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Work Experience

2026 – current ■ **PostDoc**, Goethe University Frankfurt.
CRC-TR211 collaboration, DFG funded.

Academic Background

2023 – 2025 📄 **Ph.D. Università degli Studi di Firenze**, Physics and Astronomy department.
Thesis defended Mar 2026, Doctor Europaeus certification.
Doctoral thesis: *Numerical Methods for High Energy Theoretical Physics and Astrophysics*.
Advisor: Aldo Lorenzo Cotrone.

2019 – 2022 📄 **M.Sc. Università degli Studi di Firenze**, Scienze Fisiche e Astrofisiche - Fisica Teorica.
Graduated Dec 2022 with 110/110 cum laude.
Thesis: *Numerical Study of Bubble Dynamics in Holographic False Vacuum Decay*.
Advisor: Aldo Lorenzo Cotrone.
Co-advisors: Francesco Bigazzi, Bruno degli Esposti.

2016 – 2019 📄 **B.Sc. Università degli Studi di Firenze**, Fisica e Astrofisica.
Graduated Oct 2019 with 107/110.
Thesis: *Effective One-Body Theory in General Relativity*.
Advisor: Domenico Seminara.

Publications

Articles

- 1 Y. Bea, M. Gili­berti, D. Mateos, M. Sanchez-Garitaonandia, A. Serantes, and M. Zilhão, “Bubble dynamics in a QCD-like phase diagram,” *JHEP*, vol. 04, p. 013, 2026. 📄 DOI: 10.1007/JHEP04(2026)013. arXiv: 2412.09588 [hep-th].
- 2 D. Chatzis, A. Fatemiabhari, M. Gili­berti, and M. Hammond, “Holographic entanglement entropy in quiver theories,” Sep. 2025. arXiv: 2509.19434 [hep-th].
- 3 M. Gili­berti, A. Fatemiabhari, and C. Nunez, “Confinement and screening via holographic Wilson loops,” *JHEP*, vol. 11, p. 068, 2024. 📄 DOI: 10.1007/JHEP11(2024)068. arXiv: 2409.04539 [hep-th].


Software

- 1 M. Gili­berti and B. Degli Esposti, *Numerical optimization with splines in high energy physics*, 2026. arXiv: 26XX.XXXXX.
- 2 M. Gili­berti, *Robinhood.jl*, 2024. 📄 DOI: 10.5281/zenodo.13758659.

Fellowships and Scholarships















2025 – 2026 ■ Università degli Studi di Firenze - “Marco Ademollo fellowship for Theoretical Physics”
- Project PAGVARIDIPA.

Fellowships and Scholarships (continued)
















- 2023 – 2025  European Union - Next Generation EU - National Recovery and Resilience Plan (NRRP) - M4C2 CN1 Spoke2 - Research Programme CN00000013 “National Centre for HPC, Big Data and Quantum Computing” - CUP B83C22002830001.

Experience

Talks, Posters and Scientific Visits








- 2025  **Seminar** BCTP Bonn.
 **Visit and seminar** ITP Frankfurt.
 **Visit and seminar** ITP Utrecht.
 **Visit and seminar** HIP Helsinki.
 **Poster** "Simulating bubbles in a Holographic QCD-like phase diagram", ICHA4, Baku (Best Poster award).
 **Talk** "Numerical solution of holographic observables in quiver theories", AANL Yerevan.
 **Poster** "Simulating bubbles in a Holographic QCD-like phase diagram", Supercalcolo, Data Science e AI: dall'innovazione al trasferimento tecnologico, Firenze (Best Poster award).
 **Talk** "Numerical Methods for Holography", New Frontiers in Theoretical Physics - XXXVIII, Cortona.
- 2024  **Talk** "Supercomputing and Big Data: new technology for new research horizons (Fundamental Research and Space Economy)", Festival della Scienza di Genova.
 **Poster** "Simulating the HQCD phase diagram", COST Action 22113 kick-off meeting, Padova.
 **Talk** "Why do we need a supercomputer to study boiling water?", Workshop «L'Università di Firenze al passo con il futuro del supercalcolo e dei big data», Firenze.
- 2023  **Poster** "Holographic vacuum decay: a numerical study", HPC Summer School, Pavia.
 **Visit** ICCUB Barcelona.
 **Fire Talk** New Frontiers in Theoretical Physics - XXXVII, Cortona.

Conference and School Attendance





- 2026  **CRC Retreat**, GSI Bonn.
- 2025  **Julia and the Jecco module**, ICCUB.
 **Second Holography and Dense Matter Workshop**, APC Paris.
 **International Conference on Holography and its Applications**, Damghan University.
 **New Frontiers in Theoretical Physics - XXXVIII**, INFN.
 **AI4Phys workshop on "Artificial Intelligence for Physical Sciences"**, GGI.
- 2024  **COST Action 22113 kick-off meeting**, UniPd.
 **Julia High Performance**, CINECA.
- 2023  **XIX AVOGADRO MEETING on Strings, Supergravity and Gauge Theories**, UniPd.
 **LACES Winter School**, GGI.
 **Cross-Collserola PhD Meeting in Astrophysics, Cosmology and Particles**, ICCUB.
 **New Frontiers in Theoretical Physics - XXXVII**, INFN.
 **HPC Summer School**, UniPv and CINI consortium.
 **Lectures on the Theory of Fundamental Interactions**, GGI.
- 2022  **Reconstructing the Gravitational Hologram with Quantum Information**, GGI.

Experience (continued)

Teaching and Outreach

- 2025  **Participation at FameLab selections**, Ferrara.
Presenting research topics to the general public, winning the audience award.
-  **Assistant professor for Physics**, UniFi.
Tutoring physics, optics, and computer science bachelor students about mechanics, electro-dynamics, and quantum physics.
- 2024  **Moderator for the *Strings in Florence* Journal Club**, UniFi.
Moderating and scheduling the weekly Journal Club, arranging external speakers, as well as discussion and dissertation activities of the team.
- 2023  **Assistant professor for Physics**, UniFi.
Tutoring engineering bachelor students about mechanics and electrodynamics.
- 2022  **Substitute teacher for maths and physics**, Liceo Scientifico Leonardo da Vinci.
Teaching high-school level maths and physic.
- 2021  **Computer tutor**, UniFi.
Helping students and professors with the newly installed computers in the University's class-rooms, about AV, networking, and conference call issues.
- 2020  **Guide at Museum of Mathematics**, Il Giardino di Archimede.
Showing the different exhibitions of physics and mathematics held at the museum to school groups, Italian and international, of age 10-18.

Skills

- Languages  Italian native speaker, fluent in English, leaning Spanish and Japanese
- Coding  MATLAB, Julia, Mathematica, C, C++, Python, \LaTeX , Git
- HPC  Slurm Workload, Leonardo by CINECA, Machine Learning for Scientific Applications
- Misc.  Scouts leader in the AGESCI scouting movement (volunteer)

References

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