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ACADEMIC POSITION

December 2019 – present

Associate Professor* (tenure track position) in Political Economy, Bifröst University, Iceland.

May 2016 – December 2019

Assistant Professor (tenure track position) in Political Economy, Bifröst University, Iceland.
Teaching activity: ‘Institutional Economics’; ‘Economic Growth and Development’; ‘Political Economy’; ‘Game Theory’.

December 2014 – March 2016

Adjunct Lecturer in ‘International Political Economy’, ‘Economic Growth & Development’, ‘Philosophy of Economics’ at Bifröst University, Iceland. Students’ evaluation of teaching performance: 4.8/5, 4.8/5 and 4.9/5 respectively.

October 2014 – March 2015

Intern at the International Labour Office (ILO), in Bangkok, assigned to ILO Project “Promoting and Building Social Protection and Employment Services: focus on Mongolia, learning from ASEAN.”

DEGREES

Ph.D in Analysis of Socio-Economic Transformations awarded (with distinction) by the Marche Polytechnic University, Faculty of Economics, Ancona, Italy in February 2014. Title of the thesis: “The Political Economy of Pension Funds in Advanced Capitalism: Their Evolution and Transformation in the Era of ‘Austerity’”. Chair: Prof. Ugo Ascoli.’

* The title is assigned in full accordance with the criteria established by the Evaluation System for Public Universities in Iceland and the Regulation on the promotion and permanent appointment of academic staff at the University of Iceland, no. 263/2010, with subsequent amendments.

M.A in Labour Studies with 105/110, awarded by the Università Statale, Milan, Italy in June 2009; thesis: “Economic Structure and Industrial Relations in Iceland” (in English). Chairs: prof. G.P. Cella and M. Regini.

FELLOWSHIPS AND MEMBERSHIPS

CCSP Understanding China Fellow at the Institute of World Economics and Politics – Chinese Academy of Social Sciences (Beijing).

Member of COST (European Cooperation in Science and Technology), China in Europe Research Network.

Member of EAEPE (European Association of Evolutionary Political Economy), and IIPPE (International Initiative for Promoting Political Economy).

COMPLEMENTARY COURSES

2020

Workshop on “Measuring Global Value Chains and Employment”, organized by the European University Institute (ETUI), 26-27 March, Brussels.

2019

Winter training camp “The Fifth Symposium on New Structural Economics”, organized by the Institute of New Structural Macroeconomics (INSE), 15-18 January, Peking University, People’s Republic of China.

2012

Summer School “Institutions for a better development after the financial crisis” organized by the European Association for Evolutionary Political Economy (EAEPE), 2-6 July, University of Roma Tre – Italy.

2011

Summer School “Financial Crisis, Labor Markets and Institutions” organized by the European Association for Evolutionary Political Economy, 4-8 July, University of Roma Tre – Italy.

2010

Summer School “Institutional and Evolutionary Economics” organized by the European Association for Evolutionary Political Economy (EAEPE), 4-10 July, University of Roma Tre – Italy.

VISITING AND RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

September – December 2019

Visiting Fellow at the Institute of World Economics and Politics (IWEP), Chinese Academy of Social Sciences (CASS), Beijing.

November 2017 –

Visiting Professor at the Department of Economics and Management, University of Florence, Italy.

April 2012 – December 2013

Research assistant in Political Economy, Faculty of Economics, Università Politecnica delle Marche, Faculty of Economics.

September 2011 – May 2012

Visiting Ph.D student at Department of Political Science, York University, Toronto (supervisors: Prof. L. Panitch; G. Albo)

April 2011 – December 2011

Research assistant in Economic History, Faculty of Economics, Università Politecnica delle Marche, Faculty of Economics.

April 2010 – December 2010

Research assistant in Macroeconomics, Faculty of Economics, Università Politecnica delle Marche, Faculty of Economics.

October 2009 – September 2010

Research assistant in Economic theories of globalization, Faculty of Economics, University of Brescia.

