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CURRENT AND PAST POSITIONS

New York University

2024- Julius Silver, Roslyn S. Silver, and Enid Silver Winslow Professor
2016- Professor, Department of Sociology
2012- Associate Professor, Department of Sociology
2012- Affiliated Professor, Department of Politics
2012- Affiliated Professor, Management and Organizations, Stern School of Business
2013- Co-Director of the Center for Social and Political Behavior

Princeton University

2007-2012 Assistant to Associate Professor (with tenure), Department of Sociology
2007-2012 Faculty Affiliate, Center for the Study of Democratic Politics
2008-2012 Faculty Affiliate, Office of Population Research
2009-2012 Advisory Committee, Center for the Study of Social Organization

Other Affiliations

2017- Fellow of the Center for the Study of Economy and Society at Cornell University
AY 2015- Senior Researcher, Dondena Centre for Research on Social Dynamics, Bocconi University, Milan
AY 2012-13 Visiting Scholar, Dondena Centre for Research on Social Dynamics, Bocconi University, Milan
AY 2011-12 Visiting Scholar, Russell Sage Foundation, NYC
Spring 2011 Visiting Scholar, Nuffield College, University of Oxford (Trinity Term)
AY 2009-10 Visiting Scholar, Department of Sociology, New York University
Spring 2009 Jemolo Fellow, Nuffield College, University of Oxford (Trinity Term)

EDUCATION

2007 Ph.D. in Sociology (*with distinction*), Columbia University
Dissertation: “Crosscutting Social Spheres? Political Polarization and the Social Roots of Pluralism.”
Committee: Peter Bearman (chair), Harrison White, Duncan Watts, Andrew Gelman.

2006 Ph.D. in Sociology and Social Research, University of Trento, Italy
Dissertation: “A Relational Approach to Collective Action: Analytical and Empirical Investigations.”
Supervisor: Mario Diani.
University of Trento Award for the best graduate dissertation (2004-2005).

2002 BA degree in Sociology (*magna cum laude*), University of Trento, Italy
Thesis: “La scelta di voto. Elezioni Italiane 1996-2001.” Supervisors: Sergio Fabbrini, Hans Schadee.
“*Celso Ghini*” National Prize for the best undergraduate and graduate dissertation in political and electoral studies (2002-2003).

BOOKS

- D. Baldassarri, *Partisan Misfits: The Demographic and Social Network Bases of Partisanship in American Public Opinion*, advance contract with Princeton University Press (co-published with the Russell Sage Foundation).
- 2013 D. Baldassarri, *The Simple Art of Voting: The Cognitive Shortcuts of Italian Voters*, Oxford University Press (revised and translated).
- Best Book Award* from the *Rationality and Society* section of the ASA
- 2005 D. Baldassarri, *La semplice arte di votare. Le scorciatoie cognitive degli elettori italiani*, Il Mulino, Bologna.
- Italian Political Science Association Prize* for the best *Political Science* book published by a scholar under forty (2005-2006).

