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Employment

2002-present: Assistant Professor in Economic History, Department of Economics, Management and Social Sciences, University of Molise.

1996-2002: Assistente tecnico (Research and Teaching Support at Economic History Area), Department of Economics, Management and Social Sciences, University of Molise.

Education

2000- Ph.D. in Economic History, Istituto Universitario Navale, Naples (now University of Naples "Parthenope". Thesis: "Genoa and Avignon at the end of the fourteenth century: trade and prices", coordinator prof. L. De Matteo, supervisor prof. L. Frangioni.

1995- Degree in Economics and Social Sciences (BA and Ma equivalent), University of Molise, Campobasso. Thesis: "Consumption and private life in a business company of the fourteenth century", supervisor prof. L. Frangioni. Final mark: 110/110 with honours

Postgraduated Studies

2003, June: attending the Seminar Studies on "La contabilità come fonte per lo studio della Storia economica", Faculty of Economics, "G. D'Annunzio", University, Pescara.

2001: attending the Seminar Studies on "Le fonti aziendali per la storia economica medievale", Istituto Italiano per gli Studi Filosofici, Naples.

2000, April: Scholarship of the XXIIth Specialization Course on Economic History, Istituto Internazionale di Storia Economica "F. Datini", Prato.

1999, July: attending the Specialization Course on Mercantile Palaeography, secc. XIV-XV (used for mercantile records and correspondence), Department of Economics, Management and Social Sciences, University of Molise, Campobasso.

1997, July: Scholarship of the Specialization Seminar on "Pensamiento y política económica en la época moderna", Istituto Italiano per gli Studi Filosofici, Naples-Istituto di Storia Simancas, University of Valladolid, Valladolid.

1996, July: Scholarship of the Specialization Seminar on "L'industria nell'età moderna e contemporanea", Istituto Italiano per gli Studi Filosofici, Naples-Istituto di Storia Simancas, University of Valladolid, Valladolid.

Teaching and Academic Service

2002-2003: Economic History (9 Credits), Faculty of Economics, Graduated Course in Political Sciences, University of Molise; Economic History (6 Credits), Faculty of Economics, Graduate Course in Social Sciences for Co-operation, Development and Peace.

2003-2004: Economic History (9 Credits), Faculty of Economics, Graduated Course in Political Sciences, University of Molise; Economic History (6 Credits), optional course, Faculty of Economics, University of Molise.

2004-2005: Economic History (6 Credits), optional course, Faculty of Economics, University of Molise.

2005-2006: Economic History (9 Credits), Faculty of Economics, First Level Degree in Business Economics, University of Molise;

Economic History (6 Credits), optional course, Faculty of Economics, University of Molise.
 2006-2007: Economic History (6 Credits), optional course, Faculty of Economics, University of Molise.
 2007-2008: Economic History (6 Credits), optional course, Faculty of Economics, University of Molise.
 2008-2009: Economic History (4 Credits), optional course, Faculty of Economics, University of Molise.
 2009-2010: Economic History (4 Credits), optional course, Faculty of Economics, University of Molise.
 2010-2011: Economic History (9 Credits), Faculty of Economics, First Level Degree in Business Economics, University of Molise;
 History of Business (6 Credits), Faculty of Economics, Second Level Degree in Entrepreneurship and Innovation, University of Molise.
 2011-2012: Economic History (9 Credits), Faculty of Economics, First Level Degree in Business Economics, University of Molise;
 History of Economic Development (6 Credits), optional course, Faculty of Economics, University of Molise.
 2012-2013: Economic History (9 Credits), Faculty of Economics, First Level Degree in Business Economics, University of Molise;
 History of Economic Development (6 Credits), optional course, Faculty of Economics, University of Molise.

Since March 2003, member of Thesis Committee of the Faculty of Economics and thesis supervisor and co-supervisor for undergraduated and graduated courses students.

Member of the Graduate Research Committee for the Ph.D programme in “Evoluzione storica degli studi di ragioneria e di economia aziendale”, (University of Molise) from 2002 to 2006, cycles XVIII-XXI

Main Research Interests

- Economic History of the Late Middle Ages
- Consumption, nutrition and dietary habits of the late fourteenth century mercantile bourgeoisie
- Production and trade in Lombard woad in the late Middle Ages (XIV-XV centuries)
- Trade and cost of trade of agriindustrial products in the Western Mediterranean area
- Genoa and its trading relations with the Western Mediterranean area

Research Projects

2006: Member of the staff research project “Production, trade and consumption of several agroindustrial products in the Central and Southern Italy since Middle Ages to present-day, Scientific Head prof. L. Frangioni, (supported by the Department of Economics, Management and Social Sciences, University of Molise)

2004: Scientific Head of the research project “Woad production and trade in the Late Middle Ages” “(supported by the Department of Economics, Management and Social Sciences, University of Molise)

Member of staff research project “Trade between Italian peninsula and Provence, XIV-XV century”, Scientific Head prof. L. Frangioni (supported by the Department of Economics, Management and Social Sciences, University of Molise)

2003: Scientific Head of the research project "Genoa and the West at the end of XIV century: trade and price trend (supported by the Department of Economics, Management and Social Sciences, University of Molise)

2001: Scientific Head of the research project “Diet and prices in the late Middle Ages”, supported by the University of Molise.

Since 1995 to present, member of the staff research project “Historical Bibliography of Southern Italy”, Scientific Head prof. L. Frangioni (supported by the Departement of Economics, Management and Social Sciences, University of Molise).

Conferences and Seminars

2012, october: University of Molise, Department of Management, Campobasso, workshop on: “Mangiare per vivere o vivere per mangiare. L'alimentazione nella storia, nella società e nell'economia italiana”, XXII Week of Scientific and Technological Culture, paper on: “Il Medioevo in tavola. Menù, banchetti e tavole quotidiane nell'Italia dei secc. XIV-XV”.

2008, May: University of Molise, Department of Historic, Human and Social Sciences, Department of Economics, Management and Social Sciences, Isernia, workshop on “I confini della lettera. Pratiche epistolari e reti di comunicazione in Italia fra tardo medioevo e prima età moderna”, paper: “Il carteggio commerciale, fine XIV secolo: il contenuto extra-economico”.

2008, April: Fondazione Istituto Internazionale di Storia Economica F. Datini, Prato, XXXth Course on Economic History, lecture: “I consumi della famiglia, secc. XIV-XV”, “Un caso di studio: la famiglia Datini”.

2007, October: University of Molise, Department of Economics, Management and Social Sciences, under the patronage of SISE, Campobasso, workshop on “Per una riflessione sulla storia economica medievale nell'ambito degli studi storici”, paper: “I carteggi commerciali comuni del XIV secolo”.

2003, March: University of Molise, Faculty of Economics, Campobasso, conference on “Il vino nell'alimentazione: saper bere per stare bene”, paper: Il vino nel sistema dei cibi del basso Medioevo” (together with Luciana Frangioni).

1996, April: Istituto Internazionale di Storia Economica F. Datini, Prato, conference on Alimentazione e nutrizione. Secc. XIII-XVIII, paper: “Due alimentazioni del basso Medioevo: la tavola dei mercanti e la tavola dei ceti subalterni”.

Scientific Societies Fellowship

Società Italiana degli Storici dell'Economia

Società Ligure di Storia Patria