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## ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT

2020-            *Reader*. Imperial College London, Department of Computing, UK.  
2015-20        *Senior Lecturer*. Imperial College London, Department of Computing, UK.  
2013-15        *Lecturer*. Imperial College London, Department of Computing, UK.  
2010-12        *Imperial College Research Fellow*. Imperial College London, Department of Computing, UK.  
2007-08        *Postdoctoral Research Associate*. College of William & Mary, VA, US. Group: Prof. E. Smirni.

## OTHER EMPLOYMENT

2009            *Research Staff Member*. SAP Research, UK.  
2006            *Research Scientist*. Neptuny, Milan, Italy. (Startup, now part of BMC Software and Moviri.)

## EDUCATION

2003-06        *Ph.D., Computing*, Politecnico di Milano, Italy. Advisor: Prof. G. Serazzi.  
1997-02        *MEng, Computing*, Politecnico di Milano, Italy. Grade: 100/100. 5-year curriculum.  
2000-01        *Erasmus Exchange Student*, University of Manchester, Department of Computing, UK.

## AWARDS

2022            Best Paper Award, ICSOC (with R. Wang, A. Filieri).  
2022            Best Paper Award, IEEE/IFIP DSN (with S. Tuli, N. Jennings).  
2022            Best Paper Award, IEEE INFOCOM (with S. Tuli, N. Jennings).  
2017            Best Paper Award, ACM SIGMETRICS.  
2016            Best Paper Award, ACM/SPEC ICPE (with W. Wang, A. Kattepur, M. Nambiar).  
2015            Best Paper Award, IEEE ICCAC (with D. J. Dubois).  
2015            Best Paper Award, IEEE CLOUD (with J. Wen, L. Lu, E. Smirni).  
2012            Best Paper Award, ACM/SPEC ICPE (with P.G. Harrison).  
2008            Best Paper Award, ACM/IFIP/USENIX MIDDLEWARE (with N. Mi, L. Cherkasova, E. Smirni).  
  
2017            Best Student Paper Award, IFIP/IEEE IM (with K. Molka).  
2008            Best Student Paper Award, QEST (with Z. Zhang, E. Smirni).  
2004            Best Student Paper Award, IEEE MASCOTS (with G. Serazzi).  
  
2019            Best Demo Award, ACM/SPEC ICPE.  
2018            Best-in-Session Presentation Award, IEEE INFOCOM.  
2003            IBM Best European Graduates Recognition.

## PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

### OFFICER ROLES AND STEERING COMMITTEES

2019-23        SIG Chair: ACM SIGMETRICS.  
2015-19        Board of Directors: ACM SIGMETRICS.

2021-24 Steering Committee: QEST conference series.  
 2023 Steering Committee: Reliability of Softw.-Driven Next-Gen. Networks workshop series.  
 2017-21 Steering Committee: QUDOS workshop series.  
 2014-16 Steering Committee: ICAC conference series.

#### CONFERENCE CHAIRING

2013 General Co-Chair: ACM/SPEC ICPE 2013.  
 2021 Program Co-Chair: IEEE/IFIP DSN 2021.  
 2017 Program Co-Chair: VALUETOOLS 2017.  
 2015 Program Co-Chair: IEEE MASCOTS 2015.  
 2014 Program Co-Chair: USENIX ICAC 2014.  
 2012 Program Co-Chair: QEST 2012.  
 2012 Program Co-Chair: ACM SIGMETRICS/Performance 2012.

#### EDITORIAL WORK

2022- Editor-in-Chief, Elsevier Performance Evaluation (PEVA).  
 2011-15 Newsletter Editor, ACM SIGMETRICS Performance Evaluation Review (PER).  
 2024- Associate Editor, ACM Trans. on Autonomous and Adaptive Systems (TAAS).  
 2018- Associate Editor, ACM Trans. on Modeling and Perf. Eval. of Computing Systems (TOMPECS).  
 2017-23 Associate Editor, IEEE Trans. on Network and Service Management (TNSM).  
 2022 Associate Editor, Elsevier Performance Evaluation (PEVA).  
 2022 Special Issue Guest Editor, IEEE Trans. on Network and Service Management.  
 2021 Special Issue Guest Editor, IEEE Trans. on Network and Service Management.  
 2020 Special Issue Guest Editor, IEEE Trans. on Network and Service Management.  
 2019 Special Issue Guest Editor, IEEE Trans. on Network and Service Management.  
 2018 Special Issue Guest Editor, Elsevier Performance Evaluation.  
 2017 Special Issue Guest Editor, IEEE Trans. on Network and Service Management.  
 2016 Special Issue Guest Editor, IEEE Trans. on Network and Service Management.  
 2012 Special Issue Guest Editor, Elsevier Performance Evaluation.  
 2009 Special Issue Guest Editor, ACM Performance Evaluation Review.

