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**I. PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

since 1 Nov 2000 **Full Professor of Development Economics**, Faculty of Economics,  
University of Florence

January-Oct 2000 (i) **Special Advisor for Research** to the Deputy Executive Director of  
**Unicef (N.Y.)**, outposted at the Innocenti Research Centre of Unicef  
(Florence). (ii) **Professor of Development Economics**, Faculty of  
Political Sciences, University of Florence

Aug. 1995-Dec.1999 **Director of the World Institute for Development Economics**  
**Research** of the United Nations University (UNU/WIDER) based in  
Helsinki (for more info see [www.wider.unu.edu](http://www.wider.unu.edu))

September 1988 **Director of the Economic and Social Policy Research Programme**  
August 1995 at the International Child Development Centre (the research centre of  
UNICEF), Florence, Italy. The EPRG focused on: (i) Structural  
adjustment and long-term development in Africa; (ii) the financing of  
health/education in developing countries; (iii) child poverty in the  
industrialized countries; (iv) the social costs of the transition.

October 1981 to **Chief Economist, UNICEF Headquarters, New York**.  
August 1988 Carried out basic and action-oriented research on: (i) the impact of  
economic changes on household economic circumstances and welfare;  
(ii) stabilization and structural adjustment policies and their impact on  
growth and welfare; (iii) the design of policy-packages allowing to  
achieve external macroeconomic adjustment at sustained levels of  
growth and at minimal social costs.

October 1978 **Deputy Director** of a research-project for the preparation of the Third  
to June 1981 UN Development Decade; Division of Money, Finance and  
Development, UNCTAD, Geneva.

October 1974 to **Economic Affairs Officer, UN. Economic Commission for Europe**,

October 1978 Geneva. During this period I spent a few months at ECLAC in Santiago, Chile.

March 1972 to September 1974 Economist, Economic Research Centre, FIAT S.p.A., Turin.

## II. TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- University of Florence, Faculty of Political Sciences
- European School of Advanced Studies, University of Pavia
- University of Helsinki, Faculty of Economics
- Helsinki School of Economics and Business Administration
- European University Institute, Florence
- University of Pavia, Faculty of Economics
- University of Florence, Faculty of Economics

## III. PUBLICATIONS

### a) Books published commercially

- 1984 "The Impact of the World Recession on Children" Pergamon Press, Oxford, (co-authored and co-edited with R. Jolly)
- 1987 "Adjustment with a Human Face: Protecting the Vulnerable and Promoting Growth" Vol. I, Oxford University Press, Oxford (co-authored with R. Jolly and F. Stewart)
- 1988 "Adjustment with a Human Face: Ten Countries Case Studies", Vol.II, Oxford University Press, Oxford (co-edited with R. Jolly and F. Stewart)
- 1991 "Children and the Transition to the Market Economy: Safety Nets and Social Policy in Central and Eastern Europe" Avebury, Gower Publishing Group, Aldershot, England (co-authored and co-edited with Sándor Sipos)
- 1992 "Africa's Recovery in the 1990s: From Stagnation and Adjustment to Human Development", Macmillan, London (co-authored and co-edited with R. van der Hoeven and T. Mkadanwire)
- 1994 "From Adjustment to Development in Africa: Conflict, Controversy, Convergence, Consensus?" , Macmillan, London, (co-authored and co-edited with G. Helleiner)
- 1997 "Child Poverty and Deprivation in the Industrialized Countries 1945-95", (co-authored and co-edited with S. Danziger); Oxford University Press, Oxford, UK
- 2000 "The Transition's Mortality Crisis" (co-authored and co-edited with R. Paniccia'), Oxford University Press, Oxford, UK
- 2001 "Transition and Institutions: the Experience of Gradual and Late Reformers"

(co-authored and co-edited with Vladimir Popov), forthcoming in August 2001, Oxford University Press in February 2000, Oxford, UK

**b) Books in preparation**

'Inequality, growth and poverty alleviation' (first complete manuscript expected for Sept 2000)

**c) Invited Guest Editor of Special Issues of Journals**

"World Development Vol.12 No.3 1984" on 'The Impact of World Recession on Children', Pergamon Press (together with R. Jolly)

"MOCT-MOST 1:1996", on "Poverty, Income Distribution and Welfare During the Transition to the Market Economy", Kluwer Academic Publishers

"MOCT-MOST 1:1998", on "Neglected Key Issues in the Transition Debate" (together with V. Popov), Kluwer Academic Publishers

'Journal of International Development, May-June 1999, Volume 11 Number 3' on 'The Impact of the Liberalisation of the Exchange Rate and Financial Markets in Sub-Saharan Africa' (together with Nguyuru H. I. Lipumba), Wiley

**d) Main Reports: coordinator and main author (about 60%) of 3 Regional Monitoring Reports issued under the name of UNICEF**

1993 "Eastern and Central Europe in Transition: Public Policy and Social Conditions" UNICEF-ICDC, Florence

