

Enrico Fravega - Curriculum vitae

Affiliation

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(Sociology of culture and communication)

Current position

Fixed term **Researcher and Assistant Professor** (RTD-A) at the **University of Genoa, DISFOR - Dipartimento di Scienze della Formazione** (*Department of Education Sciences*). **Member of the DISFOR Department Council. Member of the SOLROUTES** research group (www.solroutes.eu). Member of the **Visual Sociology Research Group** (www.laboratoriosociologiavisuale.it) of the **University of Genoa** (2014-Today).

Research interests

Migration studies; border studies; informal urbanism; solidarities and mobilities; music and migration.

Education

He gained a **PhD in Social Sciences** (Curriculum "Migration and Intercultural Processes") at the **University of Genoa** (2018). Dissertation title: "**L'abitare migrante**." Topic: A multiscale and longitudinal analysis of migrants' housing and homemaking practices with a focus on migrants' housing pathways. Supervisor: Prof. Luca Queirolo Palmas. *November 2014-May 2018*.

He obtained an **MA Degree in Political Sciences** at the **University of Genoa** in 1993. Dissertation title: "**La comunicazione strategica nelle crisi ambientali**". Topic: An analysis of corporate and media communication during the environmental crisis, with a case study on the media communication regarding the sinking of MT Haven (Genoa, 1991). Supervisor: Prof. Giorgio Sola. Grade: 110/110 *cum laude*.

Career summary

He has substantial expertise as a social researcher, having collaborated with both academic and non-academic institutions, primarily in the fields of migration and labour market dynamics. His methodological competencies encompass a wide array of qualitative research techniques, including focus groups, biographical interviewing, participatory approaches (e.g., European Awareness Scenario Workshop), and ethnographic research work in complex contexts such as reception centres and border zones (in Italy and abroad). In addition, he is adept at the application of creative and arts-based methods.

He has considerable experience designing, coordinating, and directing mixed-methods research projects and demonstrates a comprehensive understanding of interdisciplinary research frameworks. Over the course of his professional trajectory, he has also assumed responsibility for the development of information systems, the implementation of project evaluation protocols, and the overall management and coordination of European Union-funded projects.

Academic career

Assistant professor at the **University of Genoa, Dipartimento di Scienze della Formazione**. (*February 2024-today*).

Post-doc Research Fellow at the **University of Genoa, Dipartimento di Scienze della Formazione**. Third tier research grant (*assegno di ricerca di terza fascia*). Supervisor: Prof. Luca Queirolo Palmas. **Coordinator of the MOBS research group** (project: *Mobilities, solidarities and imaginaries across the borders: the mountain, the sea, the urban and the rural as spaces of transit and encounters* - PRIN 2020 Prot. 2020TELSM8) (July 2022-February 2024).

Post-doctoral **Research Fellow** at the **University of Trento, Dipartimento di Sociologia e Ricerca Sociale** within the MIUR – F.A.R.E. **HOASI** (*Home and Asylum-Seekers in Italy*) research project. Second tier research grant (*assegno di ricerca di seconda fascia*). In charge of developing qualitative research activities on housing and home-making practices of refugees and asylum seekers in many different contexts (reception centres, urban and rural migrants' informal settlements). Supervisor: Prof. Paolo Boccagni. Period: 1 March 2019-28 February 2022.

Post-doctoral **Research Fellow** at the **University of Genoa, Dipartimento di Scienze della Formazione**, within the **Snapchat** research project. First tier research grant (*assegno di ricerca di prima fascia*). In charge of developing qualitative research activities on cultural policies for young creatives. Supervisor: Prof. Luisa Stagi. Period: 1 April 2018-28 February 2019.

Academic assignments

Contract researcher at the **University of Brescia, Dipartimento di Giurisprudenza**. Within the framework of the Athenaeum activities envisaged by the Gender Equality Plan, he was in charge of drafting an online questionnaire for a survey on perceptions of gender-based violence. *October-November 2022*.

In charge of research support activities within the **REFINTEG** research project – “The Canadian model of the public-private sponsorship for the integration of refugees: the case of Syrians and possible application in EU countries” (MSCA IF. Grant n. 835466) at the **University of Genoa, Dipartimento di Scienze della Formazione (DISFOR)**. Main responsibilities: organising the final project conference, literature research, conducting interviews and focus groups with stakeholders on humanitarian corridors. Supervisor: Prof. Luca Queirolo Palmas. Period: *March 2022-August 2022*.