#### MEMBERSHIP, ROLES, AND COMMITTEE ACTIVITIES IN PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES

2024 ACM SIGMETRICS 2024 Doctoral Dissertation Award Committee.  
 2024 Membership Committee, IFIP WG 7.3.  
 2023 ACM SIGMETRICS 2023 Doctoral Dissertation Award Committee.  
 2020 British Computer Society (BCS) Fellow.  
 2020 ACM Senior member.  
 2019 EiC Search committee, ACM Trans. on Modeling and Perf. Evaluation of Computing Systems.  
 2017 Reviewer: BCS Distinguished Dissertation award.  
 2017 Reviewer: ACM Future of Computing Academy programme.  
 2013- IFIP Working Group 7.3 member, Computer System Modeling.  
 2012- Imperial College representative, SPEC Research Group.  
 2011-12 Secretary/Treasurer, IEEE Special Technical Community on Sustainable Computing.

#### CONFERENCE ORGANIZATION COMMITTEES

2020 EU projects track chair: ESOC.  
 2016 Organizer: 2nd QUDOS Workshop (at ISSTA 2016).  
 2015 Organizer: 1st QUDOS Workshop (at ESEC/FSE 2015).

2015 Replication Packages Co-Chair: ESEC/FSE.  
 2014 Publicity Chair: BDC.  
 2014 Publicity Chair: QEST.  
 2011 Organizer: Joint HPDC/ SIGMETRICS Student Poster Event.  
 2011 Organizer: SIGMETRICS Student Industry Workshop.  
 2011 Student Activities Chair: SIGMETRICS.  
 2011 Track Chair: EURO-PAR.  
 2010 Publicity Chair: QEST.  
 2007 Publicity Chair: MINENET.

#### OTHER SERVICE

2025 Book Reviewer: Elsevier.  
 2022 Session Chair: QEST.  
 2021 Session Chair: TOSME workshop.  
 2019 Workshop Host: MAMA.  
 2017 Session Chair: SIGMETRICS.  
 2016 Session Chair: ICPE.  
 2015 Session Chair: VALUETOOLS.  
 2013 Session Chair: MASCOTS.  
 2013 Book Reviewer: Morgan Kaufmann Publishers.  
 2011 Session Chair: SIGMETRICS.  
 2011 Track Chair: EURO-PAR.  
 2010 Session Chair: HOTMETRICS.  
 2009 Session Chair: QEST.  
 2009 Session Chair: HOTMETRICS.  
 2009 Session Chair: MASCOTS.  
 2006 Session Chair: SYS-ML.

#### RESEARCH VISITS

2017 University of Melbourne, Australia. Host: R. Buyya.  
 2016 Carleton University, Ottawa, Canada. Host: M. Woodside.  
 2015 Tata Consulting Services Research, Mumbai, India. Host: M. Nambiar.  
 2015 Gran Sasso Science Institute, Italy. Host: C. Trubiani.  
 2014 College of William & Mary, VA, US. Host: E. Smirni.  
 2013 College of William & Mary, VA, US. Host: E. Smirni.  
 2012 BCAM, Bilbao, Spain. Host: J. Anselmi.  
 2004 UCLA, Computer Science Dept., CA, US. Host: R.R. Muntz.

#### TECHNICAL PROGRAM COMMITTEES

I served 150+ times in TPCs (conferences and workshops):

ACSOS (1)	AI4AS (1)	AIMC (1)	ANNET (2)
ANSERVAPP (2)	APSYS (1)	ASMTA (4)	BDC (2)
BigData (2)	CAC (1)	CCGRID (3)	CLOUD (6)
CLOUDMDE (1)	DCPERF (3)	DSN (7)	DSSO (1)
ECMS (1)	EPEW (4)	ESOC (2)	EURO-PAR (1)
GREENMETRICS (4)	HICS (1)	HIM (1)	HOTMETRICS (1)
HPDC (1)	IC2E (1)	ICAC (3)	ICCCN (3)
ICDCS (10)	ICPE (4)	INFQ (2)	IPDPS (1)
ISIICT (2)	IWQoS (4)	JCC (1)	MAMA (10)
MAM (2)	MASCOTS (5)	MDHPCL (1)	MICAS (3)
MOD (1)	NOMS (3)	PABS (1)	PERFORMANCE (7)
QEST (11)	ROSSA (1)	SC BoF (1)	SDSSC (1)
SeAC (1)	SIGMETRICS (10)	SOCC (1)	SRDS (1)

