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## WORK EXPERIENCES:

- Sep 2018 - Present      **European Commission, Brussels - Economic Analyst at the Directorate-General for Economic and Financial Affairs (DG ECFIN) - Unit F4: Country Desk for Slovenia, Hungary and Finland**
- Assess the economic situation and policies in Finland, Hungary and Slovenia. The work takes place in the framework of the European Semester and involves the monitoring of these economies
  - Provide statistical support to the monitoring, analyzing and forecasting of economic developments under the EU Economic Surveillance Framework
- Sep 2017 - Aug 2018      **European Commission, Brussels - Economic Analyst at the Directorate-General for Economic and Financial Affairs (DG ECFIN) - Unit D3: IMF and G-Groups**
- Prepare analytical work on International Monetary Fund, G7/G20 issues in line with the International Monetary Fund annual work program, and G7/G20 Presidency's Agenda
  - Draft the European Union's common position ahead of International Monetary Fund Meetings, and G7/G20 Summits
  - Manage the full organization of the main International Financial Meetings, and G7/G20 Summits, by maintaining regular contacts with International Institutions and Fora (International Monetary Fund, European Central Bank, G7/G20 Presidency, European Union Member States)
- Jun 2018      **Third Meeting of the G20 Framework Working Group, Kyoto, June 18-19**
- Participation in the G20 Framework Working Group Meeting, ahead of the G20 Finance Ministers and Central Bank Governors Meeting in July 19-21, Buenos Aires.
- Apr 2017 - Aug 2017      **European Commission, Brussels - Intern at the Directorate-General for Economic and Financial Affairs (DG ECFIN) - Unit D3: IMF and G-Groups**
- Sep 2015 - Dec 2015      **Embassy of Italy, Washington D.C. - Intern at the Economic Affairs Office**
- Aug 2013 - Nov 2014      **Banca Popolare di Sondrio, Lecco – Intern at the Financial Department**

## EDUCATION:

- Sep 2014 - Apr 2017      **Università Commerciale Luigi Bocconi, Milan**  
**Master of Science in Economic and Social Sciences** (2-year program). **Final grade: 108/110**
- **Main courses:** Advanced Mathematics, Advanced Statistics, Econometrics, Economy of Energy, Innovation-Growth-Sustainability, Development Economics.
  - **Thesis:** Internal and External Financial Constraints for R&D: New Evidences at the EU Level
- Jan 2016 - Feb 2016      **Mumbai International School of Business, Mumbai**  
**Winter Exchange Program in Structured and Project Finance. Final grade: 30/30**
- Class Representative of a group of 30 Italian and Indian Students
- Jul 2013 - Aug 2013      **Georgetown University - McDonough School of Business, Washington D.C.**  
**Summer Exchange Program in International Project Finance. Final grade: 30/30**
- Sep 2011 - Sep 2014      **Università Commerciale Luigi Bocconi, Milan**  
**Bachelor Degree in Economics and Finance. Final grade: 104/110**

## OTHER EXPERIENCES and VOLUNTEERING

- Jun 2014 - Present      **Università Bocconi, Milan - Student Ambassador at the Student Division. Bocconi Alumni Community, Brussels - Member of the Executive Board.**
- Aug 2018 - Sep 2018      **Mtendere Mission Hospital, Chirundu, Zambia - Volunteering**
- Jul 2015 - Aug 2015      **EXPO Milan 2015 - Volunteer at the European Union Pavilion**
- Sep 2011 - Sep 2013      **Student Residence La Cordata, Milan - Volunteering**

## ACHIEVEMENTS and SKILLS:

- **Languages:** Italian (native speaker), English (Fluent - BEC Higher Certificate), Spanish (Fluent), French (Basic)
- **IT skills:** European Computer Driving License (ECDL 2012) - Data Analysis and Statistical Software (Stata)
- Athletics Team (2009-2017) - *First Aid Course* in collaboration with the CRI (2016) - Scuba Diving License (2015)