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Current Positions

09/2018-present	Director Max Planck Institute for Demographic Research
09/2018-present	Affiliate Associate Professor of Sociology University of Washington (UW), Seattle
09/2014-present	Data Science Fellow eScience Institute, UW Seattle
12/2014-present	Research Affiliate Center for Studies in Demography and Ecology, UW Seattle
10/2014-present	Faculty Affiliate Center for Statistics and the Social Sciences, UW Seattle
04/2014-present	Research Affiliate Data-Pop Alliance, New York
09/2013-present	Member Center on the Economics and Demography of Aging - UC Berkeley

Past Positions

09/2016-08/2018	Associate Professor of Sociology University of Washington (UW), Seattle
09/2016-06/2018	Director of Training Center for Studies in Demography and Ecology, UW Seattle
09/2014-09/2016	Assistant Professor of Sociology University of Washington, Seattle
08/2012-08/2014	Assistant Professor of Sociology Queens College - CUNY
08/2012-08/2014	Faculty Associate CUNY Institute for Demographic Research
08/2010-07/2012	Research Scientist Max Planck Institute for Demographic Research

Short-term Research Visits

09/2013 - 01/2014	International Institute for Applied Systems Analysis Laxenburg, Austria
08/2011	Yahoo! Research Labs Barcelona, Spain
02/2011	“Dondena” Centre for Research on Social Dynamics Bocconi University, Milan

Education

- Ph.D.** **University of California, Berkeley**, Spring 2010 - *Demography*
Dissertation Title: The Impact of the HIV/AIDS Epidemic on Orphanhood Probabilities and Kinship Structure in Zimbabwe
Dissertation Committee: Kenneth W. Wachter (Chair), Ronald D. Lee, Nicholas Jewell, James H. Jones
- M.A.** **University of California, Berkeley**, May 2008 - *Statistics*
- M.A.** **University of California, Berkeley**, Dec 2006 - *Demography*
- B.A.** **Bocconi University**, December 2004 - *Economics, Statistics and Social Sciences*. Graduation grade: 110/110 Summa cum laude
- Maturità Scientifica** **Liceo Scientifico “Leonardo Da Vinci”** High School , Crema (CR) Italy, July 2000. Graduation grade: 100/100 Summa cum laude

Additional Training

- 2008 **University of Colorado, Boulder**, Summer short course in *Environmental Demography*, Boulder, CO July 16-18.
- 2008 **Stanford University**, Workshop in *Formal Demography*, Palo Alto, CA May 1-4.
- 2006 **Stanford University**, Workshop in *Biodemography*, Napa Valley, CA February 10-12.
- 2003 **UNIDO (United Nations Industrial Development Organization)**, Summer Intern at the Montreal Protocol Branch.
- 2002 **HEC Montreal**, Undergraduate Exchange Student Program Montreal, Fall semester.

Fellowships and Awards

- 2016 **Trailblazer Award for Demographic Analysis**
European Association for Population Studies (EAPS)
- 2010 **Eugene A. and Joan S. Hammel Dissertation Prize in Demographic Studies**
- 2009 **Poster Award**, Population Association of America Annual Meeting
- 2008-2009 **Outstanding Graduate Student Instructor Award**, UC Berkeley
- 2008-2009 **Dean’s Normative Time Fellowship**, UC Berkeley
- 2005-2007 **Regents-Intern Fellowship**, UC Berkeley
- 2005 **William V. Power Graduate Award**, UC Berkeley
- 2001-2003 **ISU Bocconi Scholarship**, Bocconi University
- 2003 **ISU Bocconi Grant for International Internship**, Bocconi University
- 2002 **ISU Bocconi Grant for International Exchange**, Bocconi University

Major Areas of Professional Interest

I use mathematical, statistical and computationally-intensive approaches to study the causes and consequences of population dynamics. Motivated by the ambition to improve people's lives through the scientific study of our societies, I am consolidating a portfolio that leverages interdisciplinary approaches to monitor demographic change, to explain population processes, and to predict future demographic outcomes. More specifically, my research has addressed three main inter-related topics: (i) combining large social media data with traditional sources to track and understand migrations; (ii) evaluating the consequences of population aging on intergenerational transfers; (iii) modeling the relationships between population dynamics, the environment and infectious diseases. A common thread across my substantive interests is a consistent drive to develop methods and to analyze data in creative ways that further advance our understanding of social phenomena.

