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PART 1 - General Information

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Short Bio: From 2017, he is an Assistant Professor at the University of Rome UnitelmaSapienza. Previously, he has been a Post-Doc with the Department of Computer Science at Sapienza (2011-2015) and Researcher with the Data and Web Science group, School of Business Informatics and Mathematics, University of Mannheim (2015-2017).

His research interests are across three areas: Data and Web Science (DWS), Natural Language Processing (NLP) and Human Computer Interaction (HCI). He is interested in interdisciplinary studies involving NLP approaches in Data Science tasks. More in detail, his studies include investigations on Ontology Learning, Word Sense Disambiguation, Semantic-enabled User Profiling and Classification, Recommender Systems, Distributional Semantics, Social Network Analysis, Graph Mining, Algorithmic Bias and Fairness. He is also fascinated by the challenging research of Web-scale natural language processing approaches. He cultivates long-term collaborations in the field of Art and Science, and the applications in Drama Therapy. He has a long lasting experience as researcher in national and international projects, including collaborations with international research groups in research projects supported by Italian institutions (i.e., PRIN-MIUR), German Institutions (i.e., Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft DFG), USA institutions (i.e., VCU Presidential Research Quest) and European institutions (i.e., European Research Council ERC). He is the author of 46 refereed conference papers and of 12 refereed journal articles. He is co-author of the entire content of the recently published book "Extracting, Mining and Predicting Users' Interests from Social Media" Foundations and Trends[®] in Information Retrieval. He co-organized scientific events, such as the increasingly popular international workshop series (2020, 2021) on "Algorithmic Bias and Fairness", the tutorials on "Mining User Interests from Social Media" (held within two top rated conferences CIKM, IJCAI) and the SemEval 2015 task 17 challenge. He is co-editor of several publications, such as the Special Issues on "Algorithmic Bias and Fairness in Search and Recommendation" of the Information Processing and Management journal, and "Social Network Analysis" edited by MDPI "Applied Sciences".

PART 2 - Education

Oct. 2014 PhD in Computer Science, Sapienza University of Rome.
May. 2005 BS + MS in Computer Science, Sapienza University of Rome.

PART 3 - Appointments

Current

- 01/11/2017 -
POSITION: Researcher (RTDA) SSD: INF/01
INSTITUTION: UnitelmaSapienza University of Rome, Italy.
AREA: Natural Language Processing, Semantic Recommender Systems, Information Extraction, Semantic Web, Graph Algorithms, Machine Learning, Algorithmic Bias and Fairness, Virtual Reality.
NOTE: Duties included research, undergraduate and graduate teaching, student mentoring.

International Research fellowships

- 01/06/2015 - 31/10/2017
POSITION: Post-doctoral position under the supervision of Professor Simone Paolo Ponzetto

INSTITUTION: Institut für Informatik und Wirtschaftsinformatik, University of Mannheim, Germany,
AREA: Natural Language Processing, Information Extraction, Data and Web Sciences.
NOTE: Duties included: i) i-investigator of national funded research project; ii) research; iii) undergraduate and graduate teaching; iv) undergraduate and graduate students mentoring; v) Ph.D. students mentoring.

Research fellowships and PhD

- 01/01/2014 - 31/12/2014
POSITION: Research fellow, under the supervision of Professors: Roberto Navigli and Paola Velardi
INSTITUTION: Dip. Informatica, Sapienza University of Rome, Italy
AREA: Natural Language Processing, Ontology Learning.
- 01/11/2011 - 20/02/2015
POSITION: PhD student under the supervision of Professors: Roberto Navigli and Paola Velardi
INSTITUTION: Dip. Informatica, Sapienza University of Rome, Italy
AREA: Natural Language Processing, Ontology Learning.
- 01/01/2011 - 31/12/2013
POSITION: Research fellow under the supervision of Professors: Roberto Navigli and Paola Velardi
INSTITUTION: Dip. Informatica, Sapienza University of Rome, Italy
AREA: Natural Language Processing, Ontology Learning. Dip. Informatica, Sapienza University of Rome, Italy.
- 01/04/2008 - 31/03/2009
POSITION: Research fellow under the supervision of Professor: Augusto Celentano
INSTITUTION: Dip. Informatica, Università "Ca' Foscari" Venezia, Venice, Italy
AREA: Human-Computer Interaction.

