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Summary

I am currently a Senior Fellow at the Theory group of CERN. Previously I worked in the physics department of the University of Milano (Italy) as *Assegnista di Ricerca* (4 years) in the ERC project N3PDF (P.I. Prof. S. Forte). I did my Ph.D. at Durham University (UK) under the supervision of Prof. N. Glover, where I was part of the Initial Training Network *Higgstools* and worked on the second order QCD corrections to the Higgs boson production processes (H+J and VBF-H).

My main line of research is the application of machine learning (ML) techniques and cutting-edge technologies to theoretical particle physics. Some examples of my work include the development of a GPU-cabable event generator as well as pioneering work in applying quantum ML algorithms to address important challenges in particle physics, such as multi-dimensional parametric integration or parton density estimation. Additionally, as the Research & Development coordinator of the NNPDF collaboration, I lead efforts to model the internal structure of the proton utilizing artificial intelligence.

Beyond particle physics, I am very interested on software development, system administration and open source software. Most of my work require building and testing new ML models, analyzing large amounts of data as well as interpreting the final results. During my PhD I had the opportunity to do an internship on the Projects and Technology branch of Shell

I have participated in many conferences across the world and organized three editions of the YTF (Young Theorists Forum) held in Durham every Christmas.

Research Career

CERN

Geneva (Switzerland)

CERN Senior Fellow in the CERN theory (TH) group

2022-Currently

Competitive research position in the QCD subgroup. Since 2024, Research & Development coordinator of NNPDF. Organizer of the weekly QCD seminars.

University of Milan

Milan (Italy)

Assegnista di ricerca

2018-2022

Part of the N3PDF research project. PI Stefano Forte. Financed by the European Research Council through an Advanced Grant (n 740006) within the Horizon 2020 Research & Innovation Programme

Durham University

Durham (UK)

PhD Thesis, Supervisor: Nigel Glover

2014-2018

Next-to-Next-to-Leading Order QCD Corrections to Higgs Boson Production in Association with two Jets in Vector Boson Fusion. Financed by the Research Executive Agency (REA) of the European Union under the Grant Agreement PITN-GA-2012-316704 ("HiggsTools")

University of Zurich

Zurich (Switzerland)

Academic Secondment, supervisor: Thomas Gehrmann

Oct-Dec 2016

IFIC (Valencia)

Valencia (Spain)

Research Stay, Supervisor: M. Vos

2014

Project Title: Experimental Limitations to Charge Asymmetry measurement in top quark pair production at hadron colliders

University of Valencia & IFIC

Master in Advanced Physics: Theoretical Physics, 94.6%

Master Thesis supervisor: German Rodrigo

Study of charge asymmetry in $t\bar{t}$ production through axigluons

Valencia (Spain)

2013-2014

National Accelerators Center (CNA Sevilla)

Research Stay, Supervisor: J.M. Lopez-Gutierrez

Project Title: Development of computing tools for the analysis of Accelerator Mass Spectrometry results at the National Accelerators Center

Seville (Spain)

June 2013

University of Seville

Degree in Physics, 82.3%

Bachelor's Thesis supervisor: Antonio Moro

Application of numerical resolution of a system with coupled differential equations to Quantum Scattering Problems with Internal Degrees of Freedom

Seville (Spain)

2009-2013

PhD Thesis

Title: Next-to-Next-to-Leading Order QCD Corrections to Higgs Boson Production in Association with two Jets in Vector Boson Fusion

Supervisors: Nigel Glover (Durham U.) & Thomas Gehrmann (Zurich U.)

Abstract: In this thesis the second-order QCD corrections to electroweak production of a Higgs boson in association with two jets through vector boson fusion are considered. This calculation is fully differential in the kinematics of the Higgs boson and of the final state jets. Infrared divergences are regulated using the antenna subtraction method. We detail the implementation of the process in the parton-level Monte Carlo integrator NNLOJET and present inclusive calculations as well as differential distributions for a wide range of observables at different center-of-mass energies.