Publications

Peer-reviewed Articles

- Stewart I., Flores R., Riffe T., Weber I., and Zagheni E. *forthcoming* Rock, Rap, or Reggaeton?: Assessing Mexican Immigrants' Cultural Assimilation Using Facebook Data. *Proceedings of the Web Conference (WWW) 2019*.
- Cesare N., Lee H., McCormick T., Spiro E. and Zagheni E. (2018). Promises and Pitfalls of Using Digital Traces for Demographic Research. *Demography* 55(5):1979-1999.
- Weber I., Kashyap R., and Zagheni E. (2018). Using Advertising Audience Estimates to Improve Global Development Statistics. *ITU Journal: ICT Discoveries* 1(2).
- Dubois A., Zagheni E., Garimella K., and Weber I. (2018). Studying Migrant Assimilation through Facebook Interests. *Social Informatics* (2):51-60.
- Abel G., Muttarak R., Bordone V., and Zagheni E. (2018). Bowling Together: Scientific Collaboration Networks of Demographers at European Population Conferences. *European Journal of Population* 1-20.
- Rampazzo, F., Zagheni E, Weber I., Billari F. and Testa M.R. (2018). Global Fertility Patterns: What can Facebook Advertising Data Tell Us? *Proceedings of the International Conference on Web and Social Media (ICWSM) 2018*
- Haranko K., Zagheni E., Garimella K. and Weber I. (2018). Professional Gender Gaps Across US Cities *Proceedings of the International Conference on Web and Social Media (ICWSM) 2018*
- Zagheni, E., Weber, I., and Gummadi, K. 2017. Leveraging Facebook's Advertising Platform to Monitor Stocks of Migrants. *Population and Development Review* 43(4):721-734.
- Alexander M., Zagheni E. and Barbieri M. 2017. A Flexible Bayesian Model for Estimating Subnational Mortality. *Demography* 54(6):2025-2041
- Fiorio, L., Abel, G, Jixuan, C., Zagheni, E. and Vinue, G. 2017. Using Twitter Data to Estimate the Relationships between Short-term Mobility and Long-term Migration. *Web Science 2017* 103-110.