PEER-REVIEWED ARTICLES

- 2024 S. Perrett, D. Baldassarri, “Generational shift: How partisan alignment and the rise of social issues produced a generation of Democrats”, *Journal of Elections, Public Opinion & Parties*, forthcoming.
- 2024 L. Azzollini, D. Baldassarri “ ‘It’s the (local) economy, stupid!’ Citizenship Income and Sociotropic consensus for the Five Stars Movement”, *Stato e Mercato*, forthcoming.
- 2023 V. Frey, D. Baldassarri, and F. Billari “Bridging the Digital Divide Narrows the Participation Gap: Evidence from a Quasi-Natural Experiment”, *Sociological Science*, forthcoming.
- 2023 M. Abascal, F. Ganter, and D. Baldassarri, “Greater Diversity or Fewer Whites? Disentangling Heterogeneity and Marginalized Group Share at Macro and Micro Levels,” *Socius*, 9.
- 2022 J. Jost, D. Baldassarri, and J. Druckman, “Cognitive-motivational Mechanisms of Political Polarization in Social Contexts” *Nature Reviews Psychology*.
- 2022 N. Zhang, J. Gereke and D. Baldassarri, “Everyday Discrimination in Public Spaces: A Field Experiment in the Milan Metro”, *European Sociological Review*, 38(5), 679–693.
- 2021 D. Baldassarri and Scott E. Page “The Emergence and Perils of Polarization”, *Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences* 118 (50).
- 2021 Johanna Gereke, Max Schaub and Delia Baldassarri “Immigration, Integration and Cooperation: Experimental Evidence from a Public Goods Game in Italy”, *Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies*.
- 2021 M. Abascal, J. Xu, and D. Baldassarri, “People use both heterogeneity and minority representation to evaluate diversity,” *Science Advances*, Sci. Adv. 7, eabf2507 (2021).
- 2020 D. Baldassarri, M. Abascal, “Diversity and Prosocial Behavior”, *Science*, September 4, 1183-1187.
- 2020 M. Schaub, J. Gereke and D. Baldassarri, “Strangers in Hostile Lands: Exposure to Refugees and Right-wing Support”, *Comparative Political Studies*, available online.
- 2020 J. Gereke, M. Schaub, D. Baldassarri, “Gendered Discrimination Against Immigrants: Experimental Evidence”, *Frontiers in Sociology*, 5.
- 2020 D. Baldassarri “Market Integration Accounts for Local Variation in Generalized Altruism in a Nationwide Lost-letter Experiment” *Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences*, 117(6), 2858-2863.
- 2020 N. Marwell, E. Marantz, D. Baldassarri “The Micro-Relations of Urban Governance: Dynamics of Patronage and Partnership”, *American Journal of Sociology*, 125(6): 1559-1601.
- 2020 D. Baldassarri, B. Park “Was there a Culture War? Polarization and Secular Trends in U.S. Public Opinion”, *Journal of Politics*, 82(3): 809-827.

- 2019 M. Schaub, D. Baldassarri, J. Gereke “Does poverty undermine cooperation in multiethnic settings? Evidence from a cooperative investment experiment”, *Journal of Experimental Political Science*.
- 2018 D. Baldassarri “Keeping One’s Distance: Truth and Ambiguity in Social Research” *Sociologica*, 1/2018: 5-11.
- 2018 J. Gereke, M. Schaub, D. Baldassarri “Ethnic diversity, poverty and social trust in Germany: Evidence from a behavioral measure of trust”, *PLOS ONE*, 13(7).
- 2017 S. Cowan, D. Baldassarri “ ‘It could turn ugly’: Selective disclosure of attitudes in political discussion networks,” *Social Networks*, 52:1-17. [lead article]
- 2017 D. Baldassarri, M. Abascal “Field Experiments Across the Social Sciences” *Annual Review of Sociology*, 43:41-73.
- 2015 D. Baldassarri “Cooperative Networks: Altruism, Group Solidarity, Reciprocity, and Sanctioning in Ugandan Farmer Organizations,” *American Journal of Sociology*, 121(2): 355-395. [lead article]
- Roger V. Gould Prize from the American Journal of Sociology*
- Mark Granovetter Prize for the Best Article from the Economic Sociology section of the ASA*
- 2015 M. Abascal, D. Baldassarri “Love thy Neighbor? Ethnoracial Diversity and Trust Reexamined”, *American Journal of Sociology*, 121(3): 722-782.
- 2014 D. Baldassarri, A. Goldberg “Neither Ideologues, nor Agnostics: Alternative Voters’ Belief System in an Age of Partisan Politics,” *American Journal of Sociology* 120(1): 45-95.
- Honorable mention for the Best Article from the Political Sociology section of the ASA.*
- 2014 G. Manzo, D. Baldassarri “Heuristics, Interactions, and Status Hierarchies: An Agent-based Model of Deference Exchange”, *Sociological Methods and Research* 1-59.
- 2013 D. Baldassarri, G. Grossman “The Effect of Group Attachment and Social Position on Prosocial Behavior. Evidence from Lab-in-the-Field Experiments,” *PLoS ONE*, 8(3).
- 2012 G. Grossman, D. Baldassarri “The Impact of Elections on Cooperation: Evidence from a Lab in the Field Experiment in Uganda,” *American Journal of Political Science*, 56(4): 964-985.
- Reprinted in: G. Manzo (ed.) 2014, *Analytical Sociology: Actions and Networks*, New York, John Wiley & Sons Inc.
- Honorable mention for the Best Article from the Political Sociology section of the ASA.*
- Honorable mention for the Best Article from the Rationality and Society section of the ASA.*
- 2011 D. Baldassarri, G. Grossman “Centralized Sanctioning and Legitimate Authority Promote Cooperation in Humans”, *Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences*, 108(27): 11023-11027.
- 2011 A. Ghaziani, D. Baldassarri “Cultural Anchors and the Organization of Difference: A Multi-method Analysis of LGBT Marches on Washington,” *American Sociological Review*, 76: 179-206. [lead article]
- Outstanding Article Award from the Collective Behavior and Social Movements section of the ASA.*
- Honorable mention for the Clifford Geertz Prize from the Cultural Sociology section of the ASA.*
- 2011 D. Baldassarri “Partisan Joiners: Associational Membership and Political Polarization in America (1974-2004),” *Social Science Quarterly*, 92(3): 631-655.
- Outstanding Academic Publication on Membership Organizations Award of the ASAE Foundation.*
- 2009 D. Baldassarri “Collective Action” in P. Hedström and P. Bearman (eds.) *The Oxford Handbook of Analytical Sociology*.
- 2008 D. Baldassarri, A. Gelman “Partisans Without Constraint: Political Polarization and Trends in American Public Opinion,” *American Journal of Sociology*, 114(2): 408-46.