Other Collaboration Activities

- 2007 - 2010
Company: Communication System s.r.l. in Roma
COLLABORATION: software design and development, project analyst, data analyst.
- 2009
INSTITUTION: Chelsea Art Museum, New York, NY USA and Virginia Commonwealth University, Richmond, VA USA
COLLABORATION: software design and development for real-time virtual puppetry performances
- 2007 - 2008
INSTITUTION: Università IUAV di Venezia
COLLABORATION: Natural Interaction System design and development fellow in the PRIN project: Esplorazione interattiva di modelli digitali tridimensionali: il caso del teatro la Fenice di Venezia.
- 2006 - 2007
INSTITUTION: Dipartimento di Informatica dell'Università degli studi di Roma "La Sapienza"
COLLABORATION: Design and development of Cultural Heritage distributed interactive systems.
- 2005 - 2006
INSTITUTION: Dipartimento di Informatica dell'Università degli studi di Roma "La Sapienza" and Fondazione Archeologica Etruria Meridionale (FAEM) and Galatour s.r.l Cerveteri (RM) and ECO-MEDIA s.c.r.l Roma
COLLABORATION: Design and development of Multilingual Simultaneous Transmission (MUST). MUST is a location-aware wireless system able to stream multiple audio track.
- 2004 - 2006
INSTITUTION: Dipartimento di Informatica dell'Università degli studi di Roma "La Sapienza"
COLLABORATION: Design and development of a framework for multimodal distributed interaction

systems.

Teaching

2020 - today :

- Teacher and Tutor: “Metodologie di Programmazione” distance learning course in CS, jointly held by UnitelmaSapienza and Sapienza University of Rome, Italy.
- Teacher: ”Informatica applicata ai beni culturali: modelli di ricostruzione, restituzione grafica e fruizione virtuale del patrimonio archeologico” Master Management del patrimonio archeologico (MPA) UnitelmaSapienza University of Rome, Italy.
- Teacher: ”Profili tecnico-informatici dei Big Data” Master Diritto Antitrust, Mercati e Big Data. (DAMB) UnitelmaSapienza University of Rome, Italy.
- Co-Teacher (with Prof. Damiano Distante) ”Sistemi Informativi per gli Enti Locali” , Corso di Laurea Magistrale In Management delle Organizzazioni Pubbliche e Sanitarie (MOPS) UnitelmaSapienza University of Rome, Italy.

2019 - today:

- Teacher: ”Gestione delle risorse digitali nell’ambito delle professioni legali”, Corso di Laurea Magistrale a Ciclo Unico in Giurisprudenza (LMG) UnitelmaSapienza University of Rome, Italy.
- Teacher: ”Analisi di Reti Sociali” Master Analisi e Modellazione dei dati e dei Processi: metodi e modelli (AMDP) UnitelmaSapienza University of Rome, Italy.
- Teacher: ”Analisi di Testi Digitali” Master Analisi e Modellazione dei dati e dei Processi: metodi e modelli AMDP UnitelmaSapienza University of Rome, Italy.

2017 - today:

- Lab Assistant: “Machine Learning” Laurea Magistrale in Informatica Sapienza University of Rome, Italy.
- Tutor: “Metodologie di Programmazione” UnitelmaSapienza University of Rome, Italy and Sapienza University of Rome, Italy.

2019 - 2020:

- Teacher “Scrittura di programmi” ATS Digital Skills and UnitelmaSapienza University of Rome, Italy.