- Ojala J., Zagheni E., Billari F.C. and Weber I. 2017. Fertility and its Meaning: Evidence from Search Behavior. *Proceedings of ICWSM 2017 - International Conference on Web and Social Media*. Association for the Advancement of Artificial Intelligence.
- Messias J., Benevenuto F., Weber I. and Zagheni E. 2016. From Migration Corridors to Clusters: The Value of Google+ Data for Migration Studies. *Proceedings of the 2016 IEEE/ACM International Conference on Advances in Social Networks Analysis and Mining (ASONAM)*.
- Tan P.L., Morgan P. and Zagheni E. 2016. A Case for “Reverse One-Child” Policies in East Asia? Examining the Link between Education Costs and Lowest-Low Fertility”. *Population Research and Policy Review*.
- Zagheni E., Muttarak R., and Striessnig E. 2015. Differential Mortality Patterns from Hydro-meteorological Disasters: Evidence from Cause of Death Data by Age and Sex”. *Vienna Yearbook of Population Research* 13:47-70.
- Zagheni E. 2015. Modeling Transfers of Unpaid Resources by Age and Sex within the Framework of input-output Models. *Genus* 71(2-3):103-111
- Zagheni E. and Wagner B. 2015. The Impact of Demographic Change on Intergenerational Transfers via Bequests. *Demographic Research* 33(18):525-534
- Dukhovnov D. and Zagheni E. 2015. Who Takes Care of Whom in the United States? Time Transfers by Age and Sex. *Population and Development Review* 41(2):183-206
- Zagheni E. and Weber I. 2015. Demographic Research with Non-Representative Internet Data. *International Journal of Manpower* 36(1):13-25.
- State B., Rodriguez M., Helbing D. and Zagheni E. 2014. Migration of Professionals to the US. Evidence from LinkedIn Data. *Proceedings of SocInfo 2014*. Springer’s Lecture Note Series in Computer Science, 531-543
- Kluesener S. and Zagheni E. 2014. The East-West Gradient in Spatial Population Development within Germany. *Historical Methods* 47(4):167-179.
- Kluge F., Zagheni E., Loichinger E., and Vogt T. 2014. The Advantages of Demographic Change after the Wave: Fewer and Older, but Healthier, Greener, and more Productive? *Plos One* 9(9):e1085501.
- Schmertmann C., Zagheni E., Goldstein J. and Myrskylä M. 2014. Bayesian Forecasting of Cohort Fertility. *Journal of the American Statistical Association* 109(506):500-513.
- De Cao E., Zagheni E., Manfredi P. and Melegaro A. 2014. The Relative Importance of Frequency of Contacts and Time of Exposure for the Spread of Directly Transmitted Infections. *Biostatistics* 15(3):470-483.
- Zagheni E., Garimella V.R.K., Weber I. and State B. 2014. Inferring International and Internal Migration Patterns from Twitter Data. *WWW Companion 2014* 439-444.
- Zagheni E. and Zannella M. 2013. The Life Cycle Dimension of Time Transfers in Europe. *Demographic Research* 29(35):937-948.
- State B., Weber I. and Zagheni E. 2013. Studying Inter-National Mobility through IP Geolocation. *Proceedings of ACM Web Search and Data Mining 2013*.

- Zagheni E. and Weber I. 2012. You are where you E-mail: Using E-mail Data to Estimate International Migration Rates. *Proceedings of ACM Web Science 2012*, Association for Computing Machinery press.
- Zagheni E. 2011. The Impact of the HIV/AIDS Epidemic on Kinship Resources for Orphans in Zimbabwe. *Population and Development Review* 37(4):761-783.
- Melegaro A., Jit M., Gay N., Zagheni E. and Edmunds W.J. 2011. What Types of Contacts are Important for the Spread of Infections? Using Contact Survey Data to Explore European Mixing Patterns. *Epidemics* 3(3):143-151.
- Zagheni E. 2011. The Leverage of Demographic Dynamics on Carbon Dioxide Emissions. Does Age Structure Matter? *Demography* 48(1):371-399.
- Van Hoek A.J., Melegaro A., Zagheni E., Edmunds W.J. and Gay N. 2011. Modelling the Impact of a Combined Varicella and Zoster Vaccination Programme on the Epidemiology of Varicella Zoster Virus in England. *Vaccine* 29:2411-2420.
- Iozzi F., Trusiano F., Chinazzi M., Billari F., Zagheni E., Merler S., Ajelli M., Del Fava E. and Manfredi P. 2010. Little Italy: An Agent-based Approach to the Estimation of Social Contact Patterns. Fitting Predicted Matrices to Serological Data. *PloS Computational Biology* 6(12): e1001021.
- Zagheni E., Billari F.C., Manfredi P., Melegaro A., Mossong J. and Edmunds J.W. 2008. Using Time Use Data to Parameterize Models for the Spread of Close-contact Infectious Diseases. *American Journal of Epidemiology* 168(9):1082-1090.
- Zagheni E. and Billari F.C. 2007. A Cost Valuation Model Based on a Stochastic Representation of the IPAT Equation. *Population and Environment* 29(2):68-82.

Books

- Zagheni E., Zannella M., Movsesyan M., and Wagner B. 2014. A Comparative Analysis of European Time Transfers between Generations and Genders. *Springer*.

