

# Immacolata Oliva

## Curriculum Vitae

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### General Information

name Immacolata  
surname Oliva  
place and date of birth Potenza (Italy), 28 September 1982  
citizenship Italian

### Education

2005 – 2008 **Undergraduate student of Mathematics at the University of Basilicata (Italy).**

Title of the dissertation: *Un approccio algebrico-combinatorio alla teoria delle variabili aleatorie di Poisson.*

Advisors: Prof. D. Senato (University of Basilicata), Prof. Elvira di Nardo (University of Turin)

The thesis was defended on March 2008.

2009 – 2012 **Ph.D. student in Mathematics at the Department of Mathematics of the University of Bologna (Italy) .**

Title of the dissertation: *A moment symbolic representation of Lévy processes with applications.*

Advisors: Prof. Elvira di Nardo (University of Turin), Prof. Marilena Barnabei (University of Bologna)

The thesis was defended on June 2012.

10/2011 – 03/2012 **Corso di Alta Formazione in Finanza Matematica at the Department of Mathematics of the University of Bologna (Italy).**

### Academic Appointments

07/2012 – 06/2013 **Post-doctoral fellow at the Department of Economics of the University of Verona (Italy).**

SSD: SECS-S/06 – METODI MATEMATICI DELL'ECONOMIA E DELLE SCIENZE ATTUARIALI E FINANZIARIE

Research project: Evaluation of derivatives by using stochastic discount factor.

Duration: one year.

Advisor: Dr. Silvia Centanni (University of Verona)

02/2014 – 06/2014 **Adjunct professor.**

Adjunct professor at the Department of Mathematics, Computer Sciences and Economics of the University of Basilicata.

07/2014 – 06/2015 **Post-doctoral fellow at the Department of Computer Sciences of the University of Verona (Italy).**

SSD: MAT/06 – PROBABILITA' E STATISTICA MATEMATICA

Research project: "Stochastic differential equations with jumps in Mathematical Finance: applications to pricing, hedging and dynamic risk measure's problems"

Duration: one year.

Advisor: Dr. Luca Di Persio (University of Verona)

03/2015 – 06/2015 **Adjunct professor.**

Adjunct professor at the Department of Computer Sciences of the University of Verona

09/2015 – present **Post-doctoral fellow at the Department of Economics of the University of Verona (Italy)..**

SSD: SECS-S/06 – METODI MATEMATICI DELL'ECONOMIA E DELLE SCIENZE ATTUARIALI E FINANZIARIE

Research project: "Facing credit risk: a mathematical approach to risk measures and their management "

Duration: three years.

09/2015 – present **Adjunct professor.**

Adjunct professor at the Department of Economics of the University of Verona

## Visiting positions

04/2018 – 06/2018 **Visiting researcher.**

Visiting researcher at the Department of Mathematics of the Ludwig-Maximilians-Universitat (Monaco di Baviera). Advisor: Prof. Dr. Francesca Biagini.

## Other Appointments

01/2012 – 12/2013 **Free-lance partner for a financial mathematics website..**

Free-lance partner for scientificahiring.com in order to create open-ended and/or multiple-choice tests, for the self-evaluation of Financial Industry and Investment Banking knowledges

05/2012 – 06/2012 **Substitute teacher at High school.**

Mathematics and physics substitute teacher at "IIS Maria Montessori - Leonardo da Vinci", Porretta Terme (Italy)

09/2013 – 02/2014 **Substitute teacher at High school.**

Computer sciences substitute teacher at "IIS Maria Montessori - Leonardo da Vinci", Porretta Terme (Italy)

## Teaching experience

a.a. 2013/2014 Statistics - Bachelor's degree in Business Administration (10 ECT)

a.a. 2013/2014 Probability - Bachelor's degree in Mathematics (7 ECT)

a.a. 2014/2015 Probability and Statistics - Bachelor's degree in Computer Sciences (4 ECT)

a.a. 2014/2015 Probability - Bachelor's degree in Applied Mathematics (1 ECT)

a.a. 2015/2016 Computational Methods in Finance - Master's degree in Banking and Finance (4 ECT)

a.a. 2016/2017 Computational Methods in Finance - Master's degree in Banking and Finance (6 ECT)

a.a. 2017/2018 Computational Methods in Finance - Master's degree in Banking and Finance (6 ECT)

a.a. 2015/2016 Supervision of Bachelor's degree theses

a.a. 2016/2017 Supervision of Master's degree theses

a.a. 2017/2018 Supervision of Master's degree theses

## Grants

- Research grant **Cooperint 2017.**  
Research scholarship (4000 €) for visiting scholars at Department of Mathematics – LMU Munich (April–June 2018)
- Grant **INDAM.**  
Grant INDAM (Italian Institute of High Mathematics) financial support award for the participation to the ICNAAM 2011 Conference, Halkidiki (Greece), 19–25 September 2011

