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**Associate Professor of Political Philosophy**

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**AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION**

Normative Political Philosophy; Democratic Theory; Political Epistemology; Public Ethics; Gender Studies.

**AREAS OF COMPETENCE**

Oppression and Emancipatory Studies; Meta-ethics; Theories of Global Justice; History of Ethics and Political Philosophy.

**EMPLOYMENT**

- **2025- Associate Professor of Political Philosophy** at the Department of Political and Social Sciences, University of Pavia, Pavia.
- **2021-2025 Assistant Professor of Political Philosophy** (Tenure-Track) at the Department of Political and Social Sciences, University of Pavia, Pavia.
- **2019-2020 Assistant Professor of Political Philosophy** at the Department of Political Science, University of Campania Luigi Vanvitelli, Caserta.
- **2018-2019 Adjunct Professor** at the Department of Studies on Language and Culture, University of Modena and Reggio Emilia.
- **2015-2019 Postdoctoral Research Fellow** at the Department of Humanities, University of Piemonte Orientale “Amedeo Avogadro”, Vercelli.  
Supervisor: Prof. Anna Elisabetta Galeotti.  
Title of the research: *“Democracy and conflictual reasons. Analysis of deliberative and negotiation policies in the light of the epistemology of disagreement”*.
- **2013-2015 Postdoctoral Research Fellow** at the Department of Humanities, University of Piemonte Orientale “Amedeo Avogadro”, Vercelli.

Participant in the Project URBANITAS - European Science Foundation ERC\_Start-up Grant, University of Piemonte Orientale-Compagnia di San Paolo, [PMN\_call\_2012\_0052]. Principal Investigator: Prof. Anna Elisabetta Galeotti.

Title of the research: “*The public space as a public good. Negotiation and deliberative procedures for dealing with public conflicts among members of the majority and members of disadvantaged groups*”.

## EDUCATION

- 2010 - 2013     **Ph.D. in Political Theory** (grant awarding)  
Department of Politics, LUISS Guido Carli Libera Università Internazionale degli Studi Sociali, Rome.  
Thesis Title: *Reflective Agreement. A Nonideal Approach to Political Justification*  
Evaluation: Distinction.
- 2007 - 2009     **Master Degree in Philosophy**  
University of Piemonte Orientale “Amedeo Avogadro” - Dept. of Humanities  
Dissertation: *Justice without Truth. Analysis of a Reasonable Faith in the Possibility of an Aristocracy of All*.  
Supervisor: Prof. Anna Elisabetta Galeotti. External referee: Prof. Ian Carter.  
110/110 Magna cum laude with special honor (top mark).
- 2003 - 2006     **Bachelor Degree in Philosophy**  
University of Piemonte Orientale “Amedeo Avogadro” - Dept. of Humanities  
Dissertation: *Aesthetic and Interpretation*.  
110/110 Magna cum laude (top mark).

## VISITING POSITIONS

- Sept-Dec 2017     **Visiting Scholar** at Department of Philosophy, University of Massachusetts, Lowell.
- Sept-Dec 2014     **Visiting Scholar** at Department of Philosophy, Boston College.
- Sept-Dec 2012     **Visiting Scholar** at Department of Philosophy, University of California, San Diego.  
Research supervised by Prof. Dr. David Brink.
- Sept 2011-May 2012 **Visiting Scholar** at Department of Philosophy, Boston College.  
Research supervised by Prof. Dr. David Rasmussen.

## PUBLICATIONS

### Monographs

- 2023. *Relational Liberalism. Democratic Co-Authorship in a Pluralistic World*, Springer Nature, Philosophy and Politics - Critical Explorations Series, ISBN 978-3-031-22742-4; ISBN 978-3-031-22743-1 (eBook), DOI: 10.1007/978-3-031-22743-1.  
\*Reviewed and discussed in *Argumenta, Erasmus Journal for Philosophy and Economics, Ethical Theory and Moral Practice, Notizie di Politeia*.
- 2017. *Decisioni pubbliche e disaccordo. Giustificazioni e compromessi tra pari epistemici* (Public Decisions and Disagreement: Justification and Compromises among Epistemic Peers), LUISS University Press.  
\*Reviewed and discussed in *Biblioteca della Libertà* and *Notizie di Politeia*.

### Edited Volumes

- 2025. *Public Ethics for Real People. Toleration, Respect and Democratic Distortion*, edited by Enrico Biale, Federica Liveriero and Roberta Sala, Palgrave MacMillan, ISBN 978-3-031-81864-6, DOI: 10.1007/978-3-031-81865-3.
- 2019. *Un liberalismo per il XXI secolo: le sfide della contemporaneità* (A Liberalism for the XXI Century: how to face contemporary challenges), edited by Federica Liveriero and Beatrice Magni, *Quaderni di Biblioteca della Libertà*.
- 2018. *Democracy and Diversity*, edited by Enrico Biale; Anna Elisabetta Galeotti and Federica Liveriero, Routledge, ISBN 9780367519230 (republication of the CRISPP special issue as an edited volume, see below).

### Journal Symposia

- 2025. Forum Section in *Frontiers in Political Science* on “Populism and Trust: An Unbreakable Binomial?”, edited by Federica Liveriero and Dario Mazzola.
- 2024. Special Issue of *Phenomenology and Mind* (vol. 27, December 2024) on “Structural Injustice: Reflections on Social Groups, Identity and Intersectionality”, edited by Federica Liveriero and Ingrid Salvatore.
- 2017. Special issue of *Critical Review of International Social and Political Philosophy* (20, 5, May 2017) on “Democracy and Diversity”, edited by Enrico Biale; Anna Elisabetta Galeotti and Federica Liveriero,
- 2015. Forum Section in *Notizie di Politeia* (XXXI, 117, May 2015) on “Per una città democratica, nuovi modelli di partecipazione” (For a Democratic City: New Models of Participation), edited by Enrico Biale and Federica Liveriero.