Grant: European Union, PITN-GA-2012-316704. Higgstools Initial Training Network

URL: <http://etheses.dur.ac.uk/12806/>

Teaching Experience

Advanced Artificial Intelligence for Precision High Energy Physics

Main tutor for the Machine Learning practical classes

6h

July 2023

Tutorial for the CMS collaboration

Tutorial of NNPDF fitting code

4h

February 2023

Teaching Assistant

Corso di Informatica, 3 years, 108h total

University of Milan (Italy)

2019-2022

Teaching Assistant

Fisica Quantistica II, 26h

University of Milan (Italy)

2020-2021

Teaching Assistant

Fisica Quantistica I, 10h

University of Milan (Italy)

2019-2020

NNPDF Code Meeting

Course on the usage of the Keras and Tensorflow libraries, 5h

Cambridge (UK)

June 2019

Teaching Assistant

First Year experimental methods course, weekly exercises, 36 h

Durham University (UK)

2017-2018

Complementary Education

CERN Visits Service training <i>Training on outreach and scientific communication for CERN guides</i>	CERN 2024
Cisco Networking Academy <i>Cisco Cybersecurity Scholarship</i>	Remote January-June 2021
Cisco Networking Academy <i>Introduction to Cybersecurity</i>	Remote April 2020
Xilinx Developer Forum <i>FPGA Developers Forum</i>	The Hague (The Netherlands) November 2019
ExotHiggs <i>Summer School on Higgs and BSM Physics</i>	Zuoz (Switzerland) August 2016
YETI <i>Winter School: Prospects and Challenges for LHC Run II</i>	Durham (UK) January 2016
Higgstools Summer School <i>Summer School on Higgs Physics for Early Stage Researchers</i>	Aosta Valley (Italy) July 2015
Higgstools First Young Researches Meeting <i>Teamwork, Communication and Media training</i>	Durham (UK) February 2015

Non-academic work experience

Shell (Projects & Technology Division) <i>Fortran and C Developer</i> Dutch division of the Seismic Applications team (managed by Rob Eppenga). As part of the Higgstools ITN I was given the opportunity of working at Shell for several months. In Shell I worked on the SIPMAP package, a suite of programs used for oil exploration and seismic tomography. While the formal detail of the algorithms used fall under a completely different branch of physics, the computing side was actually quite close to what it is done in high energy physics research. My task during this internship consisted on the development and maintenance of the program (the oldest pieces written in Fortran, some of the more modern features C and C++). Runs of this code are very costly and thus optimisation is key, my focus during those months was on improving some of the algorithms and streamlining the workflow of the software. I also worked on porting parts of the code to new hardware (32 bits to 64 bits and GPU accelerators).	Rijswijk (The Netherlands) 2016
FamilyApp <i>Frontend and Backend Developer, Python, HTML</i> Sole developer of both the web interface and administration backend of the service.	Seville (Spain) 2014

Academic Open-Source Software

Creating new software is a cornerstone of my work. Moreover, I firmly believe that, especially in science, all tools should be open to the wider community whenever possible. To achieve this, I have spent some considerable effort not only to make the code accessible but also to ensure it is well-documented and user-friendly. The following is a selection of open-source academic tools in which I have played a leading role:

NNPDF framework <i>Released: 2021, github.com/NNPDF/nnpdf</i>	Machine Learning, AI, Data Analysis and Visualization, PDF fitting, High Energy Physics <i>Eur.Phys.J.C 81 (2021) 10, 958</i>
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Framework for fitting Parton Distribution Functions (PDF) using experimental data and theoretical inputs. All data and theory predictions used during the fits are also public for reproducibility. It also includes a complete data analysis and visualization suite. I am currently the main maintainer and code coordinator of the NNPDF collaboration.

MadFlow

Released: 2021, github.com/N3PDF/madflow

Framework for Monte Carlo simulation of particle physics processes designed to take full advantage of hardware accelerators. Processes can be generated using MadGraph5_aMCNLO and are then output in vectorized (or tensorized) form by the madflow-provided plugin.

Monte Carlo simulations, GPU computing

doi:10.5281/zenodo.4954375

PDFFlow

Released: 2020, github.com/N3PDF/pdfflow

Parton distribution function interpolation library written in Python and based on the TensorFlow framework. It is developed with a focus on speed and efficiency, enabling researchers to perform very expensive calculation as quick and easy as possible.

