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Positions

Current positions

Alfred W. Bressler Professor of Law, Columbia Law School (since 2019)

Editorships, Fellowships and Boards

President, European Association of Law & Economics (EALE, 2017 – 2020)

Member of the Comparative Law and Economics Forum (CLEF, since 2014)

Funding member of the Italian Society of Law and Economics (SIDE-ISLE)

Research fellow EconomiX, University Paris X (since 2015)

Experience

University of Amsterdam

Professor of law, Amsterdam Law School (2007-2019)

Professor of economics, Amsterdam Business School (2009-2019)

Assistant professor of law (2004 – 2005) and Associate professor of law (2005 – 2007)

Co-director Amsterdam Center for Law & Economics (2004 – 2012)

Director Amsterdam Center for Law & Economics (2012 – 2016)

New York University School of Law

Visiting Professor (spring 2019)

Columbia Law School

Joseph P. Cunningham Visiting Professor of Commercial and Insurance Law (fall 2018)

University of Chicago Law School

Becker Friedman Institute fellow (winter 2012)

George Mason University School of Law

Visiting professor (fall 2003 – 2006)

Short visits and postdoc

University of Leuven (winter 2015)

University Paris X Nanterre (winter 2015)

European University Institute (fall 2014)

University of Bologna (fall 2014)

University of Salerno (fall 2013)

Georgetown Law Center (spring 2012)

University of Pavia (spring 2010)

University Nancy 2 (spring 2004 and 2006)

LUISS University (spring 2005 and 2015)

Ghent University and Utrecht School of Economics (2002 – 2003)

Hamburg University (spring 2001 and fall 2002)

Editorships, Fellowships and Boards

Associate editor of *Review of Law and Economics* – Berkeley Electronic Press (2010 – 2012)

Co-editor of *International Review of Law and Economics* – Elsevier (2012-2018)

Research fellow Tinbergen Institute (2007-2019)

Board member of the Italian Society of Law and Economics (SIDE-ISLE, 2010-2016)

Board member of the American Law and Economics Association (ALEA, 2016 – 2019)

Education

D.Jur. *cum laude* (law) University of Rome ‘La Sapienza’ (1997)

LL.M. *summa cum laude* (law & economics) Utrecht University (2000)

Ph.D. *cum laude* (law & economics) Utrecht University (2002)

BA. *cum laude* (mathematics) University of Amsterdam (2011)

LL.M. (law) Columbia Law School (2017)

J.S.D. (law) Columbia Law School (2018)

Grants and prizes

Oliver Williamson prize for the best article published in the *Journal of Law, Economics and Organization* (with Oscar Gelderblom, Joost Jonker and Enrico Perotti, 2017)

Distinguished Article Prize for the *American Law and Economics Review* (with Luigi Alberto Franzoni, 2014)

Ruebhausen Fund, Yale Law School (with Ian Ayres, 2014)

Digging into Data NWO-NSF Grant (with Adam Badawi and Rens Bod, 2014-2015)

Marie Curie grant for a two-year post doc position (Margherita Saraceno, 2012 – 2014)

Becker Friedman Institute fellowship – University of Chicago (2012)

VIDI research grant – Netherlands Organization for Scientific Research (NWO, 2007 – 2011)

Several visitors travel grants – Netherlands Organization for Scientific Research (NWO, one in 2006, two in 2007, one in 2012, one in 2016, and one in 2019)

Grant within the Framework Programme for Judicial Cooperation in Civil Matters - European Commission (principal applicator: Nancy 2 University, 2006 – 2007)

Scholarship for graduate studies abroad – University of Rome ‘La Sapienza’ (1999 – 2000)

Research interests

Law and economics, comparative law, legal and economic history, slavery, evolution of law and institutions.

Ten selected publications

Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe, Gelderblom, Oscar, Jonker, Joost, and Perotti, Enrico (2017), ‘The Emergence of the Corporate Form,’ 33(2) *Journal of Law, Economics, and Organization*, 193-236.

Winner of the 2018 Oliver E. Williamson Prize for best article.

Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe and Guerriero, Carmine (2015), 'Law and Culture: A Theory of Comparative Variation in Bona Fide Purchase Rules,' 35(3) *Oxford Journal of Legal Studies*, 543-574.

Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe, and Franzoni, Luigi Alberto (2014), 'Innovative Negligence Rules,' 16(2) *American Law and Economics Review*, 333-365.

Winner of the 2014 Distinguished Article Prize.

De Geest, Gerrit and Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe (2013), 'The Rise of Carrots and the Decline of Sticks,' 80(1) *University of Chicago Law Review*, 341-392.

Abatino, Barbara, Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe and Perotti, Enrico (2011), 'Depersonalization of Business in Ancient Rome,' 31(2) *Oxford Journal of Legal Studies*, 365-389.

Arcuri, Alessandra and Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe (2010), 'Centralization versus Decentralization as a Risk-Return Trade-off,' 53(2) *Journal of Law and Economics*, 359-378.

Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe and De Geest, Gerrit (2010), 'Carrots, Sticks, and the Multiplication Effect,' 26(2) *Journal of Law, Economics, and Organization*, 365-384.

Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe (2009), 'Negative Liability,' 38(1) *Journal of Legal Studies*, 21-60.

Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe and Garoupa, Nuno (2009), 'Least Cost Avoidance: The Tragedy of Common Safety,' 25(1) *Journal of Law, Economics, and Organization*, 235-261.

Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe and De Geest, Gerrit (2005), 'The Filtering Effect of Sharing Rules,' 34(1) *Journal of Legal Studies*, 207-237.

All publications

(ssrn.com/author=333631 for full text)

Edited volumes

1. Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe, and Dennis P. Kehoe, eds. (____), *Roman Law & Economics*, 2 volumes, Oxford: Oxford University Press.

International journals

2019

2. Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe, and Guerriero, Carmine (2019), 'Divergence and Convergence at the Intersection of Property and Contract,' 92(4) *University of Southern California Law Review*, ____-____.

2017

3. Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe, Gelderblom, Oscar, Jonker, Joost, and Perotti, Enrico (2017), 'The Emergence of the Corporate Form,' 33(2) *Journal of Law, Economics, and Organization*, 193-236.

Winner of the 2018 Oliver E. Williamson Prize for best article.

2016

4. Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe, Guerriero, Carmine and Huang, Zhenxing (2016), 'The Property-Contract Balance,' 172(1) *Journal of Institutional and Theoretical Economics*, 40-64.

2015

5. Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe and Faure, Michael G. (2015), 'The Economics of Disaster Relief,' 37(3) *Law & Policy*, 180-208.
6. Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe and Guerriero, Carmine (2015), 'Law and Culture: A Theory of Comparative Variation in Bona Fide Purchase Rules,' 35(3) *Oxford Journal of Legal Studies*, 543-574.

2014

7. Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe, Lovat, Bruno, and Parisi, Francesco (2014), 'Loss Sharing Between Non-Negligent Parties', 170(4) *Journal of Institutional and Theoretical Economics*, 571-598.
8. Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe, and Franzoni, Luigi Alberto (2014), 'Innovative Negligence Rules,' 16(2) *American Law and Economics Review*, 333-365.
Winner of the 2014 Distinguished Article Prize.
9. Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe and Parisi, Francesco (2014), 'Returns to Effort in Rent-Seeking Games,' 159(1) *Public Choice*, 99-104.