### Articles in peer-reviewed journals

1. 2026. “Preposterous Fake News, the Breach of Democratic Trust, and Intellectual Humility”, *The Journal of Politics*, 88 (2), pp. 760-771, DOI: 10.1086/735174 (with A.E. Galeotti).

2. 2025. "Does it still make sense to invoke trust between democratic citizens?", *Ethics & Politics*, XXVII, 3, pp. 59-82 (with A.E. Galeotti).
3. 2024. "Il legno storto dell'umanità: quale equilibrio tra teoria ideale e teoria non ideale?" (The Crooked Timber of Humanity: re-assessing the equilibrium between ideal and non-ideal theory), *Rivista di Filosofia*, CXV, 2, pp. 223-240.
4. 2024. "Democratic Renewal: Emancipatory Struggles and Social Reform", *Contemporary Political Theory*, 23, pp. 433-455, DOI: 10.1057/s41296-023-00651-3 (with C. Fumagalli; E. Biale; et al.).
5. 2024. Introduction to the Special Issue: "Structural Injustice: Reflections on Social Groups, Identity and Intersectionality", *Phenomenology and Mind*, 27, pp. 12-20, DOI: 10.17454/pam-2703 (with I. Salvatore).
6. 2022. "Per una società senza arroganza: la meritocrazia come valore simbolico e non come ideologia" (For a Society Without Arrogance: an Argument Against Meritocracy as an Ideology), *Biblioteca della libertà*, LVII, 235, pp. 107-117, DOI: 10.23827/BDL\_2022\_12.
7. 2021. "Toleration as the Balance between Liberty and Security", *The Journal of Ethics*, 25, pp. 161-179, DOI: 10.1007/s10892-021-09363-5 (with A.E. Galeotti).
8. 2020. "Epistemic Injustice in the Political Domain: Powerless Citizens and Institutional Reform", *Ethical Theory and Moral Practice*, 23(5), pp. 797-813, DOI: 10.1007/s10677-020-10097-w.
9. 2020. "Reasonableness as a Virtue of Citizenship and the Opacity Respect Requirement", *Philosophy and Social Criticism*, 46 (8), pp. 901-921, DOI: 10.1177/0191453720903492.
10. 2019. "Newey and Rawls in Dialogue: The Limits of Justification and The Conditions of Toleration", *Biblioteca della libertà*, LIV, 226, pp. 49-60, DOI: 10.23827/BDL\_2019\_3\_6.
11. 2019. "The Social Bases of Self-respect. Political Equality and Epistemic Injustice", *Phenomenology and Mind*, Vol. 16, pp. 90-101, DOI: 10.13128/Phe\_Mi-26076.
12. 2018. "Does Epistemology Matter? Political Legitimacy in the Face of Disagreement", *LPF Annals*, n. 2, 2018, pp. 1-42.
13. 2017. "Habermas e Rawls: due modelli di legittimità a confronto" (Habermas and Rawls: Confronting Two Models of Legitimation), *Biblioteca della libertà*, LII, 220, pp. 129-163, DOI: 10.23827/BDL\_2017\_3\_3.
14. 2017. "Proceduralism and the Epistemic Dilemma of the Supreme Courts", *Social Epistemology*, 31 (3), pp. 310-323, DOI: 10.1080/02691728.2017.1317872 (with D. Santoro).
15. 2017. "A Multidimensional Account of Democratic Legitimacy: How to Make Robust Decisions in a Non-Idealized Deliberative Context" (with E. Biale), *Critical Review of International Social and Political Philosophy*, 20 (5), pp. 580-600, DOI: 10.1080/13698230.2017.1328090.
16. 2015. "L'estensione del diritto di matrimonio alle coppie omosessuali: un argomento normativo" (The Extension of the Right to Marry to Same-sex Couples: a Normative Argument), *Biblioteca della Libertà*, L, 214, pp. 53-68.

17. 2015. "Epistemic Dimension of Reasonableness", *Philosophy and Social Criticism*, 41 (6), pp. 517-535, DOI: 10.1177/0191453715576950.
18. 2015. "La città democratica – il locus primario per la negoziazione dello spazio pubblico" (Democratic Cities: how to deal with conflicts over the public space), *Notizie di Politeia*, XXXI, 117, pp. 70-79.
19. 2015. "Per una città democratica, nuovi modelli di partecipazione" (For a Democratic City: New Models of Participation), *Notizie di Politeia*, XXXI, 117, pp. 65-69 (with E. Biale).
20. 2015. "Open Negotiation: The Case of Same-sex Marriage", *LPF Annals*, n. 1, pp. 1-27, ISBN 978-88-943179-7-8. **Young Researchers Prize Winner.**
21. 2010. "Diverse Distribution of Public Space – A Public Good for Whom?", *Notizie di Politeia*, XXVI, 99, pp. 7-22.