- 2007 D. Baldassarri, M. Diani “The Integrative Power of Civic Networks,” *American Journal of Sociology*, 113(3): 735-80.
- 2007 D. Baldassarri, P. Bearman “Dynamics of Political Polarization,” *American Sociological Review*, 72: 784-811.
- Outstanding Article Award* from the *Mathematical Sociology* section of the *ASA*.
- 2006 D. Baldassarri, H.M.A. Schadee “Voter Heuristics and Political Cognition in Italy: An Empirical Typology”, *Electoral Studies*, 25: 448-466.
- 2005 D. Baldassarri “Oltre il *free rider*: l’utilizzo di modelli formali nello studio dell’azione collettiva,” *Rassegna Italiana di Sociologia*, 40,1: 125-156.
En. title: “Beyond Free Riding: On the Use of Formal Models for the Study of Collective Action.”
- 2004 D. Baldassarri, H.M.A. Schadee “Il fascino della coalizione. Come e perchè le alleanze elettorali influenzano il modo in cui gli elettori interpretano la politica,” *Rivista Italiana di Scienza Politica*, 34, 2: 249-276.
En. title: “The Appeal of Coalitions: How and Why Electoral Alliances Affect Voters’ Political Understanding.”
- 2003 D. Baldassarri “Il voto ideologico esiste? L’utilizzo delle categorie di sinistra e destra nell’elettorato italiano”, *Quaderni dell’Osservatorio Elettorale*, 49: 5-34.
En. title: “Does the Ideological Voter Exist?: The Use of ‘Left’ and ‘Right’ by Italian Voters.”

WORKING PAPERS

- D. Baldassarri, J. Gereke and M. Schaub “Prosociality beyond in-group boundaries: A lab-in-the-field experiment on selection and intergroup contact in a multiethnic European metropolis”, under review.
- D. Baldassarri, J. De Jong, “Seeing, not Avoiding the Other Side: The Persistent Role of Social Network Heterogeneity in the Era of Partisan Politics”, under review.
- S. Perrett, D. Baldassarri, “Partisan Misfits: How Independents, Moderates, and Cross-pressured Voters Make Up their Minds”, working paper.
- B. Park, D. Baldassarri, “Social Bases of Partisanship: Cleavages, Alignment, and Intersections”, working paper.
- S. Rieger, M. Abascal, D. Baldassarri, “Diversity and Prosociality in NYC Neighborhoods: Evidence from a Lost Wallet Experiment”, working paper.

BOOK CHAPTERS AND OTHER PUBLICATIONS

- 2024 D. Baldassarri, J. Gereke “Cooperation, A Field Experimental Approach” in T. Yasseri *Handbook of Computational Social Science*, Edward Elgar Publishing Ltd.
- 2023 L. Azzolini, D. Baldassarri, P. Segatti “Marginalità Economica e Ideologia: come disoccupati e precari percepiscono la competizione elettorale tra sinistra e destra.” in ITANES *Svolta a Destra? Cosa ci dice il voto del 2022*. Il Mulino, Bologna.
- 2018 D. Baldassarri, review of *Leading from the Periphery and Network Collective Action*. By David Hassanpour, *American Journal of Sociology*, 124:3, 971-973.
- 2018 D. Baldassarri, P. Segatti “Ancora sinistra e destra?” in ITANES *Vox populi. Il voto ad alta voce del 2018*. Il Mulino, Bologna.
- 2013 D. Baldassarri, “Sinistra e destra: un’Italia di moderati e conservatori” in ITANES *Voto amaro: Disincanto e crisi economica nelle elezioni del 2013*, Il Mulino, Bologna, pp. 133-146.
- 2010 D. Baldassarri, comment on Nadia Urbinati’s “Opinione Pubblica e legittimità democratica,” *Rassegna Italiana di Sociologia*, 4.
- 2010 D. Baldassarri, review of “L’automa e lo spirito. Azioni individuali, istituzioni, imprese collettive,” by

Angelo Panebianco, *Rassegna Italiana di Sociologia*, 2:328-330.

