 “*Culture, Values and Social Basis of Northern Italian Centrifugal Regionalism. A Contextual Political Analysis of the Lega Nord*”, in Michel Huysseune (ed.), Contemporary Centrifugal Regionalism: Comparing Flanders and Northern Italy, Brussels, The Royal Flemish Academy of Belgium for Science and the Arts Press (with Roberto Biorcio), pp. 171-99. ISBN: 978-90-6569-084-5.
- 2011 “« *Les Roms ne sont pas encore prêts à se représenter eux-mêmes ! » Asymétries et tensions entre groupes Roms et associations « gadjé » à Milan*”, in M. Berger, D. Cefai, C. Gayet-Viaud (eds), Du civil au politique. Ethnographies du vivre-ensemble, Bruxelles, P.I.E. Peter Lang (with L. Boschetti), pp. 403-29. ISBN: 978-90-5201-747-7.
- 2011 Osservare la questione settentrionale: politica della piccola città [*Observing the Northern Issue: Politics of the Small City*] in Tosi S., Vitale T. (eds), Piccolo Nord. Scelte pubbliche e interessi privati nell’Alto milanese, Bruno Mondadori, Milano, pp. 5-32 (with S. Tosi). ISBN: 978-

8861595293.

- 2011 Struttura sociale e diseguaglianze interne [*Social Structure and Internal Inequalities*] in Tosi S., Vitale T. (eds), Piccolo Nord. Scelte pubbliche e interessi privati nell'Alto Milanese, Bruno Mondadori, Milano, pp. 67-86 (with M. Migliavacca). ISBN: 978-8861595293.
- 2011 Forza e debolezza del governo locale [*Strength and Weakness of Local Government*] in Tosi S., Vitale T. (eds), Piccolo Nord. Scelte pubbliche e interessi privati nell'Alto milanese, Bruno Mondadori, Milano, pp. 227-54 (with S. Tosi). ISBN: 978-8861595293.
- 2011 Appendice. Il disegno della ricerca e le modalità di lavoro [*Appendix. The Research Project and the Way of Doing Research*] in Tosi S., Vitale T. (eds), Piccolo Nord. Scelte pubbliche e interessi privati nell'Alto milanese, Bruno Mondadori, Milano, pp. 265-71 (with S. Tosi). ISBN: 978-8861595293.
- 2011 La partecipazione alle politiche sociali in Lombardia: arene deliberative e processi di coordinamento [*Participation to Social Policy in Lombardy. Deliberative Arenas and Coordination Processes*], in Giuliana Carabelli and Carla Facchini (eds), Il modello lombardo di welfare. Continuità, riassessamenti, prospettive. Milano: FrancoAngeli, pp. 139-58. ISBN: 978-88-5683-405-5.
- 2010 “*Not Always the Same Old Story: Spatial Segregation and Feelings of Dislike against Roma and Sinti in Large Cities and Medium-size Towns in Italy*”, in Michael Stewart, Márton Rövid (eds), Multi-Disciplinary Approaches to Romany Studies, CEU Press, Budapest, pp. 228-53 (with E. Claps). ISBN: 978-963-9776-76-0.
- 2010 “*Building a Shared Interest. Olinda, Milan: Social Innovation between Strategy and Organizational Learning*”, in F. Moulaert, E. Swyngedouw, F. Martinelli, S. González (eds), Can Neighbourhoods Save the City? Community Development and Social Innovation, London, Routledge, pp 81-92. ISBN: 978-0-415-48588-3.
- 2009 “*Politique des évictions. Une approche pragmatique*”, in Cantelli F., Roca i Escoda M., Stavo-Debauge J., Pattaroni L. (eds), Sensibilités pragmatiques. Enquêter sur l'action publique, Bruxelles, P.I.E. Peter Lang, pp. 71-92. ISBN: 978-90-5201-571-2.
- 2009 “Processi di marginalizzazione e meccanismi attivi di cambiamento” [*Marginalization Processes and Active Mechanisms of Change*], in Torri R., Vitale T. (eds), Ai margini dello sviluppo urbano. Uno studio su Quarto Oggiaro, Milano: Bruno Mondadori, pp. 128-149. ISBN: 978-88-615-9376-3.
- 2009 “Indicatori per l'analisi delle ripartizioni interne al quartiere” [*Indicators to Analyse District Internal Division*], in Torri R., Vitale T. (eds), Ai margini dello sviluppo urbano. Uno studio su Quarto Oggiaro, Milano: Bruno Mondadori, pp. 153-160 (with Renato Carletti and Enrico Claps). ISBN: 978-88-615-9376-3.
- 2009 “Invisibilità e disinteresse. Come uscire dalla trappola delle policy community” [*Invisibility and Disinterest. How to Break Out of the Policy Community Trap?*], in Pier Luigi Crosta (ed.), Casi di politiche urbane. La pratica delle pratiche d'uso del territorio, pp. 315-330. Milano: FrancoAngeli, ISBN: 978-88-568-1029-5.
- 2009 “Discorso pubblico e legittimazione dell'innovazione sociale” [*Public Discourse and Legitimization of Social Innovation*], in S. Vicari Haddock, F. Moulaert (eds), Rigenerare la città. Pratiche di innovazione sociale nelle città europee, Bologne, il Mulino, pp. 123-62. ISBN printed edition: 978-88-15-11550-8. Isbn digital edition: 978-88-15-14422-5. DOI: 10.978.8815/144225.
- 2009 “L'impatto istituzionale dell'innovazione sociale” [*The Institutional Impact of Social Innovation*], in S. Vicari Haddock, F. Moulaert (eds), Rigenerare la città. Pratiche di innovazione sociale nelle città europee, Bologne, il Mulino, pp. 163-198. ISBN printed edition: 978-88-15-11550-8. Isbn digital edition: 978-88-15-14422-5. DOI: 10.978.8815/144225.
- 2009 “Comuni (in)differenti: i “nomadi” come “problema pubblico” nelle città italiane” [*(In)Different Municipalities: The “Nomads” as a “Public Problem” in Italian Cities*], in Roberto Cherchi e Gianni Loy (ed.), Rom e sinti in Italia. Tra stereotipi e diritti negati, Ediesse, Roma, pp. 215-42. ISBN: 978-88-230-1365-0.
- 2009 “*Conflictus interruptus ou de la difficulté à innover dans l'univers institutionnel Italien*”, in M.

