

**Viola Angelini**  
*Curriculum Vitae*

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**Current Positions**

Full Professor in the Economics of Household Behaviour, Aletta Jacobs Chair. Department of Economics, Econometrics & Finance, Faculty of Economics and Business, December 2020 - present.

Research Director, Department of Economics, Econometrics & Finance, September 2021 - present.

**Research Affiliations**

IZA Research Fellow, 2024 - present.

Fellow of the Global Labor Organization (GLO), 2020 - present.

NIDI Affiliated Researcher, 2019 - present.

Research Fellow of the Centre for Research on Pensions and Welfare Policies (CeRP), University of Turin, 2019 - present.

External Affiliate of the Health, Econometrics and Data Group (HEDG), University of York, 2015 - present.

NETSPAR Research Fellow, 2010 - present.

**Education**

PhD in Economics, University of York and University of Padua, 2003-2008.

Thesis: “*Using the life-cycle framework to analyse housing, habits and bequests*”.

Supervisors: Prof. Peter Simmons and Prof. Guglielmo Weber.

Examiners: Prof. Rob Alessie, Prof. Giorgio Brunello, Prof. John Hey and Prof. Tullio Jappelli.

MSc in Statistics and Economics, University of Padua, *summa cum laude*, 1998-2002.

**Professional Training**

Inclusive Recruitment Training, December 2022 - January 2023.

Aletta Jacobs Leadership Programme, December 2021 - July 2022.

Senior Teaching Qualification (STQ), April 2019 - June 2020.

Academic Leadership, February - April 2019.

Masterclass Inclusive Leadership, November 2017.

University Teaching Qualification (UTQ), July 2014.

## Fields of Interest

Applied Microeconometrics, Household Saving and Consumption Behaviour, Health Economics.

## Previous Employment

Tenure-Track Professor (“Adjunct Hoogleraar”), Department of Economics, Econometrics & Finance, Faculty of Economics and Business, October 2019 - November 2020.

Associate Professor, Department of Economics, Econometrics & Finance, Faculty of Economics and Business, University of Groningen, January 2016 - September 2019.

Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, Econometrics & Finance, Faculty of Economics and Business, University of Groningen, September 2010 - December 2015.

Visiting Researcher at the ARC Centre of Excellence in Population Ageing Research (CEPAR) and School of Economics, University of New South Wales, May-June 2012.

Postdoctoral Research Fellow for the Survey of Health, Ageing and Retirement in Europe (SHARE), University of Padua, October 2007 - August 2010.

Research Officer, COMPARE Project “*Toolbox for Improving the Comparability of Cross-National Survey Data with Applications to SHARE*”, University of Padua, October 2006 - September 2007.

Teaching Fellow, University of York, October 2004 - September 2006.

## Articles in Refereed Journals

1. “Using data on biomarkers and siblings to study early-life economic determinants of type-2 diabetes” (with Rob Alessie, Gerard van den Berg, Jochen Mierau and Gianmaria Niccodemi), **Health Economics**, *forthcoming*.
2. “Giving with a warm hand: evidence on estate planning and bequests” (with Eduard Suari-Andreu, Rob Alessie and Raun van Ooijen), **Economic Policy**, *forthcoming*.
3. “Health and well-being spillovers of a partner’s cancer diagnosis” (with Joan Costa-Font), 2023, **Journal of Economic Behavior & Organization** 212, 422-437.
4. “Population health differences in cross-border regions within the European Union and Schengen area: a protocol for a scoping review” (with Sophie Stroisch, Sebastian Schnettler and Tobias Vogt), 2023, **BMJ Open** 13, e068571.
5. “Exposure in utero to adverse events and health late-in-life: evidence from China” (with Jiyuan Wang and Rob Alessie), 2023, **Health Economics** 32, 541-557.
6. “Parental housing wealth and children’s marriage prospects in China—evidence from CHARLS” (with Ya Gao and Rob Alessie), 2023, **Review of Economics of the Household** 21, 615-644.
7. “The long-term consequences of a golden nest: socioeconomic status in childhood and the age at leaving home” (with Marco Bertoni and Guglielmo Weber), 2022, **Demography** 59, 857-875.
8. “Physical and psychological health at adolescence and home care use later in life (with Govert Bijwaard, Rob Alessie and H.L. Lumey), 2021, **PLOS ONE** 16(12), e0261078.
9. “Moral hazard and selection for voluntary deductibles” (with Rob Alessie, Jochen Mierau and Laura Viluma), 2020, **Health Economics** 29, 1251-1269.

