

Curriculum Vitae

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Nationality

Italian

Date of birth

1965

Gender

Male

Work experience

Dates	01/10/2006 – today
Occupation or position held	Full Professor of Economics (Professore Ordinario di Economia Politica)
Main activities and responsibilities	Head of the Evaluation Committee of the University (2009-2015) Member of the Evaluation Committee (2006-2009) 2006-2008: Chairman of MA degree in Law <u>Courses:</u> "Economics of regulation and law" (40 hours) "Economics" for law students (80 hours) "Economic analysis of law" for law students (40 hours) "Economic analysis of law" for PhD students in Law programme (2008-2010)
Name and address of employer	Department of Economics and Statistics (Dipartimento di Economia Politica e Statistica) Piazza San Francesco, 7 I53100 Siena Italy
Dates	01/10/2002 – 30/09/2006
Occupation or position held	Associate Professor of Economics (Professore Associato di Economia Politica)
Main activities and responsibilities	Chairman of BA degree in Law (2004-2006) <u>Courses:</u> "Economics" for law students (60 hours) "Economic analysis of law" for law students (40 hours)
Name and address of employer	Department of Economics and Statistics (Dipartimento di Economia Politica e Statistica) Faculty of Law University of Siena
Dates	01/10/1999 – 30/09/2002
Occupation or position held	Assistant Professor of Economics (Ricercatore di Economia Politica)
Main activities and responsibilities	<u>Courses:</u> "Economics" for law students "Economics" for political science students

Name and address of employer	Department of Economics Faculty of Law University of Florence Italy
Dates	1997 – 2002
Occupation or position held	Research director in applied social sciences
Main activities and responsibilities	Direction and coordination of more than 30 research projects mainly on labour and industrial economics funded by competitive programs of Regional authorities and European Union.
Name and address of employer	CIRIEC International Center of Research and Information on the Public, Social and Cooperative Economy Milan – Florence
Dates	1997 – 1998
Occupation or position held	Research fellow (assegno di ricerca)
Main activities and responsibilities	Research: Utility and probability: the British and French traditions at the end of XIXth Century.
Name and address of employer	Department of Economics University of Florence Italy
Dates	1996
Occupation or position held	Post-doctoral fellow in History of economic thought (CNR grant)
Main activities and responsibilities	Research: Probability: the British and French traditions at the end of XIXth Century
Name and address of employer	Université Paris IX Dauphine Laboratoire LESOD Place du Marechal de Lattre de Tassigny Paris - France

Education and training

Dates	14/12/1995
Title of qualification awarded	PhD-History of Economic Thought
Principal subjects covered	Dissertation on <i>F.Y. Edgeworth on choice under uncertainty</i> (Supervisor prof. Marco Dardi)
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	Department of Economics University of Florence 1992-1995
Dates	1991
Title of qualification awarded	Junior researcher (scholarship)
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	Fondazione Luigi Einaudi, Torino
Dates	30/04/1990
Title of qualification awarded	Arts Degree (Laurea in Lettere) 110 of 110 cum Laude
Principal subjects covered	Dissertation in Economic history: Methods and models of quantitative economic history
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	University of Florence

Academic distinction

President of the of Italian Association for the History of Political Economy (STOREP; www.storep.org) 2012-2015.

Member of the Board of the Italian Association for the History of Political Economy (STOREP; www.storep.org) 2015-2018

Current research activities

SH6_13 History of economics and economic thought (ERC descriptor)

- Probability, statistics and decision theory
- Francis Ysidro Edgeworth
- J.M. Keynes, *Treatise on probability*
- The origins of economic analysis of law

SH3_13 Social studies of science and technology (ERC descriptor)

- Bibliometrics
- Network of scientific journals (interlocking editorship)
- Scientific productivity

SH1_13 Public economics; political economics; law and economics

- Regulation and business law/antitrust
- Interlocking directorship regulation

Personal skills and competences

Coordination of academic research group:

- **PI of the research project “How bibliometric indicators shape science” - Grant ID # INO17-00015 financed by Institute for New Economic Thinking, New York (2018-2019)**
- PI of a research financed by Italian Ministry of Education (PRIN 2008-2013). "Contracts, markets and competition in Britain: from Marshall and Edgeworth to Coase. The origins of the economic analysis of law "
- PI of a research financed Monte dei Paschi Foundation 2007: Universities and human capital
- PI of a research financed by the University of Siena (2006-2008): "The evaluation of research and the importance of scientific journals"
- Coordinator of a local unit of a researched financed by Italian Ministry of Education (2005-2007): "Networks of collaboration, citations and control in economics"

