

LUKA FILIPOVIC

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ACADEMIC POSITION

- **Ph.D. Fellow** 2025–present
Copenhagen Business School, Department of Strategy and Innovation
 - **Research Interests:** Entrepreneurship theory, ownership and corporate governance, property rights theory, venture development
 - **Primary Supervisor:** Nicolai Juul Foss
 - **Co-Supervisor:** Ali Mohammadi

EDUCATION

- **Ph.D. Fellowship** 2023–2025
Universities of Udine and Verona
- **M.A. in International Business Management** 2023
Carinthia University of Applied Sciences | Double Degree program
- **M.Sc. in International Marketing, Management and Organization** 2021–2023
University of Udine | 110 cum laude /110
- **B.A. in Business Management** 2018–2021
University of Udine

CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS

- [1] Filipovic, L., & Pittino, D. (2026). **Ownership and the entrepreneur: Taking stock and looking ahead.** Presented at the *DRUID Academy 2026*, Aarhus
- [2] Filipovic, L. (2025). **What role for entrepreneurial ownership? A systematic theorization of the knowledge base.** Presented at the *85th Annual Meeting of the Academy of Management*, Copenhagen, and the *26th Workshop of Italian Organizational Scholars*, Pescara
- [3] Filipovic, L., & Lauto, G. (2025). **Effects of psychic distance on contractual structures: The case of an internationalized SME.** Presented at the *26th Workshop of Italian Organizational Scholars*, Pescara
- [4] Filipovic, L., & Lauto, G. (2024). **Assessing the effects of psychic distance on contractual structures: Insights from the case of an internationalized firm.** Presented at the *40th EGOS Colloquium*, Milan

AWARDS AND FUNDING

- **Doctoral Consortium Funding** 2026
Ewing Marion Kauffman Foundation
 - Funding to participate in the Doctoral Consortium of the 46th Babson College Entrepreneurship Research Conference, Tuscaloosa
- **University Merit Award** 2024
University of Udine
 - Best International Marketing, Management and Organization graduate for the 2022–23 cohort
 - Top10 (3rd) best graduates of the University of Udine for the 2022–23 degree cohort
- **National Competition Champions / Finalists** 2021–2023
Enactus
 - Startup competition focusing on impact entrepreneurship
 - 2021 Champion Team, 2022 & 2023 Finalist Team (2nd place) | Italian chapter

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- **Ph.D. Fellow** 2025–present
Copenhagen Business School, Department of Strategy and Innovation
 - Taught exercise sessions for the undergraduate-level Statistics and Quantitative Methods course during the 2025–26 academic year
 - Graded examinations for the undergraduate-level Statistics and Quantitative Methods and Microeconomics courses, as well as the master’s-level Strategic Management course, during the 2025–26 academic year
- **Teaching Fellow** 2024–present
University of Udine
 - Assisted with teaching in the undergraduate-level Business Organization course and the master’s-level Laboratory of Negotiation in Cross-Cultural Business Environments during the 2024–25 academic year
 - Served as pitching mentor and lecturer for the 2024 SEED LAB Blended Intensive Program, jointly organized by the Carinthia University of Applied Sciences, the University of Udine, and the Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona

INDUSTRY EXPERIENCE

- **CO2NVERT** 2021–2024
Co-founder (later Managing Director) Udine, Italy
- **MORE S.R.L.** 2020–2021
Data Analyst Gemona del Friuli, Italy

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Professional service: Reviewer for the *Journal of Institutional Economics* and *Personnel Review* | Ad hoc reviewer for the 85th Annual Meeting of the Academy of Management and the 2026 Strategic Management Society’s Special Conference in Hong Kong

Other academic activities: Accepted for participation in the 23th spring school of the Institutional and Organizational Economics Academy (Cargèse, 2026) with the research proposal “Entrepreneurial returns to contractual incompleteness: A formalization of the judgment-based approach to the firm”

Language skills: Italian (native), Serbo-croatian (native), English (full professional proficiency - IELTS C1), Danish (basic proficiency - Danskuddannelse 3, Modul 1)

Research software skills: Proficient with Stata, fsQCA, MAXQDA

Interests: Strategic board games, legal and economic history, Italian cuisine

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