- Carrel, C. Neveu and J. Ion (eds), *Les intermittences de la démocratie. Formes d'action et visibilités citoyennes dans la ville*, Paris, L'Harmattan, collection Logiques politiques, pp. 175-98, ISBN : 978-2-296-07895-6.
- 2009 "Governare mediante gli sgomberi e la segregazione dei gruppi zigani" [*Governing by Means of Gypsy Groups' Eviction and Segregation*], in S. Palidda (ed.), *Razzismo democratico. La persecuzione degli stranieri in Europa*, Agenzia X, Milano, pp. 179-190, ISBN: 9788895029276.
- 2009 "La programmazione sociale: ovvia ma non per questo scontata" [*Social Planning: Evident But Not Taken for Granted*], in Costa G. (ed.), *La solidarietà frammentata. Le leggi regionali sul welfare a confronto*, Milano, Bruno Mondadori, pp. 49-86, ISBN: 9788861592858.
- 2009 "Ragionare per casi: dinamiche di innovazione nelle politiche locali *con i rom e i sinti*" [*Reasoning as the Case May Be: Dynamics of Innovation in Local Policies with Roma and Sinti*], in T. Vitale (ed.), *Politiche possibili. Abitare le città con i rom e i sinti*. Roma: Carocci, pp. 265-88 (with L. Caruso), ISBN: 9788843050499.
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- 2008–9 “Quarto Oggiaro tra coesione sociale e crescita economica” [*Quarto Oggiaro, between Social*

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PARTICIPATION AT INTERNATIONAL RESEARCHES

- 2011- “*Four Cities. Governance in Large Metrópolis: London, Mexico, Paris, Sao Paulo*”, promoted by CIDE, King’s college, Sciences Po.
- 2010-2 “*BECOM. Choice Beyond (In)Commensurability: Controversies and Public Decision Making on Territorial Sustainable Development*”, funded by Portuguese FCT (PTDC/CS-ECS/099630/2008), host institution: Centro de Estudos Sociais (CES).
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- 2006-7 “*Growing Inequality and Social Innovation: Alternative Knowledge and Practice in Overcoming Social Exclusion in Europe (KATARSIS)*”, financed by the EU Framework Programme - Priority 7, under the direction of Frank Moulaert (University of Newcastle).
- 2006-7 “*Mare Hadriaticum Local Democracy Cross-Border Networks (MA.H.L.DE.NE.T.)*”, PIC Interreg IIIA Italia – Paesi Adriatico Orientali, under the direction of Pier Luigi Crosta, Dipartimento di Pianificazione, IUAV Venezia.
- 2004 “*Analysis and description of the functioning of the health care system with a specific focus on how monetary and non-monetary incentives affect performance in two Eastern European countries (Albania and Serbia/Montenegro)*”, for the World Health Organization - Department of Health Service Provision – OSD, Area Strengthening Health Policies and Systems, under the direction of Mario Roberto Dal Poz.
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- 2000-1 “*Trends of Italian Societal Change During the ‘90s*”, funded by the Observatoire Prospectif des Marchés Européens (Paris), under the direction of Henry Mendras, focusing on long term trends in participation among associations and charities (with Ota de Leonardis).
- 1999–2000 “*Society and Detection: Paths of Re-socialisation and Opportunities for Social Integration for Offenders. Area Socio-Economic Balance (ASEB)*”, funded by the EU – DG XII, Leonardo da Vinci Program – “Regional Vocational Training for Young People in the Penal System” Section, under the direction of Alberto Giasanti.

PAPERS PRESENTED IN INTERNATIONAL SCIENTIFIC CONFERENCES

- 2011 *Planning / conflict. Critical perspectives on contentious urban developments*, invited keynote speaker, International research conference, Technische Universität Berlin, Department of Urban and Regional Planning, Berlin 27-28 October 2011.
- 2011 *The Italian State and the Roma Groups: Two or Three Variables I Know about it*, presented at the SASE Conference “Transformations of Contemporary Capitalism: Actors, Institutions, Processes” (discussants: Desmond King, Wolfgang Streeck), at the Universidad Autónoma de

