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PERSONAL
INFORMATION

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RESEARCH INTERESTS Health Economics, Programme Evaluation, Micro-econometrics, Public Health.

CURRENT POSITION **Research Fellow in Health Economics**
 Project: “Institutional Family Demography (IFAMID)”
 September 2019- : Carlo F. Dondena Centre for Research on Social Dynamics,
 Bocconi University, Italy
 Advisor: Arnstein Aassve.

OTHER AFFILIATIONS **Honorary Lecturer at the University of East Anglia**
 August 2015- present: University of East Anglia , Norwich Medical School

 Honorary Fellow at the London School of Hygiene and Topical Medicine
 August 2017- present: London School of Hygiene and Topical Medicine

EDUCATION 2006 - 2010: **Ph.D. in Economics & Management**, University of Padua,
 Department of Economics & Management, (Awarding date: 01/04/2010)

 2003 - 2005: **MSc. in Statistics for Economics, Business and Finance**,
 University of Padua

 2000 - 2003: **B. A. in Statistics, Economics and Finance**, University of
 Padua

TEACHING

- 2020 Lecturer in “Econometrics” , **Ph.D. in Public Policy and Administration**, Bocconi University, Second Quarter (scheduled).
- 2019 Lecturer in “Population, Dynamics and Economics”, M.Sc., Bocconi University, Third Quarter.
- Lecturer in “Econometrics” , **Ph.D. in Public Policy and Administration**, Bocconi University, Third Quarter.
- Lecturer in “Advance Research Methods” , **Ph.D. in Public Policy and Administration**, Bocconi University, Fourth Quarter.
- Guest Lecturer in “The Determinants of Mental Health” (one day Course), **Global Health** (Ph.D.), Bocconi University, March, 12.
- Guest Lecturer in “Cultural Determinants of Health” (one day Course), **Health and Society** (B.A.), Bocconi University, March, 14.
- 2018 Guest Lecturer in “The Effect of Culture and Institutions on Health” (one day Course), **Sociology** (B.A.) Bocconi University, September, 25.
- Guest Lecturer in “The Effect of Institution on Health” (one day Course), **Institutions** (B.A.), Bocconi University, April, 19.
- Guest Lecturer in “Health System Privatization” (one day Course), **Health and Society** (B.A.), Bocconi University, April, 12.
- Guest Lecturer in “Cultural Determinants of Health” (one day Course), **Health and Society** (B.A.), Bocconi University, March, 14.
- 2017 Guest Lecturer in “The Effect of Culture on Health” (one day Course), **Sociology** (B.A.), Bocconi University, September, 26.
- Lecturer in “Social Epidemiology” (one day Course), London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, March, 8.
- Lecturer in “Intermediate Quantitative Methods”, **Sociology** (M.Sc.), University of Oxford, Hilary Term.
- 2016 Tutorials in “Comparative Health Policy” (Undergraduate), Hertford College, University of Oxford, Michaelmas Term.
- Guest Lecturer in “Empirical Approach: Data and Methods” for the Probationary Research Students (PRS), **Sociology** (DPhil), University of Oxford, Hilary Term.
- 2013-14 : Organizer of the seminar class section of “Quantitative Methods”, **Health Economics Group**, University of East Anglia.
- 2012 Teaching assistance for the course “Political Economy”, **Economics** (B.A.), “Ca’ Foscari” University of Venice.
- 2009 Teaching assistance for the course “Topics in Labour”, **Statistics** (M.Sc.) University of Padua.

MASTER
DISSERTATION
SUPERVISION

2016: M.Sc. in Sociology: Michael Miller “The Origins of Modern Health Coverage: An Empirical Investigation of Cross-National Health Disparities” (Final mark: Distinction), currently MD Candidate, Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai.

2017: M.Sc. in Sociology: H. Lukas R. Arndt (University of Oxford) “Who are the Rich? Varieties of Affluence and Political Attitudes in Germany” (Thesis Final Mark: 75 - Outstanding), currently Ph.D. student in Sociology at Max Plank Institute, Cologne, Germany.

SUPERVISION

2016 -: Supervision of several research assistants and undergraduate dissertations.

PUBLICATIONS IN

REFEREED JOURNALS * = indicates a graduate student, ‡ = denotes first or corresponding author

15 **Toffolutti V.‡**, Stuckler D., and McKee M. “*Is the COVID-19 Pandemic turning into a European Food Crisis?*” **European Journal of Public Health**(forthcoming).

14 Balbo N., Carapella P. and **Toffolutti V.‡**, “*Trends in the use of mind-altering drugs among European adolescents during the Great Recession*” **Health Policy**, 2020, Volume 124 (5), Pages 568–574.