2013

10. Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe and Hendriks, Eva S. (2013), 'Relative Fault and Efficient Negligence: Comparative Negligence Explained,' 9(1) *Review of Law and Economics*, 1-40.
11. Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe (2013), 'Slavery and Information,' 73(1) *Journal of Economic History*, 79-116.
12. De Geest, Gerrit and Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe (2013), 'The Rise of Carrots and the Decline of Sticks,' 80(1) *University of Chicago Law Review*, 341-392.

2012

13. Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe and Langlais, Eric (2012), 'Social Wealth and Optimal Care,' 32(2) *International Review of Law and Economics*, 271-284.
14. Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe and Plisecka, Anna (2012), 'Luxury in Ancient Rome: Scope, Timing and Enforcement of Sumptuary Laws,' 1(1) *Legal Roots*, 189-216.
15. Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe and Van Zeben, Josephine A. W. (2012), 'Legal and Market Uncertainty in Market-Based Instruments: The Case of the EU ETS,' 19(3) *NYU Environmental Law Journal*, 415-453.

2011

16. Abatino, Barbara, Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe and Perotti, Enrico (2011), 'Depersonalization of Business in Ancient Rome,' 31(2) *Oxford Journal of Legal Studies*, 365-389.
17. Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe, Deffains, Bruno, and Lovat, Bruno (2011), 'The Dynamics of the Legal System,' 79(1-2) *Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization*, 95-107.

2010

18. Arcuri, Alessandra and Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe (2010), 'Centralization versus Decentralization as a Risk-Return Trade-off,' 53(2) *Journal of Law and Economics*, 359-378.
19. Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe, Garoupa, Nuno, and Gomez, Fernando (2010), 'State Liability,' 18(4) *European Review of Private Law*, 773-811.
20. Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe and De Geest, Gerrit (2010), 'Carrots, Sticks, and the Multiplication Effect,' 26(2) *Journal of Law, Economics, and Organization*, 365-384.

2009

21. De Geest, Gerrit, Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe and Siegers, Jacques J. (2009), 'Annullable Bonuses and Penalties,' 29(4) *International Review of Law and Economics*, 349-359.
22. Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe, Onderstal, Sander and Parisi, Francesco (2009), 'Seeking Rents in the Shadow of Coase,' 139(1) *Public Choice*, 171-196.
23. Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe (2009), 'Negative Liability,' 38(1) *Journal of Legal Studies*, 21-60.
24. Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe and Garoupa, Nuno (2009), 'Least Cost Avoidance: The Tragedy of Common Safety,' 25(1) *Journal of Law, Economics, and Organization*, 235-261.

2008

25. Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe and Mangan, Barbara M. (2008), 'Disappearing Defendants versus Judgment Proof Injurers,' 75(3) *Economica*, 749-765.
26. Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe and Garoupa, Nuno (2008), 'The Unsolvable Dilemma of a Paretian Policymaker,' 16 *Supreme Court Economic Review*, 117-126.

2007

27. Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe (2007), 'Arbitration versus Settlement,' 58(6) *Revue Economique*, 1291-1307.
28. Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe, Langlais, Eric, Lovat, Bruno, and Parisi, Francesco (2007), 'Crowding-out in Productive and Redistributive Rent-Seeking,' 133(1-2) *Public Choice*, 199-229.
29. Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe and Deffains, Bruno (2007) 'Uncertainty of Law and the Legal Process,' 163(4) *Journal of Institutional and Theoretical Economics*, 627-656.
30. Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe and Schäfer, Hans Bernd (2007), 'The Core of Pure Economic Loss,' 27(1) *International Review of Law and Economics*, 8-28.

Republished in German as Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe and Schäfer, Hans Bernd (2007) 'Kernfragen Reiner Vermögensschäden,' in Thomas Eger and Hans-Bernd Schäfer (eds.) *Ökonomische Analyse der Europäischen Zivilrechtsentwicklung*, Tübingen: Mohr Siebeck Verlag, 516-549.
31. De Geest, Gerrit and Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe (2007), 'Soft Regulators, Tough Judges,' 15 *Supreme Court Economic Review*, 119-140.

2006

32. Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe and De Geest, Gerrit (2006), 'When Will Judgment Proof Injurers Take Too Much Precaution?,' 26(3) *International Review of Law and Economics*, 336-354.
33. Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe and Parisi, Francesco (2006), 'Substituting Complements,' 2(3) *Journal of Competition Law and Economics*, 333-347.

Reprinted in Michael Heller (ed.) (2010), *Commons and Anticommons*, Cheltenham, UK: Edward Elgar, 512-526.
34. Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe (2006), 'Limiting Limited Liability,' 11(1) *Economics Bulletin*, 1-7.

2005

35. Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe (2005), 'On the Optimal Scope of Negligence,' 1(3) *Review of Law and Economics*, 331-364.
36. Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe and Parisi, Francesco (2005), 'Rents, Dissipation, and Lost Treasures: Rethinking Tullock's Paradox,' 124(3-4) *Public Choice*, 411-422.
37. Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe (2005), 'Errors and the Functioning of Tort Liability,' 13 *Supreme Court Economic Review*, 165-187.
38. Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe and De Geest, Gerrit (2005), 'Judgment Proofness under Four Different Precaution Technologies,' 161(1) *Journal of Institutional and Theoretical Economics*, 38-56.
39. Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe and De Geest, Gerrit (2005), 'The Filtering Effect of Sharing Rules,' 34(1) *Journal of Legal Studies*, 207-237.

2004

40. Parisi, Francesco and Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe (2004), 'The Rise and Fall of Communal Responsibility in Ancient Law,' 24(4) *International Review of Law and Economics*, 489-505.

Reprinted in Geoffrey P. Miller (ed.) (2010), *Economics of Ancient Law*, Elsevier, 135-151.
41. Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe (2004), 'Gödel, Kaplow, Shavell: Consistency and Completeness in

Social Decision-making,' 79(2) *Chicago-Kent Law Review*, 497-520.

2003

42. Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe and Parisi, Francesco (2003), 'The Cost of Delegated Control: Vicarious Liability, Secondary Liability and Mandatory Insurance,' 23(4) *International Review of Law and Economics*, 453-475.

Book chapters

43. Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe (____), 'The Theory of Business Organizations', in Adam Badawi (ed.), *Corporate Law and Economics, Encyclopedia of Law and Economics* (Gerrit De Geest, gen. ed., 2nd edition), ____: Edward Elgar, ____-____.
44. Badawi, Adam and Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe (2019), 'Reference Networks and Civil Codes', in Michael A. Livermore and Daniel Rockmore (eds.), *Law as Data: Computation, Text, and the Future of Legal Analysis*, Santa Fe (NM): SFI Press, 345-370.
45. Abatino, Barbara and Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe (____), 'Agency Problems and Organizational Costs in Slave-run Businesses', in Giuseppe Dari-Mattiacci and Dennis P. Kehoe (eds.), *Roman Law and Economics*, vol. 1, Oxford: Oxford University Press, ____-____.
46. Abatino, Barbara, and Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe (____), 'The Dual Origin of the Duty to Disclose in Roman Law,' in Giuseppe Dari-Mattiacci and Dennis P. Kehoe (eds.), *Roman Law and Economics*, vol. 2, Oxford: Oxford University Press, ____-____.
47. Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe, and De Geest, Gerrit (2017), 'Carrots versus Sticks,' in Francesco Parisi (ed.), *Oxford Handbook of Law and Economics*, Oxford: Oxford University Press, 439-465.
48. Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe (2015), 'The Economic Perspective: Demand and Supply in the Reduction of Transaction Costs in the Ancient World,' in Dennis P. Kehoe, David M. Ratzan and Uri Yiftach-Firanko (eds.), *Law and Transaction Costs in the Ancient Economy*, Ann Arbor (MI): Michigan University Press, 273-292.
49. Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe and Parisi, Francesco (2015), 'Liability Rules: An Economic Taxonomy,' in Mauro Bussani and Anthony Sebok (eds.), *Comparative Tort Law*, Cheltenham: Edward Elgar, 122-143.

