

Dario Pontiggia

Curriculum Vitae

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Education

- 2009 *Doctor of Philosophy, Economics, University of Glasgow, UK.
Thesis: Essays on Optimal Monetary Policy under Rule-of-thumb
Behaviour by Price Setters.*
- 2004 *Master of Science, Economics, University of Edinburgh, UK.*
- 2003 *Bachelor of Science (summa cum laude), Economics, University of
Milano-Bicocca, Italy.*

Professional Experience

- 2026-present *Dean of the Faculty of Business Administration and Economics,
American University of Cyprus*
- 2022-present *Associate Professor in Economics, Advisor to the President and to the
Vice President, American University of Cyprus*
- 2021-2022 *Visiting Professor in Economics and Quantitative Methods, Cyprus
International Institute of Management*
- 2021-2021 *Special Scientist, Economics Research Center, University of Cyprus*
- 2016-2020 *Assistant Professor in Economics, Department of Economics and
Business, Neapolis University Pafos, Cyprus.*
- 2010-2015 *Lecturer in Economics, Department of Economics and Business,
Neapolis University Pafos, Cyprus.*
- 2009-2010 *Post-Doctoral Fellow, Department of Political Economy, University of
Milan-Bicocca, Italy.*
- 2005-2008 *Instructor and Teaching Assistant, Department of Economics,
University of Glasgow, UK.*
- 2006-2008 *Adjunct Lecturer, Business School, University of Strathclyde, UK.*

2006-2007 *Instructor*, Department for International Development, UK.

Teaching Experience

Courses Taught

American University of Cyprus: Principles of Macroeconomics, Principles of Microeconomics, Business Statistics I, International Economics and Finance, International Financial Management, Urban and Regional Economics (Master in Real Estate Management), Money and Banking (Master in Business Administration), Business Research Methods for Managers (Master in Business Administration), Business Research Methods for Real Estate (Master in Real Estate Management).

Cyprus International Institute of Management: Quantitative and Qualitative Methods (Master in Business Administration and Master of Public Sector Management), Quantitative Methods and Statistical Analysis (Master in Business Intelligence and Data Analytics), Statistics and Quantitative Methods (Master in Business Management and Master in Human Resource Management and Organisational Behaviour)

Neapolis University Pafos: Principles of Microeconomics, Principles of Macroeconomics, Introduction to Behavioural Economics, Macroeconomics, Managerial Economics, Economics of Strategy, Industrial Organization, Business Decision Making, Behavioural Economics, Managerial Economics (Master in Business Administration), Economics for Financial Markets (Master in Banking, Investment and Finance).

University of Milano-Bicocca: Macroeconomics, Advanced Macroeconomics.

University of Glasgow: Economics II, Research Methods (Postgraduate).

University of Strathclyde: Applied Analysis of Economic Data (Postgraduate).

Department for International Development: Econometrics.

University Service

American University of Cyprus: I've joined American University of Cyprus since its inception, in academic year 2021-2022. I've managed academic programmes, ensuring the achievement of course and programme learning outcomes. I've overseen the accreditation and reaccreditation of academic programmes. I've instructed the upholding and the upgrading of academic practices and programmes with the aim of retaining and strengthening the institution's market appeal and relevance in the face of ever-changing labour market conditions and competitive pressures. I've ensured students' engagement and their wellbeing with a variety of pastoral engagements.

Neapolis University Pafos: I was a member of the Academic Senate during the Rectorship of Prof. Spyros Makridakis.

University of Milano-Bicocca: representative for the post-doctoral fellows in the Departmental Council.

University of Glasgow: member of the Staff-student liaison committee for BSc in Economics.

Research

Research Interests

Macroeconomics, economic policy, credit cycle, business cycle, applied time-series econometrics.

Monographs

Essays on Optimal Monetary Policy under Rule-of-thumb Behaviour by Price Setters, 2010, Ph.D. Thesis, University of Glasgow Library, Glasgow, UK.

Available at <http://theses.gla.ac.uk/1399/>

Publications

House Price and Credit Cycles: the Case of Cyprus, with Petros Sivitanides, *Journal of Property Investment & Finance*, Vol. 38 No. 6, pp 539-550, 2020.

<https://doi.org/10.1108/JPIF-02-2020-0022>

Phillips Curve and Long-run Inflation under Commitment, *Journal of Economic Studies*, Vol. 47 No. 1, pp. 21-35, 2020.

<https://doi.org/10.1108/JES-06-2018-0229>

A Note on Intrinsic Inflation Persistence and Optimal Long-run Inflation, *Journal of Reviews on Global Economics*, Vol. 5, pp. 248-253, 2016.

<http://dx.doi.org/10.6000/1929-7092.2016.05.21>

Optimal Long-run Inflation and the New Keynesian Model, *Journal of Macroeconomics*, Vol. 34 No. 4, pp. 1077-1094, 2012.

<https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jmacro.2012.07.003>

The Relationship between Agency Problems and Ethical Leadership (with John Politis, Neapolis University Pafos), *Proceedings of the 8th European Conference on Management, Leadership and Governance* (Pafos, Cyprus, 08–09 October 2012), pp. 340-346.

Inflation Persistence and Optimal Positive Long-run Inflation, *Proceedings of the Conference Recent Developments in Macroeconomics* (Mannheim, Germany, 7-8 July 2009), pp. 430-468.

Research in Progress

The Housing Credit Supply Multiplier, with Raffaele Rossi (University of Birmingham), Giorgio Motta (University of Lancaster) and Mirela Miescu (University of Lancaster).
Submitted.

Long-run Determinants of Fertility in Cyprus, with Polina Ellina (European University Cyprus).

Columns

Cyprus and the Green Deal: is it now or never? Sunday Mail, 28 February 2021.
<https://cyprus-mail.com/2021/02/28/cyprus-and-the-green-deal-is-it-now-or-never/>
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The virtues and perils of a small open economy. Sunday Mail, October 30 2016.
<http://cyprus-mail.com/2016/10/30/virtues-perils-small-open-economy/>

Waste is another Cyprus problem. Sunday Mail, May 17 2015.
<http://cyprus-mail.com/2015/05/17/waste-is-another-cyprus-problem/>

Scholarships and Grants

01/2009 –07/2010	Post-doctoral research fellowship (tenable for up to 4 years, given up after 19 months) awarded by the Department of Political economy, University of Milano-Bicocca.
09/2006 –09/2008	Postgraduate scholarship awarded by the Faculty of Law, Business and Social Sciences, University of Glasgow.
09/2003-12/2006	Doctoral scholarship awarded by the Italian Ministry of Education, University, and Research.

Other Activities

Referee for Journal of Economic Studies, Journal of Macroeconomics, International Economic Review, Research in Economics.

Skills and Languages

- Key Skills**
- Strong quantitative background and problem solving skills;
 - Flexible, with the ability to adjust knowledge and develop skills required in different areas;
 - Excellent communication and team working skills.

Languages Italian, English, Greek, Spanish.