### Articles in edited volumes

1. Forthcoming. "Libertà politica e giustizia epistemica tra cittadini. Una riflessione sull'antipotere e la contestazione democratica" (Political Freedom and Epistemic Justice Among Citizens. A Reflection on Antipower and Political Contestation), in G. Favara (ed.), *Libertà e democrazia deliberativa. Una prospettiva repubblicana*, Mimesis.
2. Forthcoming. "Politiche LGBTIQ+ in Europa: traiettorie di sviluppo, anomalie nazionali e limiti della convergenza sovranazionale" (LGBTIQ+ Policies in Europe: development patterns, national specificities, and the limits of supranational convergence), in .... (with M. Bordignon; P. Pansardi; E. Salvati).
3. 2026. "Tolleranza" (Toleration), in C. Del Bo, S. Pollo e P. Rumore (eds.), *Questioni filosofiche contemporanee*, Carocci Editore, pp. 217-231.
4. 2026. "Filosofia Politica" (Political Philosophy), in D. Migliorini, V. Tripodi (eds.), *Filosofia analitica femminista. Temi e prospettive*, Carocci Editore, pp. 93-106.
5. 2025. "Leadership politica e interessi di genere. Il caso di Giorgia Meloni" (Political Leadership and Gender Equality. The Italian Case of Giorgia Meloni), in P. Pansardi (ed.), *Genere e leadership politica. Le carriere politiche delle donne e delle persone LGBT+ in Italia*, Feltrinelli, pp. 176-200 (with S. Preda).
6. 2023. "Merito e equità nella filosofia contemporanea" (Equality and Desert in Contemporary Political Philosophy), in M. Ferrari and A. Maranesi (eds.), *Dizionario del merito nei processi educativi*, Brescia: Morcelliana, pp. 95-105.
7. 2022. "L'ethos democratico tra disaccordo, scelte collettive e fiducia epistemica" (Democratic Ethos: a discussion over disagreement, collective choices and epistemic trust), in G. Bistagnino (ed.), *Il disaccordo nella scienza e nella politica. Conflitti e dispute tra esperti e cittadini*, Pisa: Pisa University Press, pp. 157-179.
8. 2022. "La post-verità e le condizioni di possibilità della politica: Hannah Arendt e John Rawls in dialogo" (Post-truth and the Circumstances of Politics: Hannah Arendt and John Rawls in

Dialogue), *Italian Society of Political Philosophy Association Annual Meeting Proceedings*, Milano: Mimesis Edizioni, pp. 223-232 (with G. Bistagnino).

### Short commentaries

1. 2026. "In the Midst of a Crisis: Relational Liberalism and the Contemporary Challenges to Democratic Legitimacy", *American Philosophical Association (APA) Blog on Democratic Perspectives*, January 2026, <https://blog.apaonline.org/2026/01/21/in-the-midst-of-a-crisis-relational-liberalism-and-the-contemporary-challenges-to-democratic-legitimacy/>
2. 2025. "Inclusivismo politico e legittimità democratica: una sfida liberale" (Political Inclusion and Democratic Legitimacy: a Challenge for Liberalism), *Notizie di Politeia*, XLI, 160, pp. 161-165.
3. 2025. Book review of: Fumagalli C. and Ottonelli V. (eds.): *Votare o no. La pratica democratica del voto, tra diritto individuale e scelta collettiva*, *Ethical Theory and Moral Practice*, 25, pp. 661-663, DOI: 10.1007/s10677-025-10490-3.
4. 2025. "La scommessa del liberalismo relazionale tra co-autorialità democratica e circostanze non ideali della giustizia" (The Wager of Relational Liberalism: between Democratic Co-authorship and the Non-ideal Circumstances of Justice), *Notizie di Politeia*, XLI, 158, pp. 210-214.
5. 2023. "La grammatica del costituzionalismo: una riflessione su alcune sfide del modello liberal-democratico al vaglio della realtà" (Constitutionalism and Its Gramma: a reflection on the liberal model against nonideal circumstances), *Notizie di Politeia*, XXXIX, 149, pp. 139-143.
6. 2019. "Legittimità democratica, giustificazioni pubbliche e parità epistemica. Una replica a Baccarini e Pasquali" (Democratic Legitimacy, Public Justification and Epistemic Parity: a Reply to Baccarini and Pasquali), *Notizie di Politeia*, XXXV, 136, pp. 215-218.
7. 2019. "Ragioni di giustizia e stabilità politica: l'estensione del diritto di matrimonio alle coppie dello stesso sesso" (Reasons of Justice and Political Stability: Arguments for Marriage Equality), *Notizie di Politeia*, XXXV, 135, 2019, pp. 191-193.
8. 2019. "La contemporaneità di Rawls: il sottile equilibrio tra normatività e contesto politico" (Rawls and the XXI Century: How to Strike a Balance Between Normativity and Political Contexts), *Notizie di Politeia*, XXXV, 134, 2019, pp. 29-33.
9. 2017. "Introduction: democracy, diversity", *Critical Review of International Social and Political Philosophy*, 20 (5), pp. 529-536, DOI: 10.1080/13698230.2017.1328087 (with E. Biale; A.E. Galeotti).

### RESEARCH PROJECT, GRANTS AND AWARDS

#### Individual Research Project

2019-2020     **Principal Researcher** for the project *Smart, Secure and Inclusive Communities* (Grant number: AIM1813255-1) developed by the Department of Political Science "Jean Monnet" of the University of Campania and funded by the Italian Ministry of

Education and University (MIUR). This project is supported by the Italian National Operational Programme on “Research and Innovation” PON (2014-2020), which is largely funded by the European Fund for Regional Development and the European Social Fund.