Stochastic Models (1) WAIN (1)	TOSME (1) WOSP-C (1)	UCC (1)	VALUETOOLS (9)
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## JOURNAL REVIEWS

I served as journal reviewer 90+ times:

Access (2)	ASOC (1)	Bernoulli J. (1)
CAI (1)	COMCOM (10)	Computer J. (3)
DKE (1)	EJOR (7)	FGCS (2)
IEEE Computer (1)	IEEE Internet of Things J. (1)	INFORMS JoC (1)
J. of Grid Computing (1)	JSS (1)	NRL (1)
OPRE (1)	PER (3)	PEVA (18)
QUESTA (3)	SIMPAT (3)	SOSYM (1)
Stochastic Models (1)	TAAS (1)	TACON (1)
TC (2)	TCC (3)	TETC (1)
TII (1)	TOMPECS (3)	TON (2)
TOP (1)	TPDPS (3)	TSC (1)
TSE (4)	TSMC A (1)	TNSM (10)
TOSEM (2)	TP (3)	TRE (1)

## RESEARCH AND GRANT ASSESSMENT

2024	Grant Reviewer, EPSRC Discipline hopping in ICT, UK.
2023	Grant Reviewer, EPSRC Responsive mode, UK.
2023	Grant Reviewer, Horizon Europe, FET-OPEN scheme, 2023 call.
2022	Grant Reviewer, EPSRC Open Fellowship scheme, UK.
2021	Grant Reviewer, Italian PRIN programme.
2021	Grant Reviewer, EPSRC New Investigator Award scheme, UK.
2020	Grant Reviewer, ESRC, UK.
2020	Grant Reviewer, Horizon 2020, FET-OPEN scheme, 2020 call.
2020	Grant Reviewer, Christian Doppler research association.
2020	Grant Reviewer, Kuwait Foundation for the Advancement of Sciences.
2019	Grant Reviewer, Horizon 2020, FET-OPEN scheme, 2019 national call.
2019	Grant Reviewer, Romanian National Council for Scientific Research, 2019 call.
2019	Grant Reviewer, British Council Newton Institutional Links grants, 2019 call.
2018-	EPSRC Full Peer Review College Member, UK.
2018	Grant Reviewer, British Council Newton Institutional Links grants, 2018 call.
2017	Reviewer: Mock Research Assessment Exercise, Dept. Information Eng., CUHK, Hong Kong.
2017-18	EPSRC Associate Peer Review College Member, UK.
2017	Grant Reviewer, EPSRC Responsive Mode, UK.
2017	Grant Reviewer, NSERC Council, Canada.
2016	Grant Reviewer, Romanian National Council for Scientific Research.
2016	Grant Reviewer, Flemish Research Foundation (FWO), Belgium.
2016	Review Panel Member for Italian PRIN projects.
2015	Grant Reviewer for Swiss National Science Foundation.
2014	Grant Reviewer for the Daphne Jackson Trust, UK.
2014	Grant Reviewer for NSERC Council, Canada.
2012	Reviewer for Italian Research Assessment Exercise 2004-10 (VQR).
2012	Review Panel Member for the Romanian National Council for Scientific Research.
2012	Review Panel Member for the Italian Future in Research 2012 programme.

## OUTREACH ACTIVITIES

2021	Online webinar at OASIS TOSCA Implementation Stories series.
2021	Online webinar at H-CLOUD technical community event.

- 2020 Online webinar at Software Practice Advancement group, British Computer Society.
- 2020 Online webinar on serverless computing, Eficode webinar series.
- 2020 H-CLOUD project communications task force.
- 2019 Project presentation at SummerSOC school, Crete, Greece.
- 2017 Presentation at DevOpsDays event, Warsaw, Poland (500+ attendees).
- 2016 Presentation at OW2 event, CloudExpo, Excel London.
- 2015 Presentation at Computing Measurement Group, Mumbai, India (100+ attendees).
- 2015 Featured interview on Imperial College homepage about the DICE research project.
- 2015 Presentation at OW2 event, CloudExpo, Excel London.
- 2015 Presentation, RELATE ITN Doctoral School, Würzburg, Germany.
- 2014 Presentation, Future Internet Assembly, Athens.
- 2014 Presentation at OW2 event, CloudExpo, Excel London.
- 2013 Imperial Fringe Festival, Cloud Computing stand.
- 2013 Featured interview on Imperial College website to advertise JRF programme.
- 2013 MODAClouds presentation, ICT 2013, Vilnius, Lithuania.
- 2011-15 ACM SIGMETRICS LinkedIn group coordinator.