13 Ronchetti C.*, **Toffolutti V.‡**, McKee M., and Stuckler D., “*The Quantification of the Psychiatric Revolution: A Quasi-Natural Experiment of the Suicide Impact of the Basaglia Law* ” **European Journal of Public Health**, 2020, Volume 30(3), Pages 521–525.

Selected as ‘Editor’s choice’.

12 **Toffolutti V. ‡** and Nunziata L., “*‘Thou Shalt Not Smoke’: Religion, Smoking and the German Separation Experiment*” **Social Science & Medicine, Population Health**, 2019, Volume 8, August, 100412 .

11 **Toffolutti V. ‡**, Stuckler D. “*Greater Openness is Associated with Lower Mortality rates among 137 Acute English NHS Trusts*” **Health Affairs**, 2019, Volume 50 (38).

Media Coverage: MedicalResearch.com, The Medical News, The Medical Health News, Bioportfolio.

Top 5% altimetric.

10 **Toffolutti V. ‡**, Suhrcke M., “*Does austerity really kill?*” **Economics & Human Biology** , 2019, Volume 33, Pages 211-223 .

Media Coverage: Population Europe, viaSarfatti.

9 **Toffolutti V. ‡**, McKee M., Melegaro A., Ricciardi W. and Stuckler D., “*Austerity, measles and mandatory vaccination: cross-regional analysis of vaccination in Italy 2000-2014*” **European Journal of Public Health**, 2018, Volume 29, n. 1, Pages 270-287.

Media Coverage: Repubblica, ADN Kronos, Il Fatto Quotidiano, MedicalResearch.com, GR1, Vox.

- 8 Miller M.*, **Toffolutti V.**[‡], and Reeves A., “*The enduring influence of institutions on universal health coverage: An empirical investigation of 62 former colonies*” **World Development**, 2018, Volume 111, November 2018, Pages 270-287.
- 7 Malmusi D., Muntaner C., Borrell C., ... , **Toffolutti V.**..., “*Social and Economic Policies Matter for Health Equity: Conclusions of the SOPHIE Project*”, **International Journal of Health Services**, 2018, Jan 1:20731418779954.
- 6 **Toffolutti V.**[‡], McKee M. and Stuckler D., “*Evidence Points To “Gaming” At Hospitals Subject To National Health Service Cleanliness Inspections*” **Health Affairs**, 2017, Volume 36, n.30, Pages 355-361.

Media Coverage: Daily Mail, Jack FM

- 5 **Toffolutti V.**[‡], Reeves A., McKee M. and Stuckler D., “*Outsourcing cleaning services increases MRSA incidence: Evidence from 126 English Acute Trusts*” **Social Science & Medicine**, 2017, Volume 174, Pages 64-69.

Media Coverage: HealthCanal - Health News, BBC Radio Oxford, France 2, Oxford Times, Medical Xpress, Medical News Today: Health News, OpenDemocracy.

Top 1% altimetric in 2017.

- 4 Mazzucco S., Meggiolaro S., Ongaro F. and **Toffolutti V.** “*Living Arrangements and Cognitive Decline among the Elderly in Europe*”, **Ageing & Society**, 2017, July, Pages 1111-1133 .
- 3 Bartoll-Roca X., **Toffolutti V.**, Malmusi D., Palència L., Borrell C. and Suhrcke M. “*Health and health behaviours before and during the Great Recession, overall and by socioeconomic status, using data from four repeated cross-sectional health surveys in Spain (2001 – 2012)*”, **BMC Public Health**, 2015, Volume 1:865 .
- 2 De Goeij M.C.M., Suhrcke M., **Toffolutti V.**, van de Mheen D., Schoenmakers T. M. and Kunst A. E. “*How economic crises affect alcohol consumption and alcohol-related health problems: a realist systematic review*”, **Social Science & Medicine**, 2015, Volume 131 (C), Pages 131-146 .
- 1 **Toffolutti V.**[‡], Suhrcke M., “*Assessing the short term health impact of the Great Recession in the European Union: a cross-country panel analysis*”, **Preventive Medicine**, 2014, Volume 64, Pages 54-62.

OTHER WRITINGS

- 1 McKee M., Ricciardi W., Siciliani L., Rechel B., **Toffolutti V.**, Stuckler D., Melegaro A. and Semenza J. C. “*Increasing Vaccine Uptake: Confronting Misinformation and Disinformation*”, **Eurohealth**, 2018, Volume 24, n. 3.

BOOKS

- 1 Malmusi D., Borell C., Suhrcke M., **Toffolutti V.**, and SOPHIE investigators **Social and economic policies matter for health equity. Conclusions of the SOPHIE project**, 2015, Addenda.

