

CURRICULUM VITAE

Dr Valeria Bordone

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PERSONAL DETAILS

Title: Dr.
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RESEARCH INTERESTS

Intergenerational relationships – Ageing – Family – Cognition– Education and human capital.

CURRENT POSITIONS

January 2016 - LECTURER in Gerontology, University of Southampton (UK).
January 2016 - GUEST RESEARCH SCHOLAR, Wittgenstein Centre (IIASA, VID/ÖAW, WU), Vienna and Laxenburg (AT).
March 2011 - EXTERNAL RESEARCH ASSOCIATE, Carlo F. Dondena Research Centre for Social Dynamics, Bocconi University, Milan (IT).

ACADEMIC CAREER

Education

2007 - 2010 PhD in SOCIAL SCIENCES - SOCIOLOGY
University of Mannheim (DE)
Supervisors: Prof. K. Hank (currently University of Cologne) and Prof. M. Murphy (LSE, London).
Dissertation Title: *Intergenerational relationships in ageing societies: An analysis of solidarity between elderly parents and adult children.*

2006 - 2007 European Research Master of DEMOGRAPHY
Max Planck Institute of Demographic Research, Rostock (DE).
Supervisor: Prof. P. Dykstra (Erasmus University Rotterdam).

2005 - 2006 MSc in HEALTH, POPULATION AND SOCIETY
London School of Economics, London (UK).
Supervisor: Prof. M. Murphy. Classification: Distinction

2000 - 2004 Laurea in ECONOMICS, STATISTICS AND SOCIAL SCIENCES (Italian Bachelor Degree-MSc equivalent)
Bocconi University, Milan (IT). Supervisor: Prof. F. Billari (currently University of Oxford). Grade: 110 out of 110 cum laude.

Past positions

- March 2011-
December 2015 RESEARCH SCHOLAR, Wittgenstein Centre for Demography and Global Human Capital (IIASA, VID/ÖAW, WU), International Institute for Applied Systems Analysis (AT).
- March 2011-March 2013 POST-DOC RESEARCHER, Vienna University of Business and Economics, (AT).
- May 2010-February 2011 RESEARCH ASSOCIATE, Carlo F. Dondena Research Centre for Social Dynamics, Bocconi University, Milan (IT).
- June-August 2008 VISITING RESEARCHER, MEA (Mannheim Research Institute for the Economics of Aging), Mannheim (DE).
- January-August 2005 RESEARCHER, University of Padua (IT).
- April-June 2004 INTERNSHIP, Institute for Research and Development of Insurance (I.R.S.A.), Milan (IT).

Summer school

- 23-27 July 2012 International Summer School: “Intergenerational relationships in a globalized world”, Collegio Carlo Alberto, Moncalieri-Torino (IT).

PUBLICATIONS

Peer-reviewed journal articles

- Sanderson, W. C., Scherbov, S., Weber, D., **Bordone, V.** (2016). Combined measures of upper and lower body strength and subgroup differences in subsequent survival among the older population of England. *Journal of Aging and Health* 28(7): 1178-1193.
- Testa, M. R., **Bordone, V.**, Osiewalska, B., Skirbekk, V. (2016). Are daughter’s childbearing intentions related to their mother’s SES? *Demographic Research* 35(21): 581-616.
- Kumar, A., **Bordone, V.**, Muttarak, R. (2016). Like mother(-in-law) like daughter? Influence of the older generation’s fertility behaviours on women’s desired family size in Bihar, India. *European Journal of Population*. First online: 06 April 2016.
- Bordone, V.**, de Valk, H. A. G. (2016). Intergenerational support among migrant families in Europe. *European Journal of Ageing* 13(3): 259-270.
- Bordone, V.**, Arpino, B., Aassve, A. (2016). Patterns of grandparental child care across Europe: the role of the policy context and working mothers’ need. *Ageing and Society*. Published online: 18 February 2016.
- Arpino, B., **Bordone, V.** (2016). Regular provision of grandchild care and participation in social activities. *Review of Economics of the Household*. First online: 21 January 2016.
- Bordone, V.**, Arpino, B. (2015). Do grandchildren influence how you feel? *Journal of Aging and Health* 28(6): 1055-1072.
- Bordone, V.**, Scherbov, S., Steiber, N. (2015). Smarter every day: The deceleration of population ageing in terms of cognition. *Intelligence* 52: 90–96.
- Bordone, V.** (2015). Est modus in rebus: a longitudinal study of intergenerational solidarity and Locus of Control. *Ageing and Society* 35(6): 1242-1277.