- Madrid, June 23th-25th.
- 2011 *Roma Criminalisation in Italian Cities. A Comparative-Historical Approach*, presented at the International Workshop “Criminalisation et répression politique en contextes” (discussants: Philippe Gottraux, Isabelle Sommier), organized by the CRAPUL (Centre de Recherche sur l’Action Politique de l’Université de Lausanne) at the Université de Lausanne, May 31st.
- 2011 *Roma Settlements, Contentious Politics and Policy Instruments Choice. A Comparative Approach to Varieties of Urban Conflicts*, presented at the International Conference “Urban conflicts. Ethno-National Divisions, States and Cities”, organized by the Economic and Social Research Council and CinC Network (Conflict in Cities and the Contested State) at the Queen’s University, Belfast, May 19th-21th.
- 2010 *To Welcome and/or to Reject? Criss-Cross Views on Local Policies for « Roma Migrants » in France and Italy*, presented at the European Research Conference “Understanding Homelessness and Housing Exclusion in the new European Context”, organized by FEANTSA’s European Observatory on Homelessness, the European Network for Housing Research Working Group on Welfare Policy, Homelessness and Social Exclusion and the Metropolitan Research Institute in Budapest, Budapest, September 17th (with Olivier Legros).
- 2010 *The Fallaci Moment in the Italian Public Space (2001-2006). Making and Effects of an Islamophobic Dominant Intellectual*, presented within RC5 (Racism, Nationalism and Ethnic Relations) program, session on “Islamophobia Since 9/11”, coordinated by Scott Poynting (Manchester Metropolitan University), at the XVII ISA World Congress of Sociology, Gothenburg, Sweden, July 11th - 17th (with Bruno Cousin).
- 2009 *Local Public Policies Towards Roma People*, presented as plenary speaker at the International Conference “De Roma in Europa” organised by the scholarly network SCRIBANI and by UCSIA at the University College of Antwerp, October 8th.
- 2009 *To Tell or Not to Tell? Relevance and Political Performance of Opinion Pools Research on Roma and Sinti Prejudices*, presented at the International Conference “Extremism and the Roma and Sinti in Europe: Challenges, Risks and Responses” organised by the OSCE Office for Democratic Institutions and Human Rights (ODIHR) and by the University College London at the Department of Anthropology, University College of Lonfon, September 10th-11th (with Enrico Claps and Paola Arrigoni).
- 2009 *After the Industrial. Political Class, Élites and the Governance of Change in the Alto Milanese*, presented at the workshop “Civil Society, Participation and Local Government” organised by the RN32 Political Sociology, discussant Barbara A. Misztal (University of Leicester) at the 9th European Sociological Association Conference “European Society or European Societies?”, Lisbon University, September 2nd-5th (with Simone Tosi).
- 2009 *Varieties of Roma Groups: A Historical – Comparative Analysis of Patterns of Economic Complementarities and Exclusion in Italian Societies*, presented at the workshop “Race, Ethnicity and Immigration” coordinated by David Bartram (University of Leicester) and Maritsa V. Poros (The City College of New York) at the Society for the Advancement of Socio-Economics 21st Annual Meeting “Capitalism in Crisis: What’s Next?”, Sciences-po Paris, July 16th-18th.
- 2009 *Local Policies for Roma and Sinti in Italy. A Comparative Historical Approach*, presented at the Central European University Summer School on “Multi-Disciplinary and Cross-National Approaches to Romany Studies” (invited as fellow), coordinated by Michael Stewart (University College of London), Central European University, Budapest, July 5th – 8th.
- 2009 *Culture, Value and Social Basis of Northern Italian Centrifugal Regionalism*, presented at the International Conference “Contemporary Centrifugal Regionalism: Comparing Flanders and Northern Italy”, The Royal Flemish Academy of Belgium for Science and the Arts, Academy House, Brussels, June 19th – 20th (with Roberto Biorcio).
- 2009 *Multiple Dynamics of Persecution and Cohabitation in Italian cities. A Comparative Analysis to Avoid the Risks of De-Historicisation*, presented at the workshop “Similarity and Difference. A Critical Approach to the Scholarly Study of Roma and Travellers” coordinated by Norma Montesino (Växjö University) at the Stockholm International Conference on the

- Discrimination and Persecution of Roma, Sinti and Travellers, Stockholm University, March 5th-7th.
- 2008 *Contentious Spaces and Politisation of Daily Life*, presented at the Plenary Session of the International Conference “Living Spaces, Spatial Issues: Between Ordinary Investment and Political Mobilization”, co-organized by the RESO (UMR 6590) and the CRAPE (UMR 6051), Université Rennes 2, November 4-6th.
- 2008 *Policies and Politics towards Roma People in Lombardy: Some Kind of Domination...*, presented at the workshop “Globalisation and (De-)/(Re-)Construction of Roma/Gypsy/Traveller Identities” coordinated by Thomas Acton (Greenwich University) at the 38th World Congress of the International Institute of Sociology, Budapest, June 26th – 30th.
- 2008 *The Criminalization of Gypsies: The Italian Case*, presented at the International CRIMPREV Workshop “Criminalization and victimization of immigrants in Europe”, discussant: Hans Jorge Albrecht (Max Planck Institute of Freiburg). Dipartimento di Scienze Antropologiche, Università degli Studi di Genova, March 13th – 15th.
- 2008 *Social Innovation in Mental Health: Public Places as Instruments for Recognition*, presented at the KATARSIS Workshop “Growing Inequality and Social Innovation: Alternative Knowledge and Practice in Overcoming Social Exclusion in Europe”, session “Health and Environment”, discussant: Richard Kimberlee (University of West England). Centro de Estudos Geográficos da Universidade de Lisboa, Faculdade de Letras, Alameda da Universidade, 28 January – 1 February.
- 2007 *The Administrative Treatment of Roma and Sinti Populations in Milan*, presented at the International Conference “Les approches pragmatiques de l'action publique”, organised by CRESPO, by GRAP and by GSPM at the Université Libre de Bruxelles, 14-17 November.
- 2007 *Odi et amo. Political Cultures Changing in Italian Peace Movements*, presentato al Workshop internazionale Religions, Mobilizations, and Political Cultures, presso l’Università degli Studi di Milano-Bicocca, 26-27 gennaio.
- 2005 *Individual Responsibility: A Grammar’s Journey. The Legacy of the Italian Catholic Movement for Peace*. Presented at the workshop “Sociology of Collective Action”, chair Olivier Fillieule (Université de Genève) at the 3rd ECPR Conference - Budapest, September 8th-10th (with Simone Tosi).
- 2005 *Ethnic Conflicts and Institutional Mediation*, presented at the workshop “New Directions in Theory-Driven Research on Ethnic Conflict”, chair Jens Rydgren (Stockholm University) at the 37th World Congress of the International Institute of Sociology “Frontiers of Sociology”, Stockholm, Sweden, July 5th-9th.
- 2004 *Contracting of Social Policy in Local Welfare: A Change in Position of the Recipients?* (with Lavinia Bifulco). Presented at the workshop “Governance and Social Policy”, chair Janet Newman (Milton Keynes, U. K.), at the II ESPAnet Conference "European Social Policy – Meetings the Needs of a New Europe", organised at the University of Oxford, Oxford, U. K., September 9th – 11th.
- 2004 *Contracting of Social Policies and Organisational Change in Local Welfare in Italy* (with Lavinia Bifulco). Presented at the workshop “Organizational Design and Dynamics in the Sphere of Public Affairs”, chair Jean-Claude Thoenig (Paris, France), discussant Corinne Grenier, at the 20° EGOS Colloquium “The Organization as a Set of Dynamic Relationships”, organised by the Ljubljana University, Ljubljana, July 1st – 3rd.
- 2003 *The Shift from Structures to Processes: Case Studies on the Symbolic and Spatial Dimension of the Social Services* (with Lavinia Bifulco). Presented at the workshop “Culture and Social Policy”, chair Wim van Oorschot (Tilburg, the Netherlands), at the Inaugural ESPAnet Conference "Changing European Societies - The Role for Social Policy", organised by the Danish National Institute of Social Research, Copenhagen, November 13th – 15th.
- 2000 *Understanding the Concept of “Activation” at the Local Level: the Cases of Milan and Turin*. Presented at the International Conference "The Activating Welfare States. New Ways of Fighting Poverty and Social Exclusion in Europe", chairs Tapio Salonen (Lund, Sweden),