## SOFTWARE

- 2024 Sourceforge’s “Rising Star” recognition for the LINE scientific software (line-solver.sf.net).
- 2022 Sourceforge’s “Community Leader” recognition for Java Modelling Tools (jmt.sf.net).

## PATENTS

- 2012 *Simulation Techniques for Predicting In-Memory Database Systems Performance.* US Patent, US9111022 B2, assignee SAP, co-inventors: S. Kraft, A. Jula.
- 2011 *Characterizing Web Workloads For Quality of Service Prediction.* US Patent, US8560618 B2, assignee SAP, co-inventor: S. Pacheco-Sanchez.
- 2011 *Predicting performance of a consolidated virtualized computing environment.* US Patent, US 9164785 B2, assignee SAP, co-inventors: S. Kraft, D. Krishnamurthy.
- 2011 *Estimating service resource consumption based on response time.* European Patent, EP20100013643, assignee SAP, co-inventors: S. Kraft, S. Pacheco-Sanchez, S. Dawson.

## INVITED TALKS AND SEMINARS

- 2024 Keynote, ACM/SPEC International Conference on Performance Engineering (ICPE).
- 2024 Keynote, International Conference on Big Data and Artificial Intelligence (BDA).
- 2023 Keynote, IEEE International Symposium on Software Reliability Engineering (ISSRE).
- 2023 Invited talk, TeaPACS 2023, Int’l Workshop on Teaching Performance Analysis of Comp. Sys.
- 2022 Keynote, AUSPDC 2022 symposium, CORE Australasian Computer Science Week.
- 2022 Tata Consulting Services, Mumbai, India.
- 2021 Invited talk, SODALITE Final workshop, Cloud Expo Europe Frankfurt.
- 2021 Invited talk, Huawei European Autonomous Network Forum, Huawei Ireland.
- 2020 Invited talk, Huawei Autonomous Network Conference, Huawei Ireland.
- 2019 Virginia Tech, US.
- 2019 University of Warwick, UK.
- 2017 University of Delft, The Netherlands.
- 2017 Umeå University, Sweden.
- 2017 Keynote, 1st Vienna Software Seminar on DevOps/Continuous Delivery, Vienna, Austria.
- 2016 Invited talk, 2nd Workshop on Performance Analysis of Big data Systems (PABS), Delft, NL.
- 2016 University of Pavia, Italy.
- 2016 University of Leeds, UK, School of Computing Weekly Colloquium.
- 2016 Budapest University of Technology and Economics, Hungary.
- 2015 University of Vienna, Austria.
- 2015 Gran Sasso Science Institute, Italy.

2015 University of York, UK.  
2015 Tata Consulting Services, Mumbai, India.  
2015 Keynote, TACTiCS Symp. on Performance Engineering, Mumbai, India.  
2014 INRIA Grenoble, France.  
2013 University of Edinburgh, UK.  
2012 BCAM, Spain.  
2011 Politecnico di Milano, Italy.  
2011 Keynote, 5th Int. Workshop on Practical Applic. of Stoch. Modelling (PASM), Karlsruhe, DE.  
2010 University of Florence, Italy.  
2010 University Tor Vergata, Rome, Italy.  
2010 BCAM - Basque Center for Applied Mathematics, Bilbao, Spain.  
2010 IFIP Working Group 7.3 Workshop, Namur, Belgium.  
2010 University of Munich (LMU), Germany.  
2010 University of Venice (Cá Foscari), Italy.  
2009 Northeastern University, Boston.  
2009 INRIA-Grenoble Rhone Alpes, France.  
2008 Mathworks, SIMULINK group, Boston, MA.  
2008 SAP Research, Belfast, UK.  
2007 Dagstuhl - Numerical Methods for Structured Markov Chains.  
2007 College of William & Mary, Williamsburg, VA.  
2006 IFIP Working Group 7.3 Workshop, St. Malo, France.

## FULL LIST OF PUBLICATIONS

### REFEREED JOURNAL PUBLICATIONS

J65. TSC X. Wu, H. Yu, G. Casale, G. Gao. Towards Cost-Optimal Policies for DAGs to Utilize IaaS Clouds with Online Learning, in *ACM Trans. on Services Computing*, full paper, to appear in 2025.

J64. TOMPECS Y. Gao, G. Casale, R. Singhal. Performance Modeling of Distributed Data Processing in Microservice Applications, in *ACM Trans. on Modeling and Performance Evaluation of Computer Systems*, 9(4):1–30, 2024.

