

Curriculum Vitae

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Research Interests

Risk perception and decision-making under risk (particularly in the domain of natural hazards)

Trust and cooperation in social dilemmas

Free will and determinism, causal role of intentions on behavior

Experimental philosophy, Behavioral economics

Education and Professional Experience

Oct. 2013 – now

Research Fellow

Institute of Cognitive Sciences and Technologies (ISTC) of the
National Research Council (CNR), Italy

2018/2/8

Ph.D. in Psychology and Cognitive Science

Department of Psychology, University of Rome ‘La Sapienza’, Italy

Thesis: “Decision-making and natural risk prevention. How we reason when nature goes wild”

Supervisors: Dr. Fabio Paglieri, Prof. Francesco Di Nocera

2014/3/28

M.A. in Communication Theories. University of ‘Roma Tre’

Thesis: “The decision of conscious will. How past deliberation affects attributions of intentionality and responsibility”

Supervisors: Prof. Francesco Ferretti, Dr. Fabio Paglieri

2013-2014 Tutoring Activity, University of 'Roma Tre'

2012/2/23 **B.A.** in Communication Sciences. University of 'Roma Tre'

Thesis: "The gardener and the philanthropist. The evolution of altruistic behavior in humans"

Supervisor: prof. Francesco Ferretti

Publications: Peer-reviewed journal articles

Felletti, S., Paglieri, F. (accepted). Trust your peers! How trust among citizens can foster collective risk prevention. *International Journal Of Disaster Risk Reduction*.

Felletti, S., Pagliuca, P., Sapienza, A., Vilone, D. (2018). On the use of agent-based simulation for cognitive science (symposium). In: C. Chesì & G. Piredda (Eds.) Proceedings of the 15th Conference of the Italian Association for Cognitive Sciences (AISC 2018). IUSS Pavia.

Felletti, S. (2018). Quando nessuno guarda: reciprocità e reputazione nella prevenzione del rischio collettiva. *Sistemi intelligenti*, 30(2), 395-406.

Felletti, S., Bonelli, L., Sapienza, A., Falcone, R., Paglieri, F. (2017). Fiducia e rischi naturali: Inquadramento teorico e studi sperimentali. *Sistemi Intelligenti*, 29(2).

Bonelli, L., Felletti, S., & Paglieri, F. (2016). From argumentative crisis to critical arguments: How to argue in the face of danger. In G. Rogova & P. Scott (Eds.), *Fusion Methodologies in Crisis Management* (pp. 365-387), Springer International Publishing.

Felletti, S., & Paglieri, F. (2016). The illusionist and the folk: On the role of conscious planning in intentionality judgments. *Philosophical Psychology*, 29(6), 871-888.

Felletti, S. (2016) Institutional communication versus social learning in improving risk awareness in citizens. In: *Mind the Gap: Brain, Cognition and Society*, Proceedings of the 13th Annual Conference of the Italian Association for Cognitive Sciences. University of Turin.

Felletti, S. (2015). Are we Living an Illusion? Folk Intuitions on the Problem of Free Will. *Rivista internazionale di Filosofia e Psicologia*, 6(1), 161-175.

Felletti, S., Falcone, R., Giardini, F., & Rissotto, A. (2015). Percezione del rischio e dinamiche di fiducia nella gestione dei disastri naturali. *NeaScience-Giornale italiano di neuroscienze, psicologia e riabilitazione*, 16.

Felletti, S. (2014) The Recursive Mind. The Origins of Human Language, Thought and Civilization (Book Review). *Humana.Mente Journal of Philosophical Studies*, 2014, Vol. 27, 283–292.

Publications: Edited volumes

- Felletti, S., Bonelli, L. (Eds.) (2017). La cognizione del rischio: Ragionamento, azione e cooperazione. *Sistemi Intelligenti*, 29(2).
- Paglieri, F., Bonelli, L., & Felletti, S. (Eds.). (2016). *The psychology of Argument: cognitive approaches to argumentation and persuasion*. Logic and Argumentation Series. London: College Publications.