October 2008 – October 2009

Research assistant in Political economy, Faculty of Economics, University of Brescia.

ACADEMIC PUBLICATIONS

2021 (accepted for publication)

“China’s Escape from the Peripheral Condition: A Success Story?”, co-written with R. Nadalini. *Radical Review of Political Economics*.

2021

“Samir Amin in Beijing: Delving into China’s Delinking Policy”, co-written with R. Nadalini. *Review of African Political Economy* 48(167). DOI: 10.1080/03056244.2020.1837094

2020

“The Structural Roots of China’s Effectiveness against Coronavirus Pandemic”, *International Critical Thought* 10(4). DOI: 10.1080/21598282.2020.1869993

2020

“The Danger of a “Geyser Disease” Effect: Structural Fragility of the Tourism-Led Recovery in Iceland”, co-written with R. Nadalini. *Radical Review of Political Economics* 52(1), pp. 50-76. DOI: 10.1177/0486613419867415

2020

“Il Ruolo delle Imprese a Conduzione Statale nella Lotta della Cina contro il COVID-19”, *Moneta e Credito* 73(290), pp. 111-139. DOI: 10.13133/2037-3651_73.290_1

2020

“Le Radici Pubbliche dell’Efficacia Cinese alla Lotta contro il COVID-19”, *Economia e Politica* 12(19) (ISSN 2281-5260).

2019

“Neoliberal Economics and Imperialist Ideology”. In: Z. Cope and I. Ness (eds) *The Palgrave Encyclopedia Imperialism and Anti-Imperialism*, London: Palgrave Macmillan. DOI: 10.1007/978-3-319-91206-6_111-1

2018

“Economic Growth and Development in Retrospect”. In: H. Gürak (eds) *In the Pursuit of Economic Realities*, chapter 1. Frankfurt am Main: Peter Lang. DOI: 10.3726/b13445

2018

“Tarihsel Süreçte Ekonomik Büyüme ve Kalkınma”. In: H. Gürak (eds) *Ekonomik Büyüme ve Kalkınma 2*, chapter 1. Ankara: Nobel Akademik Yayıncılık. ISBN: 9786053209096

2018

“The Political Economy of Nationalism and Racial Discrimination”, *Journal of Labor and Society*, 21(3), pp. 337-348. DOI: 10.1111/wusa.12347

2018

“The Illusion of Patient Capital. Evidence from Pension Investment policy in the Netherlands”, Working Papers 0029, ASTRIL - Associazione Studi e Ricerche Interdisciplinari sul Lavoro. ISSN: 22806229

2015

“Affinità e Divergenze con il Professor Boeri”, *Economia e Politica* 7, no. 10. ISSN 2281-5260.

2013

“La Crisi degli Assetti Regolativi Fordisti-Bismarckiani. I Principali Cambiamenti nelle Diseguaglianze Sociali e nelle Politiche Pubbliche”, in *Lavoro E Ricerca Sociologica. Un Confronto fra Giovani Ricercatori Italiani*, edited by M. La Rosa and Umberto Pallareti, Milan: Franco Angeli, pp.212-230. ISBN: 9788820421045

2012

“The Role of Pension Funds in the Financialisation of the Icelandic Economy”, *Capital&Class*, 36(3), pp.433-473. DOI: 10.1177/0309816812460753

2010

“I Falsi Miti del Social-Liberismo”, *Economia e Politica*, June. ISSN 2281-5260.

PAPER PRESENTATIONS AT INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES AND SEMINARS

2020

“Samir Amin in Beijing: Delving into China’s Delinking Policy”. The 32nd Annual EAEPE Conference – The Evolution of Capitalist Structures: Uncertainty, Inequality, and Climate Crisis 2-4 September, Faculty of Economics and Business of the University of the Basque Country.

2020

“China’s Escape from the Peripheral Condition: A Successful Story?”. Seminar held at the University of Florence, September 16, Florence, Italy.