- 2010 G. Legnante, D. Baldassarri “Campagne elettorali e mediazione sociale: esposizione ai media e relazioni interpersonali.” P. Bellucci and P. Segatti (eds.) *Votare in Italia: 1968-2008*, Bologna, Il Mulino: 249-88.
- 2008 D. Baldassarri, review of “Polarized America,” by Nolan McCarthy, Poole and Rosenthal, *Rassegna Italiana di Sociologia*, 3:
- 2007 D. Baldassarri “How Do We Get There Empirically?” comment on Andrew Abbott’s “Mechanisms and Relations,” *Sociologica*, 2.
- 2007 D. Baldassarri “Sinistra e destra: la dimensione ideologica tra Prima e Seconda repubblica,” book chapter in *Gli italiani e la politica*, Marco Maraffi (ed.), Bologna, Il Mulino: 105-130.
En. title: “Left and Right: The Ideological Dimension between the First and Second Republic.”
- 2006 D. Baldassarri, review of “The Social Logic of Politics. Personal Networks as Contexts for Political Behavior,” by Alan Zuckerman (ed), *Contemporary Sociology*, 35, 4: 396-97.
- 2005 D. Baldassarri, review of “Alla ricerca del consenso,” by Guido Legnante, *Rivista Italiana di Scienza Politica*.

DORMIENT PAPERS

- 2010 D. Baldassarri “Social Networks, Political Heterogeneity, and Interpersonal Influence. Evidence from the 2006 Italian Elections”, conference paper.
- 2010 S. Seaver, D. Baldassarri “Emergence of Group Cohesion and Social Division”, working paper.
- 2009 E. Marshall, D. Baldassarri “Early Career Trajectories in the U.S. Senate, 1981-2006”, conference paper.
- D. Baldassarri “Prisoners without Dilemma. Punishment and Solidarity in the Civitavecchia Political Prison, 1941-1943”

AWARDS, GRANTS AND FELLOWSHIPS

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| 2024-26 | Russell Sage Foundation – Presidential Grant | PI “Partisan misfits: The unequal representation of cross-pressured voters in an era of polarized politics” (39,085 \$) |
| 2017 | European Academy of Sociology | Inducted as a <i>Fellow</i> of the European Academy of Sociology |
| 2017 | Uppsala University | <i>Hans L. Zetterberg Prize in Sociology</i> |
| 2016 | European Academy of Sociology | <i>Raymond Boudon Award</i> for Early Career Achievement |
| 2016 | American Journal of Sociology | <i>Roger V. Gould Prize</i> |
| 2016 | American Sociological Association | <i>Mark Granovetter Prize</i> for the Best Article from the Economic Sociology section of the ASA |
| 2015-20 | European Research Council – Starting Grant | PI “INTERACT: INTerEthnic Relationships in contemporary CommuniTies: How does ethnoracial diversity affect in- and out-group trust, solidarity, and cooperation” (969,100 €) |
| 2014-16 | National Science Foundation – (Science of Organization) Research Grant | Co-PI (PI: Nicole Marwell) “Patronage and Political Exchange Networks in a Municipal Legislature: Discretionary Spending on Nonprofit Organizations in New York City” (239,522 \$) |
| 2015 | American Sociological Association | Honorable mention for the Best Paper Award from the Political Sociology section of the ASA |
| 2014 | American Sociological Association | Best Book Award from the Rationality and Society section of the |