Spanish translation: Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe and Parisi, Francesco (2015), 'Reglas de Responsabilidad: Una taxonomía económica,' 45 *Ius et Veritas*, 48-71.
50. Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe, Langlais, Eric, Lovat, Bruno, and Parisi, Francesco (2015), 'Asymmetries in Rent-Seeking,' in Roger D. Congleton and Arye L. Hillman (eds.), *Companion to Political Economy of Rent Seeking*, Cheltenham, UK and Northampton, MA, USA: Edward Elgar Publishing, 73-91.
51. Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe and Guerriero, Carmine (2011), 'Law, Economics, and History: Endogenous Institutional Change and Legal Innovation,' in Michael Faure and Jan Smits (eds.), *Does Law Matter? Law and Economic Growth (Ius Commune Europaeum, Vol. 100)*, Antwerp: Intersentia, 137-153.
52. Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe and Houtcieff, Dimitri (2008), 'Vice du consentement et aléa moral à travers la jurisprudence de la réticence dolosive,' in Christophe Jamin (ed.) *Droit et économie des contrats*, Paris: Lextenso Éditions, 45-63.
53. Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe and Parisi, Francesco (2005), 'The Economics of Tort Law,' in Jürgen G. Backhaus (ed.) *Elgar Companion to Law and Economics* (2nd ed.), Cheltenham: Edward Elgar, 87-102.
54. Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe (2004) 'The Economics of Pure Economic Loss and the Internalization of Multiple Externalities,' in Willem van Boom, Helmut Koziol and Christian Witting (eds.), *Tort and Insurance Law, Vol. 9: Pure Economic Loss*, New York - Vienna: Springer, 167-190.

Datasets

55. Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe, and Guerriero, Carmine (2017), 'A Novel Dataset on Horizontal Property Rights in 126 Jurisdictions,' 11 *Data in Brief*, 557-561.

National journals

56. Parisi, Francesco and Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe (2009), 'Mass torts e responsabilità per danno ambientale: una analisi economica,' 1 *Danno e responsabilità*, 2-14.
57. Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe (2007), 'Law & Economics: Who, Why and How?,' 56 *Ars Aequi*, 877-882.
58. Parisi, Francesco and Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe (2004), 'Il nesso causale nell'inquinamento ambientale,' 10 *Danno e responsabilità*, 942-951.
59. Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe (1999), 'Internet: promozione e collocamento a distanza di prodotti finanziari,' 19 *Diritto e pratica delle società*, 24-30.
60. Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe (1999), 'La gestione del libro soci in regime di dematerializzazione,' 16 *Diritto e pratica delle società*, 37-42.
61. Valentino, Pierluigi and Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe (1999), 'Nuova informativa societaria: la CONSOB scinde il prospetto,' 12 *Diritto e pratica delle società*, 23-28.

Unpublished working papers

- Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe and Hendriks, Eva S. (2011), 'A Generalized Jury Theorem' *Amsterdam Center for Law & Economics Working Paper No. 2011-12*.
- Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe (2004), 'Soft Negligence and Cause-in-fact: A Comment on Ganuza and Gomez,' *George Mason Law & Economics Research Paper No. 04-37*.
- De Geest, Gerrit and Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe (2003), 'On the Intrinsic Superiority of Regulation plus Insurance over Tort Law,' working paper Utrecht University, Institute of Economics.
- Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe (2003), 'Tort Law and Economics,' working paper Utrecht University, Institute of Economics.

Work in progress

- Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe, and Grossi, Davide (in progress), 'Mutual Persuasion'.
- Ayres, Ian, and Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe (in progress), 'Anticarrots'.
- Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe, and Kornhauser, Lewis (in progress), 'Arbitration'.
- Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe, and Talley, Eric (in progress), 'Do Disclosure-Only Settlements in Merger Objection Lawsuits Harm Shareholders?'
- Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe, and Raskolnikov, Alex (in progress), 'Selective Incentives'
- Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe, and Marotta-Wurgler, Florencia (in progress), 'The Evolution of Standard Form Contracts'.

Ph.D. dissertation available at: library.uu.nl/digiarchief/dip/diss/2002-0808-091249/inhoud.htm. All the papers included in the dissertations except one have been published and are in the list above.

Popular press and blogs

- Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe and Marotta-Wurgler, Florencia (2019), 'Learning in Standard Form Contracts: Theory and Evidence,' *Oxford Business Law Blog*, 15 January 2019, available at <https://www.law.ox.ac.uk/business-law-blog/blog/2019/01/learning-standard-form-contracts-theory-and-evidence>.
- Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe (2017), 'Legal Innovations, Long-term Investments and the Birth of the Corporation,' *Oxford Business Law Blog*, 12 April 2017, available at <https://www.law.ox.ac.uk/business-law-blog/blog/2017/04/legal-innovations-long-term-investments-and-birth-corporation>.
- Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe, and Perotti, Enrico (2017), 'Trade, Political Institutions and Legal Innovation: the Birth of the Corporation in Amsterdam,' in Stelios Michalopoulos and Elias Papaioannou (eds.), *The Long Economic and Political Shadow of History*, Volume III, VoxEU.org EBook.
- Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe (2010), 'Promotierendement: een kwestie van kwantiteit én kwaliteit,' *De Poort*, 6-7.
- Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe (2009), 'Fiat Lex: Law, Economics and (Roman) History,' 20 *TI Magazine*, 13-16.
- Interview with Giuseppe Dari-Mattiacci: Evenblij, Maarten (2009), 'De geschiedenis als rechtslaboratorium,' 8-9 *Mr.*, 105-107.
- Interview with Giuseppe Dari-Mattiacci (2007), 'Wat zijn de gevolgen van wetten?,' *Jaarverslag van de Universiteit van Amsterdam*, 36.
- Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe (2007), 'Law & Economics: Who, Why, How?,' 56(11) *Ars Aequi*, 877-882.
- Dari-Mattiacci, Giuseppe (2007), 'Interdisciplinair Onderzoek bij het Amsterdam Center for Law & Economics (ACLE),' *De Poort*, 6-7.
- Interview with Giuseppe Dari-Mattiacci: Van Kempen, Marieke (2005), 'Binnen het ACLE spreken juristen en economen dezelfde taal,' *De Poort*, 18-20.