As a member of the **SOLPLACES** project research group (**University of Genoa**), he took part in the activity “*The Routes of Research*”: a week of doctoral training on the theme of migration and the sea, held aboard the boat Raj sailing from Chiavari to Nice, which doctoral students from both the University of Genoa and the University of Rome La Sapienza attended. Within this project, he was in charge of organising training and meetings onboard and ashore. *2-7 May 2022*.

As a participant in the **SOLPLACES** research group (**University of Genoa**), he participated in preparing and writing an ERC Advanced project proposal, which was then recognised as a winner (SOLROUTES project—Grant agreement ID: 101053836). *November 2021—February 2022*.

Contract researcher at the **University of Genoa, Dipartimento di Scienze della Formazione (DISFOR)**, responsible for research support activities within the **NEET_GE** project. In charge of the development of a governance and participative evaluation model. *November 2021 – May 2022*.

Contract researcher at the **University of Brescia, Dipartimento di Giurisprudenza**, responsible for the development of a qualitative research action on the issue of gender differences perception in an academic context within the Horizon 2020 - **SAGE** (*Systemic Action for Gender Equality*) project. *March-April 2018*.

Contract researcher at the **University of Genoa, Dipartimento di Scienze della Formazione (DISFOR)** within the art-based research project **TEU** (*Call “Ora!” Compagnia di San Paolo*) in charge of the research activities, the support to artistic team, and the organization of the final event. *February-May 2017*.

Contract researcher at the **University of Genoa, Dipartimento di Scienze della Formazione (DISFOR)** within the projects **Gen_Y** and **Forget Heritage** in charge of the methodological supervision of the projects. *January 2016-April 2017*.

Contract researcher at the **University of Genoa, Dipartimento di Scienze Antropologiche (DiSA)**, in charge of the development of qualitative research activities within a comparative EU research project regarding the transformation of social rights in Europe (**RESORE** - *Employees' RESources and SOcial Rights in Europe* - V RFP). *2002-2005*.

Other relevant professional experiences

From 2002 to 2014, he worked as a **researcher** and a **project manager** for an in-house company of the Municipality of Genoa (**Job Centre s.r.l.**). Here, he supervised the applied social research activities; his main responsibilities were designing and directing research based on qualitative and quantitative methods, coordinating the research group, data analysis and elaboration, and preparing reports. Under his supervision, Job Centre s.r.l. carried out the research activities envisaged by the Genoa Provincial Labour Market Observatory, delivering relevant research insights about migration, unemployment, and the condition of specific target groups (e.g., women, adolescent girls or people involved in outplacement schemes). As a project manager, he has been involved in coordinating several EU projects of the Municipality of Genoa, regarding the issues of local development and cultural policies.

From 2009 to 2013, he was a labour market expert who joined the CDRL (Centro Documentazione Ricerche Lombardia) research team, which was in charge of analysing the Province of Milano labour market data.

From 1994 to 2002, he worked as a contract researcher for the University of Genoa and many non-academic institutions.

Teaching

Lecturer at the University of Genoa for the course '**Deviance and social control**' (*Devianza e controllo sociale*), Bachelor of "Media, communication, and society" (6 CFU/36 hrs.). (*Academic year: 2024/25 second semester*)

Lecturer at the University of Genoa for the course '**Sociology of media**' (*Sociologia dei media*), Bachelor of "Media, communication, and society" (6 CFU/36 hrs.). (*Academic year: 2024/25 second semester*)

Lecturer at the University of Genoa for the course '**Migrations and families in educational services**' (*Migrazioni e famiglie nei servizi educativi*), Bachelor of Science in Education and Training (5 CFU/30 hrs.). (*Academic year: 2024/25 first semester*)

Invited lecturer at the **University of Trento**. Title and dates of the lectures: "Making visual sociology" (29 April 2024); "Metodi narrativi, approcci, pratiche ed esempi" (29 April 2024).