Stephan Leibfried (Bremen, Germany) and Björn Hvinden (Trondheim, Norway), organised by the Lund University, Sweden, October 27th – 28th.

- 2000 *The Undeserving Mother: Practices and Frames in the Organisational Fields of Social Support.* Presented at the workshop “Gender Inequalities”, chairs Chiara Saraceno (Turin, Italia) and Jane Lewis (Oxford, U.K.) at the ECSR Summer School “The Study of Social Inequality: Theory and Research”, organised by the European Consortium for Sociological Research, September 13th – 14th.

PAPERS PRESENTED IN NATIONAL SCIENTIFIC CONFERENCES AND SEMINARS

- 2012 *Le moment Fallaci de l'espace public italien (2001-2006). Origines, modalités et effets d'un magistère intellectuel islamophobe,* invited speaker, workshop at the EHESS: L'islamophobie en France : enjeux théoriques et méthodologiques, discussants: Abdellali Hajjat and Marwan Mohammed, May 2nd (with Bruno Cousin).
- 2011 Terzo settore e partecipazione dei cittadini: volontariato, rappresentanza, cittadinanza attiva [*Third Sector and Citizen Participation: Voluntary Action, Representation, Active Citizenship*], invited keynote speaker, 4th annual ESPAnet Italia Conference “Innovare il welfare”, Milan, September 29th-October 1st.
- 2011 *Culture as a metropolitan good. Public policies and institutional change,* it will be presented at the workshop “Governo senza confini. Riforme istituzionali e politiche del territorio”, chair: Stefania Profeti, discussant: Andrea Lippi (Università di Firenze), XXV Convegno Sisp, Università di Palermo, September 8th-10th (with G. Visco).
- 2011 *Renouveau de la critique et islamophobie. Le cas italien d'Oriana Fallaci,* Congrès de l'Association Française de Sociologie, RT 27 Sociologie des intellectuels et de l'expertise : savoirs et pouvoirs, discussant: Ioana Popa, Grenoble, September 5th-8th (with Bruno Cousin).
- 2011 *Beyond Tocqueville, but in a World of Political Parties. Is Social Participation a School for (post)Democracy? The Case Of Lombardy,* CEE General Seminar (discussant: Camille Hamidi and Thomas Aguilera), Sciences Po, March 17th.
- 2011 *Urban Stigma? Roma Groups and European Cities in a Multilevel Contention,* Sciences Po FacSem, Sciences Po Paris, February 17th.
- 2011 *Le jeu avec les règles dans le cas des politiques à l'égard des Roms,* within the seminars' cycle organised by L. Boltanski, D. de Blic and C. Lemieux, "Qui (a) fait quoi? Règles, causalité, obéissance", EHESS and Université Paris VIII, January 20th.
- 2010 *Ecoute, legitimation et conflits: le projet urbain en discussion,* invited speaker to conclude the Conference “Conflits et écoute. Interroger la coopération sur le projet urbain”, organised by Picri, GIS and Lavue, Ecole d’Architecture de Paris-Val de Seine, November 26th-27th.
- 2010 *Élites, gouvernement et politiques, le cas de Legnano,* presented at the workshop “Des PME, des villes, des classes moyennes et une ligue : Les transformations d'une grande région urbaine, l'Italie du Nord”, organised by “Cities are back in town” program, Sciences Po Paris, November 17th.
- 2010 *Culture, Value and Social Basis of Northern Italian Centrifugal Regionalism,* presented at the workshop “Etnoregioni in Europa: attori, dinamiche e trasformazioni nella politicizzazione delle identità substatali”, chairs: Carlo Pala e Adriano Cirulli, discussant: Mario Caciagli (Università di Firenze), XXIV Convegno Sisp, Università IUAV di Venezia, September 16th-18th (with R. Biorcio).
- 2010 *On the Margins of Urban Development. A Study about Quarto Oggiaro,* main invited speaker for a Lecture at the Catholic University of Milan, February 17th.
- 2010 *Social Justice Issues in Sociological Research on Socio-Economic, Organizational and Institutional Processes,* main invited speaker for a Lecture at the University of Bologna, discussants: Federico Chicchi, Barbara Giullari, Giorgio Gosetti, and Roberto Rizza, February 10th.
- 2009 *Associationism as a Resource for Democracy. What's about the Connection between Social Participation and Political Participation?,* presented at the workshop “Democrazie e democratizzazione”, chairs: Marco Almagisti e Giovanni Moro, discussant: Daniela Piana (Università di Firenze), XXIII Convegno Sisp, Università Luiss di Roma, September 17th-19th (with