Book Chapters

- Spyrtatos S., Vespe M., Natale F., Weber I., Zagheni E. and Rango M. 2018. "Migration Data using Social Media: A European Perspective" European Commission's Joint Research Center Technical Report. EUR 29273 EN, Publications Office of the European Union, Luxembourg, 2018, ISBN 978-92-79-87989-0, doi:10.2760/964282, JRC112310.
- Billari F.C. and Zagheni E. 2017. "Big Data and Population Processes: A Revolution?", In Alessandra Petrucci, Rosanna Verde (edited by), SIS 2017. Statistics and Data Science: new challenges, new generations. 28-30 June 2017 Florence (Italy). Proceedings of the Conference of the Italian Statistical Society, Firenze University Press, 2017, pp. 167-178, CC BY 4.0
- Hughes C., Zagheni E., Abel G.J., Wisniowski A., Sorichetta A., Weber I., and Tatem A.J. 2016. Inferring Migrations: Traditional Methods and New Approaches based on Mobile Phone, Social Media, and other Big Data. *European Commission Report*.
- Zagheni E. 2015. "Microsimulation in Demographic Research." In: James D. Wright (editor-in-chief), *International Encyclopedia of the Social and Behavioral Sciences*, 2nd edition, Vol 15. Oxford: Elsevier. pp. 343-346.

- Zagheni E. 2009. "The Demographic Dimension of Climate Change." Pp. 191-209 in *Environmentalism, Environmental Strategies, and Environmental Sustainability*, edited by E. Kahraman and A. Baig: Nova Science Publishers, Hauppauge, NY.
- Zagheni E. and Billari F.C. 2005. An IPAT-type Model of Environmental Impact Based on Stochastic Differential Equations. *Atti del Convegno Intermedio della Società Italiana di Statistica "Statistics and Environment"*, Messina, September 21-23 2005.

Articles in Scientific Magazines

- Zagheni E. 2003. Grafting Replaces Methyl Bromide. *Appropriate Technology* 30(4).

Selected Presentations

Invited Talks

- 2019 - Schlossgespräch, Jan 21
Berlin, Germany
- 2018 - Keynote presentation at the European Symposium
on Societal Challenges in Computational Social Science, Dec 7
Cologne, Germany
 - Keynote at Eurostat-UNECE Work Session on Migration Statistics, Oct 25
UNECE, Geneva
 - Plenary Session 'Laureate Trailblazer Award' at the *Europ. Pop. Conference*, June 7
Brussels, Belgium
 - Plenary Session at the *International Forum on Migration Statistics*, Jan 16
Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD), Paris, France
- 2017 - *DUPRI Seminar Series*, Nov 16
Duke University, Durham, NC
 - *Notestein Seminar Series*, Oct 17
Princeton University, Princeton, NJ
 - Keynote address at the *German Association for Demography*, Sept 20
Rostock, Germany
 - *Database Workshop*, June 29
University of Washington, Seattle,
 - *Nuffield College Seminar Series*, June 7
Oxford University, UK
 - *StaTalk*, February 7
University of Florence, Italy
 - *Dondena Seminar Series*, February 6
Bocconi University, Milan
 - *eScience Community Seminar*, February 2
University of Washington, Seattle
- 2016 - *Center for Studies in Demography and Ecology Seminar Series*, Nov 18
University of Washington, Seattle
 - *Applied, Bayesian and Computational Statistics Working Group*, Nov 4
University of Washington, Seattle
 - *Panel Study of Income Dynamics User Conference*, June 10
University of Michigan, Ann Arbor
 - *Suessmilch Lecture, Max Planck Institute for Demographic Research*, May 2