- Skirbekk, V., **Bordone, V.**, Weber, D. (2014). A cross-country comparison of math achievement at teen age and cognitive performance 40 years later. *Demographic Research* 31(4): 105-118.
- Arpino, B., **Bordone, V.** (2014). Does grandparenting pay off? The effect of childcare on grandparents' cognitive functioning. *Journal of Marriage and Family* 76(2): 337-351.
- Bordone, V.**, Rosina, A. (2013) The role of education in the reconciliation between female occupation and family responsibilities at mid-life: the Italian case. *Journal of Population Research* 30(1): 39-65.
- Bordone, V.**, Weber, D. (2012) Number of children and cognitive abilities in later life. *Vienna Yearbook of Population Research* 10: 95-126.
- Bordone, V.** (2009) Contact and proximity of older people to their adult children: a comparison between Italy and Sweden. *Population, Space and Place* 15(4): 359-380.
- Bordone, V.**, Billari, F.C., Dalla Zuanna, G. (2008) The Italian Labour Force Survey to estimate fertility. *Statistical Methods and Applications* 18(3): 445-451.

Books and book chapters

- Bordone, V.** (2015) *Intergenerational solidarity*. In J. D. Wright (editor-in-chief), International Encyclopedia of the Social & Behavioral Sciences, 2nd edition, Vol 12. Oxford: Elsevier. Pp. 402–408.
- Bordone, V.** (2012) *Social norms and intergenerational relationships*. In G. De Santis, The Family, the Market or the State? Intergenerational Support under Pressure in Ageing Societies. Dordrecht: Springer Netherlands. Pp. 159-178. (Peer-reviewed)
- Rivellini, G., **Bordone, V.**, Ortensi, L.E. (2012) *I fenomeni demografici nel corso di vita familiare*. In P. Donati, La Famiglia in Italia, Vol. I. Pisa: Carocci Editore. Pp. 47-90.
- Bordone, V.** (2010) *Intergenerational Relationships in Ageing Societies: An analysis of Solidarity Between Elderly Parents and Adult Children*. University of Mannheim.

Working papers

- Sanderson, W., Scherbov, S., Weber, D., **Bordone, V.** (2016) Combined measures of upper and lower body strength and subgroup differences in subsequent survival among the older population of England. IIASA Working Paper. WP 16-0008.
- Testa, M. R., **Bordone, V.**, Osiewalska, B., Skirbekk, V. (2016). The relation between mother's socio-economic status and daughter's fertility intentions in Austria, Italy, Bulgaria, and Norway. VID Working Paper 1/2016.
- Arpino, B., **Bordone, V.** (2015). Regular provision of grandchild care and participation in social activities. RECSM Working Paper 42.
- Bordone, V.**, Scherbov, V., Steiber, N. (2015). Is population ageing decelerating in terms of cognition? IIASA Interim Report IR-14-015.
- Kumar, A., **Bordone, V.**, Muttarak, R. (2014). Influence of older generation's fertility behaviours on daughter's desired family size in Bihar, India. VID Working Paper 4/2014.
- Arpino, B., **Bordone, V.**, Skirbekk, V. (2014). Does grandparenting influence the engagement in social activities? IIASA Interim Report IR-14-006.
- Bonsang, E., **Bordone, V.** (2013) The effect of informal care from children on cognitive functioning of older parents. Netspar Discussion Papers DP 01/2013-008.

- Arpino, B., **Bordone, V.** (2012) Does grandparenting pay off? The effect of childcare in grandparents' cognitive functioning. *European Demographic Research Papers 4*. Vienna: Vienna Institute of Demography of the Austrian Academy of Sciences.
- Bordone, V.**, Arpino, B., Aassve, A. (2012) Policy perspectives of grandparenting in Europe. Dondena Working Paper No. 51.
- Skirbekk, V., Weber, D., **Bordone, V.** (2011) National variation in cognitive life cycle development. IIASA Interim Report IR-11-028.

