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Academic Appointments	Assistant Professor Department of Social and Political Sciences Bocconi University, Milan, Italy	September 2017 - Present
Education	Ph.D in Politics New York University, New York, NY	May 2017
	M.A. in Economics and Political Science, Summa cum laude University of Milan, Milan, Italy	July 2011
	B.A. in Political Science, Summa cum laude University of Milan, Milan, Italy	July 2009
Research Interests	International Security, Deterrence, Third-Party Intervention, Counterterrorism, Political Economy, Formal Political Theory.	
Publications	“When Salience Undermines Representation: Democratic Dilemmas in Security and Counterterrorism” (with Tiberiu Dragu). Forthcoming. <i>Political Science Research and Methods</i>	
	“Constraining to Deter” (with Scott Tyson). Forthcoming. <i>American Journal of Political Science</i>	
	“The Political Consequences of Green Policies: Evidence from Italy” (with Italo Colantone, Yotam Margalit and Marco Percoco). <i>American Political Science Review</i> , 118(1): 108-126 (2024).	
	“Political Instability and the Failure of Deterrence” (with Scott Tyson). <i>The Journal of Politics</i> , 84(1): 180-193 (2022).	
	“Counterterrorism Policy in an Uncertain World” (with Tiberiu Dragu). <i>The Journal of Politics</i> , 83(4): 1857-1860 (2021).	
	“Autocratic Power in the Shadow of a Foreign Threat” (with Jessica Sun and Scott Tyson). <i>American Political Science Review</i> , 114(4): 1247-1265 (2020).	
	“The Partisan Politics of Counterterrorism: Reputations, Policy Transparency, and Electoral Outcomes.” <i>Political Science Research and Methods</i> , 7(2): 253-269 (2019).	
	“Valence Uncertainty and the Nature of the Candidate Pool in Elections”. <i>Journal of Theoretical Politics</i> , 29(2): 327-350 (2017).	

Working Papers	“Repression and Autocratic Consolidation” (Jessica S. Sun and Scott A. Tyson)
	“Carpe Diem: When Criminal Groups Attempt to Infiltrate Political Institutions” (with Enrico Cavallotti and Nicola Mastrorocco)
Selected Work in Progress	“Less Resolve, More Deterrence” (with Scott A. Tyson)
	“Multilateral Deterrence” (with Scott A. Tyson)
	“Rethinking Deterrence: Power, Resolve, and the Limits of Coercion” (Book Project, with Scott A. Tyson)
	“Protect the Brand” (with Scott A. Tyson and Giovanna Invernizzi)
	“How the Response to Prevention Failures Undermines Prevention” (with Tiberiu Dragu and William Godel)
Presentations	Warwick (2025), LSE(2025), W. Allen Wallis Institute of Political Economy, University of Rochester (2025), New York University (2025), California Institute of Technology (2025), W. Allen Wallis Institute of Political Economy, University of Rochester (2021)
	<p><i>Conferences:</i></p> <p>Formal Models of Conflict Conference (2022, 2023, 2024, 2025), IE-Rochester Workshop on Political Economy (2023, 2024, 2025), Padova Workshop on Conflicts and Third Party Interventions (2023), Kiel Institute-CEPR Conference on Geopolitics and Economics (2022), Petralia Applied Economics Workshop (2018, 2019), Workshop on Institution, Individual Behavior and Economic Outcomes (2018, 2019, 2022, 2023, 2025), LSE-NYU Political Economy Conference (2016), APSA Annual Meeting (2015, 2016, 2018, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2025), MPSA Annual Meeting (2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2022), EPSA Annual Meeting (2014, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019), SPSA Annual Meeting (2016), ISA Annual Meeting (2016), PSS Annual Meeting (2017), SISP Annual Meeting (2018).</p>
Teaching Experience	Bocconi University
	<p>International Relations (undergraduate), Fall 2018-2023, 2025,</p> <p>Political Science and Comparative Politics (undergraduate), Fall 2018-2023, 2025,</p> <p>Political Regimes (undergraduate), Spring 2018-2023, 2025,</p> <p>Current Political Phenomena II - The Politics of Terrorism and Counterterrorism (undergraduate), Spring 2018</p> <p>Comparative Politics and Democratic Theory (graduate), Spring 2018</p>
Referee	<p><i>American Journal of Political Science, American Political Science Review, British Journal of Political Science, Conflict Management and Peace Science, Economic Theory, European Journal of Political Economy, European Political Science Review, Games and Economic Behavior, Government and Opposition, International Organization, Italian Political Science Review, Journal of Conflict Resolution, Journal of Politics, Journal of Theoretical Politics, Political Science Research and Methods, Quarterly Journal of Economics</i></p>

Awards

MPSA Best Paper in International Relations 2018

GSAS Dean Dissertation Fellowship, 2016-2017

Bradley Foundation Fellowship, 2015

**Professional
Affiliations**

American Political Science Association, Midwest Political Science Association, European Political Science Association,