2016 - 2017

- Chair: Data and Web Science Group, ”Colloquium”, Courses for PhD Candidates, University of Mannheim <https://dws.informatik.uni-mannheim.de/en/teaching/coursesforphdcandidates/>

2015 - 2017:

- Assistant: ”Text Analysis” University of Mannheim, Germany
- Assistant: ”Web Mining” University of Mannheim, Germany
- Assistant: ”Knowledge Management” University of Mannheim Germany

2008 - 2009:

- Assistant: ”Web design e Sistemi Informativi”, IUAV University of Venice, Italy
- Teacher: ”Informatica per il restauro” Ca’ Foscari University of Venice, Italy

2006 - 2009:

- Teacher: ”Informatica di Base” Scuola Specialistica Archivisti Bibliotecari - Sapienza University of Rome, Italy

- Teacher: "Informatica avanzata" Scuola Specialistica Archivisti Bibliotecari - Sapienza University of Rome, Italy

PART 4 - Research Projects

EUROPEAN INSTITUTIONS:

- Research fellow - MultiJEDI (FP7-IDEAS-ERC under grant agreement no. 259234) is a 5-year ERC Starting Grant (2011-2016) headed by Prof. Roberto Navigli at the Linguistic Computing Laboratory of the Sapienza University of Rome. The project has two main objectives: creating large-scale lexical resources for dozens of languages, and enabling multilingual text understanding.

GERMAN INSTITUTIONS:

- Research fellow: Joining Ontologies and semantics INduced from Text (JOIN-T) headed by Prof. Simone Paolo Ponzetto (University of Mannheim, Germany) and Chris Biemann (TU Darmstadt, Germany) DFG Projectnumber: 259256643.

ITALIAN INSTITUTIONS:

- Research fellow: SMARTOUR - MIUR Project SCN_0166.
- Research fellow: Progetto di ricerca di Ateneo (2019) "LA@US: Learning Analytics Unitelma Sapienza per monitorare e supportare i processi di apprendimento e insegnamento".
- Research fellow: Progetto di ricerca di Ateneo (2019): "Gortyna di Creta (Grecia), area a nord del Pretorio. Progetto interdisciplinare per lo studio, la tutela e la valorizzazione del sito archeologico".
- Research fellow: Progetto di ricerca di Ateneo (2018): "Scavo archeologico a Gortina (Creta, Grecia), area a nord del Pretorio. Studio per l'elaborazione di un nuovo modello di didattica interattiva".
- Research fellow: Progetto di ricerca di Ateneo (2018) "Extraction of structured and complex facts from large and heterogeneous text sources".
- I-investigator: Esplorazione interattiva di modelli digitali tridimensionali: il caso del teatro la Fenice di Venezia. Progetto, costruzione e test di una stazione monoutente stereoscopica multimodale e multimediale, nell'ambito della ricerca Prin VIA Architettura Virtuale Interattiva, prof. Riccardo Migliari, 2006-08 (2005087291 - 002).
- Research fellow - CHAT, MIUR 297/99.

OTHER INTERNATIONAL INSTITUTIONS:

- Project Advisor: VoicingElder, award-VCU Presidential Research Quest Found. http://www.research.vcu.edu/vpr/research_fund/, <http://voicingelder.com/project/therapeutic-aspects/>

PART 5 - Research Groups Memberships

2015 - today

Group: Intelligent Information Mining (headed by Prof. Paola Velardi "University of Rome Sapienza" and Prof. Damiano Distante "University of Rome UnitelmaSapienza") <http://iim.di.uniroma1.it/>

Description:

The group is characterized by state-of-the-art research outcomes in the field of: E-Learning and Educational Data Mining, Semantics Technology, E-Health and Network medicine, Social Media Analysis and Recommender Systems, Human-Computer Interaction and Web Engineering, Machine Learning and Data Mining. The group activities include also: i) research funding; ii) students mentoring; iii) PhD student mentoring.

2016 - 2019

Group: NLP@DWS (headed by Prof. Simone Paolo Ponzetto "Universität Mannheim") <https://www.uni-mannheim.de/dws/research/focus-groups/>

Description:

The research group membership has been characterized by state-of-the-art research outcomes in the field of Distributional Semantic-based induction of knowledge. The research group collaborated with the Language Technology group (headed by Prof. Chris Bieman "Universität Hamburg"). The membership has been founded by the project Joining Ontologies and semantics INduced from Text (JOIN-T), with a grant from Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft (DFG), grant agreement no. 259256643. <http://web.informatik.uni-mannheim.de/joint/>, <http://gepris.dfg.de/gepris/projekt/259256643?language=en>.