10. “The ant or the grasshopper? The long-term consequences of unilateral divorce laws on savings of European households” (with Marco Bertoni, Luca Stella and Christoph Weiss), 2019, **European Economic Review** 119, 97-113.
11. “Can temptation explain housing choices over the life cycle?” (with Alessandro Buccioli, Matthew Wakefield and Guglielmo Weber), 2019, **Manchester School** 88, 229-261.
12. “Economic conditions at birth and cardiovascular disease risk in adulthood: evidence from new cohorts” (with Rob Alessie, Gerard van den Berg, Jochen Mierau and Laura Viluma), 2019, **Social Science & Medicine** 224, 77-84.
13. “The retirement-savings puzzle reviewed: the role of housing and bequests” (with Eduard Suari-Andreu and Rob Alessie), 2019, **Journal of Economic Surveys** 33, pp. 195-225.
14. “Childhood socioeconomic status and late-adulthood mental health: results from the Survey on Health, Ageing and Retirement in Europe” (with Dan Howdon and Jochen Mierau), 2019, **Journals of Gerontology, Series B: Social Sciences** 74, 95-104.
15. “The effect of the Winter Fuel Payment on household temperature and health: a regression discontinuity design study” (with Michael Daly, Mirko Moro, Maria Navarro Paniagua, Elanor Sidman, Ian Walker and Matthew Weldon), 2019, **Public Health Research** 7(1).
16. “Late-life health effects of teenage motherhood” (with Jochen Mierau), 2018, **Demographic Research** 39, pp. 1081-1104.
17. “Economic downturns and infant health” (with Rob Alessie, Jochen Mierau and Laura Viluma), 2018, **Economics & Human Biology** 30, pp. 162-171.
18. “Does paternal unemployment affect young adult offspring’s personality?” (with Marco Bertoni and Luca Corazzini), 2018, **Journal of Human Capital** 12, pp. 542-567.
19. “The relationship between diabetes, diabetes-related complications and productive activities among older Europeans” (with Beatriz Rodriguez-Sanchez, Rob Alessie and Talitha Feenstra), 2018, **European Journal of Health Economics** 19, 719-734.
20. “Dispositional optimism and stock investments” (with Danilo Cavapozzi), 2017, **Journal of Economic Psychology** 59, pp. 113-128.
21. “Unpacking the determinants of life satisfaction: a survey experiment” (with Marco Bertoni and Luca Corazzini), 2017, **Journal of the Royal Statistical Society - Series A** 180, pp. 225-246.
22. “Associations between childhood parental mental health difficulties and depressive symptoms in late adulthood: the influence of life-course socioeconomic, health and lifestyle factors” (with Bart Klijs, Jochen Mierau and Nynke Smidt), 2016, **PLOS ONE** 11(12), e0167703.
23. “Diabetes-associated factors as predictors of nursing home admission and costs in the elderly across Europe” (with Beatriz Rodriguez-Sanchez, Talitha Feenstra and Rob Alessie), 2016, **Journal of the American Medical Directors Association** 18, pp. 74-82.
24. “The role of life course socioeconomic and lifestyle factors in the intergenerational transmission of the metabolic syndrome: results from the LifeLines Cohort Study” (with Bart Klijs, Jochen Mierau and Nynke Smidt), 2016, **International Journal of Epidemiology** 45, pp. 1236-1246.
25. “Life satisfaction of immigrants: does cultural assimilation matter?” (with Laura Casi and Luca Corazzini), 2015, **Journal of Population Economics** 28, pp. 817-844.