1994 "Eastern and Central Europe in Transition: Crisis in Mortality, Health and Nutrition" UNICEF-ICDC, Florence

1995 "Eastern and Central Europe in Transition: Poverty, Children and Policy: Responses for a Brighter Future" UNICEF-ICDC, Florence

**e) Chapters in books edited by others**

1987 "Social Policy Making During Adjustment" in "Human Development, Adjustment and Growth" (edited by K. Haq and U. Kirdar), North-South Roundtable, Islamabad, Pakistan

1990 "Investing in Human Resources: Health, Nutrition and Development for the 1990s" in "Human Development in the 1980s and Beyond" (edited by K. Griffin and J. Knight), Macmillan, London

- 1990 "Global Socio-Economic Changes and Child Welfare: What will the 21st Century Bring us?" in "Early Childhood Toward the 21st Century" (edited by B. Chang Po-King), Yew Chung Education Publishing Company, Hong Kong
- 1991 "Is Adjustment Conducive to Long-Term Development? The Case of Sub-Saharan Africa in the 1980s" in "The Debt and Beyond: North-South Relationships, Development Policies and the Role of International Agencies" (edited by G. Vaggi), Macmillan, London
- 1992 "Crisis, Structural Adjustment and Long Term Development: the Case of Africa in the 80s" (in Italian), in "Sub-Saharan Africa: Crisis, Adjustment and Prospectives of Development" (edited by F. Volpi and F. Mersi), Franco Angeli, Milan
- 1993 "The Fiscal System, Adjustment and the Poor" (with Frances Stewart) in "Fiscal Issues in Adjustment in Developing Countries" (edited by R. Faini and J. de Melo), Macmillan, London
- 1995 "Two Errors of Targeting" (with Frances Stewart) in "Public Spending and the Poor: Theory and Evidence" (edited by D. van de Walle and K. Nead), published for the World Bank by The Johns Hopkins University Press, Baltimore and London
- 1996 "Fancy Models and Hard Facts: Children and Youth During the Transition to the Market Economy in Eastern Europe", in "From Adjustment to Long-Run Growth" (edited by A. Pio) Università Bocconi, Milan
- 1997 "Accelerating Human Development In Pakistan" in "Just Adjustment: Beyond Adjustment with a Human Face" (edited by T. Banuri, S. Rafi Khan and M. Mahmood), OUP Karachi
- 1998 "Modernisation, Adjustment and Development in Sub-Saharan Africa" (in Italian) (in Italian) in "The Changing World Economy" (edited by A. Graziani and A. M. Nassisi), Transizioni, Rome
- 1998 "The Transition's Population Crisis: Nuptiality, Fertility and Mortality Changes in Severely Distressed Economies" with Renato Panicià, in "Population and Poverty in the Developing World" (eds. G. de Santis and M. Livi Bacci), OUP Oxford
- 1999 "Health Status and Health Policy in sub-Sahara Africa: Comparative and Long-Term Perspectives" with Germano Mwabu, in "Essays in honour of Philip Ndegwa" (ed. D. Ghai), McMillan, forthcoming.

**f) Main Articles in Refereed Journals and Serials**

- 1980 "The energy constraint in the 1980s and the scope for import-substitution" (co-authored with Eliodoro Mayorga-Alba), Journal of Policy Modelling, Vol. (2), n. 2, May 1980

- 1981 "The UNITAD project: a world model to explore institutional changes over the long-run" (co-authored with Andre Duval and Jacques Royer), Industry and Development, 1981
- 1981 "The UNITAD project: a model for exploring long-term changes in the world economy" (co-authored with Andre Duval and Jacques Royer), Trade and Development, No 3, Winter 1981
- 1982 "Development Strategies for the 1980's: Old Myths and New Ideas", UNCTAD Discussion Paper N. 4
- 1982 "Rural vs. urban saving behaviour: evidence from an ILO collection of household surveys" (co-authored with Gordana Jerger), Development and Change, Vol. 13
- 1982 "Strategie rozwoju gospodarczego: stare mity, nowe idee" (in Polish: "Old myths and new perspectives in development strategies"), Ekonomista, Nr. 1/2, 1982
- 1984 "New plans to save children in hard times", Populi, Vol. 10, 1984
- 1984 "The long-term agricultural production function: an analysis on farm level data for 15 developing countries", Statistica, No. 3,
- 1985 "Farm size, land yields and the agricultural production function: an analysis for 15 developing countries", World Development, Vol. 13, No. 4,
- 1985 "Mortality, morbidity and health policies in the post World War II period: an international outlook", Desarollo 1985:1
- 1989 "Economic crisis and child survival: the plight of Latin America in the 1980s", (co-authored with Teresa Albanez, Eduardo Bustelo and Eva Jespersen) Innocenti Occasional Papers N.1, UNICEF, International Child Development Centre, Florence
- 1989 "Investing in Human Resources: Health, Nutrition and Development for the 1990s", Journal of Development Planning, No. 19,
- 1990 "Child Poverty in Industrialized Countries: Recent Trends and Policy Options", Innocenti Occasional Papers N. 2, UNICEF, International Child Development Centre, Florence
- 1990 "Rural Differentiation, Poverty and Agricultural Crisis in Sub-Saharan Africa: Toward an Appropriate Policy Response", (co-authored with Richard Strickland), Innocenti Occasional Papers N.4, UNICEF, International Child Development Centre, Florence
- 1990 "The Fiscal System, Adjustment and the Poor" (co-authored with Frances Stewart) in Ricerche Economiche, fall 1990, University of Venice
- 1991 "IMF Adjustment Policies and Approaches and the Needs of Children" (co-authored with G.K. Helleiner and R. Jolly) World Development, Vol. 19, No. 12, 1991

