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• CURRENT POSITION

April 2020 **Research Fellow at Dastu -Politecnico of Milan**
In the Excellence Department “Vulnerable Territories”
Project title: “Inequalities and forms of socio-spatial segregation”
Supervisor of the Project: Prof. Costanzo Ranci

• PREVIOUS POSITIONS

March 2019-
March 2020 **Research Fellow at Luiss Guido Carli of Rome**
Within the project PRIN 2015 “Democratic Innovation, civil society and political participation”. Project title: “The challenges of urban movements in the era of digital capitalism”
Supervisor of the project: Prof. Michele Sorice

September
2019- January
2020 **Teaching Assistant**
Course of “Political Sociology” in the International BA in “Politics, Philosophy and Economics” at University Luiss-Guido Carli of Rome

February 2019-
July 2019 **Independent collaborator for archival research activities at “Fondazione Lunaria”, Rome (Italy)**
The research aimed at mapping various types of direct social actions performed in 1970s in two Italian cities (Rome and Florence) through in depth archival research and interviews with privileged witnesses.

April 2019-
June 2019 **Independent collaborator at Scuola Normale Superiore**
Within the project “Demos-Cry Out”
Supervisor of the project: Prof. Donatella della Porta

November
2018-
December
2018 **Independent collaborator at the Scuola Normale Superiore**
Within the project “Scalable democracy”.
Supervisor of the project: Prof. Donatella della Porta

August 2018-
September
2018 **Independent collaborator at the Scuola Normale Superiore for the transcription and analysis of 20 qualitative interviews.**
Within the project “Digital Capitalism and Industry 4.0”
Supervisor of the project: Dr. Loris Caruso

Independent collaborator at the Scuola Normale Superiore for the transcription and analysis of 20 qualitative interviews.

May 2018-
June 2018

Within the project “Digital Capitalism and Industry 4.0”.
Supervisor of the project: Dr. Loris Caruso

• SCHOLARSHIPS AND GRANTS

February 2017-
July 2017

Winner of the Scholarship “Practices of Resistance in Housing Right Movements”.

Scientific field: “Political Science” SPS/04, Scuola Normale Superiore, Florence (Italy).

• EDUCATION

2014-2018

PhD in Political Science at Scuola Normale Superiore (SNS)
Institute of Humanities and Social Sciences, Florence (Italy)

Thesis title “*Practices of Resistance in the Housing Struggle in Rome. A spatial and strategic approach. An ethnographical research*”

Supervisor: Prof. Donatella Della Porta
Co-supervisor: Prof. Lorenzo Bosi

Thesis committee: Prof. Donatella Della Porta, Prof. Lorenzo Bosi, Prof. Walter Nicholls and Prof. Gianni Piazza

Degree Mark: cum laude and the special mention “recommendation for publication”

2010-2013

Master Degree in Philosophy and Forms of Knowledge
University of Pisa

Thesis Title: “*Criticizing the concept of Domination: An itinerary in the thoughts of Pierre Bourdieu, Judith Butler and Jessica Benjamin*”.

Degree Mark: 110 cum laude

2007-2010

Bachelor’s Degree in Philosophy
University of Pisa

Thesis Title: “*Madness and mental disease: The critique of objectivation and practices of subjectivation in Franco Basaglia’s work*”

Degree Mark: 110 cum laude

• ADVANCED COURSES

- 2015
- How to construct a research design II
 - Comparative Foreign Policy
 - European Politics and Policies
 - Political Communication
- 2014
- Hyperpolitics
 - Democratic Theory
 - International Relation
 - Public Policies
 - Research Design I
 - Tools and Issues in Data Collection (STATA software).
 - Contemporary Political Science
 - Comparative Politics

• TRAINING

- January 2016-
July 2016 **Fieldwork in Rome**
I conducted 7 months fieldwork in Rome to carry on the ethnographical research at the base of my Phd thesis. In particular, I conducted 7 months of participant observation inside the housing movement I was studying.
- March 2013-
May 2013 **Participation in the research group “Sophiapol”**
University of Paris X-Nanterre, Paris (France).
I participated for three months in this interdisciplinary research group that aimed to connect together philosophers, sociologists and political scientists to collectively reflect upon the main issues at stake in times of crisis.
- January 2012-
June 2012 **Erasmus Student**
University of Rouen, Normandy (France).
I spent 6 months at the University of Rouen in order to collect material for writing my master thesis.