### Collaborative Research Grants

- 2024-2025     **Project of Relevant National Interest (PRIN PNRR\_2022)** “The institutionalization of LGBTIQ+ equality in EU countries between advancements and oppositions: policies, actors, arenas”.  
ERC panel: SH\_Social Science and Humanities.  
Principal Investigator: Prof. Prearo Massimo.  
**Participant as Research Fellow.** Research Unit of the University of Pavia.
- 2024-2025     **Project of Relevant National Interest (PRIN\_2022)** “Reconceptualising immigration: from exceptionality to normality”.  
ERC panel: SH\_Social Science and Humanities.  
Principal Investigator: Prof. Valeria Ottonelli.  
**Participant as Research Fellow.** Research Unit of the University of Pavia.
- 2023-2024     **Inequality Research Grants Founded by Fondazione Cariplo: “GENPOLEAD” - “Assessing obstacles and inequalities in gender and LGBT+ political leadership and careers: an intersectional perspective”.**  
ERC panel: SH\_Social Science and Humanities.  
Principal Investigator: Prof.ssa Pamela Pansardi.  
Grant: €169.065 euro.  
**Participant as Research Fellow.** Research Unit of the University of Pavia.
- 2020-2023     **Project of Relevant National Interest (PRIN\_2017)** “Deceit and Self-Deception. How We Should Address Fake News and Other Cognitive Failures of the Democratic Public”.  
ERC panel: SH\_Social Science and Humanities.  
Principal Investigator: Prof. Anna Elisabetta Galeotti.  
**Participant as Research Fellow.** Research Unit of the University of Pavia.
- 2016-2019     **Project of Relevant National Interest (PRIN\_2015)** “*Transformation of Sovereignty, forms of “governmentality” and governance in the global era*”.  
ERC panel: SH\_Social Science and Humanities.  
Scientific Coordinator: Prof. Francesco Tuccari.  
**Participant as Research Fellow.** Research Unit of the University Eastern Piedmont, Vercelli.
- 2013-2015     **Project URBANITAS:** “Urban diversity: How to reconcile inclusion and stability in pluralistic cities”.  
**European Science Foundation ERC\_Start-up Grant**, University of Piemonte Orientale-Compagnia di San Paolo, [PMN\_call\_2012\_0052].  
Principal Investigator: Prof. Elisabetta Galeotti.  
Grant: € 95.700.

**Participant as Junior Research Fellow.**

- 2010-2012    **Project of Relevant National Interest (PRIN\_2008)** “*Toleration and Urban Space: what promotes integration and avoid segregation?*”.  
 Research Area: Social Sciences and Humanities.  
 Scientific Coordinator: Prof. Salvatore Veca,  
**Participant as Research Affiliate.** Research Unit of the University Eastern Piedmont, Vercelli.

**Individual Grants**

- 2022 20-26 February    Funding Institution: European Commission, Erasmus+ Scheme for Teaching Staff Mobility.  
 Teaching activity at the Faculty of Humanities and Social Science, University of Rijeka.
- 2013 May-August    Funding Institution: Rosselli Foundation.  
 Research activity for socio-historical and political analyses.
- 2012 April-June    Funding Institution: Center for Research & Documentation “Luigi Einaudi”.  
 Supervision and organization of meetings among different academic institutions with the aim of establishing a philosophy doctorate consortium among the universities of the North-Western region of Italy. These meetings have led to the constitution of the FINO Ph.D. Program in 2013.

**Awards**

- 2016    **SIFA** (Italian Society for Analytic Philosophy) **Young Scholar Prize** for the best paper submitted in the area of practical philosophy by a young scholar at the XII SIFA Conference, 5-7 September 2016, Pistoia. Title of the paper: “What are the democratic bases of equality? Epistemic parity and political disagreement”.  
 Award: € 250.
- 2015    **Young Researchers Prize Winner**, «*Biblioteca della libertà*» Journal – Working Papers series organized by the *Laboratory of Comparative Politics and Public Philosophy*, for the article “Open Negotiation: The Case of Same-sex Marriage”.  
 Award: € 500.

**Other Qualifications**

- 20/09/2023    **National Scientific qualification as Full Professor** in the Italian higher education system for the disciplinary field of 14/A1 – Political Philosophy (GSPS-01/A).
- 2026-2028    **Coordinator of the Ethics and Political Philosophy Curriculum** of the PhD Program in Philosophy FINO.
- 2025-on    **Member of the Steering Committee** of the Research Center on Migration Recognition Gender Diversity (MERGED).



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| <u>2024-on</u>   | <b>Vice President of the Steering Committee</b> of the Italian Society for Women in Philosophy (SWIP Italia).                    |
| <u>2024-on</u>   | <b>Member of the Board of the Work Package 7 - EC2U</b> (European Campus of City-University) Project, Pavia UNIT Representative. |
| <u>2020-on</u>   | <b>Member of the Board of Teachers of the PhD Program in Philosophy FINO.</b>                                                    |
| <u>2023-2025</u> | <b>Member of the Board of Directors of the Italian Association of Lecturers</b> (ARTeD).                                         |
| <u>2021-2024</u> | <b>Secretary of the Steering Committee</b> of the Italian Society for Women in Philosophy (SWIP Italia).                         |
| <u>2018-2021</u> | <b>Member of the Steering Committee</b> of the Italian Society for Analytic Philosophy (SIFA).                                   |

### AFFILIATIONS

**ASPP – Association for Social and Political Philosophy** – Member of the society

**FIERI – International and European Forum on Immigration Research** – Research Affiliates

**SIFP – Italian Society of Political Philosophy** – Member of the society

**SIFA – Italian Society of Analytic Philosophy** – Member of the society

**SWIP – Italian Society for Women in Philosophy** – Member of the society

### PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

#### Editorial Positions

- 2024-on Member of the Editorial Board of *Philosophy and Public Issue*.
- 2022-on Member of the Editorial Board of *Philosophy and Social Criticism*.
- 2019-on Section Editor (Political Philosophy) of *Argumenta*, the journal of the Italian Society for Analytic Philosophy (SIFA).
- 2021-2024 Member of the Editorial Board of *Aphex* an online peer-reviewed journal on Analytical and Philosophical Explanation. ISSN: 2036-9972.
- 2020-2024 Managing Editor of *Biblioteca della Libertà*.
- 2016-2024 Member of the Editorial Board of *Biblioteca della Libertà*.

