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Experience

- Doctoral student DFG RTG 2720 Digital Platform Ecosystems** April 2024 – Present
University of Passau, Chair of Development Economics (Prof. Dr. Michael Grimm) Passau, Germany
- Empirical research on development economics with a focus on digital platform.
- (Junior) Research Manager** April 2023 – July 2024
Center for Evaluation and Development (C4ED) Mannheim, Germany
- Project management, surveys programming, data cleaning and analysis, planning, training and monitoring of data collection activities on the field, report writing, proposal writing.
- Quantitative Research Student Assistant** Sep 2022 – Mar 2023
Chair of Econometrics at the University of Mannheim Mannheim, Germany
- Supporting with programming, reporting, literature reviews, and preparation of presentations for meetings.
- Quantitative Research Student Assistant** Sep 2022 – Mar 2023
Center for Evaluation and Development (C4ED) Mannheim, Germany
- Literature review, report writing, preparing presentations for meetings or workshop.
- Mentor for freshmen year students** Sep 2019 – June 2020
University of Rome Tor Vergata Rome, Italy
- Preparing and holding meetings to mentor students.

Education

- University of Passau** April 2024 – Present
PhD in Economics Passau, Germany
- University of Mannheim** Sep 2020 – Mar 2023
M.Sc. in Economics Mannheim, Germany
- University of Rome Tor Vergata** Sep 2017 – Jul 2020
B.Sc. Business Administration & Economics (Economics curriculum) Rome, Italy

Additional Training

- Protecting Human Research Participants Online Training SBE** 2023
PHRP Online Training, Inc.
- SurveyCTO Onboarding** 2023
Survey CTO (online)
- BSAFE** 2023
United Nation Department of Safety and Security (online)

Skills

Programming: Stata (advanced), R (good), Python (beginner), Matlab (beginner)

Survey Programming: Survey CTO (advanced), ODK (beginner)

Word Processing software: LaTeX/Overleaf (advanced)

Literature Review software: EPPI Reviewer, EPPI Mapper (very good)

MS Office: Word, PowerPoint (advanced), Excel (intermediate)

Languages

Italian (native), English (advanced), German (intermediate), Spanish (basic), Kiswahili (basic)

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