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| | Association | ASA |
| 2013-14 | International Network for Social Network Analysis | <i>Freeman Award</i> given by INSNA to “a distinguished scholar in the field of social networks for significant contributions to the scientific study of social structure” |
| 2013 | American Sociological Association | Honorable mention for the Best Paper Award from the Rationality and Society section of the ASA |
| 2013 | American Sociological Association | Honorable mention for the Best Paper Award from the Political Sociology section of the ASA |
| 2012 | American Society of Association Executives Foundation | Outstanding Academic Publication on Membership Organizations Award |
| 2012 | American Sociological Association | Outstanding Article Award from the Collective Behavior and Social Movements section of the ASA |
| 2012 | American Sociological Association | Honorable mention for the Clifford Geertz Prize from the Cultural Sociology section of the ASA |
| 2011-12 | Russell Sage Foundation | Visiting Scholar at the Russell Sage Foundation |
| 2011 | University of Oxford | Visiting Scholar, Nuffield College, University of Oxford |
| 2010-13 | John Witherspoon Preceptorship | Princeton University – Bicentennial Preceptorship providing an annual fund for research expenses and a one-year leave of absence. |
| 2009-12 | National Science Foundation – (SES) Research Grant | Principal Investigator – “Social and Spatial Networks, Social Capital, and Leadership Accountability in Rural Development: A Study of Uganda’s Agriculture Productivity Enhancement Project” (495,090 \$). |
| 2009 | University of Oxford | Jemolo Fellow, Nuffield College, University of Oxford |
| 2009 | Princeton University Research Grant | University Committee on Research in the Humanities and Social Sciences research Grant (5,000\$). |
| 2008 | American Sociological Association | Outstanding Article Award from the Mathematical Sociology section of the ASA |
| 2008 | Princeton University Research Grant | University Committee on Research in the Humanities and Social Sciences research Grant (5,000\$). |
| 2005-07 | Italian Political Science Association | Prize for the best book in Political Science published by a scholar under forty |
| 2004-05 | University of Trento | University Award for the best graduate dissertation |
| 2002-03 | Società Italiana di Studi Elettorali | “Celso Ghini” National Prize for the best undergraduate and graduate dissertation on political and electoral studies |
| 2006-07 | Columbia University | Institute for Social and Economic Research Graduate Fellow |
| 2004-07 | Columbia University | Paul Lazarsfeld Fellowship; Summer and Travel Grants |
| 1998-05 | University of Trento | Undergraduate and Graduate Fellowships |

INVITED LECTURES AND CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

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| Feb 2024 | Bocconi University, Covid Crisis Lab |
| Jan 2024 | Rutgers University, Sociology Department |
| Nov 2023 | Yale University, Center for Empirical Research on Stratification and Inequality Workshop |
| May 2023 | Princeton University, Complex Systems and International Relations Workshop |

May 2023 Columbia University, Experimental Workshop
 Apr 2023 CUNY Graduate Center, Philosophy Department
 Mar 2023 University of Michigan, Psychology
 Mar 2023 Distinguished Speaker Series, Center for Trust Studies, Eller College of Management, Arizona Univ.
 Feb 2023 Future of the Social Sciences, Cornell Club (NYC)
 Feb 2023 Duke University, Jensen Speaker Series, Sociology
 Dec 2022 Cooperation Colloquia, University of Copenhagen
 Nov 2022 Meeting of Minds, Boston Consulting Group
 Nov 2022 Nuffield College, Sociology Seminar
 Nov 2022 Sociology Colloquium Series, University of Texas- Austin
 Sep 2022 Transatlantic Media Forum
 June 2022 Keynote at Cultures of Resilience, Royal Netherlands Institute in Rome
 Jan 2022 Institute for Analytical Sociology Seminar Series, Linköping University, Sweden
 Nov 2021 Computational Social Science Seminar Series
 Nov 2021 Keynote at the 8th International Conference on Cohesión Social, University de Chile
 Oct 2021 Keynote at the Academy of Sociology 2021 Annual Conference
 June 2021 Keynote at the Workshop on Experimental Sociology, London School of Economics
 Apr 2021 Economic Sociology Colloquium Series, Cornell University
 Mar 2021 ERC Loss Seminar Series, Bocconi University
 Nov 2020 Department of Humanities, Social and Political Sciences, ETH Zurich
 Sep 2019 Keynote at the European Consortium of Sociological Research Annual Meeting, Univ. of Lausanne
 May 2019 Why are Cities so Liberal Conference, Weatherhead Center, Harvard University
 Apr 2019 Sociology Department, University of Chicago
 Feb 2019 Network Dynamics, CUNY Graduate Center
 Jan 2019 Sociology Department, Columbia University
 Oct 2018 Future of the Social Sciences, Cornell Club (NYC)
 Sep 2018 Smith School of Business, University of Maryland, CDSS Seminar
 May 2018 Stanford Graduate School of Business, Organizational Behavior Seminal
 May 2018 Hass School of Business, UC Berkeley, MORS Colloquium
 Apr 2018 Yale School of Management, Organizations and Management Seminar
 Oct 2017 Keynote at the European Academy of Sociology annual meeting
 Oct 2017 CNRS, Sorbonne and ENSAE, Paris Seminar on the Analysis of Social Processes and Structures
 June 2017 Keynote Lugano, Università della Svizzera Italiana, Lugano
 June 2017 Linköping University, Sweden, Mapping the Future of Analytical Sociology
 May 2017 Keynote Uppsala University, Hans L. Zetterberg Price acceptance speech
 May 2017 Keynote MZES Public Lecture – University of Mannheim
 Apr 2017 European University Institute, ECO-SPS Experimental Working Group
 Apr 2017 Carlos III and Juan March Institute, Madrid
 Mar 2017 Collegio Carlo Alberto, Università di Torino
 Dec 2016 Harvard University, Radcliffe
 Nov 2016 Stony Brook University, Political Psychology Lecture Series
 Nov 2016 Cornell University, Center for the Economy and Society