#### Referee Work

- Paper Reviewer for: *American Political Science Review*, *Argumenta*, *Australasian Journal of Philosophy*, *Biblioteca della Libertà*, *Critical Review of International Social and Political Philosophy*, *Democratic Theory*, *Educational Philosophy and Theory*, *Episteme*, *Ethics & Global Politics*, *Ethics & Politics*, *Ethics, Politics & Society*, *Ethical Theory and Moral Practice*, *European Journal of Political Theory*, *Inquiry: An Interdisciplinary Journal of*

*Philosophy, Journal of the American Philosophical Association, Journal of Ethics and Social Philosophy, Journal of Homosexuality, Journal of Moral Philosophy, Journal of Politics, Notizie di Politeia, Paradigmi, Il Pensiero, Phenomenology and Mind, Philosophy and Public Issue, Philosophies, Philosophy and Social Criticism, Politica & Società, Politics. Rivista di Studi Politici, Quaderni di scienza politica, Ragion Pratica, Ratio Juris, Res Publica, Rivista di estetica, Rivista di filosofia, Rivista Italiana di Filosofia Politica, Rivista di Studi Politici, Social Epistemology, Social Theory and Practice, Theoria, Theory & Psychology.*

- Book manuscript reviewer for: Palgrave Macmillan; Springer.
- Peer review evaluation of research proposals for: European Research Council (ERC).

### TEACHING EXPERIENCES

- 2026-2027     **Lecturer**, Department of Social and Political Science – University of Pavia  
B.A. Course: Environmental Ethics and Intergenerational Justice (40 Hours, 6 CFU)  
M.A. Course: Contemporary Democratic Theory (40 Hours, 6 CFU)  
M.A. Course: Public Ethics (40 hours, 6 CFU)
- Lecturer**, IUSS - School for Advanced Studies Pavia  
Seminar Course: Gender Studies, Social Dynamics and Politics (10 Hours)
- 2025-2026     **Lecturer**, Department of Social and Political Science – University of Pavia  
B.A. Course: Environmental Ethics and Intergenerational Justice (40 Hours, 6 CFU)  
B.A. Course: Contemporary Democratic Theory (20 Hours, 3 CFU)  
M.A. Course: Public Ethics (40 hours, 6 CFU)
- 2024-2025     **Lecturer**, Department of Social and Political Science – University of Pavia  
B.A. Course: Environmental Ethics and Intergenerational Justice (40 Hours, 6 CFU)  
B.A. Course: Contemporary Democratic Theory (20 Hours, 3 CFU)  
M.A. Course: Public Ethics (40 hours, 6 CFU)
- 2023-2024     **Lecturer**, Department of Social and Political Science – University of Pavia  
B.A. Course: Environmental Ethics and Intergenerational Justice (40 Hours, 6 CFU)  
M.A. Course: Public Ethics (40 hours, 6 CFU)
- 2022-2023     **Lecturer**, Department of Social and Political Science – University of Pavia  
B.A. Course: Contemporary Democratic Theory (20 hours, 3 CFU)

M.A. Course: Public Ethics (40 hours, 6 CFU)

Ph.D. Course: Introduction to Metaethics (10 hours)

2021-2022     **Lecturer**, Department of Social and Political Science – University of Pavia

B.A. Course: Equality, Democracy and Epistocracy (20 hours, 3 CFU)

M.A. Course: Public Ethics (40 hours, 6 CFU)

2020-2021     **Lecturer**, Department of Social and Political Science – University of Pavia

M.A. Course: Public Ethics (40 hours, 6 CFU)

2020-2021     **Lecturer**, Department of Political Science – University of Campania Luigi Vanvitelli

M.A. Course: Philosophy of Immigration (36 hours, 6 CFU)

M.A. Course: Global Justice and Human Rights (36 hours, 6 CFU)

2019-2020     **Lecturer**, Department of Political Science – University of Campania Luigi Vanvitelli

M.A. Course: Philosophy of Immigration (36 hours, 6 CFU)

Ph.D. Course: Political Philosophy (36 hours, 6 CFU)

2018-2019     **Adjunct Professor**, Department of Studies on Language and Culture, University of Modena and Reggio Emilia

B.A. Course: Introduction to Philosophy of Language (54 hours, 9 CFU)

2012-2019     **Teaching Assistant** (weekly discussion sections of 15-20 students each, including papers grading and oral examinations) - University of Piemonte Orientale “Amedeo Avogadro”

Courses:

**Political Philosophy** (B.A. Level, 16 hours, 3 CFU)

**Public Ethics** (M.A. Level, 36 hours, 6 CFU)

2008            **Academic Tutor** (Annual Award Winner). Academic and tutoring tasks and responsibilities involved: production of lectures; tests and exams evaluation; complete assistance and support to students on several and complex issues. Ethics and Moral Philosophy classes.

#### CONFERENCES AND SEMINARS ORGANIZED

- Chair for the thematic panel “A Legitimacy Crisis: How to Face Democratic Backsliding and Mistrust in Contemporary Politics” sponsored by the ECPR Standing Group in Political Theory, *Annual ECPR Conference*, Jagiellonian University, Kraków, 8-11 September 2026.
- *Italian Society for Women in Philosophy* (SWIP IT) *VI Annual Meeting*, “Prospettive femministe sul potere”, Keynote speakers: Lisa Bortolotti (University of Birmingham,

University of Ferrara), Alasia Nuti (University of York) and Maria Silvia Vaccarezza (University of Genova), University of Pavia, 13-14 November 2025.