Adjunct professor of Sociology of Culture and Communication (*Sociologia dei processi culturali e comunicativi – SPS/08*) at the **University of Genoa**. *Academic year: 2023/'24*.

Adjunct professor of Sociology of Culture and Communication (*Sociologia dei processi culturali e comunicativi – SPS/08*) at the **University of Genoa**. *Academic year: 2022/'23*.

Invited lecturer at the **University of Trento** within the **ECTS credit workshop "Le migrazioni forzate: un approccio sociologico"**. Lecture: "Migrazioni forzate e questione temporale" (23 March 2023; 2 hrs.), and "Migrazioni forzate e insediamenti informali" (24 March; 2 hrs).

Lecturer the **Ph.D. Programme in Social Sciences** (Migration and Intercultural Processes course) at the **University of Genoa**. Lecture: "Camps and migrant agricultural labourers" *Date: 12 March 2023 (3 hrs.)*. *Academic year: 2022/'23*.

Lecturer at the **Ph.D. Programme in Social Sciences** (Migration and Intercultural Processes course) at the **University of Genoa**. Title of the lecture: "Abitare la precarietà Lavoro, casa e salute nel distretto del pomodoro." *Date: 12 April 2022 (2 hrs.)*. *Academic year: 2021/'22*.

From 2014 to 2023, he was invited to give lectures and present his research work in many courses at the University of Genoa and the University of Trento.

From 2001 to 2003, he held a teaching support grant for the Methodology of Social Research course at **IULM University, Istituto di Comunicazione** (Feltre and Milan campuses).

Adjunct Professor in Sociology at the **University of Genoa**, *Facoltà di Scienze della Formazione (1999)*.

Publications

Books

Anderlini, J., & Fravega, E. (eds.), (2023) *Crocevia Mediterraneo*. Milano: Elèuthera [ISBN: 9788833022079]

Fravega, E., Giudici, D., Boccagni, P., (2023). *La lotta per il tempo. Temporalità contestate nell'esperienza dei richiedenti asilo in Italia*. Milano: Meltemi. [ISBN: 9788855197991]

Fravega, E. (2022). *L'abitare migrante. Racconti biografici e percorsi abitativi di migranti in Italia*. Milano: Meltemi. [ISBN: 9788855195980]

Fravega, E., & Queirolo Palmas, L. (eds.). (2003). *Classi meticce. Giovani, studenti, insegnanti nelle scuole delle migrazioni*. Roma: Carocci. [ISBN: 8843024922]

Book sections

Amigoni, L., Ghaffari, R., Cannarella, M., & Fravega E. (2025). Going to the fieldwork: critical reflections on methodologies and ethics. In Amigoni, L., Ghaffari R. & Jano D. (eds.) *Solidarity in motion. Exploring Unauthorized Movements, Routes and Solidarity Networks across Europe at Large*. Genova: Genova University Press.

Fravega E. & Boccagni P. (2024). Home and housing. In Cvajner, M., Kivisto, P., Sciortino, G. (eds.). *Research Handbook on Sociology of Migration*. Edward Elgar Handbook [<http://dx.doi.org/10.4337/9781839105463>]

Fravega, E. (2023). Seawork. Appunti sul metodo. In Anderlini J., & Fravega E. (a cura di). *Crocevia Mediterraneo*. Milano: Elèuthera [ISBN: 9788833022079]

Fravega, E. (2023). Franca contro il sistema. In Anderlini J., & Fravega E. (a cura di). *Crocevia Mediterraneo*. Milano: Elèuthera [ISBN: 9788833022079]

Fravega, E. (2023). Metterci una croce. In Anderlini J., & Fravega E. (a cura di). *Crocevia Mediterraneo*. Milano: Elèuthera [ISBN: 9788833022079]

Colombo, A., Daminelli, L., Fravega, E., Goletti, F., Queirolo Palmas, L. (2023). Terra di mezzo, mare di mezzo. In Anderlini J., & Fravega E. (a cura di). *Crocevia Mediterraneo*. Milano: Elèuthera [ISBN: 9788833022079]

Fravega, E., (2023). Il tempo presente, il tempo assente. In Fravega, E., Giudici, D., Boccagni, P., *La lotta per il tempo*. Milano: Meltemi. [ISBN: 9788855197991]