J63. JNSM A. Gias, Y. Gao, M. Sheldon, J. A. Perusquía, O. O’Brien, G. Casale. SampleHST-X: A Point and Collective Anomaly-Aware Trace Sampling Pipeline with Approximate Half Space Trees, in *Journal of Network and Systems Management*, 33(3):44, 2024.

J62. TSE Z. Niu, G. Casale. Neural Density Estimation of Response Times in Layered Software Systems, *IEEE Trans. Softw. Eng.*, 50(3):636-650, Mar 2024.

J61. TOMPECS D. Olliaro, G. Casale, A. Marin, S. Rossi. A product-form network for systems with job stealing policies, *ACM Trans. on Modeling and Performance Evaluation of Computer Systems*, 9(2): 6:1-6:26, 2024.

J60. TOMACS G. Casale, Y. Gao, Z. Niu, L. Zhu. LN: A Flexible Algorithmic Framework for Layered Queueing Network Analysis, *ACM Trans. on Modeling and Comp. Simulation*, 34(3):1–26, Jul 2024.

J59. TMC S. Tuli, G. Casale, N. Jennings. PreGAN+: Semi-Supervised Fault Prediction and Preemptive Migration in Dynamic Mobile Edge Environments, *IEEE Trans. on Mobile Computing*, 23:6881-6895, Jun 2024.

J58. SPE L. Zhu, D. A. Tamburri, G. Casale. RADF: Architecture Decomposition for Function as a Service, *Software: Practice and Experience*, 54(4):566-594, Apr 2024.

J57. TC G. Casale, M. Roveri. Scheduling Inputs in Early Exit Neural Networks, *IEEE Trans. on Computers*, 73(2):451-465, Feb 2024.

J56. TC S. Tuli, G. Casale, N. Jennings. SciNet: Co-Design of Resource Management in Cloud Computing Environments, *IEEE Trans. on Computers*, 72:3590-3602, Dec 2023.

J55. TNSM S. Tuli, G. Casale, N. Jennings. CILP: Co-simulation based Imitation Learner for Dynamic Resource Provisioning in Cloud Computing Environments, *IEEE Trans. on Network and Service Management*, 20(4):4448-4460, Dec 2023.