- E. Claps).
- 2009 *Conflits locaux sur les tsiganes : une approche pragmatique pour la sociologie politique de l'action publique*, presented at the Ecole Française de Rome, Roma, April 29th.
- 2009 *Continuous Persecution of Gypsies in Italian Local Societies? De-Historicization and an Historical-Ethnographic Link*, presented at the International Gender Studies Centre (IGS), Queen Elizabeth House, Oxford University, discussant Judith M. Okely (Emeritus Professor in Social Anthropology, University of Hull), Oxford, February 5th.
- 2008 *L'histoire urbaine des groupes tsiganes en Italie*, presented at the Ecole des Hautes Etudes en Sciences Sociales, within the seminar series "Histoire et anthropologie des Tsiganes d'Europe", discussant Henriette Asséo (Centre de Recherches Historiques - CNRS), Paris, Dicember 2nd.
- 2008 *La criminalisation des groupes tsiganes en Italie*, presented at the workshop of the Observatoire Sociologique du Changement (CNRS-Sciences-Po), Paris, November 14th.
- 2008 *Planning and Participation in the Law n. 3/2008 and in its Implementation*, presented at the Conference "Mutamenti sociali e cambiamenti istituzionali: il caso lombardo", Università degli Studi di Milano – Bicocca, October 31th.
- 2008 *La catégorisation entre mise en série et réification. Réflexions sur la sociologie politique de l'action publique à partir du cas des classifications des minorités tsiganes en Italie*, presented at the Journées d'études "Le particulier, le commun, l'universel : La question de la diversité culturelle à l'école", organised by the UMR Education et Politiques - INRP, May 22th - 23th.
- 2008 *Espaces vides ou espaces habités? Une pragmatique des conflits urbains*, presented at the Journée d'études "De l'indécence de l'habiter aux dimensions publiques de la proximité -ou l'habitat et le proche comme problèmes publics", organised by the UMR MODYS - Université Jean Monet, Saint Etienne, February 23rd.
- 2008 *Expérience sensible, émotions et rhétoriques de la perversité dans les conflits urbains : terrains changeants, choix théoriques et tradition méthodologique*, presented at the Conference "Nouvelles approches de la recherche urbaine", organized by Laboratoire de Sociologie Urbaine (LaSUR) at the Ecole Polytechnique Fédérale de Lausanne, February 14th – 15th.
- 2008 *Le traitement différentiel des tsiganes dans les villes du Nord de l'Italie: histoire de longue durée et action située*, presented at the INRP, Lyon, February 13th.
- 2007 *Social Participation at the Urban Level and Local Politics in Lombardy*, presented at the Workshop "Politica e politiche locali", panel "Il ceto politico locale", slot "Contesto istituzionale e partecipazione", XXI convegno SISP, Università degli Studi di Catania, 20-23 September (with Enrico Claps).
- 2007 *In the Midst of Differences, Discriminations and Inequalities: The Tricky Political Participation of Roma and Sinti in Milan*, presented at the Workshop "Politica, differenze e diseguaglianze" della sezione "Politica e differenze, integrazione e conflitti nella società del XXI secolo" organised by AIS-Sociologia politica at the Congresso nazionale dell'Associazione italiana di sociologia, Urbino 13-15 September.
- 2007 *When Public Choice Becomes Effective as a Byproduct*, presented at the Conference "Democrazia locale. Apprendere dall'esperienza", organised by MAHLDENET (MAre Hadriaticum Local DEMocracy Cross-Border NETworks) at the Università di Trieste (Dipartimento di Scienze dell'Uomo), Mars 2nd.
- 2006 *Olinda, o della difficile costruzione di un pubblico*, presented at the conference "Interrogare i processi di "pubblicizzazione" come "prove" di democrazia", organised by MAHLDENET (MAre Hadriaticum Local DEMocracy Cross-Border NETwork) at the IUAV (Istituto Universitario di Architettura di Venezia), October 13th – 14th 2006.
- 2006 *Oriana Fallaci ou le racisme normalisé : modalités et origines d'un magistère public*, presented at the panel "Enjeux idéologique de la production intellectuelle" coordinated by Gisèle Sapiro (Centre de sociologie européenne) at the Association Française de Sociologie II Annual Conference "Dire le monde social - Les sociologues face aux discours politiques, économiques et médiatiques", Bordeaux, September 5th – 8th 2006 (with Bruno Cousin).
- 2006 *Les conflits urbains comme points d'entrée pour étudier l'action publique*, presented at the seminar

“Sociologie urbaine”, discussants Edmond Preteceille, Marco Oberti e Patrick Le Galès, Sciences-Po, Paris, June 1st 2006.