- Rostock, Germany
 - *El Colegio de Mexico, Symposium on Big Data in the Social Sciences*, April 29
 Mexico City, Mexico
 - *European Commission*, Feb 25
 video-conference seminar
- 2015
 - *Rostocker Ring, Max Planck Institute for Demographic Research*, Aug 31
 Rostock, Germany
 - *Formal Demography Workshop and mini-conference*, Aug 21
 Berkeley, CA
 - *Data Science to Data Sense, Fred Hutch*, May 27
 Seattle, WA
 - *Applied, Bayesian and Computational Statistics Working Group*, Feb 13
 University of Washington, Seattle
 - *UNFPA Big Data Bootcamp*, Feb 3-5
 Barcelona, Spain
 - *Center for Statistics and the Social Sciences Seminar Series*, Jan 7
 University of Washington, Seattle
- 2014
 - *Plenary Session at the Brazilian Population Association*, Nov 27
 Sao Pedro, SP, Brazil
 - *University of Michigan*, Ann Arbor, Mar 26
 Robert Wood Johnson Foundation - Health & Society Scholars Seminar Series
 - *CUNY Institute for Demographic Research*, New York, Feb 21
 - *Columbia University, New York*, Feb 19
- 2013
 - *University of Washington, Seattle*
 Center for Statistics and the Social Sciences, May 29
 Department of Sociology, May 29.
 - *Keyfitz Centennial Symposium on Mathematical Demography*
 Ohio State University, Columbus, Jun 26
 - *University of Washington, Seattle*
 Center for Studies in Demography and Ecology, Mar 8
 Department of Sociology, Mar 7.
 - *Vienna Institute of Demography*, Jan 22
- 2012
 - *Queens College, NY*
 Sociology Seminar, Nov 19.
 - *Institute for Future Studies*, Stockholm, Sweden
 European NTA workshop on time transfers, Nov 8.
- 2011
 - *Universidade Federal de Minas Gerais, Belo Horizonte*
 CEDEPLAR Seminar, Dec 6.
 - *Bocconi University, Milan*
 Dondena Research Meeting, Feb 24.
- 2010
 - *Stanford University, Palo Alto*
 Workshop in formal demography, Dec 14.
 - *Queens College, CUNY, Department of Sociology*
 Queens, New York, Apr 26.
 - *UC Berkeley, Demography Department, Brownbag Seminar*
 Berkeley, California, Feb 10.
- 2009
 - *Max Planck Institute for Demographic Research, Rostock*, Oct 20
 - *Bocconi University, Milan*, Feb 5
 - *Meeting of the National Transfer Accounts Project*

- Berkeley, California, Jan 10.
- 2008 - *Polymod Workshop: Estimating Contact Patterns and their Implications for Infectious Disease Modelling*, Antwerp, Belgium, Jun 9.
- 2007 - *UC Berkeley, Demography Department, Brownbag Seminar*
Berkeley, California, Jan 24.

Conference Presentations

- 2019 - *Population Days - Italian Association for Population Studies*
Milan, Jan 24-26
- 2018 - *International Conference on Web and Social Media*
Palo Alto, June 25-28
- *European Population Conference*
Brussels, Belgium June 7-9
- *Population Association of America Annual Meeting*
Denver, CO Apr 25-28
- 2017 - *International Population Conference (IUSSP)*
Cape Town, South Africa Oct 29-Nov 3
- *International Conference on Web and Social Media*
Montreal, QC May 15-17
- *Population Association of America Annual Meeting*
Chicago, IL Apr 27-29
- *Population Days - Italian Association for Population Studies*
Florence, Italy, Feb 8-10
- 2016 - *Social Informatics*
Bellevue, WA Nov 14
- *Latin American Population Conference*
Foz do Iguacu, Brazil Oct 18-20
- *European Population Conference*
Mainz, Germany Aug 31-Sep 3
- *International Conference on Web and Social Media*
Cologne, Germany May 17
- *Population Association of America Annual Meeting*
Washington, D.C. Mar 30-Apr 2
- 2015 - *National Transfer Accounts Workshop*
Berkeley, CA, Dec 14.
- *Meeting of the Italian Society of Statistics*
Treviso, Italy, September 9-11.
- *Population Association of America Annual Meeting*
San Diego, CA, April 30-May 2.
- 2014 - *European Population Conference*
Budapest, Jun 25-28.
- *Population Association of America Annual Meeting*
Boston, May 1-3.
- *IUSSP Seminar on Demographic Differential Vulnerability to Natural Disasters in the Context of Climate Change Adaptation.*
Khao Lak (Phang Nga), Thailand, Apr 23-25.
- 2013 - *ISA/RC06 Demographic and Institutional Change in Global Families*
Academia Sinica, Taipei, Taiwan, Mar 30.
- *Population Association of America Annual Meeting*