Conference Presentations

- Felletti, S., Pagliuca, P., Sapienza, A., & Vilone, D. (2018). On the use of agent-based simulation for cognitive science. Symposium presented at the 15th Annual Conference of the Italian Association for Cognitive Sciences (AISC).
- Felletti, S. & Paglieri, F. (2018). Social trust and resilience: The effect of partners' appearance and behavior on cooperating attitudes in a risk-prevention game. Paper presented at the Mid-Term Conference of the Italian Association for Cognitive Sciences (AISC).
- Felletti, S., Bonelli, L., Viale, R., Macchi, L., Gavaruzzi, T, Castelfranchi, C. (2017). La cognizione del rischio: Ragionamento, azione, cooperazione. Symposium presented at the 14th Annual Conference of the Italian Association for Cognitive Sciences (AISC).
- Felletti, S., Paglieri, F. (2016). Prevenzione del rischio: come la fiducia promuove cooperazione ed efficienza. Paper presented at the Mid-Term Conference of the Italian Association for Cognitive Sciences (AISC).
- Felletti, S. (2016). Institutional communication versus social learning in improving risk awareness in citizens. Paper presented at the 13th Annual Conference of the Italian Association for Cognitive Sciences (AISC).
- Felletti, S., Falcone, R. (2015). Percezione del rischio e dinamiche di fiducia nella gestione dei disastri naturali. Symposium presented at the 12th Annual Conference of the Italian Association for Cognitive Sciences (AISC).
- Felletti, S., Paglieri, F., Falcone, R. (2015). Fiducia nelle istituzioni e percezione dei rischi naturali: uno studio sul campo tra gli studenti di Ferrara. Work presented in occasion of the RemTech Expo, permanent international event on environmental and natural hazards, safety, maintenance and upgrading of the territory (Ferrara, Italy).

Felletti, S., Paglieri, F. (2014). The Illusionist and the Folks. On the Role of Conscious Planning in Intentionality Judgments. Paper presented at the Conference on Intentions, distal and proximal, Centre for Philosophical Psychology, University of Antwerp, Belgium.

Felletti, S., Paglieri, F. (2014). Intentional conception: How conscious distal intentions affect folk attributions of voluntariness and responsibility. Paper presented at the 11th National Conference of the Italian Society for Analytic Philosophy (SIFA).

Felletti, S., Paglieri, F. (2014). The Decision of conscious will. How past deliberation affects attributions of intentionality and responsibility. Paper presented at the 22nd annual meeting of the European Society for Philosophy and Psychology (ESPP).

Felletti, S., Paglieri, F. (2014) Intentional conception. How conscious distal intentions affect folk attributions of voluntariness and responsibility (Poster). Paper presented at the 4th International Scientific Conference of the Italian Society of Neuroethics (SINe).
[Poster awarded with the *SINe's First Prize for Young Researchers*]

Felletti, S. (2014). Liberi di scegliere. Il ruolo della decisione nelle intuizioni sulla volontarietà dell'azione. Paper presented at the Philosophy of Language seminar series, "Roma Tre" University.

Research Projects

Research project: **CLARA - CLOUD pLatform and smart underground imaging for natural Risk Assessment** (2014-now)
Funding: MIUR (progetto PON)
Role: Researcher (ISTC-CNR). Four studies on how public willingness to engage in risk mitigation policies can be affected by past experience with natural disasters and trust among peer citizens.

Research project: **L'amministrazione della giustizia in Italia: il caso della neurogenetica e delle neuroscienze** (2013-2014)
Funding: MIUR (progetto premiale PRIN)
Role: Researcher (ISTC-CNR). One "experimental philosophy" study on the role of conscious planning in intentionality judgment, as a critic to the illusionist hypothesis on free will.

Awards and other academic activities

2015-2017: Teaching assistance to prof. Fabio Paglieri, in the course “Logic for Assessment”, LUISS University, Rome.

2017: Participation to the summer school “Desideri irresistibili. Il caso del craving e delle dipendenze” (workshop on craving and addiction). Scuola di Neuroetica - SISSA (Scuola Internazionale Superiore di Studi Avanzati), Trieste.

2014: “Young researchers” award granted by the Italian Society of Neuroethics and Philosophy of Neuroscience (SINe) at its VI conference, Padova.

Language and Computer skills

Good spoken and written **English** (CEFR level: C1; Trinity College London certificate)
Italian: native speaker

Advanced knowledge of **Microsoft Office Package**

Good knowledge of **SPSS** for Windows

Good knowledge of **E-Prime** software for behavioral research

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