Presentations

Keynote addresses and public lectures

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| 2017 | Empirical Legal Studies Workshop, Leiden University, The Hague, October 25, 2017 | Empirical Contracts: Three Studies with Data from the Field |
| 2015 | Dieter Heremans Fund Lectures in Law & Economics 2015, University of Leuven, February 16-19, 2015 | The New Economics of Property Rights. Unlocking the Fundamental Features and the Historical Emergence of the Business Corporation |
| 2013 | Logic, Rationality and Interaction (LORI IV) conference at Zhejiang University, Hangzhou, China, keynote address, October 9-12, 2013 | Black Boxes |
| 2012 | Italian Society of Law and Economics Annual Meeting, University of Rome 3, keynote address, December 13-15, 2012 | Law and Culture. A Theory of Comparative Variation (with Carmine Guerriero) |
| 2008 | Italian Society of Law and Economics Annual Meeting, University of Bologna, keynote address, November 7-8, 2008 | Depersonalization of Business in Ancient Rome (with Barbara Abatino and Enrico Perotti) |

Conferences and workshops

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| 2018 | Workshop on ‘Converge and Divergence in Private Law,’ New York University School of Law, November 2-3, 2018 | Divergence and Convergence at the Intersection of Property and Contract (with Carmine Guerriero) |
| 2017 | European Association of Law & Economics Annual Meeting, University of Liverpool in London, September 14-16, 2017 | Anticarrots (with Ian Ayres) |
| - | European Association of Law & Economics Annual Meeting, University of Liverpool in London, September 14-16, 2017 | Learning in Standard Form Contracts (with Florencia Marotta-Wurgler) |
| - | American Law and Economics Association Annual Meeting, Yale Law School, May 12-13, 2017 | Slavery versus Labor (with Guilherme de Oliveira) |
| 2015 | Conference for Empirical Legal Studies, Washington University, Saint Louis, October 30-31, 2015. | Legal Structures |
| - | International Seminar on the New Institutional Economics “Beyond Privity”, Edinburgh, 10-13 June, 2015 | The Good-faith Purchaser: Markets, Culture, and the Legal System (with Carmine Guerriero and Zhenxing Huang) |
| - | American Law and Economics Association Annual Meeting, Columbia Law School, May 15-16, 2015 | Fee-shifting with Two-sided Asymmetric Information (with Margherita Saraceno) |
| 2014 | Law & Economics Theory Conference, University of California at Berkeley, November 14-15, 2014 | Endogenous Fee-shifting (with Margherita Saraceno) |
| - | CEPR European Summer Symposium in Economic Theory, Gerzensee, June 30, 2014 | The Emergence of the Corporate Form (with Oscar Gelderblom, Joost Jonker, and Enrico Perotti) |
| - | Comparative Law and Economics Forum, Annual Meeting, Columbia Law School, June 13-14, 2014 | Law and Culture. A Theory of Comparative Variation (with Carmine Guerriero) |
| - | Norms, Actions, Games, Kings College, London, April 1-2, 2014 | Endogenous Fee-shifting (with Margherita Saraceno) |
| - | International Meeting in Law & Economics, Université Paris X, Nanterre, March 20-21, 2014 | Endogenous Fee-shifting (with Margherita Saraceno) |
| 2013 | Italian Society of Law and Economics Annual Meeting, Università della Svizzera italiana, Lugano, Switzerland, December 12-13, 2013 | The Dual Origin of the Duty to Disclose (with Barbara Abatino) |
| - | Italian Society of Law and Economics Annual Meeting, Università della Svizzera italiana, Lugano, Switzerland, December 12-13, 2013 | Endogenous Property Rights (with Carmine Guerriero) |
| - | Ius Commune Congress, Workshop on “Contract Law”, Maastricht, November 28-29, 2013 | Law and Culture. A Theory of Comparative Variation (with Carmine Guerriero) |
| - | Workshop on “The Institutions of Property Rights”, University of Bolzano, September 12, 2013 | Endogenous Property Rights (with Carmine Guerriero) |

- International Society for New Institutional Economics Annual Meeting, Session on “Institutions and Ancient Economics”, Florence, June 20-22, 2013 The Dual Origin of the Duty to Disclose (with Barbara Abatino)
- International Society for New Institutional Economics Annual Meeting, Session on “Endogenous Property Rights”, Florence, June 20-22, 2013 Endogenous Property Rights (with Carmine Guerriero)
- Workshop on “Economic governance and organizations”, Tilburg Law and Economics Center, June 6-7, 2013 The Emergence of the Corporate Form (with Oscar Gelderblom, Joost Jonker, and Enrico Perotti)
- American Law and Economics Association Annual Meeting, Vanderbilt University Law School, May 17-18, 2013 The Emergence of the Corporate Form (with Oscar Gelderblom, Joost Jonker, and Enrico Perotti)
- 2012 Italian Society of Law and Economics Annual Meeting, University of Rome 3, December 13-15, 2012 The Emergence of the Corporate Form (with Oscar Gelderblom, Joost Jonker, and Enrico Perotti)
- ACLE Spring Workshop, May 8, 2012 The Good-faith Purchaser: Markets, Culture, and the Legal System (with Carmine Guerriero and Zhenxing Huang)
- American Economic Association Annual Meeting, Chicago January 7, 2012 The Good-faith Purchaser: Markets, Culture, and the Legal System (with Carmine Guerriero and Zhenxing Huang)
- 2011 Italian Society of Law and Economics Annual Meeting, University of Turin, December 16-17, 2011 A Generalized Jury Theorem (with Eva S. Hendriks and Maarten Havinga)
- American Law and Economics Association Annual Meeting, Columbia Law School, May 20-21, 2011 Slavery and Freedom
- Workshop on Endogenous Institutions, University of Amsterdam, May 17, 2011 The Good-faith Purchaser: Markets, Culture, and the Legal System (with Carmine Guerriero and Zhenxing Huang)
- American Economic Association Annual Meeting, Denver January 9, 2011 Slavery and Freedom
- 2010 TILEC Workshop on the Foundations of Law and Economics, Tilburg University, November 26, 2010 The Economic Theory of Legal Remedies
- European Association Law and Economics Annual Meeting, Paris II University, September 23-25, 2010 Inverse Adverse Selection: The Market for Gems (with Sander Onderstal and Francesco Parisi)
- International Conference on Firm Governance: Law in History, Tel Aviv University, June 13-15, 2010 Depersonalization of Business in Ancient Rome (with Barbara Abatino and Enrico Perotti)
- Journée “économie du droit”, Université de Franche-Comté, CRESE, June 3, 2010 Multilevel Governance and Risk Diversification (with Alessandra Arcuri)
- American Law and Economics Association Annual Meeting, Princeton University, May 7-8, 2010 Luxury in Ancient Rome (with Anna Plisecka)