- New Orleans, Apr 11-13.
 2012 - *European Population Conference*
 Stockholm, Jun 13-16.
 - *Population Association of America Annual Meeting*
 San Francisco, May 4.
 - *Alp-Pop Conference*
 La Thuile, Italy, Jan 16.
 2011 - *National Transfer Accounts Conference*
 Belo Horizonte, Dec 8.
 - *Joint Statistical Meetings*
 Miami Beach, Aug 4.
 - *Population Association of America Annual Meeting*
 Washington D.C., Mar 31.
 - *Alp-Pop Conference*
 La Thuile, Italy, Jan 12.
 2010 - *IUSSP Seminar on Intergenerational Ties and Transitions to Adulthood*
 Milan, Nov 9.
 - *European Population Conference* (poster)
 Vienna, Sep 2.
 - *Population Association of America Annual Meeting*
 Dallas, Apr 15.
 2009 - *American Time Use Research Conference* (poster), University of Maryland
 College Park, Maryland, Jun 25.
 - *Population Association of America Annual Meeting* (poster)
 Detroit, Michigan, Apr 30.
 2008 - *Southern Demographic Association Annual Meeting*
 Greenville, South Carolina, Nov 1.
 - *Population Association of America Annual Meeting*
 New Orleans, Louisiana, Apr 18.
 2007 - *European Public Health Association Meeting*
 Helsinki, Finland, Oct 11.
 - *Population Association of America Annual Meeting* (poster)
 New York, Mar 30.
 2006 - *European Population Conference*
 Liverpool, UK, Jun 22.
 - *Population Association of America Annual Meeting*
 Los Angeles, California, Mar 30.

Teaching

At the University of Washington, Seattle

Quantitative Techniques in Sociology, (Ph.D. level) Spring 2017

Introduction to Demographic Methods, (Ph.D. level) Winter 2017 & Winter 2018

Data Science and Population Processes, (Ph.D. level) Autumn 2016 & Autumn 2017

Population & Society, Spring 2015 & Spring 2016

Big Data & Population Processes, (Ph.D. level), Winter 2015 & Autumn 2015.

At CUNY Graduate Center

Big Data & Population Processes, (Ph.D. level), Spring 2014.

At Queens College - CUNY

Social Statistics, Fall 2012, Spring 2013.

At UC Berkeley (Graduate Student Instructor)

Introduction to Multivariate Statistics (Ph.D. level) , *with Maureen Lahiff*, Fall 2009

Introduction to Biostatistics, *with Maureen Lahiff*, Summer 2009.

Economic Demography, *with Ronald D. Lee*, Spring 2008.

Social Consequences of Population Dynamics, *with John R. Wilmoth*, Fall 2007.

At Bocconi University (Teaching Assistant)

Applied Research, *with Barbara Chizzolini and Jane Klobas*, Spring 2005.

Short courses

Social Media, Data Science and Big Data Research, Summer course at *Pompeu Fabra University*, Barcelona, Spain, July 2016

Demographic Microsimulation, (Ph.D. level), at *Universidade Federal de Minas Gerais*, Aug 2013 & *Wittgenstein Center for Demography and Global Human Capital (IIASA, VID/ÖAW, WU)*, Fall 2013

Training Workshop on Social Media and Demographic Methods, at: *International Population Conference of IUSSP*, Cape Town, South Africa, Oct 29, 2017; *McGill University*, Montreal, QC, May 18, 2017; *Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America*, Chicago, IL, April 26, 2017; *Bocconi University*, Feb 6, 2017; *Latin American Population Association and Brazilian Population Studies Association*, Foz do Iguacu, Brazil, October 17, 2016; *European Population Conference*, Mainz, Germany, August 31, 2016; *Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America*, Washington, D.C., March 30, 2016.

Pedagogy

Workshop Leader, Conference for new graduate student instructors, GSI Teaching & Resource Center, UC Berkeley, Fall 2009.