## Funding Information

- GNAMPA 2018 Participation as Investigator to GNAMPA 2018 research project *Nuovi indicatori di instabilità dei mercati finanziari*. Principal Investigator: Prof. Cecilia Mancini. Financed amount: 3000 €
- Prin 2017 Participation as Investigator to Prin 2017 research project *HiDEA: Advanced Econometrics for High-frequency Data*. Principal Investigator: Prof. Roberto Renò
- Prin 2015 Participation as Investigator to Prin 2015 research project *Quantitative Methods for Financial Stability*. Principal Investigator: Prof. Roberto Renò

## Society memberships

- 2013–2018 Member of INDAM–GNAMPA Research group
- 2010–2012 Member of INDAM–GNSAGA Research group
- 2014–2018 Member of AMASES

## Language skills

- Italian mother tongue
- English Fluent spoken and written English
- French Basic spoken and written French
- Spanish Basic spoken and written Spanish

## Informatic skills

- OS: Windows 2007, XP: Windows 2.0 - 98; Unix System V
- Program Languages: VBA
- Database: SQL
- Software packages: Matlab, Mathematica, Maple
- Application software: Microsoft Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Outlook

## Research

- Research Interests **Symbolic methods and stochastic processes.**  
Main topics include:
- Lévy processes
  - Umbral calculus
  - Time-space harmonic polynomials

## **Mathematical finance.**

Main topics include:

- Prediction and filtering
- Monte Carlo methods
- Pricing and hedging
- Counterparty credit risk
- Portfolio optimization

## **Probability theory and stochastic processes.**

Main topics include:

- Stochastic differential equations driven by Lévy processes
- Mathematical models applied in Economics

## **Publications**

Di Nardo E., Oliva I. (2009) *On the computation of classical, boolean and free cumulants*. Appl. Math. Comp., Vol. 208 (2), 347-354, doi: 10.1016/j.amc.2008.11.047, ISSN: 0096-3003.

Di Nardo E., Oliva I. (2011) *On a symbolic version of multivariate Lévy processes*. AIP Conf. Proc. - Vol. 1389, 345-348, doi:10.1063/1.363673 - ISBN: 978-0-7354-0956-9.

Di Nardo E., Oliva I. (2012) *On some applications of a symbolic representation of non-centered Lévy processes*. Comm. Statist. Theory Methods, Vol. 42 (21), 3974-3988, doi:10.1080/03610926.2011.642920, ISSN: 0361-0926.

Di Nardo E., Oliva I. (2012) *A new family of time-space harmonic polynomials with respect to Lévy processes*. Ann. Mat. Pura Appl., Vol. 192 (5), 917-929, doi:10.1007/s10231-012-0252-3, Print ISSN: 0373-3114, Online ISSN: 1618-1891.

Di Nardo E., Oliva I. (2012) *Multivariate Bernoulli and Euler polynomials via Lévy processes*. Appl. Math. Letters, Vol. 25 (9), 1179-1184, doi:10.1016/j.aml-2012-02-033, ISSN: 0893-9659.

Oliva, I. (2012) *Oliva, I. (2012) A moment symbolic representation of Lèvy processes with applications*, PhD thesis.

Di Nardo E., Oliva I. (2013) *Multivariate time-space harmonic polynomials: a symbolic approach*. Mathematical Methods in Economics and Finance - ISSN (print edition): 1971-6419, in press, <http://arxiv.org/pdf/1310.4254.pdf>.

Oliva I. (2013) *Una rappresentazione simbolica via momenti dei processi di Lèvy ed applicazioni*. Matematica nella Società e nella Cultura, Vol. 6(3), 521-524

Bonollo M., Di Persio L., Oliva, I., Semmoloni A. (2014) *A Quantization Approach to the Credit Exposure Estimation*. SSRN: <http://ssrn.com/abstract=2574384>

Di Persio L., Oliva, I. (2015) *An interval of no-arbitrage prices for American contingent claims in incomplete markets*. International Journal of Pure and Applied Mathematics Vol. 103(1), 133–153

Bonollo M., Di Persio L., Mammi L., Oliva, I. (2016) *Counterparty Credit Risk Evaluation for Accumulator Derivatives: the Brownian Local Time Approach*. Economics and Management Systems Vol. 1, 188-191

Centanni S., Oliva I., Tardelli, P. (2016) *Credit Risk in an Economy with New Firms Arrivals*. Methodol. Comput. Appl. Probab., Methodol Comput Appl Probab 19(891).