PAPERS SUBMITTED

- OR TO BE SUBMITTED **Toffolutti V.**[‡], Paglino E. *, Kentikelenis A., Mencarini L., and Aassve A. “*Corruption Kills. The Association between Maternal Mortality and Corruption: Evidence from 23 Sub-Saharan African Countries*” (Under Review at **BMJ Open**).
- Menichelli G.*, Berlot E.*, Hai Ma D.*, **Toffolutti V.**[‡], Mencarini L., and Aassve A., “*Does the Internet Increase the Uptake of Modern Contraception? Evidence from Eight Sub-Saharan African Countries* ” (Revision Requested at **The BMJ Global Health**).
- Toffolutti V.**[‡], Stuckler D., McKee M., Wolsey I., Chapman J. E., Pimm T. J., Ryder J., Salt H. and Clark M. D. “*The Economic and Mental Health Impact of Integrated Improving Access to Psychological Therapies (IAPT) services: A Stepped Wedge Implementation Study in Three English Regions*” (Revision Requested at **Journal of Health Services Research & Policy**).
- Toffolutti V.**[‡], Morciano M. and Suhrcke M. “*The Impact of Macroeconomic Fluctuations on Health in Europe: Same Data, Different Methods, Different Results?*” (In preparation for **Health Economics**).
- Zarulli V., **Toffolutti V.**, Sopina E., and Lenart A. “*Comparing the performance of health systems in improving life expectancy* ” (Under Review at **Health Policy**).

SELECTED WORKS IN PROGRESS

- Aassve A., Kentikelenis A., Le Moglie M., Paglino E. *, **Toffolutti V.**[‡], “*Chinese Aid to Africa: A Curse or a Blessing? Evidence on Sub-Saharan African Female Employment*”.
- Aassve A., Coxhead I., **Toffolutti V.**, Tuan Vuong N. D., “*Are the Kids Alright? The Impact of Parental Migration on Education of Left-Behind Children and Adolescents: Evidence from Vietnam*’.
- Aassve A., Cavalli N., Scotti B., Mattioli , **Toffolutti V.**, “*Fiscal Shocks and Mortality: Evidence from the Italian Municipalities*”.
- Manna A. *, Melegaro A., **Toffolutti V.**[‡], “*‘In Gov We Trust!’ The Impact of the Compulsory Vaccination Law on Vaccine Hesitancy: Evidence From Italy*”.
- Lima J.M., **Toffolutti V.** and Galea S., “*Government Monopolies, Alcohol Industry Concentration and Alcohol Control Policy Walk into a Bar - Implications*

for Global Inequalities in Alcohol Consumption ” (In preparation for **Social Science & Medicine**).

CONFERENCES AND SEMINARS

- 2021 Cergy Paris University, Webinar Gender Family Economics (invited, scheduled for February).
- 2020 Population Association of America, European Consortium for Sociological Research, European Population Conference (Cancelled due to COVID-19).
- 2019 European Public Health Association, November, 20–23.
Social Medicine & Population Health , September 4–6.
Population Association of America, April 10–13.
Popdays, Milan, January 24–26.
- 2018 European Public Health Association, Ljubljana, November 28-December 1.
European Consortium for Sociological Research, Paris, October, 29-31.
Population Association of America, Denver, April, 26-28.
- 2017 Royal College of Nursing West Midlands Quality Improvement Network (RCN QIN), Birmingham, December, 7 (invited as keynote speaker).
UNISON health conference, Liverpool, April, 25 (invited).
- 2016 European Public Health Association, Vienna, November, 10-12.
European Health Forum, Gastein, September, 28-30 (invited as keynote speaker).
- 2015 4th SOLE EALE meeting Conference, Montreal, June, 26-28.
- 2014 European Association of Labour Economist (EALE) Conference, University of Ljubljana, September, 18 -20.
International Association for Applied Econometrics (IAAE 2014), Queen Mary University of London, June, 26-28.
University of East Anglia, ECO internal seminar, February, 11.
- 2013 9th World Congress on Health Economics: Celebrating Health Economics (iHEA), Sydney, July, 6-11.
University of East Anglia, HEG seminar series, June, 25.
- 2012 Munich Center for Economics of Aging (MEA), Munich, February, 7 (invited).
University of East Anglia, Norwich, January, 30 (invited).

