

A short Curriculum Vitae
of
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Bruno Bassan was Associate Professor since 1992. He has taught probability, statistics and linear algebra in the Schools of Statistics, Economics, Engineering and Mathematics of the Politecnico di Milano and of the University of Roma "La Sapienza". In 2004, he had been hired as Full Professor by the University "La Sapienza".

He is the author of many papers, most of which published on refereed journals (see the references for a selected list). His research interests included Poisson Random Measures and Stochastic Differential Equations with jumps, Shot Noise Process, Sequential Analysis and applications to Decision Theory, Stochastic Orderings, Exchangeable Models in Reliability, Parameter Estimation in Differential Equations. He gave an important contribution in the study of the role of Information in Game Theory and in the related applications to Mathematical Finance.

He has been visiting scholar in several Universities. He served as referee for several international journals. He gave seminars in several Universities all over the world. He delivered invited talks at some Conferences, such as the IX Conference on Game Theory, the "International Conference On Reliability and Survival Analysis" (De Kalb, Illinois, 1998), and the "International Conference on Operational Research for a Better Tomorrow" (Delhi, India, 1998).

Bruno Bassan was planning to participate to the International Workshop/Conference on Bayesian Statistics and its Applications (University Varanasi, India).

He died prematurely on October 6, 2004, at the top of his scientific and human activities. He had left for a short holiday with his wife, at the end of last September. On his way back, he suffered a heart attack. To try to save him, the plane landed in the small airport of Lametia Terme, but it was too late.

His death is a loss for the whole scientific community, and a loss for all the many friends he had in this community.

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