2011 - 2015

Group: Linguistic Computing Laboratory (headed by Prof. Paola Velardi and Prof. Roberto Navigli), now "SapienzaNLP" <http://nlp.uniroma1.it/>

Description:

The group has been characterized by state-of-the-art research outcomes in the field of: Ontology Learning, Word Sense Disambiguation and Lexical Resources. The membership has been founded by the project MultiJedi <http://lcl.uniroma1.it/multijedi/> ERC Starting Grant (2011-2016), with a grant from 'Ideas' (FP7-IDEAS-ERC), grant agreement no. 259234.

PART 6 - Editorial activities

2020

Special Issue Guest co-editor: Ludovico Boratto (Eurecat, Spain), Mirko Marras (EPFL, Lausanne, Swiss), Stefano Faralli (University of Rome UnitelmaSapienza, Italy), Giovanni Stilo (University of L'Aquila, Italy), Special Issue on Algorithmic Bias and Fairness in Search and Recommendation. Accepted in Journal of Information Processing and Management, Elsevier. The Special Issue is being supported by the ACM Conference on Fairness, Accountability, and Transparency (ACM FAccT) Network.

2020

Special Issue Guest co-editor: Paola Velardi (University of Rome Sapienza, Italy), Stefano Faralli (University of Rome UnitelmaSapienza), Special Issue on Social Network Analysis. A special issue of Applied Sciences (ISSN 2076-3417). This special issue belongs to the section "Computing and Artificial Intelligence".

2020

Proceedings co-editor: Ludovico Boratto (Eurecat, Spain), Mirko Marras (University of Cagliari, Italy), Stefano Faralli (University of Rome UnitelmaSapienza, Italy), Giovanni Stilo (University of L'Aquila, Italy), Proceedings of the workshop on Algorithmic Bias and Fairness in Search and Recommendation. Communications in Computer and Information Science (CCIS), Springer International Publishing. ISBN: 978-3-030-45442-5.

2013

Publication co-chair: Roberto Navigli (University of Rome Sapienza, Italy), Stefano Faralli (University of Rome Sapienza, Italy), Jing-Shin Chang (National Chi Nan University, Taiwan) Proceeding of the 51st Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics conference <http://www.aclweb.org/anthology/P/P13/P13-1000.pdf>.

PART 6.1 - Member of Program Committees

Regularly invited to serve as a PC member of well-established international conferences and workshops.

Partial list of PCs I have been involved in:

ACL	Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics
IJCAI	International Joint Conference on Artificial Intelligence
ISWC	International Semantic Web Conference
AAAI	AAAI International Conference on Artificial Intelligence
COLING	International Conference on Computational Linguistics
EACL	European Chapter of the Association for Computational Linguistics
NAACL	International Conference of the North American Chapter of the Association for Computational Linguistics
EMNLP	International Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing
CIKM	ACM International Conference on Information and Knowledge Management
ESWC	Extended Semantic Web Conference
LREC	Language Resources and Evaluation Conference
EKAW	International Conference on Knowledge Engineering and Knowledge Management
CLiC-it	Italian Conference on Computational Linguistics
AIST	International Conference - Analysis of Images, Social networks and Texts
TextGraph	Workshop on Graph-Based Natural Language Processing
SemEval	Semantic Evaluation Workshops
SIR	Workshop on Social Interaction-based Recommendation

From 2021 Senior Program Committee member for the International Joint Conference on Artificial Intelligence IJCAI.

PART 6.2 - Reviewer for international Journals

Regularly invited to serve as a reviewer of well-established international journals. Partial list of journals:

KAIS	Knowledge and Information Systems
JWS	Journal of Web Semantics
JIS	Journal of Information Systems
CL	Computational Linguistics
JNLE	Journal of Natural Language Engineering
AIJ	Journal of Artificial Intelligence
JKBS	Journal of Knowledge Based Systems
JIS	Journal of Information Sciences
IPM	Information Processing and Management

PART 7 - Organization of Scientific Events

2020 Tutorial co-organizer: Fattane Zarrinkalam (Ryerson University, Canada), Stefano Faralli (University of Rome UnitelmaSapienza, Italy), Guangyuan Piao (Maynooth University, Ireland), and Ebrahim Bagheri (Ryerson University,Canada) "Mining User Interests from Social Media" for the Tutorial Track at JCAI-PRICAI 2020 <https://ijcai20.org/tutorials/>.