- 2006 *Les tensions entre démocratie participative et démocratie représentative dans les mouvements sociaux urbains*, presented in the panel “Les dispositifs de participation : quelle implication citoyenne et quels effets sur l’engagement ?” at the conference “La citoyenneté urbaine” organized by the Plan Urbanisme Construction Architecture (Ministère de l’Equipement), May 11th 2006.
- 2006 *Peut-on parler d'une matrice eugénique de la légitimité? Histoire et ethnographie du traitement administratif des roms en Italie*, presented within the “Sociologie de la santé et du monde médical” seminar, discussant Nicolas Dodier, EHESS, Paris, May 4th 2006.
- 2006 *Conflits urbains et effectivité de l'action publique à Milan. Les échecs de coordination entre les épreuves*, presented within the Groupe de Sociologie Politique et Morale seminar, discussant Luc Boltanski (EHESS-CNRS), Paris, April 28th 2006.
- 2006 *Les classes moyennes dans l'Italie d'aujourd'hui*, presented at the panel “Les grands enjeux de l'Italie d'aujourd'hui”, chair: Marc Lazar (directeur de l'Ecole doctorale de Sciences Po, directeur du GREPIC) within the Workshop *L'Italia au lendemain des élections législatives des 9 et 10 avril*, organised by CERI (Centre d'Études et de Recherches Internationale), Parigi, April 12th 2006 (with Marco Oberti).
- 2006 *Urban Conflicts. Learning Sites?*, presented at the IUAV (Istituto Universitario di Architettura di Venezia), discussant Pierluigi Crosta, February 27th 2006.
- 2005 *Participation and Representation in Local Mobilization*, presented at the panel “Il rapporto tra la società civile e la politica” at the conference “Metamorfosi della politica” organized by AIS sezione Sociologia politica, Università di Perugia, December 1st –3rd 2005.
- 2005 *Conflictus Interruptus. About Daunting Institutional Innovation. Three Cases of Conflict over the Allocation of Public Areas Uses in Milan*. Presented at the workshop “Movimenti e conflitti urbani nella politica locale”, chairs Lorenzo Mosca (Istituto Universitario Europeo) and Gianni Piazza (Università di Catania) at the SISP (Società Italiana di Scienza Politica) Annual Conference, organised at the Università degli Studi di Cagliari, September 21th–23th.
- 2005 *The Normative Dimension of Coordination Processes: A Critical Introduction to the French School Economics of Conventions*. Presented at the Centro internazionale di documentazione e studi sui problemi del lavoro – Department of Sociology, Università degli Studi di Bologna, January 17th.
- 2004 *From Chicago to Paris: the Limits of the Frame Perspective, from a Moral and Political Sociology Point of View*. Presented at the workshop “La ricerca sui movimenti sociali: problemi teorici e metodologici”, at the SISP (Società Italiana di Scienza Politica) Annual Conference, organised at the Università degli Studi di Padova, September 15th – 17th.
- 2004 *How Do You Build a Shared Interest? Olinda: A Case of Social Innovation between Strategy and Resilience*. Presented at the session “Policy and Policy Outcomes”, chair Amos Sawyer (Bloomington, USA), discussant Elinor Ostrom (Bloomington, USA), at the “Spring Conference”, organised by the Workshop in Political Theory and Policy Analysis – Indiana University, Bloomington, May 1st – 3rd. Published on line on the Social Science Research Network website; granted in the SSRN's Top Ten download list for ERPN: Business & Management (Sub-Topic), ERPN: Governance (Social Innovation) (Sub-Topic) and ERPN: Organizational Strategy (Sub-Topic).

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

TEACHING COORDINATION

- 2010-3 Master *Governing the Large Metropolis* (SciencesPo, Paris). Scientific Coordination (with Patrick Le Galès). Coordination of the Theoretical, Methodological and Professional Training. Relationships with the Partner Universities: Northwestern (Chicago), Columbia (New York), Collegio de Mexico, and CiDE in Mexico, Université de Sao Paolo, Federal University of Rio, University of Cape Town, University of New Delhi, Hitotsubashi in Tokyo and Tongji in Shanghai.

- 2002-5 Master in *Local Development and Social Quality* (Università degli Studi di Milano-Bicocca). Relationships with Invited Fellows from Argentina, Cuba, USA, Germany, United Kingdom, Switzerland and France.

DOCTORAL JURY

- 2010- Member of the Doctorate Board, Ph.D. in Urban and Local European Studies (Università degli Studi di Milano-Bicocca).
- 2008 Ph.D. in Comparative Social Research (Università degli Studi di Torino).
- 2007- Ph.D. in Territorial Planning and Territorial Public Policies (IUAV di Venezia).

INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES ORGANISATION

- 2011 Organising a session and a round table on *Political culture and contention in cities* (with Luca Pattaroni) within the annual ISA Research Committee 21 (Urban and Regional Studies) Conference “The struggle to belong. Dealing with diversity in 21st century urban settings”, Amsterdam (The Netherlands), July 7th-9th.
- 2011 Scientific committee of the International Conference *The « Roma Issue » in Europe Today. Contentious Politics and the Formation of a So-Called “Public Problem”*, organised at the Université de Tours, March 25th-26th.
- 2011 Organising the International Workshop “*The ‘Roma Issue’ at the Local Level: Genesis, Categories and Controversies*”, within the Urba-Rom workshops’ cycle “The labelling process of the ‘Roma/Gypsies’” with the Program “Cities Are Back In Town” from the research priority “Cities and Politics” (Sciences Po Paris), the Centre d’Études Européennes at Sciences Po (CEE), the laboratories CITERES (University François Rabelais of Tours), MIGRINTER (University of Poitiers) and the Laboratoire d’Anthropologie Urbaine (LAU), at Sciences Po Paris, February 11th.
- 2010 Organising a three panels session on *Comparative Research on Urban and Regional Contentious Dynamics* within the Section “Partecipazione e movimenti sociali” (coordinated by Donatella Della Porta and Gianni Piazza) within the SISP (Società Italiana di Scienza Politica) XXIV Annual Congress, organised at the IUAV, Venice, September 16th – 18th (with Noemi Podestà).
- 2010 Organising a session on *Contentious Cities: Diversity, Injustice and the Building of a Fair Urban Environment* (with Luca Pattaroni) within RC21 (Urban and Regional Studies) program at the XVII ISA World Congress of Sociology, Gothenburg, Sweden, July 11th - 17th.
- 2010 Scientific committee of the International Conference “*Activisme politique, luttes syndicales, engagement associatif et économie solidaire : quel présent pour la critique sociale ?*”, co-organized by the CR 27 AISLF, Groupe *Pragma*, GSPM, ABSP, Ecole doctorale de la Communauté Française de Belgique, Université de Liège, June 7th -8th.
- 2010 Scientific committee and Organisational Board of the International Conference “*The legal status of Roma and Sinti in Italy*”, co-organized by the University of Milano-Bicocca and by ASGI (Associazione Studi Giuridici Immigrazione), Università di Milano-Bicocca, June 16th - 18th. The main papers will be published in two books, in Italian and in English, edited by P. Bonetti, A. Simoni and T. Vitale.
- 2010 Scientific committee of the International Conference “*Romani mobilities in Europe: multidisciplinary perspectives*”, organized by the Refugee Studies Centre (RSC) at the University of Oxford, January 14th -15th.
- 2009 Organising a three panels session on *Contentious Dynamics in Local Contexts* (I panel: Contextual political analysis approach; II panel: Comparative research on local contentious dynamics; III panel: Articulation of the policy-politics nexus) within the Section “Democrazie e democratizzazione” (coordinated by Luigi Bobbio and Leonardo Morlino) within the SISP (Società Italiana di Scienza Politica) XXIII Annual Congress, organised at the Luiss University, Rome, September 17th - 19th (with Noemi Podestà).
- 2009 Organising, chairing and discussing a panel on *Governance, Participation and Local Politics*

