

Roberta Terranova

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Research interests

Macroeconomics, heterogeneous agents models, climate economics modelling, inequality, growth

Current position

03/21 – present Postdoctoral researcher, RFF-CMCC European Institute on Economics and the Environment, Milan
Working within the ERC starting grant [SMOOTH](#)

Education

2017 – 2021 Double PhD Degree [ITN ExSIDE](#):
PhD in Economics (Doktor der Wirtschaftswissenschaften; Dr. rer. pol.), magna cum laude, Universität Bielefeld
PhD in Economics, University of Surrey
Visiting period at UCL London (12/18 – 08/19)
Supervisors: Herbert Dawid & Paul Levine, Co-supervisor: David Tuckett
Thesis title: *Essays on the role of expectation dynamics, social influence and technology diffusion on efficiency, growth and inequality*

2014 – 2017 MSc in Economics, Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore, 110/100 cum laude
Thesis title: *Alternative perspectives on inequality in economics*, supervisor: Enrico Bellino
Member of the association Rethinking Economics, studenti Università Cattolica – Milano

2010 – 2014 BSc in Economics, Università degli studi di Milano - Bicocca, 110/110
Supervisor: Gabriella Coltro

Teaching & work experience

04/21-07/21 Teaching assistant & tutor: Economic Policy (Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore)
02/16-06/16 Research assistant for Simone Moriconi (Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore)

Publications

- 2022 Terranova, R., Turco, E. (2022), "Concentration, stagnation and inequality: An agent-based approach", *Journal of Economic Behavior & Organization*, Volume 193, 2022, Pages 569-595, <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jebo.2021.11.002>

Working papers

- 2021 Terranova, R. (2021) "Does investor sentiment drive M&A?", *ExSIDE Working Paper Series*, No. 39-2021, [link](#)
- 2020 Terranova, R. (2020) "Endogenous Beliefs and Social Influence in a Simple Macroeconomic Framework", *ExSIDE Working Paper Series*, No. 20-2020, [link](#)

Honours, grants & awards

- 09/20-02/21 Doctorate Completion Scholarship (up to six months) from Bielefeld Young Researchers' Fund for young, highly qualified academics
- 09/17-08/20 ExSIDE Doctoral Fellowship, EU Horizon 2020 Research & Innovation Programme/Marie Skłodowska-Curie grant agreement ([ExSIDE](#))
- 09/16-11/16 Participant of the program *Thesis Abroad*, Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore
Two months spent at Columbia University to write my dissertation and discuss it with Joseph Stiglitz

Workshop and specialisation courses

- 2019 Agent Based Modelling Workshop, Università di Roma Tre, Rome
- 2019 Summer School on DSGE Modelling, University of Surrey
- 2019 Poznań Summer School in Heterodox Economics, Poznań University of Economics and Business
- 2018 Workshop on network models in finance, at 6th GENED Annual Meeting, Christian-Albrechts-Universität zu Kiel
- 2018 EAEPE Summer School on 'The changing structure of the economy and the role of the state. De-industrialization and financialization', Università di Roma Tre
- 2018 GSE Summer School on 'Empirical time series methods for macro analysis', GSE, Barcelona
- 2017 Mini Course on Panel Data Analysis, Universität Bielefeld

Conference presentations

- 2021 24.5th WEHIA Workshop, Online
Heterogeneous expectations and climate policy uncertainty
- 2021 9th ICEEE Conference, Online
Does Investor Sentiment Drive M&As?
- 2020 33rd Annual EAEPE Conference 2021, Online
Concentration, Stagnation and Inequality: an ABM Approach
- 2019 ExSIDE Second Jamboree, Université catholique de Louvain, Louvain Le Neuve
Does Investor Sentiment Drive M&As?
- 2018 22nd FMM Conference “10 Years after the Crash: what have we learned?”, Berlin
Endogenous Beliefs and Social Influence in a Simple Macroeconomic Framework
- 2018 6th GENED Annual Meeting, Christian-Albrechts-Universität zu Kiel
Endogenous Beliefs and Social Influence in a Simple Macroeconomic Framework
- 2018 ExSIDE First Jamboree, Venice,
Endogenous Beliefs and Social Influence in a Simple Macroeconomic Framework

Events organised

- 04/20 International ExSIDE Doctoral Workshop*
*Cancelled due to Covid-19
- 12/18 13th BiGSEM Doctoral Workshop on Economic Theory, Bielefeld University

Technical skills

Computer

R (advanced), Matlab (advanced), \LaTeX (advanced), Wolfram Mathematica (basic)

Languages

Italian (native), English (advanced), German (A.2)