• PUBLICATIONS

- Journal Articles: Chesta, R.E., L. Zamponi and C. Caciagli (2019) “Labour activism and social movement unionism in the gig economy: Food delivery workers’ struggles in Italy”. *Partecipazione e Conflitto* 12.3: 819-844
- Caciagli, C. (2019) “Housing squats as “Educational Sites of Resistance”: The Process of Movement Social Base Formation in the Struggle for the House”. *Antipode –A Journal of Radical Geography*. 51.3: 730-749.
- Grazioli, M. and C. Caciagli (2018) “Resisting to the neo-liberal urban fabric: Housing right Movements and the re-appropriation of the ‘right to the city’ in Rome, Italy”. *Voluntas-International Journal of Voluntary and No Profit Organizations* 29.4: 697-711.

Caciagli, C. and M. Grazioli (2017) “The right to (stay put in) the city: The case of Porto Fluviale in Rome”, *U3-Quaderni di Urbanistica*, 13.5.

Caciagli, C. (2016) “La Questione Abitativa a Roma: Politiche di Emergenza e azioni Collettive”, *Urbanit II-II* Mulino.

Books: Caciagli, C. (*forthcoming*) *I movimenti Urbani. Teorie e Problemi*. Lessico Democratico, Mondadori, Roma.

Bertuzzi, N., C. Caciagli, L. Caruso (eds.) (2019) *Popolo Chi? Classi popolari, periferie e politiche in Italia*, Eddiesse: Roma.

Book chapters: Caciagli, C. (2019) “Al ballo senza invito: la partecipazione conflittuale” in G. Allegretti, L. Fasano and M. Sorice (eds.), *Politica oltre la Politica: Civismo vs Autoritarismo* Fondazione Giangiacomo Feltrinelli, Milano.

Caciagli, C. (2018) “La casa a Roma fra le rivendicazioni dei movimenti e l’approccio istituzionale” in A.V. (eds.), *Politiche urbane per Roma: le sfide di una capitale debole.*, Edizioni La Sapienza, Roma.

Online publications: Caciagli, C. (2020) “Vivere senza spazi pubblici” *Jacobin Italia* [online] Available at: <https://jacobinitalia.it/vivere-senza-spazi-pubblici/>

Caciagli, C. (2019) “Gli Student Hotel e la creatività del capitale” *Jacobin Italia* [online]. Available at: https://jacobinitalia.it/gli-student-hotel-e-la-creativita-del-capitale/?w3tc_note=flush_all&fbclid=IwAR1L90Iebfi553Ta4SleM8BmtixIxljHHNsaC922Br0lp8h9KrtNZWC97gg

Caciagli, C. (2019) “Le città nell’epoca neo-liberista.” *Jacobin Italia*. [online]. Available at: <https://jacobinitalia.it/le-citta-nellepoca-neo-liberista/?fbclid=IwAR1QdYL9AStioFvnrNYd9bYSBRYbeHbFMgRBHglBTzlDuLdW8lmwD9mZ4Iw>

Caciagli, C. (2017) “Abitare (ne)i territori: espulsione e riappropriazione nei quartieri di Roma” in *La città Invisibile*. [online]. Available at: <http://www.perunaltracitta.org/2018/01/05/abitare-nei-territori-espulsione-riappropriazione-nei-quartieri-roma/>.

Caciagli, C. and M. Grazioli (2017) “Ricomporre e Ribaltare la Precarietà: occupare e resistere alla dispossessione. Il caso delle occupazioni abitative a Roma” in *[Ebook] Città, spazi abbandonati e autogestione*. [online]. Available at: <https://www.infoaut.org/images/bologna/Ebook/EBOOKZ-ZCittspaziZabbandonatiautogestione.pdf>.

Book reviews: Caciagli, C. (2018) Review of “The urban politics of squatters’ movements” edited by Martinez Lopez M.A., Palgrave. In *Partecipazione e Conflitto* 11.2: 599-606.

Caciagli, C. (2013) Review of “Dispossession: The performative of the Political” by Judith Butler and Athena Athanasiou, Polity Press. In *Studi Culturali –Il Mulino*, 3.

• **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

14 January 2020	NABA-Nuova Accademia di Belle Arti, Milano I held a lesson in the course “Analysis of communicative processes”
September 2019-January 2020	University Luiss Guido Carli of Rome I’m teaching assistant in the course of “Political Sociology” in the international BA “Politics, philosophy and Economics” (PPE)
May 2016	University La Sapienza, Roma I held a seminar lesson in the Bachelor’s course of “Urban Sociology” SPS/04.

