

# Angelo Ditillo

## ACCOUNTING

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## Biography

Angelo Ditillo is an Associate Professor of Accounting and Control at SDA Bocconi School of Management.

Angelo teaches in the full time MBA program and has conducted numerous education projects with Novartis, ABB and UniCredit.

His research activities focus on business planning and control of private equity agreements, management control of creative and innovative organizations, inter-organizational control of private and public partnerships, modes of control in knowledge-intensive firms and, more recently, the digital transformation and management accounting revolution. He is the author of numerous books and articles on his topics of interest. His work has been published in Accounting, Organizations and Society, the European Accounting Review, the Journal of Management Accounting Research, Management Accounting Research, the Accounting, Auditing and Accountability Journal, among others. Angelo has won numerous teaching and research awards, including the Best Teaching Award in 2013, Best Teaching Innovation Award in 2018, the David Solomons Prize for the best paper published in 2012 in Management Accounting Research and the 2018 European Accounting Review Best Paper Prize in 2019.

Angelo serves on the editorial board of various journals, including the Journal of Management Accounting Research, Behavioral Research in Accounting and the Journal of International Accounting Research. He is a member of the European Accounting Association (EAA), where he also serves as a member of the External Relations Committee, of the American Accounting Association (AAA), and of the Research Advisory Board (CIMA).

Angelo earned an MSc in Business Administration from Università Bocconi and a PhD in Business Administration and Management from Università Bocconi. He has one child.

## Teaching domains

Budgeting & Forecasting

Performance Management

Strategic & Business Planning

Value Based Management

Transfer Pricing

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## Latest publications

CAGLIO A., DITILLO A.

The Field Research Method as Applied to Behavioural Accounting Research in *The Routledge Handbook of Behavioural Accounting Research*

Theresa Libby, Linda Thorne (Eds), Routledge, pp.325-340, 2025

CAGLIO A., DANIELE M., DITILLO A.

Exploring innovation across organizations: the role of contracts and management controls

Journal of Management and Governance, 2025

CAGLIO A., DITILLO A.

Elevata incontrollabilità: quali obiettivi prestazioni e incentivi

Economia & Management, 2023, no. 1, pp.92-95

BEDFORD D. S., DITILLO A.

From Governing to Managing: Exploring Modes of Control in Private Equity Relationships

European Accounting Review, 2022, vol.31, no. 4, pp.843-875

CAMERAN M., DITILLO A., PETTINICCHIO A.

Come la tecnologia aiuta i revisori e le aziende

Economia & Management, 2021, no. 4, pp.74-77

CAGLIO A., DITILLO A.

Reviewing Interorganizational Management Accounting and Control Literature: A New Look

Journal of Management Accounting Research, 2021, vol.33, no. 1, pp.149-169

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## Grants & Honors

Teaching Award - Università Commerciale Luigi Bocconi , 2020

Best Paper Award 2018 - EAA - European Accounting Association , 2019

Excellence in Innovation Award - Università Commerciale Luigi Bocconi , 2018

David Solomons Prize for the best paper published in 2012 in Management Accounting Research - Management Accounting Research , 2013

Best Professor of the Year Award - Università Commerciale Luigi Bocconi , 2013

Best Paper Award with the paper 'Do environmental and task characteristics matter? Unveiling the relevance of relational factors in the control of local public services' (co-authors: D. Cristofoli, M. Liguori, M. Sicilia, I. Steccolini) - New Public Sector Seminar, Edimburgh , 2008

Best MBA Lecturer - SDA Bocconi School of Management , 2006

Best Management Paper Award with the paper 'Dealing with uncertainty in knowledge-intensive firms: management control systems as knowledge integration mechanisms' - SDA Bocconi School of Management , 2005

Best MBA Lecturer - SDA Bocconi School of Management , 2005

Best Case Study - SDA Bocconi School of Management , 2001

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