26. “Do Danes and Italians rate life satisfaction in the same way? Using vignettes to correct for individual-specific scale biases” (with Danilo Cavapozzi, Luca Corazzini and Omar Paccagnella), 2014, **Oxford Bulletin of Economics and Statistics** 76, pp. 643-666.
27. “Is it true love? Altruism versus exchange in time and money transfers” (with Rob Alessie and Giacomo Pasini), 2014, **De Economist** 162, pp. 193-213.
28. “The dynamics of home-ownership among the 50+ in Europe” (with Agar Brugiavini and Guglielmo Weber), 2014, **Journal of Population Economics** 27, pp. 797-823.
29. “Born at the right time? Childhood health and the business cycle” (with Jochen Mierau), 2014, **Social Science & Medicine** 109, pp. 35-43.
30. “Pension displacement in Europe: evidence from SHARELIFE” (with Rob Alessie and Peter van Santen), **European Economic Review**, 2013, 63, pp. 308-328.
31. “Parental altruism and nest leaving in Europe: evidence from a retrospective survey” (with Anne Laferrère), **Review of Economics of the Household**, 11, pp. 393-420.
32. “Home-ownership in Europe: how did it happen?” (with Anne Laferrère and Guglielmo Weber), 2013, **Advances in Life Course Research** 18, pp. 83-90.
33. “Residential mobility of the European elderly” (with Anne Laferrère), 2012. **CESifo Economic Studies** 58, pp. 544-569.
34. “Age, health and life satisfaction among older Europeans” (with Danilo Cavapozzi, Luca Corazzini and Omar Paccagnella), 2012. **Social Indicators Research** 105, pp. 293-308.
35. “Cross-country differentials in work disability reporting among older Europeans” (with Danilo Cavapozzi and Omar Paccagnella), 2012. **Social Indicators Research** 105, pp. 211-226.
36. “Dynamics of reporting work disability in Europe” (with Danilo Cavapozzi and Omar Paccagnella), 2011. **Journal of the Royal Statistical Society - Series A** 174, pp. 621-638.
37. “Consumption and habit formation when time horizon is finite”, 2009. **Economics Letters** 103, pp. 113-116.
38. “Ageing and unused capacity in Europe: is there an early retirement trap?” (with Agar Brugiavini and Guglielmo Weber), 2009. **Economic Policy** 24, pp. 463-508.

### Chapters in Books

- “Socioeconomic conditions in childhood and mental health and wellbeing later in life” (with Jochen Mierau and Laura Viluma), *forthcoming*. In *Handbook of Labor, Human Resources and Population Economics*, edited by K.F. Zimmermann. Springer.
- “Work disability reporting among older Europeans”, 2014. In *Encyclopedia of Quality of Life Research*, edited by A. Michalos, pp. 7183-1786. Springer: Heidelberg.
- “Does downsizing of housing equity alleviate financial distress in old age?” (with Agar Brugiavini and Guglielmo Weber), 2011. In *The Individual and the Welfare State. Life Histories in Europe*, edited by A. Börsch-Supan, M. Brandt, K. Hank and M. Schröder, pp. 93-101. Springer: Heidelberg.
- “Homeownership in old age at the crossroad between personal and national histories” (with Anne Laferrère and Guglielmo Weber), 2011. In *The Individual and the Welfare State. Life Histories in Europe*, edited by A. Börsch-Supan, M. Brandt, K. Hank and M. Schröder, pp.

81-92. Springer: Heidelberg.

“Nest leaving in Europe” (with Anne Laferrère and Giacomo Pasini), 2011. In *The Individual and the Welfare State. Life Histories in Europe*, edited by A. Börsch-Supan, M. Brandt, K. Hank and M. Schröder, pp. 67-80. Springer: Heidelberg.

“Consumption” (with Agar Brugiavini and Guglielmo Weber), 2008. In *Health, Ageing and Retirement in Europe (2004-2007) - Starting the longitudinal dimension*, edited by A. Börsch-Supan, A. Brugiavini, H. Jürges, A. Kapteyn, J. Mackenbach, J. Siegrist and G. Weber, pp. 291-296. MEA: Mannheim.