• **RECENT CONFERENCES (with paper’s presentation)**

12-14 December 2019	ComPol -Congress of “Associazione italiana di Comunicazione Politica” University of Milan, Milan IT
12-14 September 2019	Sisp Congress (as chair of a panel) University of Salento, Lecce IT
4-8 September 2019	ECPR General Conference University of Wroclaw PL
18-19 June 2019	Social Movement Research Network Pre-Conference University Carlos III de Madrid SP
16-17 May 2019	Conference “The contentious Politics of Solidarity” Scuola Normale Superiore of Florence IT
25-26 April 2019	International Workshop “Transformation in digital age” Hildesheim University, GE
15-17 April 2019	PSA Annual Conference University of Nottingham, UK
06-08 September 2018	SISP congress University of Turin IT

• ACCADEMIC CONFERENCES (as invited speaker)

- 3 October 2019 **Differenze in Comune**
Cooperativa Sociale CAT
Biblioteca delle Oblate, Firenze
- 26 February
2019 **Workshop on Democratic Innovation**
Fondazione Giangiacomo Feltrinelli, Milan.
- 14 February
2017 **“Il Far west della ricerca: repressione e scienze sociali”**
Conference organized by “Piccolo Opificio Sociologico”.
University of Florence.
- 24
April
2015 **“Urban Politics, Migration, Diversity”**
Workshop organized by the Max Weber Program (Eui). I was invited as
discussant.
European University Institute, Florence.

• SUMMER SCHOOLS

- 5-11
July
2015 **“Citizens’ resilience in times of crisis”**
Organized by “Livewhat” project,
Scuola Normale Superiore, Florence.
- 16-20
February
2015 **“Field research”**
ECPR Winter School in methods and technique.
University of Bamberg, Germany
- 13-18
September
2014. **“Hyperpolitics”**
University “Federico II” of Naples, Italy.

• WORKSHOPS

- 3 April 2019 **II Forum on the future of Democracy -Minimal Democracy**
Fondazione Giangiacomo Feltrinelli, Milan.
- 16-17
February
2018 **“Feltrinelli Camp on Urban studies”**
I have been selected to participate to the two-day international workshop
for young researchers and practitioners in the field of Urban Studies.
The workshop is organized by Fondazione Giacomo Feltrinelli.
Milan.
- 25-27
October
2016 **“Anti-Gentrification Practices in Souther Europe”**
Organized by University of Leicester.
University of Rome III, Rome

10
March
2016

“Forme d’azione sociale dirette in tempi di crisi economica in Italia”
Scuola Normale Superiore, Florence.

• RESEARCH GROUPS AND AFFILIATIONS

2019 **CCPS** -Centre for Conflict and Participation Studies
Luiss-Guido Carli of Rome

2017 to date I’m part of **“Il Cantiere delle Idee”**, a group composed by researchers, actors of civil society organizations, activists coming from different Italian cities. The aim of the group is to lead on inquiries on the popular classes and political representations as a sort of “co-research”. The group has already conducted a research that has been presented in Florence the 19th May 2018 and that is at the base of the book “Popolo Chi?” (eddiessa 2019).

2014 to date **COSMOS** -Centre on social movement studies

• MAIN AREAS OF INTEREST

- Social Movements and Contentious Politics
- Media Studies
- Ethnographical studies
- Democratic Innovation
- Urban and housing studies
- Political Sociology
- Political participation

• METHODOLOGICAL SKILLS

- Semi-Structured and In-Depth Interviews
- Participant Observation (ethnographical research)
- Archival Research
- Survey Data and Analysis (MAXQDA)
- Mixed Method
- Document analysis
- Statistical data analysis

• PREVIOUS WORK EXPERIENCE

June 2015 – January 2016	Contributing editor of the local newspaper “La Nazione” of Empoli. I worked as a free-lance publisher. I was writing about local politics and directing the cultural agenda of the newspaper.
December 2013- January 2014	Internship at the Presidency of Tuscany Region in Brussels, Belgium. I won the scholarship of the program “GiovaniSi” promoted by Tuscany Region.
September 2011- January 2012	15° Census of Italian Population Municipality of Vinci, Florence. I worked as operator of the 15° Italian Census

• LANGUAGES:

- **Italian**, mother tongue.
- **English**, fluent in speaking and writing.
- **French**, fluent in speaking and writing.

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Florence, January 2020