- *XXIII Graduate Conference in Political Philosophy*, Keynote speakers: Maria Paola Ferretti (University of Mainz) and Kasper Lippert-Rasmussen (University of Aarhus), University of Pavia, 18-19 September 2025.
- International Workshop *Immigration and the Liberal State*, Speakers: Ludvig Beckman (Stockholm University); Lior Erez (University of Oxford); Corinna Mieth (Ruhr-Universität Bochum); Angela Taraborelli (University of Cagliari), University of Pavia, 12 February 2025.
- *XXII Graduate Conference in Political Philosophy*, Keynote speakers: Jeff McMahan (University of Oxford) and Laura Valentini (Ludwig Maximilians Universität, München). University of Pavia, 24-25 September 2024.
- *Italian Society for Women in Philosophy (SWIP IT) IV Annual Meeting*, “Genere e biologia: dal corpo al contesto”, Keynote speakers: Chiara Cappelletto (Università di Milano, Statale), Pieranna Garavaso (University of Minnesota Morris), Valentina Pazé (Università di Torino), University of Turin, 9-10 November 2023.
- *XXI Graduate Conference in Political Philosophy*, Keynote speakers: Roberta Sala (Vita-Salute San Raffaele University) and Daniel Weinstock (McGill University). University of Pavia, 6-7 September 2023.
- *Italian Society for Women in Philosophy (SWIP IT) III Annual Meeting*, “Forme di ingiustizia”, Keynote speakers: Anna Boncompagni (UC Irvine) and Anna Elisabetta Galeotti (University of Eastern Piedmont), University of Salerno (Fisciano), 20-21 October 2022.
- *XX Graduate Conference in Political Philosophy*, Keynote speakers: Massimo Renzo (King’s College London) and Miriam Ronzoni (University of Manchester). University of Pavia, 12-13 September 2022.
- *Shaping the future: What Is the Role of Philosophy?* 14<sup>th</sup> Conference of the Italian Society for Analytic Philosophy (SIFA). Keynote speakers: Elizabeth Fricker (University of Oxford); Margaret Gilbert (University of California, Irvine); Dan Sperber (Institut Nicod, Paris); Sarah Stroud (University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill). 22-24 September 2021, University of Messina, Noto (SR), Italy.
- *XIX Graduate Conference in Political Philosophy*, Keynote speakers: Gianfranco Pellegrino (LUISS University, Rome) and Alessandra Tanesini (Cardiff University). University of Pavia, 17-18 September 2021.
- *VI Permanent Seminar of Practical Normativity: Rational Action and Moral Agency*. Keynote Speaker: Micheal Smith (Princeton University). 11 June 2021, Ghislieri College, Pavia (conference online).
- *IV Permanent Seminar of Practical Normativity: Dimension of Transitional Justice*. Keynote Speakers: Emanuela Ceva (University of Pavia) and Coleen Murphy (University of Illinois). 21 March 2019, Ghislieri College, Pavia.
- *Philosophical Perspectives*. 13<sup>th</sup> Conference of the Italian Society for Analytic Philosophy (SIFA). Keynote Speakers: Carlotta Pavese (Duke University, North Carolina); Tim Crane (Central European University, Budapest). 4-7 September 2018, University of Piemonte Orientale, Novara, Italy.
- Conference – *Toleration, Security and Realism. Conference on the Political Theory of Glen Newey*.

8 June 2018, Centro Einaudi, Torino.

- Conference – *Theories of Modus Vivendi*. Keynote speakers: John Horton (Keele University); Alessandro Ferrara (University of Rome “Tor Vergata”).  
10 November 2017, Centro Einaudi, Torino.
- Workshop - *How to deal with Disagreement: Liberal Legitimacy and Compromise*. Keynote Speakers: Enzo Rossi (University of Amsterdam); Christian Rostbøll (University of Copenhagen).  
16 May 2017, in collaboration with University of Milan, Department of Political, Economic and Social Sciences and the Journal *Biblioteca della Libertà*.
- International Conference – *Emotions in Politics: From Self-Knowledge to Recognition of Others*. Keynote Speakers: Christine Tappolet (University of Montreal), Fabrice Teroni (University of Geneva).  
11 May 2017, University of Piemonte Orientale, Humanities Department, Vercelli.
- Workshop - *Democratic Inclusion: a philosophical debate over political boundaries*. Keynote Speaker: Rainer Bauböck (European University Institute).  
20 April 2017, Centro Einaudi, Torino.
- Conference - *Nuove frontiere della città: spazi, diversità, conflitti*. Keynote Speakers: Antonella Besussi (University of Milan); Anna Loretoni (Sant’Anna School of Advanced Studies); Elena Pulcini (University of Florence).  
2 October 2015, University of Piemonte Orientale, Humanities Department, Vercelli.  
Final Conference for the research project URBANITAS.
- International Workshop - *An Inclusive Polis: Values, Procedures and Policies*, Keynote Speaker: Daniel Weinstock (McGill University).  
9-10 April 2014. Workshop organized as an activity of the URBANITAS Project. University of Piemonte Orientale, Humanities Department, Vercelli and Fondazione Rosselli, Torino.
- 2013-2015 Member of the Committee for the organization of a yearlong *Seminar in Political Thought*, Centro Einaudi, Torino.
- 2012-2013 Seminar Series on *Public Reasons and Public Space*, University of Piemonte Orientale, Humanities Department, Vercelli.
- Mark Sachs Lecture, Annual meeting of the editorial board of the Journal *European Journal of Philosophy*, Invited Speaker: Avishai Margalit on *Why Are You Betraying Your Class?*  
14-15 May 2010, University of Piemonte Orientale, Humanities Department, Vercelli

## CONFERENCES AND SEMINARS PRESENTATIONS

### Refereed

- 2026 • “Democratic Backsliding and the Breach of Trust among Citizens: How to Avoid a Vicious Circle”, *ECPR Political Theory Seminar 2025-2026*, 15 April.
- 2024 • “Democratic Backsliding and the Breach of Trust among Citizens: How to Avoid a Vicious Circle”, *37th Annual Conference Italian Society for Political Science (SISP)*, University of Trieste, 12-14 September.
- 2023 • “Preposterous Fake News, the Breach of Democratic Trust and the Civic Virtue of Reasonableness” (with Anna Elisabetta Galeotti), Conference *The democratic containment of fake news and bad beliefs*, LUISS University, Rome, 26-27 October.