“Home, houses and residential mobility” (with Anne Laferrère), 2008. In *Health, Ageing and Retirement in Europe (2004-2007) - Starting the longitudinal dimension*, edited by A. Börsch-Supan, A. Brugiavini, H. Jürges, A. Kapteyn, J. Mackenbach, J. Siegrist and G. Weber, pp. 99-107. MEA: Mannheim.

## Supervision of PhD Dissertations

### *Completed*

1. Ya Gao (joint with Rob Alessie), 2018-2021. Thesis Defense: 14 April 2022. First placement: post-doctoral researcher at the University of Venice.
2. Gianmaria Niccodemi (joint with Rob Alessie and Govert Bijwaard), 2017-2021. Thesis Defense: 14 January 2022. First placement: post-doctoral researcher at the University of Luxembourg.
3. Jiyuan (Jerry) Wang (joint with Rob Alessie), 2016-2020. Thesis Defense: 22 October 2020. First placement: tenure-track assistant professor at Central University of Finance and Economics (Beijing).
4. Laura Viluma (joint with Rob Alessie and Jochen Mierau), 2014-2018. Thesis Defense: 8 April 2019. *PhD position funded by NWO*. First placement: post-doctoral researcher at VU Amsterdam.
5. Eduard Suari Andreu (joint with Rob Alessie), 2014-2018. Thesis Defense: 6 December 2018. *PhD position funded by NETSPAR*. Nominee for Best SOM PhD Dissertation 2018 and for the NETSPAR PhD Thesis Award 2019. First placement: post-doctoral research at Leiden University.
6. Beatriz Sanchez Rodriguez (joint with Rob Alessie and Talitha Feenstra), 2015-2018. Thesis Defense: 9 July 2018. Nominee for Best SOM PhD Dissertation 2018. First placement: post-doctoral researcher at University of Castilla-La Mancha.

### *In Progress*

7. Ade Febriady (joint with Aga Postepska), September 2023 -.
8. Tamool Muhamed (joint with Lilian Peters and Laura Viluma), September 2022 -.
9. Laura Jansen (joint with Max Groneck and Raun van Ooijen), September 2022 -.
10. Sophie Stroisch (joint with Tobias Vogt and Sebastian Schnettler), March 2022-. *PhD position funded by a grant from the Ministry of Science and Culture of Lower Saxony*.
11. Daniele Marchesi (joint with Milena Nikolova), September 2021-.
12. Stefan Sliwa Ruiz (joint with Milena Nikolova and Lukas Linsi), September 2020-. *PhD position funded by the Young Academy Groningen*.

13. Saif Elayan (joint with Erik Buskens and Valerie Morrison), September 2019-. *PhD position funded by the Marie Skłodowska-Curie ITN-ENTWINE Network.*

*Supervision of Visiting PhD Students*

Francesco Maura, PhD student at the University of Padua, January-June 2020.

Martina Manfre, PhD student at the University of Verona, February-May 2018.

Lucia Rey, PhD student at the University of Santiago de Compostela, September-November 2015.

Alessio Fiume, PhD student at the University of Padua, September 2011-June 2012.

**Examiner of PhD Dissertations**

Albert Rutten, University of Tilburg, November 2023.

Jasmira Wiersma, University of Groningen, October 2023.

Stefano Castaldo, University of Padova, May 2023.

Yeorim Kim, VU Amsterdam, May 2023.

Rinaldo Naci, University of Venice, February 2023.

Ziwei Rao, University of Groningen, January 2023.

Caterina Pavese, University of Venice, February 2020.

Lieke Kools, University of Leiden, November 2018.

Bertrand Achou, Université Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne, September 2015.

Alessio Fiume, University of Padua, April 2015.

Iaroslav Youssim, University of Padua, April 2015.