Other publications

- Bordone, V.**, Arpino, B., Rosina, A. (2016) Forever young? Prevalence and correlates of feeling old. CPC Briefing Paper 37, ESRC Centre for Population Change, UK.
- Bordone, V.**, Arpino, B. (2016). How old do you feel? It depends on whether you have grandchildren / Vous vous sentez vieux? Mais avez-vous des petits-enfants? N-IUSSP (www.niussp.org), IUSSP news magazine.
- Bordone, V.** (2015). Wussten Sie, dass die Wahrscheinlichkeit, von den Eltern finanziell unterstützt zu werden, mit dem eigenen Bildungsniveau steigt?" ["Did you know that ... the likelihood to receive financial support from parents rises with the level of own education?], short article on "beziehungsweise", University of Vienna.
- Bordone, V.** (2014). Chi ben comincia... non sempre è a metà dell'opera [Well begun is... not always half done], short article on www.neodemos.it (ISSN 2421-3209).
- Bordone, V.**, Arpino, B. (2014). Do grandparents benefit from grandparenting?, short article on www.openpop.org.
- Bordone, V.** (2014). *Intergenerational financial transfers*. In Buber-Ennsner, I., Neuwirth, N. and Testa, M. R. (Eds.) Families in Austria 2009–2013, Vienna: AV-Astoria.
- Bordone, V.** (2013). *Intergenerationale finanzielle Transfers*. In Buber-Ennsner, I., Neuwirth, N. and Testa, M. R. (Eds.) Familienentwicklung in Österreich 2009–2013 [First results of the second wave of the Austrian GGS]. <http://www.ggp-austria.at/>
- Arpino, B., **Bordone, V.** (2012) Il segreto per non perdere la testa? Fare la nonna! [The secret to keep your head? Do grandparenting!], short article on www.neodemos.it (ISSN 2421-3209).
- Rivellini, G., **Bordone, V.** (2012) Politiche familiari: Esempi a cui guardare [Family policies: Examples to look at]. *Cronache e opinioni. Centro italiano femminile (CIF)*.
- Bordone, V.** (2009) Così vicini, così lontani [So close, so far], short article on neodemos.it.
- Bordone, V.**, Rosina, A. (2009). Sandwich generation and female occupation in an ageing society: the case of Italy. Proceedings of the Twenty-sixth IUSSP International Population Conference, Marrakesh, Morocco, 27 September – 2 October 2009 (CD-ROM).
- Bordone, V.** (2008) Harmonising SHARE (wave 1, 2004) and ELSA (wave 2, 2004) – REPORT available on SHARE and ELSA websites.

TEACHING

2016/2017

Perspectives in gerontology (MSC AND MSC DISTANCE LEARNING), Department of Gerontology, University of Southampton. Lead convenor.

- Global perspectives in gerontology* (MSC DISTANCE LEARNING), Department of Gerontology, University of Southampton. Lead convenor.
- Quantitative research methods* (MSC DISTANCE LEARNING), Department of Gerontology, University of Southampton.
- 2015/2016 *Ageing, health and well-being* (MSC AND MSC DISTANCE LEARNING), Department of Gerontology, University of Southampton. Lead convenor.
- Policy evaluation for ageing societies* (MSC DISTANCE LEARNING), Department of Gerontology, University of Southampton.
- 2012/2013 *Population dynamics and social policies* (BA IN ENGLISH), Department of Social Policy, Vienna University of Business and Economics (AT). Lead convenor.
- 2009/2010 - 2011/2012 T.A. *Demography* (BA IN ITALIAN), Department of Economics, Catholic University, Milan (IT).
- T.A. *Models of population dynamics* (BA IN ITALIAN), Department of Economics, Catholic University, Milan (IT).
- October 2010 SEMINAR *Ageing, individual and family* (MSC IN ENGLISH), Department of Policy Analysis and Public Management, Bocconi University, Milan (IT).
- 2009/2010 *Basic demography* (BA IN ENGLISH), Department of Statistics and Social Research Methods, University of Mannheim (DE). Lead convenor.

SUPERVISION

- 2016/2017 Personal Academic Tutor of 8 MSc Gerontology students, University of Southampton.
- 2015/2016 6 MSc Gerontology students, University of Southampton.
- 2015 PhD project *Determinants of wellbeing of older persons in Delhi: Role of social cohesion and informal care*, D. Kumari - IIPS (IN), Young Scientists Summer Program at IIASA.
- 2014 PhD project *Intergenerational influence on fertility preferences in rural India*, A. Kumar - IIPS (IN), Young Scientists Summer Program at IIASA.
- 2013 - 2014 MSc thesis *School performances of migrants and natives in Europe*, D. Vitale - University of Rome La Sapienza.
- 2013 PhD project *Forecasting fertility rates*, A. Carioli - NIDI (NL), Young Scientists Summer Program at IIASA.
- 2013 PhD project *Social networks and fertility patterns in rural India*, P. Pathak - University of Pune (IN), Young Scientists Summer Program at IIASA.
- 2013 Intern (MSc) at Vienna Institute of Demography.