Oct 2016 NYU, Scholar Lecture Series
 Oct 2016 Columbia University, Network and Time Seminar Series
 Sep 2016 Advancement with Field Experiments Conference, University of Chicago, Economics Department
 Sep 2016 American Political Science Association, Session on Political Polarization, Philadelphia
 June 2016 University of Oxford, Nuffield College, Sociology Seminar
 May 2016 Keynote speaker, 9th International Network of Analytical Sociology, Utrecht, NL
 June 2015 Keynote speaker, XXXV Sunbelt, International Network of Social Network Analysis, Brighthon, UK
 Dec 2014 Yale University, Department of Sociology
 Nov 2014 European University Institute, Department of Political and Social Sciences
 Oct 2014 University of Toronto, Rotman School of Management
 Oct 2014 Future of the Social Sciences, Cornell Club
 Sep 2014 Canadian Institute for Advanced Research, Social Interactions, Identity, and Well-Being Group
 May 2014 Cornell University, Sociology Department
 Apr 2014 MIT, Sloan School of Management
 Jan 2014 Università della Svizzera Italiana, Lugano, Economics Department
 Aug 2013 American Sociological Association, Thematic Session on Inequality and Politics, Political Sociology Session, Group Processes Session, Social Capital Session
 May 2013 Bocconi University, Italy, Dondena Center
 Apr 2013 Higher School of Economics, Moscow
 Jan 2013 Alp-Pop The Alpine Population Conference, La Thuile, Aosta Valley
 Oct 2012 University of California – San Diego, Political Science Department
 Oct 2012 University of California – Davis, Political Science Department
 Sep 2012 City University of New York, The Graduate Center
 Aug 2012 American Sociological Association, Economic Sociology
 Apr 2012 University of Pennsylvania, Sociology Department
 Apr 2012 Emory University, Goizueta Business School
 Feb 2012 Russell Sage Foundation
 Dec 2011 Duke University, Weak Ties Network Workshop, DNAC and Army Research Office
 Oct 2011 University of Michigan, Center for Political Studies, Political Science Department
 Sep 2011 Workshop in Information in Networks, Stern School of Business, New York University
 Sep 2011 “Social Mechanisms at Work” Workshop, Centre Culturel Suedois, Paris
 Sep 2011 New York University, Politics Department
 Aug 2011 American Sociological Association, Methodology
 June 2011 University of Oxford, Said Business School, Complex Dynamics Seminar
 June 2011 ENAS Conference, University of Paris – Sorbonne, Paris IV
 June 2011 University of Oxford, Nuffield College, Sociology Seminar
 May 2011 Ohio State University, Vision in Methodology Conference, Department of Political Science
 Apr 2011 Columbia University, Sociology Department
 Mar 2011 Bocconi University, Italy, Economics Department
 Mar 2011 University of Mannheim, Germany, Department of Sociology and Political Science
 Mar 2011 New York University, Stern School of Business
 Feb 2011 University of Chicago, Booth School of Business
 Feb 2011 New York University, Department of Sociology
 Jan 2011 Università di Palermo, Italy. Department of Political and Social Sciences