Fravega, E., (2023). Il tempo della dipendenza, il tempo dell'indipendenza. In Fravega, E., Giudici, D., Boccagni, P., *La lotta per il tempo*. Milano: Meltemi. [ISBN: 9788855197991]

Fravega E. (2023). *Looking for homes in migrants' informal settlements. A case study from Italy*. In Imiscoe-Springer Handbook "Migration and domestic space: Ethnographies of home in the making" (eds.: Boccagni, P., Bonfanti, S.). Pages: 153-170. [ISBN: 9783031231278]

Fravega E. & Queirolo Palmas L. (2022). La frontiera agricola. In Anderlini, J., Filippi, D., Giliberti, L. (eds.). *Borderland Italia. Regime di frontiera e autonomia delle migrazioni*. Milano: Derive Approdi. [ISBN: 8865484608]

Fravega, E. (2012). Il lavoro somministrato in Provincia di Milano. In Provincia di Milano & CDRL; (a cura di.), *Gli anni dell'incertezza. Economia e mercato del lavoro in provincia di Milano*. Rapporto 2010-2011 (pp. 81-102). Milano: Franco Angeli.

Fravega, E. (2010). La disoccupazione a Milano nel periodo 2008-2010. In Provincia di Milano & CDRL (a cura di), *Tempi difficili. Economia e lavoro in provincia di Milano*. Rapporto 2009-2010 (pp. 159-182). Milano: Franco Angeli.

Fravega, E. (2010). La contraddittoria crescita delle collaborazioni nel mercato del lavoro a Milano nel periodo 2008-2009. In: Provincia di Milano & CDRL; (a cura di), *Fase di passaggio. Economia e mercato del lavoro in provincia di Milano*. Rapporto 2008-2009 (pp. 203-230). Milano: Franco Angeli.

Fravega, E., Queirolo Palmas, L., & Ruivo, M. (2006). Mutations des Relations entre Emploi et Protection Sociale. Une Lecture à travers des Mesures Phares dans 8 Pays Européens. In B. Clasquin, N. Moncel; V. Vathelet (a cura di), *RESORE Employees' Resources and Social Rights* (pp. 25-53). European Commission.

Moncel, N., Ruivo, M., & Fravega, E. (2004). A Work-Welfare Nexus at the Heart of the Social Construction of Employment: New Perspectives on Labour Markets Changes and Social Exclusion. In B. Clasquin, N. Moncel, M. Harvey, & B. Friot (a cura di), *Wage and Welfare. New Perspectives on Employment and Social Rights in Europe* (pp. 49-74). Brussels: P.I.E. - Lang.

Fravega, E. (2003). Insegnanti e migrazioni: come cambia il lavoro nelle classi. In E. Fravega & L. Queirolo Palmas (a cura di), *Classi meticce. Giovani, studenti, insegnanti nelle scuole delle migrazioni* (pp. 10-32). Roma: Carocci.

Fravega, E. (2003). Un percorso di ricerca e azione sul futuro. In E. Fravega & L. Queirolo Palmas (a cura di), *Classi meticce. Giovani, studenti, insegnanti nelle scuole delle migrazioni* (pp. 7–9). Roma: Carocci.

Fravega E., Bonatti C. (2003). Il pubblico del web. In Livolsi, M. (a cura di). *Il pubblico dei media. La ricerca nell'industria culturale*. Roma: Carocci.

Peer-reviewed journal articles

Fravega, E., Ghaffari, R. & Korukmez, L. (2025). To See and be Seen: Multilayered Field Ethnography in the Evros Region. *Critical Criminologies*, 1(32). [DOI: 10.1007/s10612-025-09827-2].