Proton physics, GPU computing

doi:10.1016/j.cpc.2021.107995

VegasFlow

Released: 2020, github.com/N3PDF/vegasflow

Monte Carlo integration library written in Python and based on the TensorFlow framework. It is developed with a focus on speed and efficiency, enabling researchers to perform very expensive calculation as quick and easy as possible.

Numerical calculations, GPU computing

doi:10.1016/j.cpc.2020.107376

pyHepGrid

Released: 2016, github.com/scarlehoff/pyHepGrid

Core developer of the pyHepGrid tool for distributed computing. Used to run in a systematic and coherent manner resource-hungry programs typically used for HEP simulations. The development of pyHepGrid was done with the focus on NNLOJET but has since being extended successfully to also run other programs such as MCFM, Sherpa or HEJ.

Python, grid computing

doi:10.5281/zenodo.3233861

Relevant computer skills

Programming Languages: Fortran, Python, C, **Operating System:** Linux, MacOS, Windows
C++, js, OpenCL, Cuda

Scripting/Macro Languages: Bash, Latex, gnu-plot
Computing Tools: Maple, Mathematica, Matlab, Grid Computing

ML Libraries: Keras, Tensorflow, PyTorch, pandas, scipy
Technologies: Quantum Computing, multiprocessing, GPU programming

Quantum computing Libraries: Qibo, Qiskit
HEP Tools: Madgraph, root, Pythia

Other Projects

pybliotecario

github.com/scarlehoff/pybliotecario

Bot in python that use different remote APIs such as Facebook Messenger API or Telegram to open a communication channel between the social messaging system of choice and the server.

Python, messaging bot

Currently

Open Source

github.com/scarlehoff

I often contribute in different open source projects and am currently the maintainer of several packages in conda-forge and the Arch User Repository

Open source contributor

Currently

Management Experience

Management & Mentoring

Code Coordinator of the NNPDF collaboration 2024-currently

Seminar organizer

Organizer of the weekly QCD seminar CERN 2023-currently

Seminar organizer

Organizer of the joint Milan-Bicocca & Milan weekly seminars Milan (Italy) 2022

HiggsTools Final Meeting

Member of the organising Committee Durham (UK) September 2017

Annual YTF (Young Theorist Forum) 8, 9, 10

Member of the organising Committee Durham (UK) 2016-2018

ICHEP 2014

Outreach activities Valencia (Spain) July 2014

Participation in grants

Automate Monte Carlo simulation on hardware accelerators University of Milan (Italy)
Linea 2A, 15000€ (4 Co-Authors) 2020-2021

New hardware for HEP University of Milan (Italy)
Linea 2A, 6000€ (3 Co-Authors) 2019-2020

Awards & Accreditations

2024: Ramon y Cajal Fellowship: Tenure Track position by the Spanish Ministry of Science, Innovation and Universities (approx 250k€)

2023: Abilitazione scientifica nazionale II fascia: "Lecturer" level recognize by the Italian ministry of education (sector 02/A2)

2022: Professor Lector: "Lecturer" level recognized by the Agency for the Quality of the University system of Catalonia (AQU)

2021: Profesor Ayudante Doctor: "Lecturer" level recognized by the Spanish National Agency for Quality Assessment and Accreditation (ANECA)

2013: Highest Distinction: Bachelor's Thesis: Numerical resolution of a system with coupled differential equations: applied to Quantum Scattering Problems with Internal Degrees of Freedom

2009: Third Prize: "IV Concurso Nacional para promocion de Jovenes Escritores Cientifico-Tecnicos", ACTA-CEDRO, Scientific Writing

2008: First Prize: "I Concurso Narrativa Juvenil de la Comarca de La Vega", Asociación Gran Vega de Sevilla, Creative Writing

Languages

Spanish: Native

English: Fluent

PhD studies carried out in Durham (United Kingdom)