Coordination of market oriented research groups:

- Principal investigator or director of applied research projects realized on behalf of: Bank of Italy; Banca Nazionale del Lavoro; Ciriect; Regione Friuli Venezia Giulia; Regione Toscana; Sviluppo Italia (EU funding); Unioncamere (complete list of research available on request).
- Principal investigator of marketing research on behalf of private companies (list available on request)

Technical skills and competences

Expertise in research and teaching evaluation, gained in institutional activities as head or member of evaluation committees of Italian universities as described in professional services. On this respect:

- I am co-author of the *Handbook of Bibliometric Indicators*, Berlin, Wiley VCH, 2016.
- I am author of a reference book for Italian audience: *Valutare la ricerca scientifica* [The evaluation of scientific research] (Il Mulino, 2010).
- I'm a founder and editor of a collective blog www.roars.it dedicated to issues of research policy and evaluation (The list of posts is available here: <http://www.roars.it/online/author/baccini/>);
- I regularly write articles for and I am interviewed about research policy and evaluation by national and international magazines and newspapers such as THE (Times Higher Education) LSE blog, Science, Research Europe, IlSole24Ore, Il Mattino, Il SecoloXIX, IlFattoQuotidiano; Millennium FQ; Left.

Since 2010 I have been invited to give seminars and to participate to round-tables about evaluation, by universities and other institutions (the complete updated list of seminars is available on my blog www.albertobaccini.wordpress.com). Among the most recent:

- G20 Global Solutions, Berlin May 29, 2018. Invited speaker: Research evaluation in economic theory and policy: identifying and overcoming institutional disfunctions (sessionwith G. Akerlof, J.J. Heckman, R. Johnson)
- ESOF2018, Toulouse July 10, 2018. Invited speaker: Are policies of excellence excellent for the careers and scientific activity?
- Recent invited seminars: Roma, Tavola rotonda FLC-CGIL 27 June 2018; Dipartimento di Economia; Milano, Università Bicocca, June 9 2018; Università di Pisa 10 May 2018; Università di Ferrara 10 April 2018; Associazione Italiana di Valutazione. L'Aquila 5-6 April 2018; Università di Cosenza, January 23, 2018; Roma Ministero della salute, 1 dicembre 2017.

Mother tongue(s)
 Other language(s)
 Self-assessment
 European level (*)

Italian

Understanding				Speaking				Writing	
Listening		Reading		Spoken interaction		Spoken production			
C 2	Advanced	C 2	Advanced	C 1	Advanced	C 1	Advanced	B 2	Intermediate
B 2	Intermediate	C 1	Advanced	B 2	Intermediate	B 2	Intermediate	C 1	Advanced

French

English

(*) [Common European Framework of Reference for Languages](#)

Professional services

Member of the Evaluation Committee of the University of Trento-Italy (July 2017-June2021).
 Member of the Evaluation Committee of the University of Trento-Italy (July 2013-June2017).
 Head of the Evaluation Committee of the University of Siena-Italy (April 2009-July 2015).
 2012, coordinator of the evaluation of the strategic research in social science and humanities of the University of Modena and Reggio Emilia (Italy).
 2006 – 2009. Member of the Evaluation Committee of the University of Siena (Italy).
 Referee for the evaluation of research projects on behalf of the Ministry of Education and the Tuscany Region.

Editorial services

Editor in chief of *RT. A Journal on Research Policy and Evaluation*, electronic open-access journal <http://riviste.unimi.it/index.php/roars/index>
 Referee for the following journals: *Journal of Informetrics (JOI)*; *Journal of the American Society for Information Science and Technology (JASIST)*; *Scientometrics*; *PLOS ONE*; *Library and Information Science Research*; *African Journal of Business Management*; *Economia Politica*; *European Sociological Review*; *History of Economic Ideas*; *Imprese & Storia*; *Polis*; *Public Choice*; *Rivista Italiana degli Economisti*; *Statistical Methods and Applications*.
 Referee for publishers: Routledge; Il Mulino, Bologna; Giunti, Firenze; Edizioni Plus-Università di Pisa; Firenze university press, Edizioni Ca' Foscari.

Additional information

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Annexes

List of scientific publications