- “Structural Injustices and Culpable Ignorance: A Worrisome Liaison”, *15th Conference of the Italian Society for Analytic Philosophy (SIFA)*, University of Eastern Piedmont, Alessandria, 7-9 September.
  - “Structural Injustices and Culpable Ignorance: A Worrisome Liaison”, *16th Conference of the International Society for Utilitarian Studies “Utilitarianism and the Philosophy of Today”* LUISS University, Rome, 5-7 June.
- 2022 • “I diritti delle generazioni future e l’ideale della ragione pubblica: un’impossibilità o un’opportunità?”, *Political Philosophy and the Way of the World, Italian Society for Political Philosophy National Conference*, Rome, 1-3 December.
- 2021 • “Political Legitimacy and Disagreement: for a Reflective Agreement under Nonideal Circumstances”, *After Justice: John Rawls’ Legacy in the 21st Century*, University of Bucharest, 5-6 November (online conference due to COVID-19 emergency).
- “Democrazia social: autorità epistemiche e scelte pubbliche”, *VIII Conference of The Italian Society for Social Studies of Science and Technology*, Trieste, June 17-19 (online conference due to COVID-19 emergency).
- 2020 • “Political Agency in Non-Ideal Circumstances: Democratic Equality and Epistemic Injustice”, *10th European Congress for Analytic Philosophy*, August 24-28 (online conference due to COVID-19 emergency).
- 2019 • “Verità, politica e amicizia tra John Rawls e Hannah Arendt” (with Giulia Bistagnino), *Italian Society for Political Philosophy National Conference*, Milan, 21-23 November.
- “Political Agency in Non-Ideal Circumstances: Democratic Equality and Epistemic Injustice”, *Epistemic Injustice, Reasons and Agency*, SWIP-UK, Annual Conference, University of Kent, May 1-2.
- 2018 • “How to Deal with Disagreement: Agent-relative Reasons in Favor of Toleration” (with Anna Elisabetta Galeotti), *Association for Social and Political Philosophy 2018 Annual Conference*, LUISS University and Sapienza University, Rome, June 21-23.
- “Political Agency in Non-Ideal Circumstances: the Epistemic Dimension of Political Equality and the Epistemic forms of Injustice”, *Unpacking Political Agency. Equality, Vulnerability, Discrimination*. San Raffaele Spring School of Philosophy 2018 (SRSSP 2018), University Vita-Salute San Raffaele, Milan, June 5-7.
- 2017 • “Compromise among unbalanced forces: the role of parties in mitigating the effects of asymmetrical relations of power” (with Enrico Biale), *Conference - Compromise and Representation*, University of Copenhagen, Copenhagen, December 12-14.
- “Political Management of Deep Disagreement: The Value of Tolerance” (with A.E. Galeotti), Second Meeting of the Permanent Seminar on Practical Normativity, Collegio Ghislieri, Pavia, March 31.
- 2016 • “Proceduralism and the Epistemic Dilemma of the Supreme Courts” (with D. Santoro), *XXX Conference of the Italian Political Science Association (SISP)*, University of Milan, Milan, September 15-17.
- “What are the democratic bases of equality? Epistemic parity and political disagreement”, XII SIFA Conference, Pistoia, September 5-7.
- Winner of the SIFA Young Scholar Prize.**

- “What Are the Democratic Basis of Equality? Proceduralism and Epistemic Peerhood”, *4th International Conference of the Group for Social Engagement Studies*, Institute for Philosophy and Social Theory, University in Belgrade, Belgrade, May 4-6.
- 2015 • “What Are the Democratic Basis of Equality? Proceduralism and Epistemic Peerhood”, VI Meetings on Ethics and Political Philosophy, University of Minho, Braga, June 8-9.
- “A dualist account of democratic legitimation: the authority shared by epistemic peers in a pluralistic society”, Association for Social and Political Philosophy 2015 Annual Conference, University of Amsterdam, Amsterdam, June 25-26 (with E. Biale).
- 2014 • “Proceduralism and the Epistemic Dilemma of Supreme Courts” (with D. Santoro), Conference - Deliberation after consensus: Democracy, epistemic quality and public discourse, Fondation Maison des Sciences de l’homme, Paris, November 20-21.
- “The Epistemic Authority of Deliberation: The Tension between Instrumental and Procedural Account” (with E. Biale), Workshop - An Inclusive Polis: Values, Procedures and Policies, organized as an activity of the URBANITAS Project, University of Piemonte Orientale, Vercelli and Torino, April 9-10.
- “Open Negotiation: The Case of Same-sex Marriage”, Association for Legal and Social Philosophy 2014 Annual Conference, Leeds University, Leeds, July 1-2.
- 2012 • “An Anti-Platonic Account of Moral Justification” - X Pavia Graduate Conference in Political Philosophy, University of Pavia, Pavia, September 2-3.
- “A Moderate View in Epistemology: Political Justification in Non-idealized Circumstances”, Brave New World - Graduate Conference, University of Manchester, Manchester, June 27-28.