2020 Tutorial co-organizer: Fattane Zarrinkalam (Ryerson University, Canada), Stefano Faralli (University of Rome UnitelmaSapienza, Italy), Guangyuan Piao (Maynooth University, Ireland), and Ebrahim Bagheri (Ryerson University,Canada) "User Interest Mining from Social Media" for the Tutorial Track at CIKM 2020 <https://sites.google.com/view/uimt2020/home?authuser=0>.

2021 International workshop co-organizer: Ludovico Boratto (Eurecat, Spain), Stefano Faralli (University of Rome UnitelmaSapienza, Italy), Mirko Marras (EPFL, Lausanne, Swiss), Giovanni Stilo (University of L'Aquila, Italy) "Second International Workshop on Algorithmic Bias in Search and Recommendation (Bias 2021)" part of "The 43rd European Conference on Information Retrieval (ECIR 2021)" <https://biasinrecsys.github.io/ecir2021/>. The Special Issue is being supported by the ACM Conference on Fairness, Accountability, and Transparency (ACM FAccT) Network.

2020 International workshop co-organizer: Ludovico Boratto (Eurecat, Spain), Stefano Faralli (University of Rome UnitelmaSapienza, Italy), Mirko Marras (University of Cagliari, Italy), Giovanni Stilo (University of L'Aquila, Italy) "International Workshop on Algorithmic Bias in Search and Recommendation (Bias 2020)" part of "The 42nd European Conference on Information Retrieval (ECIR 2020)", <http://bias.disim.univaq.it/>. The Special Issue is being supported by the ACM Conference on Fairness, Accountability, and Transparency (ACM FAccT) Network.

2018 International workshop co-organizer: Ludovico Boratto (Eurecat, Spain), Stefano Faralli (University of Rome UnitelmaSapienza, Italy), Christian Morbidoni (Università Politecnica delle Marche), Giovanni Stilo (University of Rome Sapienza) "International Workshop on Social Interaction-based Recommendation (SIR 2018)" part of "The 27th International Conference on Information and Knowledge Management (CIKM 2018)", <http://sir.di.uniroma1.it/>.

2015 International workshop co-organizer: Roberto Navigli (University of Rome Sapienza, Italy), Stefano Faralli (University of Rome Sapienza, Italy), Georgeta Bordea (Insight Centre, Ireland), Paul Buitelaar (Insight Centre, Ireland) "SemEval 2015: task 17" <http://alt.qcri.org/semEval2015/task17/> (the most important public challenge of computational semantic analysis systems).

PART 8 - Publications

PART 8.1 -Publication Summary

At present date (25/01/2021), according to Scopus <https://www.scopus.com/authid/detail.uri?authorId=57193656573> H-index is 12 (10 without self-citations), number of documents 54, number of citations is 568 (by 431 documents), number of co-authors is 67. Average citations is 10.51, total IF and Average IF are 54.13 and 4.92 (12 journal papers, source Scimago/Thomson Reuters 2 years IF).

At present date (25/01/2021), according to Google Scholar, <https://scholar.google.com/citations?user=3SGt4IEAAAAJ> H-index is 15 and i10-index is 21, number of citations is 1136.

At present date (13/01/2021) he is the editor of the following publications:

- 1 book as editor (workshop proceedings) CCIS Springer.

and he is author of the following publications:

- 1 book as co-author of the entire content (Foundations and Trends[®]);
- 1 book chapter as author (Kappa Edizioni);
- 46 papers on refereed conference proceedings, among which:
 - 16 of rating A* (IJCAI, ACL, ACM Multimedia) or A (CIKM, ECIR, ISWC, EACL, EMNLP) according to CORE <https://www.core.edu.au> and
 - 17 of rating A++/A+ (CIKM, ISWC, IJCAI, EMNLP, ACL, ACM Multimedia) or A/A- (ECIR, EACL) by GII-GRIN-SCIE (GGS) (valutazione.unibas.it/gii-grin-scie-rating/conferenceRating.jsf)
- 12 articles on refereed journals, among which:
 - 5 of class A* or A according to CORE (<https://www.core.edu.au/>) (ACM Comput. Surv, IP&M, NLE, Computational Linguistic, Foundations and Trends[®]);
 - 7 of class Q1 according to Scimago (ACM Comput. Surv., IP&M, Foundations and Trends[®] in Information Retrieval, KBS, JWS, Computational Linguistics, Cognitive Computation)
 - 3 of class Q2 according to Scimago (D-Lib, SNAM, IEEE MultiMedia)

PART 8.2 - Books and Book chapters:

1. Fattane Zarrinkalam, Stefano Faralli, Guangyuan Piao, and Ebrahim Bagheri. Extracting, Mining and Predicting Users' Interests from Social Media. Foundations and Trends[®] in Information Retrieval 2020. Online ISBN: 978-1-68083-739-1.
2. Stefano Faralli. Prospettiva dinamica interattiva. La tecnologia dei videogiochi per l'esplorazione dei modelli 3D di architettura. Riccardo Migliari. pp 218-223, Kappa, 2009. https://iris.uniroma1.it/handle/11573/178896#.X_63_WRKh3J

PART 8.3 - Refereed Journals:

1. Damiano Distante, Stefano Faralli, Steve Rittinghaus, Paolo Rosso, Nima Samsami. 2021. Domain-SenticNet: An Ontology and a Methodology Enabling Domain-aware Sentic Computing, Cognitive Computation. Accepted, to appear (in production since 12 January 2021). [Ranked n/a by Core, Ranked Q1 by Scimago]
2. Stefano Faralli, Steve Rittinghaus, Nima Samsami, Damiano Distante, Eugénio Rocha. 2021. Emotional Intensity-based Success Prediction Model for Crowdfunded Campaigns, Information Processing

- & Management, Volume 58, Issue 1, 2021, 102394, ISSN 0306-4573, <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.ipm.2020.102394>. [**Ranked A by Core, Ranked Q1 by Scimago**]
3. Fattane Zarrinkalam, Stefano Faralli, Guangyuan Piao and Ebrahim Bagheri. 2020. "Extracting, Mining and Predicting Users' Interests from Social Media", *Foundations and Trends® in Information Retrieval*: Vol. 14: No. 5, pp 445-617. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1561/15000000078>. [**Ranked A by Core, Ranked Q1 by Scimago**]
 4. Bardh Prenkaj, Paola Velardi, Giovanni Stilo, Damiano Distanto, and Stefano Faralli. 2020. A Survey of Machine Learning Approaches for Student Dropout Prediction in Online Courses. *ACM Computing Surveys* 53, 3, Article 57 (June 2020), 34 pages. DOI:<https://doi.org/10.1145/3388792>. [**Ranked A* by Core, Ranked Q1 by Scimago**]
 5. Stefano Faralli, Irene Finocchi, Simone Paolo Ponzetto, Paola Velardi. 2018. CrumbTrail: An efficient methodology to reduce multiple inheritance in knowledge graphs, *Knowledge-Based Systems*, Volume 151, 2018, Pages 180-197, ISSN 0950-7051, <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.knosys.2018.03.030>. [**Ranked B by Core, Ranked Q1 by Scimago**]
 6. Stefano Faralli, Giovanni Stilo, Paola Velardi. 2017. Automatic Acquisition of a Taxonomy of Microblogs Users' Interest. *Journal of Web Semantics (Elsevier)*, ISSN: 1570-8268, doi: 10.1016/j.websem.2017.05.004. [**Ranked C by Core, Ranked Q1 by Scimago**]
 7. Chris Biemann, Stefano Faralli, Alexander Panchenko and Simone Paolo Ponzetto, A framework for enriching lexical semantic resources with distributional semantics. *Natural Language Engineering*, p. 1-48, ISSN: 1351-3249, doi: 10.1017/S135132491700047X. [**Ranked A by Core, Ranked Q3 by Scimago**]
 8. Federico Nanni, Laura Dietz, Stefano Faralli, Goran Glavaš and Simone Paolo Ponzetto. 2016. Capturing interdisciplinarity in academic abstracts. *D-lib magazine (22#)*, Corporation for National Research Initiatives, [Reston, VA], 2016. <http://www.dlib.org/dlib/september16/nanni/09nanni.html>. [**Ranked n/a by Core, Ranked Q2 by Scimago**]
 9. Stefano Faralli, Giovanni Stilo and Paola Velardi. Recommendation of microblog users based on hierarchical interest profiles. *Social Network Analysis and Mining*, 5:1, 25:1- 25:23.<https://doi.org/10.1007/s13278-015-0264-2>. [**Ranked n/a by Core, Ranked Q2 by Scimago**]
 10. Paola Velardi, Stefano Faralli, Roberto Navigli. *OntoLearn Reloaded: A Graph-based Algorithm for Taxonomy Induction*. *Computational Linguistics*, 39(3), MIT Press, 2013, pp. 665-707. https://doi.org/10.1162/COLI_a_00146. [**Ranked A* by Core, Ranked Q1 by Scimago**]
 11. Augusto Celentano, Stefano Faralli, Fabio Pittarello. 2009. The Situation Lens: A Metaphor for Personal Task Management on Mobile Devices. *Journal of Computing Science and Engineering (JCSE)* 3(4): 238-259 (2009). [**Ranked C by Core, Ranked n/a by Scimago**]
 12. Paolo Bottoni, Marina Cammilli, Stefano Faralli: Generating Multimedia Content with Cellular Automata. *IEEE MultiMedia* 11(4): 78-83 (2004). [**Ranked C by Core, Ranked Q2 by Scimago**]

