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PREVIOUS POSITIONS	<p>Sapienza Università di Roma - Facoltà di Economia Research Fellow at Department of Economics November 2018 - September 2019</p> <p>Sapienza Università di Roma - Facoltà di Economia Research Fellow at MEMOTEF Department July 2017 - July 2018</p>
EDUCATION	<p>PhD in Finance, Imperial College Business School, London, UK, 2019</p> <p>PhD in Methodological Statistics, Sapienza Università di Roma, Rome, Italy, 2015</p> <p>MSc in Econometrics and Mathematical Economics, The London School of Economics and Political Science, London, UK, 2013</p> <p>M.S. Statistics and Economics, Sapienza Università di Roma, Rome, Italy, 2011</p> <p>B.A., Statistics and Economics, Sapienza Università di Roma, Rome, Italy, 2008</p>
GRANTS, AWARDS AND PRIZES	<p>Social Trend Institute (STI) grant - Project: <i>Business in the Time of COVID: The Effect of Pandemics on Corporate Investment, Governance, Financing, and Stock Returns</i>, with Prof. Stefano Sacchetto.</p> <p>Beatriu de Pinós grant - Agency for Management of University Scholarships and Research of Catalonia (MSCA-COFUND) - Project: <i>Where should I live within a city? The microdynamics of Quality Life</i>, 2020-2023.</p> <p>Imperial College Business School Prize for the Best Performing Teaching Assistant, 2017.</p> <p>Bank of Italy first training research scholarship, 2012.</p>

TEACHING
EXPERIENCES

Capital Markets, IESE Business School, MBA Program, 2020 -.

Operational Finance, IESE Business School, MBA Program, 2019 -.

Econometrics II, IESE Business School, Ph.D. Program, 2019 -.

Statistics, Università degli Studi di Roma Tor Vergata, MSc in Finance and Banking, 2018.

Introduction to Econometrics, Università degli Studi di Roma Tor Vergata, BS in Business Administration and Economics, 2018.

Probability and Applications to Finance, LUISS University, MS in Economics and Finance, 2018.

Econometrics, Sapienza università di Roma , MSc in Macroeconomic policy and financial markets, 2018.

Time Series Analysis, Sapienza università di Roma , MSc in Finance, 2018.

Financial Statistics, Imperial College Business School, MSc Risk Management & Financial Engineering, 2016-2017

WORK
EXPERIENCES

European Central Bank, DG Research, Internship, 2016.

Bank of Italy, Economic Research Division, Internship, 2012.

Ministry of Economy and Finance, Italian Department of Treasury, Internship, 2011.

PUBLICATIONS

Raponi, V., Robotti, C., Zaffaroni, P., (2020), [Testing Beta-Pricing Models Using Large Cross-Sections](#), *The Review of Financial Studies*, Vol. 33(6), pp 2796–2842,.

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WORKING
PAPERS

Robust Portfolio Choice, with R. Uppal and P. Zaffaroni

Forecasting multiple Value at Risk and Expected Shortfall using a dynamic joint quantile regression approach, with an application to portfolio optimization, with L. Merlo and L. Petrella.

Detecting Spurious Factors using Cross-Sectional Regressions, with Paolo Zaffaroni

Dissecting Asset Pricing Anomalies in Large Asset Markets, with Paolo Zaffaroni

High-dimensional inference in Asset Pricing, with F. Carlini

OTHER
PUBLICATIONS

- Merlo, L., Petrella, L., Raponi, V. (2020), Sectoral Decomposition of CO2 World Emissions: A Joint Quantile Regression Approach. *International Review of Environmental and Resource Economics*, Vol. 14: No. 2-3, pp 197-239.
- Centoni, M., Del Panta, V., Maruotti, A., Raponi, V. (2018). Concomitant-variable latent-class beta inflated models to assess students performance: an Italian case study. *Social Indicator Research*.
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- Raponi V., Martella F., Maruotti A., (2016) A biclustering approach to university performances: an Italian case study, *Journal of Applied Statistics*, Vol 43, pp 31–45.
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