Italian: Fluent

University level courses taught and students supervised in Italian

French: Basic knowledge
Japanese: Basic knowledge

High school, currently living in Geneva
A1.2 level certified

Conference Talks and Invited Seminars

DIS2024 <i>Phenomenological implications of modern PDF determinations</i>	Grenoble (France) <i>April 2024</i>
NNLOJET Collaboration meeting <i>NNLO Grids in NNPDF from NNLOJET</i>	Milano (Italy) <i>March 2024</i>
NNPDF Collaboration meeting <i>Code status and data implementation updates towards NNPDF4.1</i>	Amsterdam (The Netherlands) <i>February 2024</i>
Milan Christmas Meeting 2023 <i>Towards a framework for GPU event generation</i>	CERN, Switzerland <i>December 2023</i>
Collider Cross Talk <i>Why are we still talking about PDFs?</i>	CERN, Switzerland <i>December 2023</i>
PDF4LHC 2023 <i>Implications of NNPDF4.0 for LHC physics</i>	CERN, Switzerland <i>November 2023</i>
Event generator' and N(n)LO codes' acceleration <i>Towards a framework for GPU event generation</i>	CERN, Switzerland <i>November 2023</i>
NNPDF Collaboration Meeting <i>Status of the NNPDF framework and data implementation</i>	Gargnano, Lake Garda (Italy) <i>September 2023</i>
FPF Theory Workshop <i>Physics with Muons at the FPF (SM pow)</i>	CERN, Switzerland <i>September 2023</i>
LHCP11 2023 <i>Recent results on PDF extractions</i>	Belgrade, Serbia <i>May 2023</i>
HEP Theory Seminar <i>NNPDF4.0 and the path to reliable uncertainties</i>	Brookhaven National Lab. (USA, Virtual) <i>May 2023</i>
QCD@LHC 2022 <i>Theory developments in PDF determination</i>	IJCLab Orsay (France) <i>November 2022</i>
QCD Seminar <i>NNPDF4.0 and the path to reliable uncertainties in PDF determination</i>	CERN, Switzerland <i>November 2022</i>
Invited seminar <i>GPU accelerated particle physics</i>	Nikhef, Amsterdam (The Netherlands) <i>September 2022</i>
NNPDF Collaboration Meeting <i>Status of the NNPDF fitting framework and theory pipeline</i>	Gargnano, Lake Garda (Italy) <i>September 2022</i>
Invited seminar <i>Facilitating GPU acceleration for Monte Carlo simulations</i>	Freiburg (Germany) <i>July 2022</i>
41th International Conference on High Energy Physics, ICHEP 2022 <i>MadFlow: automating Monte Carlo simulation on GPU for particle physics</i>	Bologna (Italy) <i>July 2022</i>
Transversity 2022 <i>Machine Learning in PDF determination: NNPDF4.0</i>	Pavia (Italy) <i>May 2022</i>