**Conference and Seminar Presentations (last 5 years)**

**Keynote** speaker at the KVS New Paper Sessions, Den Haag, 12 June 2023. **Invited.**

University of Southern Denmark, Economics Seminar, 9 May 2023. **Invited.**

Tinbergen Institute, Labour Economics Seminar, 4 April 2023. **Invited.**

American-European Health Economics Study Group, Barcelona, 30 June-1 July 2022.

Meeting of the Society of the Economics of the Household (SEHO), London, 23-25 May 2022.

Maastricht University, Learning and Work Seminar, 10 May 2022. **Invited.**

Sapienza University of Rome, GRAPE online seminar, 18 March 2022. **Invited.**

Conference "New data for the new challenges of population and society", Padua (online), 24-25 September 2021. **Invited.**

Meeting of the Society of the Economics of the Household (SEHO), Boston (online), 24-25 May 2021.

Population Association of America (PAA) Annual Meeting 2021, Chicago (online), 4-8 May 2021.

IZA/University of Duisburg-Essen Workshop "The Economics of Long-Term Care and Healthy Ageing", 3 September 2020.

University of Padua (online seminar), 1 July 2020. **Invited.**

**Keynote** speaker at the User Conference of the Survey of Health, Ageing and Retirement in Europe, Budapest, 19-20 September 2019. **Invited.**

Workshop on Housing Wealth and Entrepreneurship, Turin, 17-18 June 2019. **Invited.**

Meeting of the Society of the Economics of the Household (SEHO), Lisbon, 27-28 May 2019.

**Keynote** speaker at the SHARE Day 2018, UMCG, 27 November 2018. **Invited.**

Aletta Research Meet-Up, Groningen, 5 November 2018.

University of Siena, Siena, 30 May 2018. **Invited.**  
Munich Centre for the Economics of Ageing, Munich, 18 April 2018. **Invited.**  
NETSPAR Pension Workshop, Leiden, 17-19 January 2018.  
33rd European Economic Association Annual Congress, Lisbon, 21-25 August 2017.  
12th World Congress on Health Economics, Boston, 8-11 July 2017. **Invited.**  
IZA Workshop in Gender and Family Economics, 1-2 April 2017.

### **Conference and Workshop Organization**

The Role of Law and Policy in Public Health, Groningen, May 2019.  
European Workshop on Health Economics and Econometrics, Groningen, September 2018.  
Joint NIDI-RUG Workshop “Socioeconomic Differences and Health Later in Life”, Groningen, November 2016.  
Spring Meeting of Young Economists, Groningen, April 2011.

### **Professional Service**

#### *International and National Level*

Member of the Editorial Board of the *Journal of Pension Economics and Finance*, 2018 - present.

Member of the Supervisory Board of ODISSEI, 2022 - present.

Member of the Steering Committee of the Ageing and Health Incentives Lab of the London School of Economics, 2021-present.

Member of the Scientific Advisory Board of the Max Planck Institute for Social Law and Social Policy in Munich, Germany, 2020-2025.

Member of the selection committee for a lecturer in Applied Economics at University of Lleida (Catalonia, Spain), Serra Hunter Plan, 2022.

Member of the Scientific committee, Annual Meetings of the Society of the Economics of the Household, 2018, 2020, 2021.

Member of the selection committee for a tenure-track assistant professor at the University of Venice, 2020.

NVAO panel member for the initial accreditation of a master program (in Utrecht), 2020.

NVAO panel member for the initial accreditation of a research master program (in Amsterdam), 2020.

NVAO panel member for the initial accreditation of a research master program (in Amsterdam), 2019.

Chair of the Program Committee, Spring Meeting of Young Economists 2012.

#### *University of Groningen*

Member of the working group for the new FEB Academic Education Track (AET), 2021-2023.

Member of the hiring committee of new assistant professors at the Department of Economics, Econometrics & Finance, 2017-present.

Participation to several advisory selection committees (BACs), including those for internal management positions and the appointment of several professors and assistant professors,

2010-present.

Member of the Program Board of the project “Human Subject Research data service”, University of Groningen, 2016-2018.