Martani, E., & Fravega, E. (2024). The welcoming of refugees and grassroots solidarity in Europe and North America: An overview. *Mondi Migranti*, 1, 9-15. (A class journal)

Bonnin, I., Fravega, E., & Queirolo Palmas, L. (2024). Of land and sea: “Interested solidarities” and the migration industry from below. *Mondi Migranti*, 2, 159-189. (A class journal)

Giliberti, L., & Fravega, E. (2024). Contested Time. Migrants’ Temporal Practices and Agency in Institutional Reception and Grassroots Solidarity at the Canary Islands. *Italian Sociological Review*, 14(9S), 299–320. [DOI: 10.13136/isr.v14i9S.692]. (A class journal)

Fravega E. (2023). Schizochronicity. Dispossession and fragmentation of asylum seekers’ temporalities. *The Lab's Quarterly*, n. 2, 17-38. [DOI: 10.13131/unipi/7jte-vs68]

Fravega, E., Anderlini, J., (2023). Razzializzazione in corso. Il caso degli insediamenti informali dei migranti nei distretti agricoli del Mezzogiorno. *Sociologia urbana e rurale*, n. 45, (131), 42–58. [DOI: 10.3280/SUR2023-131003]. (A class journal)

Belloni M., Fravega E., Giudici D., (2020). Fuori dall'accoglienza: insediamenti informali di rifugiati tra marginalità e autonomia. *Politiche Sociali/Social Policies*, n. 2 pp. 225-244. [DOI: 10.7389/97987]

Fravega E., (2018). L’abitare migrante. Aspetti teorici e prospettive di ricerca. *Mondi migranti*, n.1, 199-223. [DOI: 10.3280/MM2018-001010]. (A class journal)

Articles in non-peer-reviewed journals, working papers, and other works

Fravega E. (2024). Genitorialità in contesti migratori e pratiche discorsive (recensione). In *Dialoghi Mediterranei*, n. 68 - <https://www.istitutoeuroarabo.it/DM/genitorialita-in-contesti-migratori-e-pratiche-discorsive/> [ISSN: 2384-9010]

Fravega, E. (2023). Commento al Bilancio Sociale 2023. Auxilium Genova

Fravega, E., Queirolo Palmas, L. (2023). Trasformazioni Mediterranee. Migrazioni, incontri e barriere. In *Dialoghi Mediterranei*, n. 60 - <https://www.istitutoeuroarabo.it/DM/trasformazioni-mediterranee-migrazioni-solidarieta-e-barriere/> [ISSN: 2384-9010]

Fravega E. (2023). Interview with Francesco Chiodelli (University of Turin). “HOMING Interview n. 63”. <https://erchoming.files.wordpress.com/2023/01/homing-interview-chiodelli.pdf>

Fravega, E., Benasso, S. (2022). I giovani non esistono. *Good Morning Genova*. Luglio 2022. <https://www.goodmorninggenova.org/2022/07/29/i-giovani-non-esistono/>

Fravega, E. (2021). L’abitare virale. Pratiche abitative e salute dei migranti ai tempi del Covid19 (working paper presented at the XIV Online ESPANET conference – 8-11 September 2021) – https://www.academia.edu/91471178/Labitare_virale_Pratiche_abitative_e_salute_dei_migranti_ai_tempi_del_Covid19_working_paper?source=swp_share

Fravega, E. (2020). Italia 2020. Attacco alla città. In *Studi sulla Questione Criminale* <https://studiquestionecriminale.wordpress.com/2020/04/18/italia-2020-attacco-alla-citta/>

Fravega E. (2020). Interview with Johnatan Darling (Durham University). “HOMING Interview n. 63”. <https://erchoming.files.wordpress.com/2020/07/homing-interview-darling.pdf>

Fravega, E. (2013). *Lagaccio. Un quartiere in movimento*. (Working paper) URL: http://concordiadiscors.fieri.it/assets/Lagaccio_fravega -.pdf

Book reviews

Fravega, E. (2016). Valentina Longo, Lusso low cost. *Etnografia e ricerca qualitativa*, 3, 551–552. [DOI: 10.3240/85162]

Documentary films

Cannarella, M., Fravega, E. (2025). *“Tra terra e mare”*. A docu-film on the economic, social and political transformation of the central Mediterranean region. A production by MOBS – Mobilities, Imaginaries and Solidarities across the borders (mobsprin2020.eu), and Laboratorio di Sociologia Visuale.

Gonzalez Morandi, J. et. al. (2023). *“Main-land”*. A docu-film on solidarity and migration in the Canary Islands. A production by Laboratorio di Sociologia Visuale. Online distribution: YouTube (<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=XtymmTzKAJk>).