- Ghent seminar on Evolutionary Approaches to Comparative Private Law: Integrating Theoretical Perspectives, Ghent University, April 23-24, 2010 Depersonalization of Business in Ancient Rome (with Barbara Abatino and Enrico Perotti)
- ACLE-CSEF Workshop, University of Naples Federico II, March 12, 2010 Depersonalization of Business in Ancient Rome (with Barbara Abatino and Enrico Perotti)
- Annual EMLE Conference, University of Bologna, February 12, 2010 Optimal Remedies for Market-based Instruments (with Josephine van Zeben)
- VIDI workshop on Law, Economics and History, University of Amsterdam, February 5, 2010 Slavery and Freedom
- 2009 European Association of Law and Economics Annual Meeting, LUISS University, September 17-19, 2009 Slavery and Freedom
- 2008 Amsterdam-Oxford conference on Legal Innovation in Finance, University of Amsterdam, October 16-17, 2008 Depersonalization of Business in Ancient Rome (with Barbara Abatino and Enrico Perotti)
- Midwestern Law and Economics Association Annual Meeting, Northwestern University School of Law, October 3-4, 2008 Depersonalization of Business in Ancient Rome (with Barbara Abatino and Enrico Perotti)
- Comparative Law and Economics Forum, Annual Meeting, Gran Versailles Hotel Madrid, June 13-14, 2008 Slavery and Freedom
- 2007 Midwestern Law and Economics Association Annual Meeting, University of Minnesota Law School, October 12-13, 2007 Multilevel Governance and Risk Diversification (with Alessandra Arcuri)
- Canadian Law and Economics Association Annual Meeting, University of Toronto, September 28-29, 2007 Multilevel Governance and Risk Diversification (with Alessandra Arcuri)
- International Society for New Institutional Economics Annual Meeting, Reykjavik, June 21-23, 2007 Multilevel Governance and Risk Diversification (with Alessandra Arcuri)
- 2006 Canadian Law and Economics Association Annual Meeting, University of Toronto, September 29-30, 2006 Disappearing Defendant v. Judgment Proof Injurers: Upgrading the Theory of Tort Law Failures (with Barbara Mangan)
- Canadian Law and Economics Association Annual Meeting, University of Toronto, September 29-30, 2006 Seeking Rents in the Shadow of Coase (with Sander Onderstal and Francesco Parisi)
- American Law and Economics Association Annual Meeting, UC Berkeley, May 5-6, 2006 Loss Sharing under Negligence (with Bruno Lovat and Francesco Parisi)
- Public Choice Society Annual Meeting, New Orleans, March 30 – April 1, 2006 Seeking Rents in the Shadow of Coase (with Sander Onderstal and Francesco Parisi)
- Erasmus Law and Economics Conference, Hamburg University, February 10, 2006 Seeking Rents in the Shadow of Coase (with Sander Onderstal and Francesco Parisi)
- 2005 Second French-German Talks in Law and Economics, University of Saarland, Saarbrücken, December 2-3, 2005 Substituting Complements (with Francesco Parisi)

- Second French-German Talks in Law and Economics, University of Saarland, Saarbrücken, December 2-3, 2005 Uncertainty of Law and the Legal Process (with Bruno Deffains)
- Second Toulouse-Montréal Conference on The Law, Economics and Management of Large-Scale Risks, Université de Montréal, September 30 and October 1, 2005 Least Cost Avoidance (with Nuno Garoupa)
- Canadian Law and Economics Association, Annual Meeting, University of Toronto, September 23-24, 2005 Incompleteness of Law (with Bruno Deffains and Bruno Lovat)
- 6th Workshop on Institutional Analysis, Universitat Pompeu Fabra, Barcelona, June 11, 2005 Incompleteness of Law (with Bruno Deffains and Bruno Lovat)
- Conference on the Law and Economics of Pure Economic Loss, Universitat Pompeu Fabra, Barcelona, April 7-9, 2005 The Core of Pure Economic Loss (With Hans-Bernd Schäfer)
- Erasmus Law and Economics Conference, Ghent University, February 18, 2005 Anticommons and the Most-Favored-Nation Clause (with Sven Vanneste and Alain Van Hiel)
- 2004 European Association of Law and Economics, Annual Conference, Zagreb, September 23-25, 2004 Rent, Dissipation and Lost Treasures with *N* Parties (with Eric Langlais, Bruno Lovat, and Francesco Parisi)
- American Law and Economics Association, Annual Conference, Northwestern University Law School, May 7-8, 2004 Negative Liability
- 2003 Erasmus Law and Economics Conference, University of Hamburg, February 14, 2003 Towards a Positive Economic Theory of Negative Liability
- Conference of the Scandinavian Association for Law and Economics, November 28-29, 2003 Carrots versus Sticks (with Gerrit De Geest)
- European Association of Law and Economics, Annual Conference, University of Nancy 2, September 18-20, 2003 The Rise and Fall of Communal Liability in Ancient Law (with Francesco Parisi)
- IVR 21st World Conference on Law and Politics, Lund University Sweden, August 12-17, 2003 Goedel, Kaplow and Shavell: Efficiency vs. Other Values in Social Decision Making
- DWTC conference on the economic analysis of traffic safety, University of Ghent, February 26, 2003 On the Intrinsic Superiority of Regulation plus Insurance over Tort Law (with Gerrit De Geest)
- 2002 European Centre for Tort and Insurance Law, Conference on Pure Economic Loss, Munich, October 22, 2002 Pure Economic Loss and the Internalization of Multiple Externalities
- European Association of Law and Economics, Annual Conference, University of Athens, September 19-21, 2002 The Cost of Delegated Control: Vicarious Liability, Secondary Liability and Mandatory Insurance (with Francesco Parisi)
- Erasmus Law and Economics Conference, University of Ghent, February 22, 2002 A Theoretical Analysis of the Definitions of Care and Activity Level and the Choice of Liability Rules
- 2001 Società Italiana degli Economisti (Italian Economists Society), Annual Conference, Rome, October 25-27, 2001 The Economic Justifications for Comparative Negligence

- European Association of Law and Economics, Annual Conference, University of Vienna, September 13-15, 2001 The Judgment Proof Problem Under Different Tort Models (with Gerrit De Geest)
- American Law and Economics Association, Annual Conference, Georgetown University, May, 11-12, 2001 Efficiency Wages, Conditional Bonuses and Punitive Damages (with Gerrit De Geest and Jacques Siegers)
- 2000 European Association of Law and Economics, Annual Conference, University of Ghent, September 14-16, 2000 Comparative Negligence as a Filter Mechanism when Courts do not Know the Cost of Care (with Gerrit De Geest)

Seminars

- 2019 Columbia Law School, Center for Contract & Economic Organization, Law and Economics Workshop, March 11, 2019 Liquidity and Control within Organizations
- New York University School of Law, Faculty Workshop, February 11, 2019 Selective Incentives (with Alex Raskolnikov)
- New York University School of Law, Law & Economics Workshop, January 30, 2018 Fines for Unequal Societies (with Giovanni Immordino and Francesco Flaviano Russo)
- 2018 Columbia Law School, Faculty Workshop, October 16, 2018 The Theory of Business Organizations
- New York University School of Law, The Colloquium on Law Economics and Politics, October 2, 2018 Mutual Persuasion (with Davide Grossi)
- Center for the Study of Economics and Finance, University of Naples Federico II, March 12, 2018 Capital Lock-in, Liquidity and the Separation between Ownership and Control
- Workshop on Blockchain, Law and Policy, University of Amsterdam, February 12, 2018 Property without Law (with Stefan Bechtold)
- 2017 Business Law and Economics Symposium, University of Amsterdam, March 14, 2017 A Theory of Corporate Personhood: Commitment of Capital, Liquidity and the Separation between Ownership and Control
- UCLA School of Law, March 9, 2017 The Emergence of the Corporate Form (with Oscar Gelderblom, Joost Jonker, and Enrico Perotti)
- Columbia Law School, March 6, 2017 A Theory of Corporate Personhood: Commitment of Capital, Liquidity and the Separation between Ownership and Control
- ETH Law & Economics Colloquium, February 9, 2017 The Emergence of the Corporate Form (with Oscar Gelderblom, Joost Jonker, and Enrico Perotti)
- 2015 Bert W. Wasserman Workshop in Law & Finance, Yale Law School, October 1, 2015 The Emergence of the Corporate Form (with Oscar Gelderblom, Joost Jonker, and Enrico Perotti)
- Property Law Discussion Group seminar, University of Oxford, April 30, 2015 The New Economics of Property Rights. Unlocking the Fundamental Features and the Historical Emergence of the Business Corporation