Member of the Library Committee, Faculty of Economics and Business, University of Groningen, 2014-2017.

## Refereeing Activities

### *Grant Proposals*

VIDI 2022, Dutch Research Council (NWO).

Swiss National Science Foundation 2021.

Open Competition application 2020, Dutch Research Council (NWO).

Erwin Schroedinger Programme 2020, Austrian Science Fund (FWF).

Research Projects of National Relevance (PRIN) 2017, Italian Ministry of Education, University and Research.

Stimulus of Scientific Employment, Individual Support 2017 Call, Portuguese Public Funding Agency for R&D.

Grant Proposals for the National Science Centre, Poland, 2015-2020.

### *Journals*

Journal of Econometrics, Review of Economics and Statistics, Journal of Applied Econometrics, Economic Journal, International Economic Review, Scandinavian Journal of Economics, Labour, Lancet Public Health, Oxford Bulletin of Economics and Statistics, Journal of Pension Economics and Finance, Review of Income and Wealth, Journal of Population Economics, Health Economics, Social Science & Medicine, Journal of Economic Inequality, *Economica*, Economics Letters, Empirical Economics, Review of Economics of the Household, International Review of Economics and Finance, BMC Medical Research Methodology, European Sociological Review, Social Indicators Research, Journal of Family and Economic Issues, Journal of Economic Policy Reform, Advances in Life Course Research, Comparative Population Studies, Aging Clinical and Experimental Research, European Journal of Ageing, Ageing & Society, Research in Economics.

## Grants

2022 Project “Smoking during pregnancy: the endgame”, funded by FEB-UMCG through a call for interdisciplinary PhD positions. Role: PI (with Laura Viluma). Funding for one 4-year PhD position (290,000 euro).

2022 Project “Comparison of healthcare structures, processes and outcomes in the Northern German and Dutch cross-border region II”, funded by the Ministry of Science and Culture of Lower Saxony (MWK). Role: WP leader (with Tobias Vogt). Budget of the WP: 250,000 euro.

2020: Netspar Topicality Grant for the project “The measurement of risk capacity” (20,000 euro). Role: PI (with Rob Alessie).

2019: SOM grant for the supervision of a successfully defended and externally funded PhD thesis (21,000 euro). Joint with Rob Alessie and Jochen Mierau.

2018: SOM grant for the supervision of a successfully defended and externally funded PhD thesis (21,000 euro). Joint with Rob Alessie.

2013: OEE Grant for the project “The effects of the great recession on European household savings behaviour and long-term beliefs” (50,000 euro). Role: PI (with Rob Alessie).



2012: NETSPAR Research Grant for the project “Temptation and housing in later life” (10,000 euro). Role: PI.

## Teaching Experience

### *Awards at the University of Groningen*

Finalist for the Lecturer of the Year 2017 Award of the Faculty of Economics and Business.  
Winner of the Lecturer of the Year 2015 Award of the Faculty of Economics and Business.  
Winner of the Lecturer of the Year 2013 Award of the Faculty of Economics and Business.  
Finalist for the Best Newcomer 2011 Award of the Faculty of Economics and Business.

### *Courses at the University of Groningen*

2012-present: “Empirical Methods of Economics” (Master).  
2012-2018: “Research Methods in Finance” (Master).  
2014-2017: “Microeconomics of Household Behaviour” (Master).  
2014-2017: “Public Economics and Social Policy” (Master).  
2013-2015: “Specialization Course: Microeconometrics” (Bachelor).  
2010-2012: “Empirical Microeconomics” (Master).  
2010-2012: “Field Course Finance” (Master).  
2010-2012: “Behavioural Finance and Personal Investing” (Master).

### *Courses at other institutions*

2007-2010: “Theory of Finance” (Master), University of Padua.  
2007-2010: “Microeconomics” (Bachelor), University of Padua.  
2007-2009: “Economics of Financial Markets” (Bachelor) University of Padua.  
2005-2006: “Economics 1” (Bachelor), University of York.  
2004-2005: “Introduction to Economics” (Bachelor), University of York.