- J54. JNCA S. Tuli, F. Mirhakimi, S. Pallewatta, S. Zawad, G. Casale, B. Javadi, F. Yan, R. Buyya, N. R. Jennings. AI Augmented Edge and Fog Computing: Trends and Challenges, *Elsevier J. of Network and Computer Applications*, 216, article 103648, Jul 2023.
- J53. TOMPECS X. Wu, F. De Pellegrini, G. Casale. Delay and Price Differentiation in Cloud Computing: A Service Model, Supporting Architectures, and Performance, *ACM Trans. on Modeling and Performance Evaluation of Computer Systems*, 8(3), Article 6, pp. 1-40, 2023.
- J52. TOMACS R. Wang, G. Casale, A. Filieri. Estimating Multiclass Service Demand Distributions Using Markovian Arrival Processes, *ACM Trans. on Modeling and Comp. Simulation*, 33(1-2):11-26, Feb 2023.
- J51. TNSM S. Tuli, G. Casale, N. Jennings. DRAGON: Decentralized Fault Tolerance in Edge Federations, *IEEE Trans. on Network and Service Management*, 20(1):276-291, Mar 2023.
- J50. SR S. Tuli, G. Casale, N. Jennings. SimTune: Bridging the Simulator Reality Gap for Resource Management in Edge-Cloud Computing, *Nature Scientific Reports*, 12, article 19158, Nov 2022.
- J49. TMC S. Tuli, G. Casale, N. Jennings. SplitPlace: AI Augmented Splitting and Placement of Large-Scale Neural Networks in Mobile Edge Environments, *IEEE Trans. on Mobile Computing*, 22:5539-5554, Sep 2023.
- J48. TPDS J. Soikkeli, G. Casale, L. Munoz Gonzalez, E. Lupu. Redundancy Planning for Cost Efficient Resilience to Cyber Attacks, *IEEE Trans. on Dependable and Secure Computing*, 20(2):1154–1168, Mar-Apr 2023.
- J47. PVLDB S. Tuli, G. Casale, N. Jennings. TranAD: Deep Transformer Networks for Anomaly Detection in Multivariate Time Series Data, *PVLDB*, 15(6):1201-1214.
- J46. TPDS S. Tuli, G. Casale, N. Jennings. GOSH: Task Scheduling using Deep Surrogate Models in Fog Computing Environments, *IEEE Trans. on Parallel and Distributed Systems*, 33:2821-2833, Nov 2022.
- J45. TSC S. Tuli, S.S. Gill, P. Garraghan, R. Buyya, G. Casale, N. Jennings. START: Straggler Prediction and Mitigation for Cloud Computing Environments using Encoder LSTM Networks, *IEEE Trans. on Services Computing*, 16:615-627, Jan-Feb 2023.
- J44. TPDS S. Tuli, G. Casale, N. Jennings. MCDS: AI Augmented Workflow Scheduling in Mobile Edge Cloud Computing Systems, *IEEE Trans. on Parallel and Distributed Systems*, 33(11):2794–2807, Nov 2022.
- J43. TPDS S. Tuli, S. Poojara, S. Srirama, G. Casale, N. Jennings. COSCO: Container Orchestration using Co-Simulation and Gradient Based Optimization for Fog Computing Environments, *IEEE Trans. on Parallel and Distributed Systems*, 33(1):101–116, Jan 2022.
- J42. PEVA G. Casale, P.G. Harrison, W.H. Ong. Facilitating Load-Dependent Queueing Analysis Through Factorization, in *Perform. Eval.*, Elsevier, vol. 152, Nov 2021.
- J41. JSS S. Tuli, S.S. Gill, M. Xu, P. Garraghan, R. Bahsoon, S. Dustdar, R. Sakellariou, O. Rana, R. Buyya, G. Casale, N. Jennings. HUNTER: AI based Holistic Resource Management for Sustainable Cloud Computing, *J. of Systems and Software*, Elsevier, article 111124, Oct 2021.
- J40. AAP I. Perez, G. Casale. Variational inequalities and mean-field approximations for partially observed systems of queueing networks, *Advances in Applied Prob.*, 53(3), 687-715, Sep 2021.
- J39. TON G. Casale, N. Gast. Performance analysis of list-based caches with non-uniform access, *IEEE/ACM Trans. on Networking*, 29(2):651–664, Apr 2021.
- J38. ACCESS A. Alnafessah, A. Ul Gias, R. Wang, L. Zhu, G. Casale, A. Filieri. Quality-Aware DevOps research: where do we stand?, *IEEE Access*, Mar 2021.
- J37. ACCESS A. Alnafessah, G. Casale. TRACK-Plus: Optimizing Artificial Neural Networks for Hybrid Anomaly Detection in Data Streaming Systems, *IEEE Access*, Jul 2020.
- J36. PEVA L. Zhu, G. Casale, I. Perez. Fluid Approximation of Closed Queueing Networks with Discriminatory Processor Sharing, *Perform. Eval.*, Elsevier, Vol. 139, Jun 2020.
- J35. TOMPECS X. Wu, F. De Pellegrini, G. Gao, G. Casale. A Framework for Allocating Server Time to Spot and On-demand Services in Cloud Computing, *ACM Trans. on Modeling and Perform. Eval. Comp. Sys.*, 4(4), 1–31, Dec 2019.
- J34. CLUS A. Alnafessah, G. Casale. Artificial Neural Networks Based Techniques for Anomaly Detection in Apache Spark, *Cluster Computing*, Springer, Oct 2019.