Dec 2011 Stanford University, Graduate School of Business
 Oct 2010 Princeton University, Center for the Study of Democratic Politics
 Oct 2010 Rassegna Italiana di Sociologia, “Il ruolo della sociologia” workshop, Milano, Italy
 Sep 2010 American Political Science Association, Networks & Public Opinion; Experiments
 Aug 2010 American Sociological Association, Political Networks; Religion and Politics
 July 2010 Sunbelt Conference, Riva del Garda, Italy
 July 2010 EGOS Conference, Lisbon, Portugal
 May 2010 Duke University, Political Networks Conference
 May 2010 Stanford University, Methods of Analysis Program in the Social Sciences
 Mar 2010 New York University, Department of Sociology
 Feb 2010 University of Notre Dame, iCeNSA, Distinguished Speaker Series on Social Networks
 Dec 2009 Istituto Carlo Alberto, Torino, Italy
 Oct 2009 50th Anniversary of the Rassegna Italiana di Sociologia, Bologna, Italy
 Sep 2009 American Political Science Association, Political Networks & Polarization
 Aug 2009 American Sociological Association, Theoretical Concepts in Social Networks: Status
 June 2009 University of Oxford, Said Business School, Complex Dynamics Seminar
 May 2009 University of California – Davis, Political Networks Workshop, Political Science Department
 May 2009 University of Oxford, Nuffield College, Social Networks Seminar & Sociology Seminar
 Apr 2009 SUNY Stony Brook, Sociology Department
 Mar 2009 Princeton University, Office of Population Research
 Nov 2008 Rutgers University, Network Models on Social and Biological Contagion, DIMACS working group
 Sep 2008 University of Pennsylvania, The Wharton School
 Aug 2008 American Sociological Association, Theory Conference and Political Sociology
 Jun 2008 Harvard University, Harvard Networks in Political Science Conference.
 May 2008 Consejo Superior de Investigaciones Cientificas, Madrid. Centro de Ciencias Humanas y Sociales
 May 2008 University of California-Berkeley, Department of Sociology
 Mar 2008 University of Milan, Department of Political and Social Science
 Jan 2008 Sunbelt XXVIII International Social Network Conference, St.Pete, Florida
 Dec 2007 Princeton University, Politics Department
 Nov 2007 Princeton University, Center for the Study of Democratic Politics
 Aug 2007 Academy of Management, Symposium on Community Dynamics and Social Network Structures
 May 2007 Woodrow Wilson School, Princeton Colloquium on Public and International Affairs,
 Mar 2007 Università di Torino, Turin, Italy. Department of Social Sciences
 Dec 2006 Stanford University, Graduate School of Business
 Nov 2006 University of Washington, Department of Sociology
 Nov 2006 Yale University, Department of Sociology
 Nov 2006 Princeton University, Department of Sociology
 Nov 2006 Harvard University, Department of Sociology
 Nov 2006 University of Chicago, Department of Sociology
 Oct 2006 University of California-Los Angeles,” Departments of Sociology
 May 2006 Università degli Studi di Roma “La Sapienza”, Dip. di Ricerca Sociale e Metodologia Sociologica
 Jan 2006 Sunbelt XXVI International Social Network Conference, Vancouver, Canada.
 Aug 2005 International Institute of Sociology, 37th World Congress, Stockholm.

- Aug 2005 American Sociological Association, Methodology
 Aug 2004 American Sociological Association, Social Movements
 Jun 2004 Sunbelt XXIV International Social Network Conference, Portoroz, Slovenia
 Sep 2003 SISP (Italian Society of Political Science) Annual Meeting
 May 2003 European Consortium for Political Research, Edinburgh

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Editorial Boards

- 2021- *Science* (Board of Editors)
 2023- *Rationality and Society* (Editorial Board)
 2019- *Sociologica* (Advisory Board)
 2013-2020 *Sociological Science* (Founder and Deputy Editor)
 2010-2012 *American Journal of Sociology* (Consulting Editor)
 2009-2011 *Sociological Theory* (Editorial Board)
 2009-2014 *World Politics* (Associate Editor)
 2007-2015 *Rassegna Italiana di Sociologia* (Editorial Board)
- 2015 - 16 Member of GEV 14 (Group of Evaluation Experts in the Political and Social Sciences) appointed by the Italian Ministry of Education (National Agency for the Evaluation of Universities and Research Institutes, ANVUR) to conduct a nationwide evaluation of the quality of research produced by universities and research centers.