Panelist, Conference for new international graduate student instructors, GSI Teaching & Resource Center, UC Berkeley, Fall 2009.

Grants and Research Support

- International Max Planck Research School (IMPRS) for Population, Health and Data Science. 2019-2024. Role: Co-P.I.
- European Commission 2017-18. *Measuring Labour Mobility and Migration Using Big Data*, Tender VT/2017/020. Role: Investigator; P.I.:Hoorens

- Austrian Academy of Sciences - Anniversary Fund of the City of Vienna. 2015-2016. *Combining Traditional and Emerging Big Data Sources to Model Population Movement Patterns*. Role: Co-P.I. with Guy Abel, Alessandro Sorichetta, Andrew Tatem, Arkadiusz Wisniowski.
- Population Association of America - Workshop on *Social Media and Demographic Methods*, held in Washington D.C. at the PAA 2016 Annual Meeting, March 30, 2006. Travel grant for instructor and teaching assistants.
- Panel Study on Income Dynamics/NIH. 2015-2016. *The Impact of Population Aging on Time Transfers and Wellbeing*. Role: P.I.
- European Commission 2015. *Inferring Mobility and Migration in the EU from Big Data and Social Media Data*, Tender VT/2014/093. Role: P.I.
- Center on the Economics and Demography of Aging Pilot Grant. 2014-2015. *Empirical Bayes Approaches for Imperfect Mortality Data*. Role: Co-investigator. Other investigators: Magali Barbieri
- NIH National Institute on Aging Research Grant (R03), 2013-2014. *Consequences of Demographic Change on Caregiving and other Time Transfers*. Grant No. 1R03AG045385-01, Role: P.I.

Professional Service

Chair: *Panel on Digital Demography* of the International Union for the Scientific Study of Population (IUSSP), 2019-2021

Board Member: *European Doctoral School of Demography*, 2019-2021

Chair: *Panel on Big Data and Population Processes* of the International Union for the Scientific Study of Population (IUSSP), 2015-2018

Member of the Scientific Advisory Board: *AGENTA project - Ageing Europe: An Application of National Transfer Accounts for Explaining and Projecting Trends in Public Finances* (2014-2017).

Workshop organizer: Demographic Research in the Digital Age, at the *Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America* 2018; Social Media and Demographic Methods, at the *Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America* 2016 & 2017; Social Media and Demographic Research, at the *International Conference on Web and Social Media* 2016 & 2017; Web, Social Media and Cellphone Data for Demographic Research, at *Social Informatics* 2016.

Workshop Chair: Social Informatics 2016

Session organizer: Big Data and Population Processes (*Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America* 2014, 2015)

Theme convener: Development and Environment (*European Population Conference 2014*)

Program committee member: *Social Informatics* 2014, 2015, 2016; *International Conference on Weblogs and Social Media* 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018.

Member of the organizing committee: *Alp-Pop Conference 2012*

Session chair: *European Population Conference 2012; Meeting of the Population Association of America 2012, 2014, 2015; Alp-Pop 2012; Joint Statistical Meetings 2011.*

Associate Editor: *Genus.*

Guest Editor: *Demographic Research*, Special collection on Social Media and Demographic Research.

Journal Referee for: *Advances in Life Course Research; Demographic Research; Demography; Environmental Modeling & Assessment; Environmental Modelling & Software; EPJ Data Science; Epidemiology and Infection; Genus; Journal of Gerontology: Social Sciences; International Migration Review; IZA Journal of Labor Economics; Nature Climate Change; Population and Development Review; Population and Environment; Population Research and Policy Review; Population, Space and Place; Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences U.S.A.; Sustainability; Theoretical Population Biology*

Professional memberships

Population Association of America; European Association for Population Studies; International Union for the Scientific Study of Population.