- 1991 "Is Adjustment Conducive to Long-Term Development? The Case of Africa in the 1980s" Innocenti Occasional Papers No. 21, UNICEF, International Child Development Centre, Florence
- 1992 "Economic Decline and Growing Poverty: Latin America in the 80s", (in Italian) May 1992, Views, Vol. 1, 1992
- 1993 "Two Errors of Targeting" (with F. Stewart) in Public Expenditure and the Poor: Incidence and Targeting, Journal for International Development, Vol. 5, Number 5, September-October
- 1994 "Poverty, Food Consumption and Nutrition During the Transition to the Market Economy in Eastern Europe", American Economic Review, May 1994, Papers and Proceedings of the 106th Annual Meeting
- 1994 "Macroeconomic Policy, Poverty Alleviation and Long-term Development: Latin America in the 1990s" Innocenti Occasional Paper No. 40, UNICEF, International Child Development Centre, Florence
- 1994 "Income Distribution, Poverty and Welfare in Transitional Economies: a Comparison Between Eastern Europe and China", Journal of International Development, Vol.6, Number 5
- 1994 "Poverty in Latin America in the 1980s: Extent, Causes and Possible Remedies", Giornale degli Economisti e Annali di Economia, July-September
- 1996 "The Transition's Population Crisis: an Econometric Investigation of Nuptiality, Fertility and Mortality in Severally Distressed Economies" MOCT-MOST, 6:95-129
- 1996 "Economic Policy in Transitional Economies", Kluwer, London, "MOCT-MOST", 1:1996
- 1996 "Transition and Income Distribution: Theory, Evidence and Initial Interpretation", "UNU/WIDER Research in Progress" 1:1996, Helsinki
- 1996 "Labour Market Shocks, Psychosocial Stress and the Transition's Mortality Crisis", "UNU/WIDER Research in Progress" 4:1996, Helsinki
- 1996 "Investing in People: a Much Needed New Focus for SAPs", "The Courier", September-October, Bruxelles
- 1998 "Neglected Issues: an Overview", MOCT-MOST, 1:1998
- 1998 "Transition and Long-term Growth: Conventional vs non-Conventional Determinants" (with V. Popov), MOCT-MOST, 1:1998
- 1998 "Investment Behaviour, Population Structure and Long-term Growth in Eastern

- Europe and Russia” (with J.Honkkila, R.Paniccia’ and V.Popov), MOCT-MOST, 1:1998
- 1998 "Convergence on Governance Issues, Persistent Dissent on Economic Policies: a Critique of the World Development Report 1997”, IDS Bulletin, 3/1998
- 1998 “Causes of the Russian Mortality: Evidence and Interpretation” (with V.Shkolnikov, and P.Leon), World Development,\_(forthcoming in 1998)
- 1999 "Social Funds in Stabilisation and Adjustment Programmes' To be presented at the annual meeting of the G-24 meeting of the IMF, Colombo
- 1999 "Liberalisation, Globalisation and Income Distribution", Working Paper n. 157, UNU/WIDER, Helsinki
- 2000 “Inequality, Poverty and Growth in the Era of Liberalisation and Globalisation”, Papers and Proceedings of the Conference ‘On the Threshold: The United Nations and Global Governance in the New Millenium’ held in Tokyo on 19-21 January 2000 at the United Nations University
- 2001 ‘Social Funds in Stabilisation and Adjustment Programmes: a Critique’, Development and Change, Vol 32, 1-32

#### **IV. OTHER PROFESSIONAL INFORMATIONS**

- 1980-1 Member of the Editorial Board of "Trade and Development"
- 1978- Co-founder and member of the management committee of a private development to date fund (1% for development) which finances small projects in Third World Countries.
- 1985 - Referee for a few journals including "World Development", "Journal of Public to date Economics" and "Economic Systems"
- 1989 - Founder and Editor of the "Innocenti Occasional Papers", Economic Policy Series, UNICEF ICDC, Florence
- 1993 - Member of the Editorial Board of the "Journal of International Development" to date
- 1995 - Member of the Editorial Board of "Oxford Development Studies" to date
- 1997- Member of the Editorial Board of "Moct-Most" to date