- within the Session “Political Sociology” (coordinated by Carlo Ruzza, University of Leicester) at the 9th European Sociological Association Conference “European Society or European Societies?”, Lisbon University, September 2nd - 5th.
- 2008 Scientific committee of the International Conference “*Living Spaces, Spatial Issues: Between Ordinary Investment and Political Mobilization*”, co-organized by the RESO (UMR 6590) and the CRAPE (UMR 6051), Université Rennes 2, November 4th -6th.
- 2008 Organising a panel on *Conflitti e democrazia* (with Noemi Podestà) within the Session “Democrazie e democratizzazione” (coordinated by Luigi Bobbio and Leonardo Morlino), and a panel on *Immigrazione e partecipazione* (with Tiziana Caponio) within the Session “Partecipazione e movimenti” (coordinated by Donatella Della Porta and Francesco Raniolo) within the SISP (Società Italiana di Scienza Politica) XXII Annual Congress, organised at the Università degli Studi di Pavia, September 4th – 6th.
- 2007 Organising the International Workshop Religions, Mobilizations, and Political Cultures, by the commission of the Groupe de Sociologie Politique et Morale-Institut Marcel Mauss, EHESS/CNRS, Paris and of the PolisLombardia – Osservatorio su società e politica in Lombardia dell’Università di Milano – Bicocca, Università degli Studi di Milano-Bicocca, January 26th - 27th.
- 2006 Member of the Scientific Committee of the Cortona Colloquium 2006 – Cultural Conflicts, Social Movements and New Rights: A European Challenge, organised by Fondazione Feltrinelli where I coordinated the Plenary Session “*Global Conflict “In Our Backyard”, Between Revolt and Movement*”, October 20th – 22th, Cortona.
- 2006 Organising a panel *Associations, Movements and Participation. Which Are the Conditions for Action to Become Public?*, with two workshops (“Sociability and Politicization” and “Questioning Political Quality”) within the SISP (Società Italiana di Scienza Politica) Annual Congress, organised at the Università degli Studi di Bologna, September 12th – 14th 2006 (with Simone Tosi).

ACADEMIC SEMINARS COORDINATION

- 2008–10 Coordinator of the Study Group on Local Policies for Roma and Sinti in Europe, Dipartimento di Sociologia e ricerca sociale, Università degli Studi di Milano Bicocca. One seminar at month.
- 2003–10 Organising the colloquium series: “*Civil Society, Social Movements and Politics in the Age of Globalization*” by the commission of PolisLombardia – Osservatorio su società e politica in Lombardia, Università di Milano – Bicocca. 6 seminars at year.
- 2004–6 Organising a colloquium series: “*Public Sphere Tracks. Production and Disruption of the Public Sphere through Economic Activity, Policies and Institutional Change*” by the commission of the Centro internazionale di documentazione e studi sui problemi del lavoro - Department of Sociology, Università degli Studi di Bologna, and of Sui Generis – Laboratorio di sociologia dell’azione pubblica, Università di Milano – Bicocca.
- 2003 Organized a colloquium series: “*The Pragmatic Approach in Sociology*” by the commission of the Laboratorio di sociologia dell’azione pubblica “Sui generis”, Università di Milano – Bicocca.
- 2002-3 Organised two colloquium series about “*Urban Social Exclusion and Social Policy*” by the commission of the Laboratorio di Politica sociale, Politecnico di Milano and of the Osservatorio sulla povertà urbana, Università di Milano – Bicocca.

EDITORIAL BOARD

- 2011– Member of the editorial board of the Center of Studies on Politics and Society - Working Paper Series; Publisher: University of Salent (2 volumes already published with ISSN and ISBN).
- 2011– Member of the scientific committee of the Book Series: Transizioni e politiche pubbliche; Publisher: FrancoAngeli (14 volumes already published).
- 2010– Member of the scientific committee (international board, Italy correspondent) of the review

Metropolitiques.eu.

- 2010– Member of the scientific committee of the peer-review Journal *EspacesTemps.net*.
2010– Member of the Editorial Board of *Participations. Revue de sciences sociales sur la démocratie et la citoyennete*. Publisher: De Boeck.
2006– Member of the Editorial Board of *Partecipazione e conflitto. Rivista italiana di studi politici e sociali*; Publisher: FrancoAngeli.
2006– Member of the scientific committee and editorial secretary of the Book Series: Globalizzazione, partecipazione, movimenti; Publisher: FrancoAngeli (8 volumes already published, two other books will be published at the beginning of 2011).
2005– Member of the comité científico of the review *Universitas humanística, revista de cultura, sociedad, literatura, identidad cultural, universidad y ciencias sociales* de la Pontificia Universidad Javeriana (Editor: Leonardo Montenegro Martínez).