Cannarella, M., Fravega, E. (2023). *“Il crollo” (The collapse)*. A docu-film focused on the life experiences of people who have been displaced because of the Morandi Bridge collapse. A production by Laboratorio di Sociologia Visuale, with Associazione Quelli del Ponte Morandi, Associazione Oblò. Distribution: Gargagnàn Films. Online distribution: Zalab View (<https://www.zalabview.org/movie/il-crollo/>)

Awards

Awarded within the “Funding Opportunities for Young Researchers” programme (University of Trento). 2021.

Awarded with “Premio per tesi di Dottorato XXX ciclo” by the School of Social Sciences of the University of Genoa. 2019.

Participation in scientific committees or editorial boards

Member of the organising committee of the conference **“De-borderlands: naming, gendering, and infrastructuring freedom of movement”** ERC AdG SOLROUTES Intermediate conference (Genoa, 24-27 November 2025).

Member of the scientific and organising committee of the conference **“The welcoming of refugees and grassroots solidarity. State of research and best practices in Europe and Canada”** (Genoa, 27th October 2022).

Serving as **co-director** of the *Exù series* published by **Meltemi** (www.meltemi.it)

Serving as **co-director** of the *Solroutes subseries* within the **“Immagin-azioni sociali”** editorial series published by **Genoa University Press** (<https://gup.unige.it/SOLROUTES-Series>)

He has been reviewing articles for many scientific journals, such as *Environment and Planning D, Ethnic and Racial Studies, Etnografia e Ricerca Qualitativa, and Mondi Migranti*.

Training

Online training course on podcast writing **“Come scrivere un podcast”**, organised by **Come scrivere una grande storia** (winter 2025).

Training workshop on *Participative video*, organised by **ZaLab** (Roma, 14-16 June 2019).

International Summer School in Ethnography organised by the **University of Trento** (Trento, 10-15 September 2017).

Summer School in Sociology of Migrations organised by **Centro Studi Medi** (Genova. 27 June-1 July 2016).

Quantitative and qualitative methods (with a focus on the “Correspondence analysis” technique, and the “Focus group” technique). School of Methodology of Social Research, organised by the **University of Milano**, and **Associazione Italiana Sociologia**, Milano. (1997).

Social statistics and data analysis with SPSS, organised by **Istituto Santi** (Genova, 1995).

Conferences, workshops, and lectures

Convenor – together with Sebastiano Benasso (University of Genoa), – of the panel “**Migration and the transition to adulthood**” within the **10th International Ethnography and Quality Research Conference** (Trento, 9-12 July 2025).

Speaker at the **Imiscoe Annual Conference - Session “Deprovincializing the Dominant Gaze on Solidarity: Practices of People on the Move Along the Route to Europe and Beyond”**. Scientific contribution: “Solidarity and the Music of Exploitation. Agricultural Sketches from the Mediterranean”. (Paris, 2 July 2025).

Invited speaker at the workshop presenting the latest issue of *Jacobin Italia* magazine: “**Il sindacato siamo noi**”. (Genoa, 15 May 2025)

Chairman at the roundtable “**Oltre le quattro mura**”, organised by Fondazione Ordine degli Architetti Genova (FOAGE), within the Festival Cara Casa event program. (Genova, Palazzo Ducale, 17 April 2025).

Lecturer at the **course “Antropologia de las migraciones”, held by Prof. Anastasia Maria Bermudez Torres** at the University of Sevilla. Scientific contribution: “*Border Blues. First results and reflections from an ethnographic, participatory, art-based experimental methodology*” (Sevilla, 06 March 2025).

Speaker at the workshop “**La fabrique des solidarités par le bas. Autres regards sur la production des routes migratoires au-delà de l’Europe**” organised by MOVIDA (Laboratoire Mixte International de recherche *Mobilités, Voyages, Innovations et Dynamiques dans les Afriques méditerranéenne et subsaharienne*), IRD (*Institut de Recherche pour le développement*) and the SOLROUTES Project at the University of Aix-Marseille. Scientific contribution: “Music as a method and as a research field”. (Marseille, 9-10 January 2025)

Invited speaker at the conference “**Estudios comparados y multidisciplinares sobre un mundo de migraciones y fronteras**” organised by El Colegio de la Frontera Norte. Scientific contribution: “The Routes Journal” (roundtable “Esperencias periodistas”) and held in Ciudad Juarez (21-22 November 2024)

Speaker and moderator at the workshop “**Notizie dalle frontiere**”, organised by Festival delle Migrazioni. (Torino, 21 September 2024)

Lecturer at **Scuola Estiva di Sociologia delle Migrazioni** organised by Centro Studi Medi. Scientific contribution (together Rassa Ghaffari and Ivan Bonnin) “Balcani e Mediterraneo: solidarietà, infrastrutture digitali, immaginari”. (Genova, 27 June 2024).