PART 8.4 - Refereed Conferences:

1. Bardh Prenkaj, Paola Velardi, Damiano Distanto, and Stefano Faralli. 2020. A Reproducibility Study of Deep and Surface Machine Learning Methods for Human-related Trajectory Prediction. In *Proceedings of the 29th ACM International Conference on Information & Knowledge Management (CIKM '20)*. Association for Computing Machinery, New York, NY, USA, 2169–2172. DOI:<https://doi.org/10.1145/3340531.3412088>. [**Ranked A by Core, Ranked A+ by GGS**]
2. Fattane Zarrinkalam, Guangyuan Piao, Stefano Faralli, and Ebrahim Bagheri. 2020. Mining User Interests from Social Media. In *Proceedings of the 29th ACM International Conference on Information & Knowledge Management (CIKM '20)*. Association for Computing Machinery, New York, NY, USA, 3519–3520. DOI:<https://doi.org/10.1145/3340531.3412167>. [**Ranked A by Core, Ranked A+ by GGS**]

3. Damiano Distanto, Massimo Villa, Nadia Sansone and Stefano Faralli. 2020. "MILA: A SCORM-Compliant Interactive Learning Analytics Tool for Moodle," 2020 IEEE 20th International Conference on Advanced Learning Technologies (ICALT), Tartu, Estonia, 2020, pp. 169-171, doi: 10.1109/ICALT49669.2020.00056. [**Ranked B by Core, Ranked B by GGS**]
4. Georgeta Bordea, Stefano Faralli, Fleur Mougin, Paul Buitelaar, Gayo Diallo. 2020. Evaluation Dataset and Methodology for Extracting Application-Specific Taxonomies from the Wikipedia Knowledge Graph. In: Proceedings of The 12th Language Resources and Evaluation Conference. p. 2341-2347, PARIS:European Language Resources Association, ISBN: 979-10-95546-34-4, Marseille, 2020. [**Ranked C by Core, Ranked B by GGS**]
5. Stefano Faralli, Paola Velardi, Farid Yusifli. 2020. Multiple Knowledge GraphDB (MKGDB). In: Proceedings of The 12th Language Resources and Evaluation Conference. p. 2325-2331, Paris:ELRA - European Language Resources Association, ISBN: 979-10-95546-34-4, Marseille, 2020. [**Ranked C by Core, Ranked B by GGS**]
6. Ludovico Boratto, Mirko Marras, Stefano Faralli, Giovanni Stilo. 2020. International Workshop on Algorithmic Bias in Search and Recommendation (Bias 2020). In: Jose J. et al. (eds) Advances in Information Retrieval. ECIR 2020. Lecture Notes in Computer Science, vol 12036. Springer, Cham. https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-030-45442-5_84. [**Ranked A by Core, Ranked A- by GGS**]
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PART 9 - Other activities