- RES, Phd. Presentation Meeting, Queen Mary University of London, January, 21-22.
- 2011 Centre for European Economic Research (ZEW), Mannheim, October, 31 (invited).
- European Association of Labour Economist (EALE) Conference, Cyprus, September, 22-24.
- XXVI National Conference of Labour Economics (AIEL), Milan, September, 15-16.
- Spring Meeting of Young Economist (SMYE), Groningen, April, 14-16.
- 2010 Brucchi Luchino IX Conference, Padua, December, 16-17. Association of Southern European Economic Theorists (ASSET) Conference, Alicante, October 29-30.
- 12th IZA/CEPR European Summer Symposium in Labour Economics (ESSLE), Buch/Ammersee, September, 1-5.
- European Society for Population Economics (ESPE) Conference, Essen, June, 9-12.
- 2009 University of Padua.
- 2008 Joint Empirical Social Science (JESS) Seminar, Institute of Social Economic Research (ISER), University of Essex.
- 2007 University of Padua.

REFEREING ACTIVITY

Advances in Life Course Research, Applied Health Economics, BMC Medicine, BMJ Quality and Safety, BMJ Open, Clinical Therapeutics, Demography, Economics & Human Biology, HEG working paper series, International Journal of Epidemiology, Plos Medicine, Plos One, Public Health, Scandinavian Journal of Public Health, Social Science and Medicine, The Lancet.

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE AND OTHER EMPLOYMENT

- August 2015 - September 2019 Postdoc in Health Economics, (August 2015- March 2017: University of Oxford , Department of Sociology April 2017- September 2019 Carlo F. Dondena Centre for Research on Social Dynamics, Bocconi University, Milan, Italy (Advisor: David Stuckler).
- September 2012 - July 2015 Research Associate in Public Health, Norwich Medical School, University of East Anglia, the UK (Advisor: Marc Suhrcke).
- March 2010 - August 2012 Postdoctoral Research Fellow, University of Padua, Italy.
- January 2009 - August 2009 Research Officer, University of Venice “Ca’ Foscari”.
- December 2005 Research assistance on a project on Italian Labour Market.

SCHOLARSHIPS & GRANTS

- 2020- present Italian National Scientific Qualification (ASN) for Associate Professor in Demography and Social Statistics.
- 2019 - present Italian National Scientific Qualification (ASN) for Associate Professor in Public Economics.
- 2018 Outstanding Contribution in Reviewing Award - Social Science & Medicine, Excellent Reviewer Award - Clinical Therapeutics.
- 2011 SMYE Conference Scholarship (250 euro+ Conference Fee).
- 2010 ESPE Conference Fee Waiver.
- 21 April - 25 May, 2007 ECASS Fellowship at ISER (University of Essex)
Project: “*Law and Employment: Evaluation of 1999 Unfair Dismissal Reform - Variation of Probationary Period*”.
- 29 May - 18 July, 2007 ECASS Fellowship at ISER (University of Essex) (£ 1,600 and Accommodation)
Project: “*Do Temporary Contracts affect Motherhood? An Semi-Parametric Analysis on ECHP Data*”.
- January 2006 - December 2009 Italian Government Scholarship for postgraduate studies, University of Padua.

PARTICIPATION IN RESEARCH PROJECTS

- 2012-2015 European Commission, 7th Framework Programme: “Evaluating the Impact of Structural Policies on Health Inequalities and their Social Determinants, and Fostering Change (SOPHIE)-Macroeconomic Policies” (Local Unit P.I. Marc Suhrcke, Role: UEA Named Researcher, UEA cut £260,615).
- 2010-2012 PRIN-MIUR: “Risk, Ideas and Institution: Evidence from an Economic Study on the Self-Employment Determinants” (P.I. Luca Nunziata, Role: Named Researcher, Euro 28,000) .

OTHER PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

- Co-organizer** of the HEG lunch workshop seminar series in “Quantitative Methods” for 2013-2014, University of East Anglia.
- Assessor** for M.Sc. Dissertation for the Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences, 2015, University of East Anglia.
- Assessor** for M.Sc. Dissertation for the Department of Sociology, 2016, University of Oxford.
- Member** Search committee for post-doctoral researchers Bocconi, 2017 (2 positions), 2018 (1 position).
- Member** Search committee for research assistant position Bocconi, 2017 (2 positions), 2018 (4 positions).
- Project Manger for IFAMID Project** PI: Arnstein Aassve, Responsible for organizing project meeting and supervising several Research Assistants, since

2019.

Organizer of the Dondena lunch seminar series, Bocconi University, 2020.

OTHER INFORMATION

Computer skills: Operating Systems: Mac OS X, Windows XP.

Data Elaboration Software: Matlab (basic), Stata (advanced), R, S-Plus, SPSS, Sas (basic), Python (basic), E-Views.

Database Programming Software: Access, SQL.

Programming Software: Pascal, Cobol, C++.

Others: $\text{\LaTeX}$.

Language skills: Italian (fluent), English (fluent).

REFERENCES

Available Upon Request

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