Manuscript Reviewer

- Sociology: *American Journal of Sociology, American Sociological Review, Social Forces, Rationality and Society, Social Networks, Journal of Mathematical Sociology, Sociological Theory, Social Problems, Sociological Perspectives, Quality & Quantity, European Sociological Review, British Journal of Sociology, Rassegna Italiana di Sociologia, Polis, Stanford University Press, Oxford University Press.*
- Political Science: *American Political Science Review, American Journal of Political Science, Journal of Politics, World Politics, Electoral Studies, Political Studies, Rivista Italiana di Scienza Politica.*
- Others: *Nature, Science, Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences, PLOS ONE, Journal of Public Economics, Organization Science.*
- Grants: *National Science Foundation, European Research Council, Netherlands Organisation for Scientific Research, Russell Sage Foundation and others.*
- 2012- Reviewer for the Italian Evaluation of Research Quality task, appointed by the Italian Ministry of Education (National Agency for the Evaluation of Universities and Research Institutes, ANVUR).
- 2013-2016 Member of the Committee on Sections of the ASA
- 2013-2016 Secretary/Treasurer of the Economic Sociology Section of the ASA
- 2013-2016 Council Member of the Mathematical Sociology Section of the ASA
- 2011-2013 International Network of Analytical Sociologists (INAS), member of the Steering Committee and organizer, with Peter Bearman of the First INAS Conference (New York, 8-9 June 2012)
- 2009-10 Council Member of the Political Networks Section of the American Political Science Association and Member at Large of the Political Networks Group.
- 2003- Member of the Italian National Election Studies (Itanes) research group, recipient of Cofin Miur Research Grants (Italian “NSF”) for the study of public opinion and voting behavior.

- 2005 Consultant for *Transcrime*, “Media and Crime” research project, Trento, Italy.
- 2000-2001 Contribution to *Teorie Sociologiche classiche*, E.Rutigliano, Bollati Boringhieri, Torino, 2001. En. title: “Classical Sociological Theories.”
- 1996-1998 Contribution to *Le arti* and *Itinerari artistici*, (edited by) G.Dorfles, A. Pinotti, M. Ragazzi, C. Dalla Costa, ATLAS, Milano, 1998. En. titles: “Arts” and “Artistic Itineraries.”

TEACHING

New York University

- Introduction to Sociological Methods* (grad 2023f)
Social and Political Polarization (undergrad 2023s)
Capstone Seminar (undergrad 2021f, 2022s)
Micro-Macro Processes (grad 2016f)
Social Networks (undergrad 2015s, 2018s)
Social Network Theory (grad 2014f)
Proseminar (grad 2012f, grad 2021f)
Research and Writing Seminar (grad 2014s&f; 2016s&f, 2018s&f, 2022s&f)

Princeton University

- Research Seminar in Empirical Investigation* (grad. 2008f-2009s; 2010f-2011s)
Collective Behavior (grad. 2008s; 2010f)
Political Sociology (grad. 2008s)
Political Sociology (undergrad. 2007f-2008f)

DEPARTMENTAL AND UNIVERSITY SERVICE

New York University

- FAS Promotion and Tenure Committee* (2020-2022 Chair 2022-2024)
Search Committee Chair (2023)
Global Coordinator – NYU Sociology (2020-)
NYU – Florence Advisory Committee (2014-20; 2021-23)
Policy and Planning University Committee (2018-21)
Promotion and Tenure Committee – NYUAD (2016-2018)
Executive Advisory Committee (2013-14, 2017-19, 2020-22)
Recruitment and Personnel Committee (2012, 2015, co-Chair 2017)
Graduate Admission Committee – Chair (2015, 2024)
NYUAD Search Committee (2014)
Graduate Job Placement Committee - Chair (2014, 2016)

Dissertation, Chair or committee member (NYU): Stuart Perrett, Christina Nelson, Shannon Rieger, Emma Mishel, Jessica Kalbfeld, Erez Marantz, Barum Park, Jennifer Heerwig, Hassan El Menyawi.

Discussant / External Reader: Malte Lierl (Yale), Anna Mitschele, Kinga Makovi, Byungkyu Lee (Columbia), Johanna Gereke (EUI), Nicholas Sabin (Oxford), Kieran Douglas Mephram (ETH Zurich).

Princeton University

- University Committee on *Library and Computing*
 University Committee on *Public Lectures*

Graduate Program Committee

Departmental Seminar *Culture and Inequality* (organizer 2007-2008; 2008-2009)

Dissertation, Chair or committee member: Maria Abascal, Sergio Galaz-Garcia, Amir Goldberg, Emily Marshall, Phillip Connor.

Dissertation, external reader: Gregoire Mallard, Conrad Hackett, Rebecca Casciano.

Undergraduate supervisor.