PART 9.1 - Visiting researcher

- Date: 18/04/2017 - 30/04/2017
Location: Department of Translation, Interpreting and Communication, University of Gent, Belgium
Local Research Supervision: Prof. Dr. Els Lefever
Research topic: Automatic taxonomy induction from multilingual data.

PART 9.2 - Invited talks

- Title: Ontology Learning from Scratch and Applications
Date: 08.07.2015
Place: LT, Darmstadt TU, Germany
https://www.lt.informatik.tu-darmstadt.de/de/lt-home/news-details/artikel/invited-talk-stefano-faralli-ontology-learning-from-scratch-and-applications/?no_cache=1&hash=ee6a05c28c940c34474910992b8f8d1b
- Title: Ontology Learning from Scratch and Applications
Date: 26/09/2014
Place: Data and Web Science Group, University of Mannheim, Germany
<https://dws.informatik.uni-mannheim.de/en/teaching/coursesforphdcandidates/>
- Title: NewArt e NewMedia
Date: 28/02/2007
Place: IUAV, Venice, Italy
http://www.iuav.it/NEWS---SAL/newsletter/archivio-n/2007/NEWSLETTER.PROVA1.DOC_cvt.htm#faralli

PART 9.3 - Speaker at international conferences

- 01/07/2019 - 04/07/2019 19th International Conference on Computational Science and Its Applications - ICCSA 2019 , Saint Petersburg, Russia.
- 08/10/2018 - 12/10/2018 THE 17TH INTERNATIONAL SEMANTIC WEB CONFERENCE, Monterey, CA, USA.
- 13/07/2018 - 19/07/2018 27th International Joint Conference on Artificial Intelligence and the 23rd European Conference on Artificial Intelligence, Stockholm, Sweden.
- 03/04/2017 - 07/04/2017 15th Conference of the European Chapter of the Association for Computational Linguistics, EACL 2017, Valencia, Spain.
- 17/10/2016 - 21/10/2016 International Semantic Web Conference (ISWC 2016), Kobe, Japan.
- 23/05/2016 - 28/05/2016 Tenth International Conference on Language Resources and Evaluation (LREC 2016). Portorož, Slovenia.
- 18/10/2013 - 21/10/2013 Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing, EMNLP 2013, Seattle, Washington, USA.
- 04/08/2013 - 09/08/2013 51st Annual Meeting of the Association for Computational Linguistics, ACL 2013, Sofia, Bulgaria.
- 23/05/2012 - 25/05/2012 Eighth International Conference on Language Resources and Evaluation, LREC 2012, Istanbul, Turkey.
- 12/07/2012 - 14/07/2012 Joint Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing and Computational Natural Language Learning, EMNLP-CoNLL 2012, Jeju Island, Korea.
- 24/10/2011 - 28/10/2011 20th ACM Conference on Information and Knowledge Management, CIKM 2011, Glasgow, United Kingdom.
- 16/07/2011 - 22/07/2011 22nd International Joint Conference on Artificial Intelligence, Barcellona, Spagna.
- 25/07/2008 - 03/08/2008 International Symposium on Electronic Art (ISEA 2008). Singapore.

- 30/10/2006 - 04/11/2006 7th International Symposium on Virtual Reality, Archaeology and Cultural Heritage, VAST 2006, Cyprus, Greece.
- 23/05/2006 - 26/05/2006 Working Conference on Advanced visual interfaces, AVI 2006, Venice, Italy.
- 08/09/2004 - 10/09/2004 10th International Conference on Distributed Multimedia Systems, DMS'2004. San Francisco, California, USA.
- 13/12/2004 - 16/12/2004 7th GenerativeArt 2004. Milano, Italy.