- University Paris X, law and economics seminar, February 10, 2015 The Emergence of the Corporate Form (with Oscar Gelderblom, Joost Jonker, and Enrico Perotti)
- 2014 European University Institute, Department of Economics, Microeconomics Working Group, December 9, 2014 The Emergence of the Corporate Form (with Oscar Gelderblom, Joost Jonker, and Enrico Perotti)
- Hokkaido University, October 30, 2014 Law and Culture: A Theory of Comparative Variation in Good Faith Purchase Rules (with Carmine Guerriero)
- UCLA School of Law, February 13, 2014 Information Acquisition Before and After the Contract (with Sander Onderstal and Francesco Parisi)
- 2013 University Paris X, law and economics seminar, March 18, 2013 Three Dimensions of Legal Remedies (with Josephine van Zeven)
- 2012 Yale Law School, law, economics & organization workshop, November 8, 2012 Property versus Contract (with Carmine Guerriero and Zhenxing Huang)
- IDC Radzyner School of Law, commercial law workshop, June 10, 2012 The Good-faith Purchaser: Markets, Culture, and the Legal System (with Carmine Guerriero and Zhenxing Huang)
- Washington University St. Louis Department of Economics, economic theory workshop, April 17, 2012 The Good-faith Purchaser: Markets, Culture, and the Legal System (with Carmine Guerriero and Zhenxing Huang)
- Washington University St. Louis School of Law, April 16, 2012 Inverse Adverse Selection: The Market for Gems (with Sander Onderstal and Francesco Parisi)
- George Mason University School of Law, law & economics workshop, March 29, 2012 Inverse Adverse Selection: The Market for Gems (with Sander Onderstal and Francesco Parisi)
- University of Southern California, law, economics & organization workshop, March 5, 2012 The Good-faith Purchaser: Markets, Culture, and the Legal System (with Carmine Guerriero and Zhenxing Huang)
- University of Illinois College of Law, February 13, 2012 The Good-faith Purchaser: Markets, Culture, and the Legal System (with Carmine Guerriero and Zhenxing Huang)
- University of Chicago Law School, law & economics workshop, February 7, 2012 Inverse Adverse Selection: The Market for Gems (with Sander Onderstal and Francesco Parisi)
- 2011 University of Amsterdam, Faculty of Law Legal Uncertainty
- Max Plank Institute for Collective Goods, Bonn, October 30, 2011 Institutional Discontinuity: The Twisted Emergence of Legal Personality in the Dutch East India Company (with Oscar Gelderblom, Joost Jonker, and Enrico Perotti)
- European University Institute, Florence, October 20-21, 2011 Economics of Litigation and Regulatory Competition (2 lectures)
- Collegio Carlo Alberto (Torino), IEL PhD seminar, March 16, 2011 Slavery and Freedom
- University of Bologna, law & economics seminar, February 7, 2011 Slavery and Freedom
- 2010 Tel Aviv University, law & economics seminar, November 15, 2010 The Economic Theory of Legal Remedies

- University of Haifa, law & economics seminar, June 15, 2010 Comparative Negligence as a Buffer Against Erroneous Standards (with Eva Hendriks)
- University of Bonn, law & economics seminar, February 2, 2010 Luxury in Ancient Rome (with Anna Plisecka)
- 2008 Central European University (Budapest), Department of Economics faculty seminar, December 8, 2008 Luxury in Ancient Rome (with Anna Plisecka)
- University of Amsterdam, ACLE internal seminar, November 26, 2008 The Dynamics of the Legal System (with Bruno Deffains and Bruno Lovat)
- Symposium on Law, Economics And Finance for the retirement of Dirk Heremans, University of Leuven, public lecture, October 21, 2008 Depersonalization of Business in Ancient Rome (with Barbara Abatino and Enrico Perotti)
- University Paris X, law & economics seminar, October 13, 2008 Depersonalization of Business in Ancient Rome (with Barbara Abatino and Enrico Perotti)
- University of Amsterdam, Faculty of Law, inaugural lecture (Oratie), May 30, 2008 Slavery and Freedom
- University of Amsterdam, Faculty of Law, faculty lunch, April 4, 2008 Luxury in Ancient Rome (with Anna Plisecka)
- University of Texas at Austin School of Law, law & economics workshop, February 4, 2008 Negative Liability
- Northwestern University School of law, faculty workshop, February 6, 2008 State Liability (with Nuno Garoupa and Fernando Gomez)
- University of Illinois College of Law, law & economics workshop, February 8, 2008 Negative Liability
- 2007 University of Amsterdam, Faculty of Economics, KAFEE lunch seminar, November 5, 2007 Multilevel Governance and Risk Diversification (with Alessandra Arcuri)
- University of Michigan Law School, October 10, 2007 Negative Liability
- 2006 University of Cambridge, November 23, 2006 Uncertainty of Law and the Legal Process (with Bruno Deffains)
- University of Luxemburg, Faculty of Law, Economics and Finance, Workshop in Law and Economics for European Law, November 10, 2006 Arbitration versus Settlement
- University of Amsterdam, Faculty of Economics and Business, Dies Natalis October 19, 2006 Competition and Exchange in the Marketplace
- George Mason University School of Law, August 31, 2006 Seeking Rents in the Shadow of Coase (with Sander Onderstal and Francesco Parisi)
- University of Amsterdam, Institute for Information Law (IVIR), June 16, 2006 Seeking Rents in the Shadow of Coase (with Sander Onderstal and Francesco Parisi)
- University of Zurich, May 17, 2006 Risky Levels of Governance: A Primer on Federalism of Risk Law (with Alessandra Arcuri)

- University of Zurich, May 16, 2006 Seeking Rents in the Shadow of Coase (with Sander Onderstal and Francesco Parisi)
- Ghent University, Center for Advanced Studies in Law and Economics, February 16, 2006 Seeking Rents in the Shadow of Coase (with Sander Onderstal and Francesco Parisi)
- Cour de Cassation, Paris, February 14, 2006 Vice du consentement et aléa moral à travers la jurisprudence de la réticence dolosive (Moral Hazard and Failure to Disclose Information in Contracts)
- 2005 University of Amsterdam, Faculty of Law, International Law seminar, December 16, 2005 Recognition and Enforcement of Foreign Claims (with Tamara Lahovski)
- Universidade Nova, Lisbon, November 18, 2005 Substituting Complements (with Francesco Parisi)
- University of Amsterdam, Faculty of Law, Private Law seminar, October 24, 2005 Soft Regulators, Tough Judges (with Gerrit De Geest)
- George Mason University School of Law, September 15, 2005 Substituting Complements (with Francesco Parisi)
- Hamburg University, Law & Economics seminar, June 23, 2005 The Core of Pure Economics Loss (with Hans-Bernd Schäfer)
- University of Amsterdam, ACLE Monday seminar, June 13, 2005 Substituting Complements (with Francesco Parisi)
- Università degli Studi, Roma 3, Faculty of Law, May 11, 2005 Topics in the Economic Analysis of Tort Damages
- Università degli Studi, Bologna, Faculty of Economics, May 9, 2005 Incompleteness of Law (with Bruno Deffains and Bruno Lovat)
- Tilburg University, TILEC, March 11, 2005 Incompleteness of Law (with Bruno Deffains and Bruno Lovat)
- Ghent University, Center for Advanced Studies in Law and Economics, March 3, 2005 Disappearing Defendant v. Judgment Proof Injurers: Upgrading the Theory of Tort Law Failures (with Barbara Mangan)
- University of Amsterdam, Faculty of Law, Private Law seminar, February 15, 2005 The Debate on Fairness v. Welfare
- University of Amsterdam, Faculty of Economics, KAFEE lunch seminar, January 31, 2005 Rent, Dissipation and Lost Treasures with N Parties (with Eric Langlais, Bruno Lovat, and Francesco Parisi)
- 2004 University of Amsterdam, Private Law Department, November 22, 2004 Least Cost Avoidance (with Nuno Garoupa)
- George Mason University School of Law, October 5, 2004 Rent, Dissipation and Lost Treasures with N Parties (with Eric Langlais, Bruno Lovat, and Francesco Parisi)
- Université Nancy 2, June 3, 2004 Incompleteness of Law (with Bruno Deffains and Bruno Lovat)
- Universitat Pompeu Fabra, Barcelona, May 3, 2004 Legal Errors and the Functioning of Tort Liability
- George Mason University, School of Law, April 1, 2004 Multipliable Sanctions (with Gerrit De Geest)
- 2003 Ghent University, School of Law, January 30, 2003 Pure Economic Loss and the Internalization of Multiple Externalities