PARTICIPATION IN FUNDED RESEARCH PROJECTS

2014 - 2016	European Research Council (ERC) Advanced Grant “Re-Ageing”. Project leader: S. Scherbov (IIASA).
2011 - 2013	European Research Council (ERC) Starting Grant “Age and Cohort Change”. Project leader: V. Skirbekk (IIASA).
2010 - 2011	EU-FP7 Project “Multilinks. How demographic changes shape intergenerational solidarity, well-being and social integration”. Project leader: Prof. P. Dykstra (Erasmus University Rotterdam).
2010	Project “Events in the family life cycle”. Project leader: Prof. GC. Blangiardo (Università degli Studi di Milano-Bicocca).
2005	Project “Fertility behaviour of Italian women between 1994 and 2003, using a retrospective analysis of the Labour Force Survey”. Project leader: Prof. G. Dalla Zuanna (University of Padua).

GRANTS & AWARDS

April 2015	Award “ Best methodology paper ” at the International Seminar on Active Ageing Index 2015 for the paper “Active ageing typologies: A latent class analysis of the older Europeans” (co-authored with B. Arpino).
September 2010	British Society for Population Studies Travel Grant, BSPS Annual Meeting, Exeter (UK).
April 2010	IUSSP Junior Demographer Travel Grant (International Union for the Scientific Study of Population), <i>Seminar on Intergenerational Economic Support in an Ageing Society</i> , Geneva (CH).
March 2010	Prize “ Neo-authors on Neodemos ” by the Associazione Neodemos for the article “Così vicini, così lontani”.
September 2009	IUSSP Travel Grant, IUSSP XXVI Meeting, Marrakech (MA).
2007/2008, 2008/2009 & 2010	Scholarship: Initiative of Excellence (by German federal and state governments to promote top-level research in Germany) for PhD.
2007	LSE (London School of Economics) offer for a PhD in Demography with scholarship – offer declined.
2006/2007	Scholarship: NIDI (Netherlands Interdisciplinary Demographic Institute) for European Research Master of Demography at MPI (Rostock - DE).
2006	Brian Abel-Smith Prize for Best Overall Performance within the 2005/6 Health, Population and Society Class - LSE (London - UK).
2005	LSE (London School of Economics) Graduate Merit Award for the Master of Science at LSE (London - UK).

INVITED TALKS

- October 2016 *Age identity and grandparental childcare in Germany*, 2nd Workshop of South Tyrol on Intergenerational relationships – Libera Università di Bolzano – Brixen (IT).
- December 2015 *Healthy ageing and the labour market (HALM) workshop* – Catholic University – Milan (IT).
- September 2015 *WiC Symposium, Session on Ageing and its Consequences* – Wittgenstein Centre – Vienna (AT).
- September 2015 *Life satisfaction of older Europeans: the role of grandchildren*, 1st Workshop of South Tyrol on Intergenerational relationships – Libera Università di Bolzano – Brixen (IT).
- April 2015 *Redefining ageing: The role of grandparenting*, CPC - University of Southampton – Southampton (UK).
- July 2014 *Policy perspectives of grandparenting in Europe*, NIDI brown bag seminar series – The Hague (NL).
- October 2013 *Social activities and grandparenting: Are they competing?*, SHARE Workshop, within the Austrian ESFRI conference – Vienna (AT).
- October 2013 *Intergenerational relationships: Does grandparental childcare pay off?*, University of Oxford, Department of Sociology Seminar – Oxford (UK). Podcast available at <http://podcasts.ox.ac.uk/intergenerational-relationships-does-grandparental-childcare-pay>
- March 2013 *Intergenerational attitude congruence: A longitudinal perspective*, Annual Meeting of the DGD (German Society for Demography) – Berlin (DE)
- January 2013 *The effect of childcare on grandparents' cognitive functioning*, LMU (Ludwig-Maximilians Universität München) Oberseminar der Lehrstühle Braun und Brüderl – Munich (DE)
- December 2010 *Intergenerational relationships in ageing societies*, VID (Vienna Institute of Demography) Colloquium – Vienna (AT)
- May 2010 *Intergenerational relationships and norms*, Seminar of the Statistical Science Department – Catholic University, Milan (IT)
- November 2009 *Intergenerational relationships in ageing societies*, Population Brown Bag Seminar – LSE, London (UK).