Speaker, together with Ivan Bonnin, at the **VII Agromig International Seminar “Migrations Agrifood and Rural Change**”, organised by the University of Calabria. Scientific contribution: “*A new housing question. Reflecting on migrant agricultural labour force exploitation and dwelling, in Italy*”. (Cosenza, 23-24 May 2024).

Invited lecturer, together with Prof. Paolo Boccagni (University of Trento), at the “**Anthropology of migration**” course held by Prof. Bruno Riccio at the University of Bologna. Scientific contribution “*La lotta per il tempo. Temporalità contestate nell’esperienza dei richiedenti asilo*”. (Bologna, 24 April 2024)

Invited speaker at the workshop “**Dentro e oltre la cittadinanza. Riflessioni attorno alla cittadinanza, ai diritti e all’appartenenza**”, organised by ASGI (Associazione per gli Studi Giuridici sull’Immigrazione) and Università Roma Tre. (Rome, 25 January 2024).

Invited speaker at the conference “**Immigrazione e accoglienza. Un diritto e una risorsa**”, organised by Democratic Party (Genoa, 18 January 2024)

Speaker, together with Ivan Bonnin and Luca Queirolo Palmas, at the conference “**Interdisciplinary perspectives on international migration**” (Panel 4 - *Migration And Expectations: Seeing The Future From The South*) organised by the University of Venice – Ca’ Foscari. Scientific contribution: “*Mobilities and imaginaries across the Sicilian Strait. A gaze through fishermen*” (Venice, 28-29 November 2023)

Invited speaker at the conference “**L’immigrazione a Genova**”, organised by Fondazione DiEsse, Centro Studi Medi, Genova Solidale, Good Morning Genova. Scientific contribution: *Geografie dell’abitare migrante a Genova* (Genova, 25 November 2023)

Invited speaker at the workshop “**Il tempo nella vita quotidiana dei richiedenti asilo in accoglienza**” organised by the International Migration Laboratory of the University of Trento . (Trento, 16 November 2023)

Invited speaker at the plenary meeting "**Con Auxilium, uno sguardo sulla città. La città letta attraverso i dati del bilancio sociale**", organised by Auxilium (Genova, 15 November 2023).

Invited speaker at the round table "**Sea as a battleground for solidarities**", organised by the University of Genoa, within the kick-off meeting of the ERC Solroutes project (Genova, 26 September 2023).

Invited speaker at the conference "**Migrazioni. Realtà e miti del ruolo dell'Unione europea**", organised by "Centro In Europa" (Genova, 26 June 2023).

Speaker, at the conference "**Mondi possibili. Tra crisi, conflitti e pratiche creative**". University of Bari "Aldo Moro", 22-23 June 2023. Scientific contribution: "**La dislocazione del tempo a venire nella mobilità migrante. Futuri (im)possibili**".

Convenor – together with Jacopo Anderlini (University of Parma), and Daniela Giudici (University of Trento) – of the panel "**Towards a racialisation of European space? Exploitation and resistance in agricultural economies**" within the **9th International Ethnography and Quality Research Conference** (Trento, 7-10 June 2023).

Speaker, together with Massimo Cannarella, at the conference "**Tra ricerca e partecipazione. Storie di visualità**". University of Genoa, 16 May 2023. Scientific contribution: "**Il crollo**".

Invited speaker at the course "**Lost homes. Exploring present-day bewilderment**". University of Genoa, 14 April 2023. Scientific contribution: "**L'abitare migrante. Racconti di vita e percorsi abitativi di migranti in Italia**". (Book presentation).