Bonollo M., Di Persio L., Mammi L., Oliva, I. (2017) *Estimating the Counterparty Risk Exposure by using the Brownian motion local time*. International Journal of Applied Mathematics and Computer Science (AMCS) 27(2)

Cordoni F., Di Persio L., Oliva, I. (2017) *A nonlinear Kolmogorov equation for stochastic functional delay differential equations with jumps*. Nonlinear Differential Equations and Applications, Nonlinear Differ. Equ. Appl. 24(16).

## Papers submitted to peer-reviewed journals

Bonollo M., Di Persio L., Oliva, I., Semmoloni A. (2018) *A Quantization Approach to the Credit Exposure Estimation*, under review

Oliva I., Renò R. (2018) *Optimal portfolio allocation with volatility and co-jump risk that Markowitz would like*, revised and resubmitted

## Work in progress

*Optimal portfolio allocation strategies in derivatives markets*

*Option pricing in a Constant-Proportion Portfolio Insurance framework*, with L. Di Persio and K. Wallbaum

*BSDEs of counterparty risk and funding under different aggregation levels*, with F. Biagini and A. Gnoatto

*Energy Finance and Investment Decision*, with L. Taschini

## Conference proceedings

Di Nardo E., Oliva I. (2011) *Umbral calculus and Lévy processes*. ASMDA11. Contributed paper.

Centanni S., Minozzo M., Oliva I. (2013) *Filtering, smoothing and estimation for a class of marked doubly stochastic Poisson processes* ICSMS 2012 Conf. Proc. – ISBN : 978-81-925286-4-9.

## Conference and Seminar Presentations

*10th World Congress Bachelier Finance Society*, Dublin, 16-20 July 2018 (scheduled)

*IRMC2018*, Paris, 7-8 June 2018 (scheduled)

*XVIII Workshop on Quantitative Finance*, Rome, 24-26 January 2018

*4th Finance Scholars Conference*, University of Sussex-Brighton, 12-13 June 2017

*XVIII Workshop on Quantitative Finance*, Milan, 25-27 January 2017

*Siena Finance Workshop*, Siena, 30 September 2016

*XVII Workshop on Quantitative Finance* – Poster Session, Pisa, 28-29 January 2016

45th Annual Conference of the Italian Operations Research Society, Pisa, 7-10 September 2015

39th Annual Meeting of the Italian Association for Mathematics Applied to Economic and Social Sciences (AMASES) Padua, 10-12 September 2015

Afternoon on Control, Stochastic processes and Financial Mathematics, Povo, 10 March 2015

*XVI Workshop on Quantitative Finance* – Poster Session, Parma, 29-30 January 2015

Workshop *Dependence in Risk Measurement and Risk Management*, Florence, 18-19 December 2014

Workshop *Recent Advances in Mathematical Finance*, Padua, 20 September 2014

MAF 2014, Vietri sul mare (Italy), 22-24 April 2014

XVIII Incontro Italiano di Combinatoria Algebrica, Matera (Italy), 10-12 September 2012

MAF 2012, Venice (Italy), 10-12 April 2012

ICNAAM 2011, Halkidiki (Greece), 19-25 September 2011

ASMDA 2011, Rome, (Italy) 7-10 June 2011

Young Women in Probability, Bonn, (Germany) 19-21 May 2011

Notte dei Ricercatori in Emilia Romagna, Bologna, (Italy) 24 September 2010

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## Conferences and Workshops attended

Winter School *Frontiers in Stochastic Models for Finance*, Padua (Italy), 8-12 February 2016.

Workshop *Likelihood, Approximate Likelihood and Nonparametric Statistical Methods for Complex Applications*, Venice (Italy), 8 - 9 October 2012.

Conference in honor of the 70th birthday of Wolfgang J. Runggaldier, Padua (Italy), 21 - 22 September 2012.

67th Seminaire Lotharingien de Combinatoire joint session with XVII Incontro Italiano di Combinatoria Algebrica, Bertinoro (Italy), 18-21 September 2011.

Summer School in *Mathematics Stochastic and Numerical Methods in Finance*, Cortona (Italy), 3-16 July 2011.

XVI Incontro Italiano di Combinatoria algebrica, Bologna (Italy), 7-9 June 2010.

Workshop INdAM *Incontro Nazionale di Algebra moderna*, Rome (Italy), 24-28 May 2010.

Mathematical Foundations of Quantum Information, Seville (Spain), 23-27 November 2009.

63th Seminaire Lotharingien de Combinatoire joint session with XV Incontro Italiano di Combinatoria Algebrica, Bertinoro (Italy), 27-30 September 2009.

Spring School in Finance 2009, Universitá di Bologna, Bologna (Italy), 21-22 May 2009.

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The undersigned authorizes the use of her personal data in compliance with Legislative Decree 196/03.