PRESENTATIONS AT CONFERENCES

- September 2016 BSPS (British Society for Population Studies) Annual Conference – Winchester (UK)
- September 2016 EPC (European Population Conference) – Mainz (DE)
- June 2016 28th REVES meeting – Vienna (AT)
- June 2015 27th REVES meeting – Singapore
- February 2015 Giornate di Studio sulla Popolazione - Palermo (IT)
- September 2014 BSPS Annual Conference – Winchester (UK)
- June 2014 EPC – Budapest (HU)

May 2014	PAA (Population Association of America) Annual Meeting – Boston (USA).
September 2013	BSPS Annual Conference - Swansea (UK)
February 2013	Giornate di Studio sulla Popolazione - Brixen (IT)
September 2012	BSPS Annual Conference - Nottingham (UK)
June 2012	EPC - Stockholm (SE)
June 2012	SHARE Users' Conference - Università Ca' Foscari Venezia (IT)
November 2011	<i>Education and the Global Fertility Transition</i> - Vienna (AT)
September 2011	YOUPOP (Young researchers on population studies) - Firenze (IT)
September 2011	BSPS Annual Conference - York (UK)
June 2011	IALSA/HALCyon methods conference - Chichester (UK)
April 2011	PAA Annual Meeting - Washington (USA)
February 2011	MULTILINKS Project Meeting - Rotterdam (NL)
February 2011	Giornate di Studio sulla Popolazione - Ancona (IT)
September 2010	MULTILINKS Project Meeting - Oslo (NO)
September 2010	BSPS Annual Conference - Exeter (UK)
September 2010	EPC - Vienna (AT)
June 2010	<i>The family, the market or the State? Intergenerational economic support in an ageing society</i> , IUSSP Scientific panel on the impacts of population ageing and AIDELF 16 th Conference - Geneva (CH)
September 2009	IUSSP (International Union for the Scientific Study of Population) XXVI International Population Conference - Marrakech (MA)
May 2009	PAA Annual Meeting - Detroit (USA)
February 2009	Giornate di Studio sulla Popolazione - Milano (IT)
September 2008	BSPS Annual Conference - Manchester (UK)
July 2008	EPC - Barcelona (ES)
June 2008	Bedingungen und Potentiale intergenerationaler Beziehungen - Wiesbaden (DE)
September 2007	Workshop <i>The family and residential choice</i> - Amsterdam (NL)
February 2007	Giornate di Studio sulla Popolazione - Latina (IT)
June 2006	EPC - Liverpool (UK).

MEMBERSHIPS AND OTHER PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

- Associazione Italiana per gli Studi di Popolazione (www.sis-aisp.it/en/)
- British Society for Population Studies (www2.lse.ac.uk/socialPolicy/BSPS/Home.aspx)
- European Association for Population Studies (www.eaps.nl/index.php)
- International Union for the Scientific Study of Population (www.iussp.org/index.php)
- Population Association of America (<http://www.populationassociation.org>).
- Chair of international conferences' sessions (BSPS 2011, EPC 2012, EPC 2014, GDS 2015, EPC 2016, BSPS 2016)
- Organizer of international conferences' sessions (BSPS 2013)

- Ad-hoc referee for *Advances in Life Course Research, Ageing and Society, Demographic Research, Economics and Human Biology, European Journal of Population, Vienna Yearbook of Population Research, Journal of Population Ageing*.
- Reviewer for international funding organisations.
- 2015: Elected member of the Internal Research Committee at IIASA.
- 2015: Liaison person of the Wittgenstein Centre in Population Europe (<http://www.population-europe.eu/>).
- 2016: Organiser of the Residential Course for Distance Learning MSc students at CRA, University of Southampton

MEDIA COVERAGE

- 2015: Radio interview live with Channel Islam International, South Africa
- 2015: Interview with “Il Sole 24 Ore” (Italian national daily business newspaper)
- 2015: Article in PopDigest “A fountain of youth”.
- Kurier.at; LaStampa.it; Mirror.co.uk; ORF.at; ScienceDaily.com; Telegraph.co.uk

LANGUAGE SKILLS

- Italian: native
- English: fluent in speaking, reading and writing
- German: fluent in speaking and understanding, fair in reading and writing
- French: fair in speaking, reading and writing.