Invited speaker at the workshop "**Amara terra: i processi di sfruttamento e le forme di resistenza dei lavoratori e delle lavoratrici migranti in agricoltura**". University of Milano, 6 February 2023. Scientific contribution (co-authored with Jacopo Anderlini): "**La razzializzazione dello spazio: l'intreccio tra casa e lavoro negli insediamenti informali rurali**"

Convenor - together with Daniela Giudici (University of Trento), and Paolo Boccagni (University of Trento) - and speaker at the workshop "**The Struggle for Time. Forced migrants' homemaking across contested temporalities**". University of Trento, 19-20 December 2022. Scientific contribution: "**Schizochronicity. Disruption and dissociation in asylum-seekers temporalities**".

Convenor and chair, together with Daniela DeBono (University of Malta), of the workshop "**The Mediterranean Sea as a battleground and as a space of encounters. A dialogue on migrations at sea, maritime bordering practices along the 'colour line', and seafarers work practices**", which was held at the Institute of Mediterranean Studies of the University of Malta. Malta, 9-11 October 2022.

Chair of the session "**Canada's experience on private sponsorship program**" within the conference "**The welcoming of refugees and grassroots solidarity. State of research and best practices in Europe and Canada**", which was held in Genoa, on 27-28 October 2022.

Chair of the roundtable session within the NEET_GE final conference "**Dai progetti alle nuove strategie**", which was held in Livorno, on 11th April 2022.

Convenor, together with Prof. Paolo Boccagni, and chair of the workshop "**Toward a racialised urbanism? A dialogue on the spreading of migrants' informal settlements across EU**" which was held at the Department of Sociology and Social Research of the University of Trento, on the 27th of April 2022.

Convenor of the session "Housing pathways and housing temporalities: homemaking practices through displacement and time" within the conference "**HomING: displacement, suspension, projections and achievements in making home on the move**", which was held in at the University of Trento (the Department of Sociology and Social Research), on 3-4 June 2019.

Speaker at the panel "**Shaking grounds, Strategies for Urban Resilience when homes make no safe havens**" at the 2019 conference of the Association of Social Anthropology of UK - "**Anthropological Perspectives on Global Challenges**" – which was held at the University of Norwich 3-6 September 2019. Scientific contribution: "**The breakdown. Loss of sense and reconstruction of subjectivity in a displaced community**"

Speaker and Chair at the conference "**I sommersi e i salvati**" organised by the University of Genoa within the programme of *Festival del Mare*, which was held in Genoa on 16th May 2019. Scientific contribution: "**I sommersi e i salvati. Vita e morte, tra umanitarizzazione e securitizzazione lungo la frontiera liquida**".

Invited speaker at the conference "**Migrazioni. Presenze, assenze**" organised by the University of Genoa (Dipartimento di Scienze dell'Educazione) on 22nd May 2018, at Museo del Mare e della Navigazione (Genova).

Scientific contribution: *“Un’indagine sociologica sull’abitare dei migranti nella società contemporanea tra crisi del welfare abitativo e indeterminatezza degli housing pathways”*.

Convenor and chair, together with Sebastiano Benasso, Francesca Lagomarsino and Lorenzo Navone, of the session *“Visual border(e)scapes”* at the **IV ESCAPES yearly conference**, which was held at the University of Parma, on 8-9 June 2017.

Moderator of the panel *“Giovani dopo le primavere arabe nel Sud del Mediterraneo”* within the conference **“Winou el Chabeb? Giovani dopo le primavere arabe. Immaginari e movimenti fra le due sponde del Mediterraneo”** organised by the University of Genoa. (Genoa, Palazzo Ducale, 17-18 May 2017).

Other skills

Language skills

He is fluent in **English** (spoken, read, and written), and in **French** (spoken, read, and written), and he has an intermediate level knowledge of the **Spanish** language.

Social research skills

He is a skilled ethnographer with proven research experience in complex environments such as reception centres, informal settlements, and border contexts, which he has developed both in Italy and abroad. He is a trained and experienced focus group leader. Throughout his career, he designed, coordinated and carried out research using various qualitative research techniques (biographical interviews, semi-structured interviews, etc.), participative methods (European Awareness Scenario Workshop, Generative Narrative Workshops, etc.), and art-based methods. He also masters key quantitative methods and has a good knowledge of the main tools of the SPSS statistical analysis software.

Genoa, 22 July 2025

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