2020

“The role of State-Owned Enterprises in China's fight against the coronavirus disease”. Seminar held at the University of Florence, September 17, Florence, Italy.

2019

“China's Road to Development in the Light of Samir Amin's Theory of Delinking”. Seminar held at the Xi'an Jiaotong-Liverpool University, December 12, Suzhou, People's Republic of China.

2019

“The Danger of a “Geyser Disease” Effect: Structural Fragility of the Tourism-Led Recovery in Iceland”, Lecture given at the Beijing Foreign Studies University, November 26. Beijing.

2019

“Chinese Road to Autocentric Development in the Light of Samir Amin's Theory of Unequal Exchange,” Seminar held at the Institute of World Economics and Politics at the Chinese Academy of Social Sciences, October 31. Beijing, People's Republic of China.

2018

“The Danger of a “Geyser Disease” Effect: Structural Fragility of the Tourism-Led Recovery in Iceland”, Second ASTRIL International Conference: “Technology, Employment and Labor Market Institutions”, 13-14 December, University Roma 3 – Italy.

2018

“Iceland: Is this Time Different? Speculation Led vs. Innovation Led-Growth”, 9th Annual Conference in Political Economy – The State of Capitalism and the State of Political Economy, 12-14 September, Juraj Dobrila University of Pula – Croatia.

2018

“Iceland: Is this Time Different? Speculation Led vs. Innovation Led-Growth”, The 30th Annual EAEPE Conference – Evolutionary foundations at a crossroad: Assessments, outcomes and implications for policy makers, 6-8 September, University of Nice Sophia Antipolis – France.

2017

“The Illusion of Patient Capital: Evidence from Pension Investment Policy in the Netherlands”, ASTRIL International Conference, 14-15 December, University of Roma 3 – Italy.

2017

“The Illusion of Patient Capital: Evidence from Pension Investment Policy in the Netherlands”, Young Economists Conference 2017, 14-15 October. Event organized by the Chamber of Labour Vienna and the Society for Pluralism in Economics, Vienna – Austria.

2017

“The Individualistic Foundations of Pension Politics and the Illusion of Patient Capital”, X Conferenza ESPAnet Italia – Il Welfare e i pericoli della globalizzazione: le politiche sociali di fronte a nuove e vecchie disuguaglianze. 19-20 September Università di Bologna – Italy.

2017

“The illusion of patient capital: evidence from pension investment policy in the Netherlands”, 8th Annual Conference in Political Economy – The Political Economy of Inequalities and Instabilities in the 21st Century, 13-15 September. Berlin School of Economics and Law, Berlin.

2014

“The transformation of the Dutch pension system in the age of austerity”, ESPAnet Doctoral Workshop “Present and future of the welfare mix in Italy”, 19-21 April. Università degli Studi di Bologna – Italy.

2011

“Power relations and economic financialization in Iceland”. The Second Annual Forum on Capital as Power. 20-21 October. York University, Toronto.

2011

“The role of the pension funds in the financialization of the Icelandic economy”. EAEPE Summer School, 5 July. Università Roma 3 – Italy.

2009

“The Icelandic Transition: Industrial Relations and Financial Crisis”, poster presentation at the First International Workshop on Managing financial instability in capitalistic economies, 3-5 September. Reykjavik University – Iceland.

MAIN RESEARCH INTERESTS

Political Economy
Economic Growth and Development
International Trade and Skills Development
Labor Market Policies and Outcomes

LANGUAGE SKILLS

English: fluent
Italian: mother tongue

COMPUTER SKILLS

Advanced knowledge of Microsoft Office tools, such as Word, Excel, PowerPoint.
Advanced knowledge of SPSS for statistical elaborations.
Advanced knowledge of TechSmith – Camtasia for managing media content, and video projects.

REFERENCES

Wang Ronghua

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Distinguished Professor, School of Chinese Language & Literature, UIBE
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