### As invited speaker

- 2026 • “Pregiudizi, aspettative sociali e standard pubblici: la dimensione politica del sesso”, *Workshop on Amia Srinivasan’s Philosophy*, Vita-Salute San Raffaele University, 9 June.
- “Does it still make sense to invoke trust between democratic citizens?”, *Workshop on Reasonableness: Old Virtue for a New Era*, Vita-Salute San Raffaele University, 30 January.
- 2025 • “The Social Bases of Self-Respect. Political Equality and Structural Forms of Injustice”, *Redistribution, Recognition and Beyond*, Ruhr University Bochum, Bochum, 4-5 July.
- “Democracy and Truth: is There an Intrinsic Tension? How to Mend the Breach of Trust among Citizens”, *Truth, Politics, and Disagreement*, University of Bologna, Bologna, 9-11 June.
- “Structural Injustices and Culpable Ignorance: A Worrisome Liaison”, *New Work in Political Philosophy II*, Leiden University, Leiden, 18-19 February.
- 2024 • Illustration of the SWIP-Italy (Italian Society for Women in Philosophy) *Good Practice Scheme*, University of Torino, April 12.
- “Preposterous Fake News, the Breach of Democratic Trust and the Civic Virtue of Reasonableness” (con Anna Elisabetta Galeotti), Practical Philosophy Lab, University Vita-Salute San Raffaele, Milano, March 26.
- 2023 • “Democrazia, rappresentanza politica e scelte pubbliche: il ruolo dei partiti”, *Workshop I Partiti: istituzioni, associazioni, movimenti*, University of Pavia and Collegio Ghislieri, Pavia, 10 October.

- “Political Solutions to Disagreement: Intellectual Modesty and the Practice of Toleration” presented at the *Summer School Equality and Citizenship*, University of Rijeka, 12-16 June.
  - Round Table on Federica Liveriero *Relational Liberalism. Democratic Co-Authorship in a Pluralistic World*. Participants: Alessandro Ferrara; Elisabetta Galeotti; Federica Liveriero; Luca Moretti. University of Eastern Piedmont, Vercelli, 5 June.
- 2022
- Workshop on Desert and Educational Practices, Collegio Ghislieri, University of Pavia, 11 October.
  - EDEN Seminar on *The Critical Analysis of Constitutionalism* organized by the Department of Law “Cesare Beccaria”, University of Milan, 7 September.
  - Invited as Keynote Speaker at the Workshop *Democratic Equality* organized by the University of Rijeka, Faculty of Humanities and Social Science, 24-25 February 2022. Title of the presentation: “Political Agency in Non-Ideal Circumstances: Democratic Equality and the Challenge of Structural Forms of Injustice”.
- 2021
- Book symposium on Sofia Näsström’s book *The Spirit of Democracy: Corruption, Disintegration, Renewal* (Oxford University Press 2021), invited as discussant of the book, University of Genoa, October 21<sup>st</sup>.
  - “Political Legitimacy and Disagreement: in between the Co-authorship Model and Epistemic Parity”, *Summer School on Equality and Citizenship*, University of Rijeka, 12-16 July 2021.
  - *Il disaccordo: nella scienza e nella politica*, Seminar series organized by the Associazione nuova civiltà delle macchine, Forlì, 25 March.
- 2020
- *Transitional Justice and Democracy*, International Research Workshop, LUISS University, Rome, June 15.
  - (as a discussant) Australian Catholic University. Rome Seminar Series, *The Liberty of Individuals and The Security of Nations*, Conveners: Robert Audi (University of Notre Dame); James McLaren (ACU), Rome Campus, 12 – 14 March 2020 (\*postponed due to Covid-19 emergency).
- 2019
- Workshop “Democrazia vulnerabile. Potenzialità e rischi della web politics”, Vita-Salute San Raffaele University, Milan, December 10-11.
  - Workshop on *Equality, Sufficiency and Discrimination*, LUISS University, Rome, 14-15 February.
- 2018
- Workshop organized for celebrating 25 years from the publication of Rawls’ *Political Liberalism*, Centro Studi Politeia, Milano, October 11.
  - “Agency politica e razionalità: vulnerabilità e forme strutturali di ingiustizia”, *Mercoledì Filosofici del Maino*, University of Pavia, May 16.
  - “Rationality and Reasonableness in Practice: the Epistemic Basis of Political Equality”, International conference on *Rationality and Reasonableness*, University of Cologne, Cologne, April 9-10.
- 2017
- Workshop on “Peace beyond Justice. Compromise and Modus Vivendi”, Vita-Salute San Raffaele University, Milan, March 20-21.
  - “Mantenere l'integrità morale in un contesto di disaccordo profondo: il caso dell'obiezione di coscienza”, *Mercoledì Filosofici del Maino*, University of Pavia, Pavia, February 8.
- 2015
- “La differenza e l’uguaglianza”, workshop organized for the International Day Against Homophobia, Transphobia and Biphobia, University of Torino, May 16.



- “Individual Freedom and Representative Democracy. John Stuart Mill”, Seminar on Political Thought, Centro Einaudi, Torino, January 29.

2014 • Lectio on Jonathan Quong *Liberalism without Perfection*, Graduate Class in Political Philosophy, Boston College, 2014 Fall Term.

- “The Epistemic Dimension of Reasonableness”, Graduate Seminar, LUISS University, Rome, May 13.

- “Equality VS Difference. Iris Marion Young and the Possibility of Attaining Equality While Looking for Differences”, Seminar in Political Thought, Centro Einaudi, Torino, March 27.

2013 • “Reflective Agreement: Public Justification in Nonideal Theory”, Mercoledì Filosofici del Maino, University of Pavia, April 10.

2012 • “Reflective Agreement in Nonideal Theory”, Seminar on Social Philosophy, University of Piemonte Orientale, March 27.

Pavia, July 2026