- University of Amsterdam, Institute for Logic, Language and Computation (ILLC), March 12, 2003 Towards a Positive Economic Theory of Negative Liability
- George Mason University School of Law, March 25, 2003 Towards a Positive Economic Theory of Negative Liability
- Hamburg University, May 22, 2003 Pure Economic Loss and the Internalization of Multiple Externalities
- George Mason University School of Law, September 9, 2003 Activity vs. Care and the Design of Liability Rules
- University of Amsterdam, Faculty of Law, September 18, 2003 Towards a Positive Economic Theory of Negative Liability (with Francesco Parisi)
- Utrecht School of Economics, November 11, 2003 The Cost of Delegated Control: Vicarious Liability, Secondary Liability and Mandatory Insurance (with Francesco Parisi)
- 2002 Hamburg University, May 23, 2002 When will Judgment Proof Injurers Take too much Precaution? (with Gerrit De Geest)
- Katholieke Universiteit Leuven, October 29, 2002 On the Intrinsic Superiority of Regulation plus Insurance over Tort Law (with Gerrit De Geest)
- Utrecht University, Faculty of Sociology, November 8, 2002 Carrots versus Sticks (with Gerrit De Geest)
- 2001 Copenhagen Business School, May 20, 2001 The Economics of Judgment Proofness
- Hamburg University, July 6, 2001 A Theoretical Analysis of the Definitions of Care and Activity Level and the Choice of Liability Rules

Discussant and chair in conferences and workshops

- 2019 Ian Ayres' Decennial Coauthors' Conference, Yale Law School, February 23, 2018 Discussant: Who Benefits From Child Care Ratings? Evidence From Minnesota's ParentAware Program (by Jonathan Borowsky)
- 2017 European Association of Law & Economics Annual Meeting, University of Liverpool in London, September 14-16, 2017 Discussant: Promises, Reliance, and Psychological Lock-In (by Rebecca Stone and Alexander Stremitzer)
- European Association of Law & Economics Annual Meeting, University of Liverpool in London, September 14-16, 2017 Discussant: Valuing the Public's Demand for Crime Prevention Programs: A Discrete Choice Experiment (by Emilio Picasso and Mark A. Cohen)
- 2016 European Association for Law and Economics Annual Conference, University of Bologna, September 15-17, 2016. Discussant: Compensation for Takings: Lessons from Civil Liability (by Urs Schweizer)
- 2015 Conference for Empirical Legal Studies, Washington University, Saint Louis, October 30-31, 2015. Discussant: Taking Unread Contracts Seriously (by Tess Wilkinson-Ryan)

- American Law and Economics Association Annual Meeting, Columbia Law School, May 15-16, 2015 Discussant: Innovation Sticks: The Limited Case for Penalizing Failures to Innovate (by Ian Ayres and Amy Kapczynski)
- 2014 Conference for Empirical Legal Studies, University of California Berkeley, November 7-8, 2014. Discussant: Promises and Expectations (by Florian Ederer and Alexander Stremitzer)
- 2013 Ius Commune Congress, Maastricht, November 28-29, 2013 Chair of the workshop on “Liability and Insurance II”
- SHARES Seminar on Distribution of Responsibilities in International Law, Amsterdam, May 30-31, 2013 Chair of Session 3
- SHARES Seminar on Distribution of Responsibilities in International Law, Amsterdam, May 30-31, 2013 Discussant: Incentives, Compensation and Irreparable Harm (by Lewis Kornhauser)
- American Law and Economics Association Annual Meeting, Vanderbilt University Law School, May 17-18, 2013 Chair of Session 33: Corporate Governance: Theory of the Firm and Private Benefits
- Faculty seminar, Faculty of Law, University of Amsterdam, March 27, 2013 Discussant: *Fides publica* in Ancient Rome and its Reception by Grotius and Locke (by Marc de Wilde)
- 2012 Conference on Theoretical Law and Economics, Yale Law School, December 7-8, 2012 Discussant: A Safety Valve Model of Equity as Anti-Opportunism (by Kenneth Ayotte, Ezra Friedman and Henry Smith)
- 2011 Italian Society of Law and Economics, University of Turin, December 16-17, 2011 Chair and Discussant: Negligence or Strict Liability: Should we use the Simplest Rule for a Complex world? (by Pierre Garello)
- ACLE Winter Meeting, University of Amsterdam, December 13, 2011 Discussant: Law without Coercion: Examining the Role of Law in Coordinating Collective Punishment (by Gillian Hadfield and Barry Weingast)
- American Economic Association Annual Meeting, Denver January 9, 2011 Chair and Discussant: The Origin of Democracy in Athens (By Brian McCannon)
- 2010 European Association Law and Economics Annual Meeting, Paris II University, September 32-25, 2010 Discussant: Least Cost Avoidance and Partial Compensation (by Massimo D’Antoni and Avraham D. Tabbach)
- International Conference on Firm Governance: Law in History, Tel Aviv University, June 13-15, 2010 Discussant: Contractual Flexibility within the Common Law: Organizing Private Companies in Britain and the United States (by Ron Harris and Naomi Lamoreaux)
- 2009 European Law and Economics Association Annual Meeting, LUISS University, September 17-19, 2009 Chair of Session F10: Tort Law
- European Law and Economics Association Annual Meeting, LUISS University, September 17-19, 2009 Discussant: Auditors’ Liability with Overcompensation and Reputation Losses (by Jochen Bigus)
- 2008 Italian Society of Law and Economics Annual Meeting, University of Bologna, November 7-8, 2008 Discussant: A Characterization of the Judicial Enforcement of Contracts (by Juan S. Mora)