Invited seminar <i>Accelerating Monte Carlo simulations across hardware platforms</i>	USM/LMU Munich (Germany) May 2022
Invited seminar, Dalitz series <i>NNPDF4.0: the path to proton structure at 1% accuracy</i>	Oxford (UK, Virtual) November 2021
The 2021 International Workshop on the High Energy Circular Electron Positron Collider <i>GPU acceleration in High Energy Physics</i>	Nanjing (China, Virtual) November 2021
Invited Seminar (virtual) <i>Towards a GPU future for particle physics Monte Carlo simulations</i>	KIT Karlsruhe (Germany) June 2021
25th International Conference on Computing in High-Energy and Nuclear Physics (vCHEP) <i>MadFlow: towards the automation of Monte Carlo simulation on GPU for particle physics</i>	Virtual May 2021
PDF4LHC 2021 <i>New studies from the NNPDF group</i>	Virtual March 2021
Milano Joint Phenomenology Seminar <i>Offloading Monte Carlo simulations to hardware accelerators</i>	Milan (Italy, Virtual) February 2021
Invited Seminar (virtual) <i>PDF determination with a quantum hardware</i>	IFIC Valencia (Spain) February 2021
HSF WLCG Virtual Workshop <i>PDF/Vegas-Flow</i>	Virtual meeting November 2020
Generator Infrastructure and Tools Subgroup Meeting <i>VegasFlow and PDFFlow: accelerating Monte Carlo simulation across multiple devices (joint talk with M. Rossi)</i>	CERN (Virtual meeting) October 2020
40th International Conference on High Energy Physics, ICHEP Prague 2020 <i>VegasFlow: accelerating Monte Carlo simulation across platforms</i>	(Virtual meeting) August 2020
NNPDF Collaboration meeting <i>Optimizing the hyperoptimization</i>	Amsterdam (The Netherlands) February 2020
Artificial Intelligence for Science, Industry and Society Symposium (AISIS 2019) <i>Studying the parton content of the proton with deep learning models</i>	Ciudad de Mexico (Mexico) October 2019
James Stirling Memorial Conference & PDF4LHC <i>Methodological improvements in PDF determination</i>	Durham (UK) September 2019
NNPDF Collaboration meeting <i>n3fit and hyperoptimization in the context of NNPDF 4.0</i>	Varenna (Italy) August 2019
QCD@LHC 2019 <i>Towards a new generation of PDFs with deep learning models</i>	Buffalo, New York (USA) July 2019
NNLOJET Collaboration meeting <i>Numerical Integration with Neural Networks</i>	Zurich (Switzerland) May 2019

NNPDF Collaboration meeting <i>N3PDF studies of new methodologies</i>	Amsterdam (The Netherlands) February 2019
NNPDF Collaboration & N3PDF Kickoff Meeting <i>Recent developments within NNLOJET</i>	Gargnano, Lake Garda (Italy) September 2018
Loops and Legs in Quantum Field Theory 2018 <i>NNLO corrections to VBF Higgs boson production</i>	St. Goar (Germany) May 2018
HiggsTools Final Meeting <i>NNLO phenomenology with Antenna Subtraction</i>	Durham (UK) September 2017
Internal Seminar ϕ_η^* observable for Higgs production	Durham (UK) May 2017
Student Seminar <i>Higgs phenomenology with antenna subtraction</i>	Durham (UK) February 2017
Invited Seminar <i>Higgs phenomenology with antenna subtraction</i>	Valencia (Spain) January 2017
HiggsTools Second Annual Meeting <i>NNLO calculations for Higgs processes</i>	Granada (Spain) April 2016
Internal Seminar <i>Renormalisation Scale Dependence as a Testing Ground for NNLO calculations</i>	Durham (UK) February 2016
Student Seminar <i>Building and Playing with NNLO Monte Carlos</i>	Durham (UK) February 2016
HiggsTools First Annual Meeting <i>NNLO predictions for Higgs production at LHC</i>	Freiburg (Germany) April 2015

Student supervision

Co-director of bachelor Thesis <i>Correlation between statistical and physical properties of ensembles of Parton Distribution Functions, E. Stabilini</i>	University of Milan (Italy) 2021-2022
Co-director of master Thesis <i>Improving performance of automated generation of matrix elements for Monte Carlo event generators, G. Palazzo</i>	University of Milan (Italy) 2020-2021
Co-director of bachelor Thesis <i>Overfitting and gaussianity of Parton Distribution Functions, F.P. Guerci</i>	University of Milan (Italy) 2020-2021
Co-director of bachelor Thesis <i>The effect of discrete dataset on the gluon PDF, D. Chemoli</i>	University of Milan (Italy) 2020-2021
Co-director of master Thesis <i>New Monte Carlo Algorithms for Multi-Dimensional Integration with Hardware Acceleration, A. Pasquale</i>	University of Milan (Italy) 2020-2021
Co-director of master Thesis <i>Optimized regression models for parton distribution functions determination using deep learning models, N. Lambri</i>	University of Milan (Italy) 2019-2020

Co-director of master Thesis*Investigating GPU hardware for fast PDF convolutions, E. Villa***University of Milan (Italy)**

2018-2019

Co-director of bachelor Thesis*Stability in the determination of parton distributions, F. Settimo***University of Milan (Italy)**

2018-2019

Publications

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Community Papers.....

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PhD Thesis

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