- J33. SICS G. Casale, M. Artač, W.-J. van den Heuvel, *et al.* RADON: Rational Decomposition and Orchestration for Serverless Computing, *Software-Intensive Cyber-Physical Systems*, Springer, Aug 2019.
- J32. JSS S. S. Gill, P. Garraghan, V. Stankovski, G. Casale, *et al.* Holistic Resource Management for Sustainable and Reliable Cloud Computing: An Innovative Solution to Global Challenge, *Journal of Systems and Software*, Elsevier, May 2019.
- J31. CSUR R. Buyya, S. N. Srirama, G. Casale, R. Calheiros, Y. Simmhan, B. Varghese, *et al.* A Manifesto for Future Generation Cloud Computing: Research Directions for the Next Decade, *ACM Computing Surveys*, 51(5):105, 2019.
- J30. TOE D. Tamburri, G. Casale. Cognitive Distance and Research Output in Computing Education: A Case-Study, *IEEE Trans. on Education*, 1–9, Oct 2018.
- J29. TOMPECS W. Wang, G. Casale, A. Kattapur, and M. Nambiar. QMLE: a Methodology for Statistical Inference of Service Demands from Queuing Data, *ACM Trans. on Modeling and Perform. Eval. Comp. Sys.*, 17:1-28, 2018.
- J28. POMACS G. Casale. Accelerating Performance Inference over Closed Systems by Asymptotic Methods, *PACM on Meas. Anal. Comput. Syst.* journal, 1(1):1–23, Jun 2017.
- J27. TREL J.F. Pérez, G. Casale. LINE : A Scalable Tool for Evaluating Software Applications in Unreliable Environments, *IEEE Trans. on Reliability*, 2017.
- J26. TOMPECS K. Molka, G. Casale. Contention-Aware Workload Placement for In-Memory Databases in Cloud Environments, *ACM Trans. on Modeling and Perform. Eval. Comp. Sys.*, 2(1):1–29, Oct 2016.
- J25. EJOR G. Casale, A. Sansottera, P. Cremonesi. Compact Markov-Modulated Models for Multiclass Trace Fitting, *European J. of Oper. Research*, 255(3):822–833, Nov 2016.
- J24. TOMACS W. Wang, G. Casale, C. Sutton. A Bayesian Approach to Parameter Inference in Queuing Networks, *ACM Trans. on Modeling and Comp. Simulation*, 27(1):1–26, Nov 2016.
- J23. CLUS D. J. Dubois, G. Casale. OptiSpot: Minimizing Application Deployment Cost using Spot Cloud Resources, *Cluster Computing*, 19(2):893–909, Springer, Mar 2016.
- J22. TOMACS G. Casale, V. de Nitto-Personé, E. Smirni. QRF: An Optimization-Based Framework for Evaluating Complex Stochastic Networks, *ACM Trans. on Modeling and Computer Simulation*, 26(3):15, Jan 2016.
- J21. PEVA S. Spinner, G. Casale, F. Brosig, S. Kounev. Evaluating Approaches to Resource Demand Estimation, *Perform. Eval.*, Elsevier 92:51-71, Oct 2015.
- J20. PEVA G. Casale, J. F. Pérez, W. Wang. QD-AMVA: Evaluating Systems with Queue-Dependent Service Requirements, *Perform. Eval.*, Elsevier, 91:80-98, Sep 2015.
- J19. TSE J.F. Pérez, G. Casale, S. Pacheco-Sanchez. Estimating Computational Requirements in Multi-Threaded Applications, *IEEE Trans. on Softw. Eng.*, 41(3):264–278, Mar 2015.
- J18. PEVA G. Casale, M. Tribastone, P.G. Harrison. Blending Randomness in Closed Queuing Network Models, *Perform. Eval.*, Elsevier, 82:15-38, Dec 2014.
- J17. JISA D. Ardagna, G. Casale, M. Ciavotta, J. F. Pérez, W. Wang. Quality-of-Service in Cloud Computing: Modelling Techniques and Their Applications, *J. of Internet Services and Applications*, 5(1), Springer, Sep 2014.
- J16. PEVA J. Anselmi, G. Casale. Heavy-Traffic Revenue Maximization in Parallel Multiclass Queues, *Perform. Eval.*, 70(1):806–821, Elsevier, Oct 2013.
- J15. SOSYM S. Kraft, G. Casale, D. Krishnamurthy, D. Greer, P. Kilpatrick. Performance Models of Storage Contention in Cloud Environments, *J. of Software and Systems Modeling*, Springer, Oct 2013.
- J14. TSE G. Casale, N. Mi, L. Cherkasova, E. Smirni. Dealing With Burstiness in Multi-Tier Applications: Models and Their Parameterization, *IEEE Trans. on Softw. Eng.*, 38(5): 1040-1053, Sep/Oct 2012.
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- T7. ICPE A. van Hoorn, A. Gias, L. Zhu, G. Casale, T. Düllmann, M. Wurster. Performance Engineering for Microservices and Serverless Applications: the RADON approach, at *ACM/SPEC ICPE 2020* (invited to be repeated at ICPE 2021).
- T6. PERFORMANCE G. Casale, G. Serazzi, L. Zhu. Performance Evaluation with Java Modelling Tools: a Hands-On Introduction, at *IFIP Performance 2017*.
- T5. ICPE G. Casale, S. Spinner, W. Wang. Automated Parameterization of Performance Models from Measurements, at *ACM/SPEC ICPE 2016*.
- T4. UCC D.Ardagna, N. Ferry, G. Casale. Model-Driven Management of Multi-Cloud Applications, at *IEEE/ACM UCC 2014*.
- T3. ASE D.Ardagna, N. Ferry, G. Casale, M.Almeida, J.F.Pérez. MDD-CLOUD - Model Driven Design of Cloud Applications with “a priori” Quality of Service Guarantees, at *IEEE/ACM ASE 2014*.
- T2. SIGMETRICS G. Casale. Building Accurate Workload Models using Markovian Arrival Processes, at *ACM SIGMETRICS 2011*, Jun 2011.
- T1. ICPE G. Casale, G. Serazzi. Quantitative System Evaluation with Java Modelling Tools, at *ACM/SPEC ICPE 2011*, Mar 2011.