- American Law and Economics Association, Annual Conference, Columbia Law School, May, 16-17, 2008 Chair of Panel VIIB: Rules and Legal Systems
- 2007 Workshop on Measuring Law, Amphithéâtre Curien, Paris, December 14-15, 2007 Discussant: Institutional Clusters (by Gérard Roland)
- International Society for New Institutional Economics Annual Meeting, Reykjavik, June 21-23, 2007 Discussant: Law and Economic Development: Common Law Versus Civil Law (by Francisco Cabrillo)
- 2006 Workshop on Measuring Law, Conseil d'Etat, Paris, December 15-16, 2006 Discussant: OECD Employment Outlook 2004 (by Glenda Quintini)
- Public Choice Society Annual Meeting, New Orleans, March 30 – April 1, 2006 Discussant: Rent-Extraction, Political Institutions and the Centralisation of Public Goods Provision (by Jan Schnellenbach, Lars P. Feld and Christoph Schaltegger)
- Erasmus Law and Economics Conference, University of Hamburg, February 10, 2006 Discussant: The Principles of European Tort Law: The Right Path to Harmonization? (by Roger Van den Bergh and Louis Visscher)
- 2005 Second French-German Talks in Law and Economics, University of Saarland, Saarbrücken, December 2-3, 2005 Discussant: Liability and Manufacturer Warnings (by Paul Calcott)
- 6th Workshop on Institutional Analysis, Universitat Pompeu Fabra, Barcelona, June 11, 2005 Discussant: Originating Knowledge: The Emergence of a New Political Economy of Intellectual Property in the United States New Deal Era (by Steven Wilf)
- Erasmus Law and Economics Conference, Ghent University, February 18, 2005 Discussant: Heterogeneous Physicians, Lawsuit Costs, and the Negligence Rule (by Anja Olbrich)
- 2003 European Association of Law and Economics, Annual Conference, University of Nancy 2, September 18-20, 2003 Discussant: Comparing Alternative Regulation Policies: an Environmental Law and Economics Approach (by Mariachiara Alberton and Donatella Porrini)

Conferences organized

- 2018: Fifth Empirical Legal Studies Workshop at the University of Amsterdam
Workshop on Blockchain, Law and Policy (joint with IViR and ETH Zurich) at the University of Amsterdam
Comparative Law and Economics Forum Annual Meeting (CLEF 2018) at the University of Amsterdam
- 2017: Business Law and Economics Symposium (BLES 2) at the University of Amsterdam
Third Empirical Legal Studies Workshop at the University of Amsterdam
- 2016: First Conference on Empirical Legal Studies in Europe (CELSE 2016) at the University of Amsterdam
- 2013: Workshop on “Liability and Insurance”, Ius Commune Congress in Maastricht
- 2011: Session on the Economics of Ancient Societies, American Economic Association
- 2010: Workshop on Law, Economics and History at the University of Amsterdam
- 2010: Second Amsterdam Conference on Law, History and Finance: Determinants of the Corporate Form
- 2003: DWTC Conference on the economic analysis of traffic safety at Ghent University
- 2002: Workshop in law and economics at Utrecht University

Teaching

Current courses

Economics of Torts and Contracts (BA)	Since 2016 – Amsterdam University College
Law & economics (PhD Econ)	Since 2007 – Tinbergen Institute
L&E I: Economic theory and the law (BA)	Since 2011 – University of Amsterdam, Law School
L&E II: Empirical legal studies (BA)	Since 2011 – University of Amsterdam, Law School
L&E III: Digital legal studies (BA)	Since 2011 – University of Amsterdam, Law School
Management of research ideas / quantitative methods in comparative research / law & economics (PhD Law)	Since 2009 – University of Amsterdam, Law School

Past courses

Contracts	2018 (fall) – Columbia Law School 2019 (spring) – NYU School of Law
Law & economics workshop	2010 and 2011 – University of Amsterdam honors program (BA, law)
Law & economics	2007 to 2009 (spring) – University of Amsterdam honors program (undergraduate, law)
Economics of access to justice	2010 (spring) – IUSS, Pavia
Public choice and law reform	2005 (fall) and 2006 (fall) – George Mason University School of Law
Economics of property	2004 (fall) – George Mason University School of Law
Economics of tort liability	2006 (spring) – Université Nancy 2, BETA-CNRS (graduate, economics) 2005 (spring) – LUISS Guido Carli University, Rome 2003 (spring) and 2004 (spring) – University of Siena, Graduate School 2003 (fall) – George Mason University School of Law

Supervision

MPhil Economics (Tinbergen Institute)

Eva S. Hendriks (Economics of International Law) – graduated in 2010
 Zhenxing Huang (Good Faith Purchase) – graduated in 2010
 Guilherme Vala Elias Pimentel de Oliveira (Extractive States) – graduated in 2013
 Stijn Depla (Simultaneous Risk Mitigation & Learning) – graduated in 2015
 Adam Feher (The Economics of Non-compete Clauses) – graduated in 2018

PhD

Margherita Saraceno (Economics of Litigation) – graduated in 2008 (University of Pavia)
 Josephine A. W. van Zeben (Environmental Law and Economics) – graduated *cum laude* in 2012
 Eva S. Hendriks (Essays in Law and Economics) – graduated in 2014
 Guilherme Vala Elias Pimentel de Oliveira (Political Economy and Law) – graduated in 2017
 Adam Feher (Commitment of Human Capital) – ongoing

Post-Doc

Dr. Anna Plisecka (Law, Economics, and History) – Sept. 2008 to Jan. 2010
 Dr. Barbara Abatino (Law, Economics, and History) – Sept. 2008 to April 2012
 Dr. Margherita Saraceno (Economics of Access to Justice) – Sept 2012 to August 2014
 Dr. Bart Karstens (Big Data and Civil Codes) – June 2014 to December 2016
 Dr. Marco Fabbri (Prosocial Effects of Property) – March 2018 to July 2019

Referee

Journals (ongoing)

American Law & Economics Review – Oxford University Press
 Journal of Law, Economics and Organization – Oxford University Press
 Journal of Legal Studies – University of Chicago Press

Journals (past)

Bulletin of Economic Research – Wiley Online
 Economic Bulletin – Springer
 Economica – Blackwell Publishing for the London School of Economics
 International Review of Law and Economics – Elsevier
 Journal of European Tort Law – De Gruyter
 Journal of Evolutionary Economics – Springer
 Journal of Institutional and Theoretical Economics – Mohr Siebeck
 Journal of Institutional Economics – Oxford University Press
 Journal of Public Economics – Elsevier
 Public Choice – Springer
 Review of Law and Economics – De Gruyter
 Revue Economique – Presses de Sciences Po
 Supreme Court Economic Review – Chicago University Press
 Economic Policy – Oxford University Press

Books

Encyclopedia of Law and Economics (Gerrit De Geest, ed.)
 Research Handbook on the Economics of Torts (Jennifer Arlen, ed.)

Publishers

Cambridge University Press
 Routledge

Conference program committees

3rd TILEC Economic Governance Workshop: “Economic Governance and Social Preferences”
Tilburg University, September 3-4, 2015

“Norms, Actions, Games” Kings College London, 1-2 April, 2014

American Law and Economics Association Annual Conference 2013 (area organizer for Political Economy; Public Choice; Public Law; Constitutional Law; Statutory Interpretation); 2015 (area organizer for tort law and economics), 2018 (area organizer for Courts: Employment & Labor Law; Family Law; Discrimination)

European Association of Law and Economics Annual Conferences 2007, 2011 and 2013

Italian Association of Law and Economics Annual Conference 2011

Languages

Italian – English – Dutch – French

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