Selected Media Coverage

- "Caregivers", *Top of Mind, BYU Radio*, 9 Jul 2015
- "U.S. losing its dominance as Mecca for immigrants with college degrees", *AllGov*, 6 Jan 2015.
- "LinkedIn proves the US has a STEM problem", *FastCompany*, 30 Dec 2014.
- "US seen losing its share of world's highly skilled migrants", *The Conversation*, 17 Dec 2014.
- "Far less skilled, educated immigrants are coming to America since 9/11", *AOL News* 3 Dec 2014.
- "Study: U.S. attracting fewer educated, highly-skilled migrants", *Communications of the ACM*, 1 Dec 2014.
- "LinkedIn data show the US is losing out on the immigrants it covets most", *Quartz*, 28 Nov 2014.
- "U.S. losing war for talent? Study offers new insights", *Relocate Global*, 27 Nov 2014.
- "The benefits of an aging population" *Radio FM4*, 7 Oct 2014.
- "Why an aging population may be good for innovation?", *The Washington Post*, 30 Sept 2014.
- "Aging population proves beneficial" *Medical Daily*, 24 Sept 2014.
- "Using Big Data to understand migrations" *Forbes*, 8 Aug 2014.
- "175 years of Germany in fast motion" *Spiegel Online*, 19 Jan 2014.

- “The Greenest Generation: Baby Boomers or Millennials?” *TriplePundit*, 25 Apr 2013.
- “Così le mail raccontano le rotte degli italiani in fuga”, *La Repubblica*, 20 Feb 2013.
- “El primer mapa mundial de las migraciones del presente”, *Materia*, 18 Feb 2013.
- “Why is Gaia angry with me?”, *The New York Times*, 15 Feb 2013.
- “You are where you e-mail”, *BBC World Services*, ‘Click’, 31 Jul 2012.
- “When disaster strikes, Twitter might save us”, *Grist*, 27 Jul 2012.
- “Italiani in fuga, soprattutto donne, le email svelano la nuova emigrazione”, *La Repubblica*, 1 Jul 2012.
- “Interview: E-Mails verraten, wo die Menschen hinziehen”, *Bild der Wissenschaft*, 29 Jun 2012.
- “Auswanderungsstroeme erforscht”, *TageswebSchau*, 27 Jun 2012.
- “Migration mit E-Mails nachgezeichnet”, *Welt Online*, 26 Jun 2012.
- “Forscher analysieren, woher Migranten mailen”, *Spiegel Online*, 26 Jun 2012.
- “E-Mail-Verkehr liefert Daten fuer globale Wanderungsbewegungen”, *Wiener Zeitung*, 25 Jun 2012.
- “Mit E-Mails lassen sich Auswanderer-Stroeme messen”, *Zeit Online*, 25 Jun 2012.
- “La Edad a la que más CO₂ se emite en EEUU: los 60 anos”, *El País* (Blogs), 8 Feb 2012.
- “Demography and Climate Change. How to Cut Carbon Emissions”, *The Economist*, 21 Jan 2012.
- “AIDS, ricercatore italiano, 10% orfani Africa senza nemmeno nonni, in crescita”, *AdnKronos, Libero Quotidiano, Corriere del Giorno*, 16-17 Dec 2011.
- “If You Act Your Age, What’s Your Carbon Footprint?”, *The New York Times* (Green Blog), 10 Nov 2011.
- “Could Old Age Lessen Climate Change? Study Sees Promise”, *USA Today*, 09 Nov 2011.
- “A Graying Population Reduces Global Warming”, *Live Science*, 11 Nov 2011.
- “Aging Could Influence Climate Change: Individual Carbon Dioxide Emissions Decline in Old Age”, *Science Daily*, 7 Nov 2011.
- “We Get Greener as we Age”, *Discovery News*, Nov 14 2011.
- “Altern nuetzt dem Klima Weniger Kohlendioxid jenseits der 65”, *Der Tagesspiegel*, 13 Nov 2011. Also covered in *Die Welt Online*
- “Riscaldamento Globale: Gli Anziani salveranno il Mondo”, *Corriere della Sera* (Ambiente), 9 Nov 2011.
- “Dall’Invecchiamento della Popolazione una Riduzione delle Emissioni di CO₂”, *AdnKronos*, 9 Nov 2011.