INTERNATIONAL RESEARCH PROJECTS EVALUATION

- 2010 Evaluation for the “Programme des chaires de recherche du Canada”.
2010 Evaluation committeee for proposals submitted to the *French National Research Agency* (ANR), "Espace et territoire" call for proposals.

PEER-REVIEW

- 2011- *European Political Science Review,*
Transnational Corporations Review (TNCR),
Autonomie locali e servizi sociali,
2010- *Urban Geography,*
Géocarrefour,
2009- *Urban Studies,*
Social Movements Studies,
EspacesTemps.net,
Métropoles,
Cultures & Conflits,
International Journal of Sociology and Social Policy,
e-Cadernos CES,
Etnografia e ricerca qualitativa.
2008– *Journal of Classical Sociology,*
Sciences Sociales et Santé,
Rivista italiana di Scienza politica,
Polis - Ricerche e studi su società e politica in Italia,
Studi Organizzativi,
VertigO - la revue électronique en sciences de l'environnement.
2007– *Rassegna italiana di Sociologia,*
Raisons Pratiques
2006– *Journal of Social Policy.*
2005–8 Referee for Sociology and Social Sciences book selection for the Publishers *Feltrinelli*.
2005–8 Referee for Sociology and Social Sciences book selection for the Publishers *Pearson-Bruno Mondadori* (promoting the translation of texts by Abbott, Hedstrom, Lagrange&Oberti, Lascoumes&Le Galès, Ostrom, Sassen, Sewell, Tarrow&Tilly, Tilly; Vignolo).

ITALIAN ADAPTATION OF FOREIGN BOOKS

- 2011 Boltanski L., Chiapello E., *Il nuovo spirito del capitalismo*, Feltrinelli, Milano.
2009 Lascoumes P., Le Galès P., *Gli strumenti per governare*, Bruno Mondadori, Milano.
2008 Tarrow S., Tilly C., *La politica del conflitto*, Bruno Mondadori, Milano.

- 2007 Boltanski L., *La condizione fetale: una sociologia della generazione e dell'aborto*, Feltrinelli, Milano.
- 2006 Lagrange H., Oberti M., *La rivolta delle periferie. Precarietà urbana e protesta giovanile: il caso francese*, Bruno Mondadori, Milano.

MEMBERSHIP IN RESEARCH GROUPS AND PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

- 2011– Member of the *Network of academic experts on Romani studies*, Council of Europe and European Commission - Directorate General for Education and Culture.
- 2010– Member of the *Centre d'études européennes*, SciencesPo, Paris.
- 2010– Member of the International Sociological Association – Thematic Group 02: *Historical and Comparative Sociology*.
- 2010– Member of “*Cities are back in town*”, Programme Villes et Territoires, Sciences Po, Paris.
- 2009– Member of the Society for the Advancement of Socio-Economics (SASE) - Research Network: *Race, Ethnicity, and Immigration*.
- 2009– *Founding member* of the scholarly *European network Urba-Rom*, 76 scholars in 13 Countries, of the linked *Observatory of Policies towards Roma/Gypsies in European Cities* and of its e-resources centre: <http://urbarom.crevilles.org>.
- 2007– Member of the Società italiana di scienza politica (*Italian Political Science Society*), standing group: Movimenti sociali e partecipazione politica (*Social Movements and Political Participation*).
- 2004– Member of the *Workshop in Political Theory and Policy Analysis Affiliated Faculty* (Indiana University, USA).
- 2004– Associate Member of the *Groupe de Sociologie Politique et Morale*, EHESS/CNRS, Paris.
- 2003– Member of the *PolisLombardia Centre – Observatory on Society and Politics in Lombardy*, Department of Sociology, Università degli Studi di Milano – Bicocca.
- 2001– Member of the International Sociological Association – Research Committee 21: *Urban and Regional Development*.
- 2001– Member of the Associazione italiana di sociologia (Italian Sociological Association) – sections: *Sociology of Territory and Environment; Political Sociology; Economy, Work, Organization*.
- 2003–10 Member of the Workshop *Sui Generis – Centre of Sociology of Public Action*, Department of Sociology, Università degli Studi di Milano – Bicocca.
- 2001–3 Member of the Recherche et Régulation Association.
- 1999– Member of the Osservatorio sulla povertà urbana (*Observatory on Urban Poverty*), Department of Sociology, Università degli Studi di Milano-Bicocca and the Bignaschi Foundation.

ADVICE AND CONSULTANCY AS URBAN SOCIOLOGIST

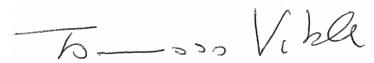
- 2011– Member of the *Network of academic experts on Romani studies*, Council of Europe and European Commission - Directorate General for Education and Culture.
- 2011– Municipality of Bologne (for Social Policies towards Roma and Migrants).
- 2010– CEDEFOP (for community benefits of vocational education for Roma and Traveller Groups).
- 2010– Municipality of Pavia (for Sinti Housing Planning).
- 2009– OECD-ODIHR (Office for Democratic Institutions and Human Rights).
- 2008– European Roma Rights Center (Budapest).
- 2010 ISPI (for Roma Immigration in European Cities).
- 2007–10 Tavolo Rom (NGOs Coordination on Roma and Sinti Issues in Milan).
- 2006–10 Forum of the Third Sector in Lombardy.

- 2008 Fondazione Cariplo (for writing the call for bids on Neighbourhood Social Cohesion).
2000-8 Several Municipalities, Unions and NGOs on Spatial Segregation and on Social Exclusion.

LANGUAGES

English	Proficient.
French	Good.
Italian	Mother language.

Paris, August 28th 2011.

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