## TEACHING

### CURRENT TEACHING

- 2021– Probability and Statistics, Imperial College London.
- 2021– Scheduling and Resource Allocation, Imperial College London.

### PAST TEACHING

- 2015–23 Simulation and Modelling, Imperial College London.
- 2014–20 Operations Research, Imperial College London.
- 2018–20 Performance Engineering, Imperial College London.
- 2016–17 Performance Engineering (Half module), Imperial College London.
- 2014–15 Performance Analysis (Half module), Imperial College London.
- 2011–14 Performance Analysis, Imperial College London.
- 2005–06 Capacity planning (Dimensionamento dei Sistemi Informatici), Politecnico di Milano.
- 2003 Enterprise Systems (Impianti Informatici), Politecnico di Milano, Italy.

### PROJECT SUPERVISION

A UG final project is equivalent to a BSc thesis. A MSc final project is equivalent to a MSc thesis. Group projects are 3-month projects with a development focus. ISO and Topics projects are literature surveys. MRes projects are 4-month research projects that award the same number of credits of a course.

- 2010–20 23 UG final projects, 1 MRes project, 37 MSc final projects, 11 UG group projects, 3 MSc group project, 3 ISO projects, 1 Topics project.
- 2003–06 15 final projects for UG and MSc students at Politecnico di Milano, Italy.

## SUPERVISION AND MENTORING

### RESEARCH SUPERVISION

*Postdoctoral researchers* (7): Eleftherios Anastasiadis (2021), Jose Antonio Perusquia Cortes (2021), Chen Li (2016-2018), Pooyan Jamshidi (2015-16), Rasha Osman (2015), Daniel J. Dubois (2014-16), Juan F. Pérez (2013-15).

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*Industrial PhD mentorships* (2): Stephan Kraft (2009-11), Sergio Pacheco-Sanchez (2009-11).

### UNIVERSITY SERVICE

#### PHD VIVAS AND JURIES

*Internal examiner* (9): Imperial College London (2024, 2023, 2022, 2020, 2018, 2×2017, 2014, 2013, 2012).

*External examiner* (17): University of Melbourne (Australia, 2025), Ecole Polytechnique (France, 2023), University of Galway (Ireland, 2023), University of Antwerp (Belgium, 2023), University of Lund (Sweden, 2022), University of Manchester (UK, 2022), University of Rome Tor Vergata (Italy, 2021), University of Florence (Italy, 2020), University of Melbourne (Australia, 2020), University of Calgary (Canada, 2017), Umeå University (Sweden, 2017), Delft University (The Netherlands, 2017), Carleton University (Canada, 2016), Newcastle University (UK, 2015), University of Turin (Italy, 2013), Politecnico di Milano (Italy, 2012), DTU Copenhagen (Denmark, 2010).

*Interim evaluations* (3): University of Pisa (2022), University of Florence (2021), Umeå University (2016).

### ADMINISTRATION

All the activities below have been carried out at Imperial College London.

#### Ongoing roles and activities:

- 2018-        PhD admissions tutor, Department of Computing.
- 2020-        Academic staff representative (non-professorial), Department of Computing.
- 2023-        Board member, Science and Solutions for a Changing Planet DTP, Grantham Institute.
- 2018-        Panel Member for Computing, Faculty of Engineering President's PhD scholarships panel.

#### Past roles and activities:

- 2023        JP Morgan PhD fellowships shortlisting panel, Faculty of Engineering.
- 2023        Computing workload working group, Department of Computing.
- 2022        Work location framework committee, Department of Computing.
- 2017-18    PhD admissions tutor, HiPEDS Centre for Doctoral Training.
- 2016-18    PhD scholarship committee, HiPEDS Centre for Doctoral Training.
- 2015-        PhD scholarship committee, Department of Computing.
- 2017        Panel co-chair, Google European PhD fellowships departmental shortlisting panel.
- 2016-18    Deputy PhD admissions tutor, Department of Computing.

2015 Departmental EPSRC doctoral prize committee.  
2013-16 Internal lunch seminars coordinator.  
2012 Panel member, PhD Careers Event.  
2012 Judge for Google PhD Poster Competition.