

Instructions for the replication of “Career Spillovers in Internal Labor Markets” by Bianchi, Bovini, Li, Paradisi, and Powell

Access to the data: The data are available for replication purposes at the central headquarters of the Italian Social Security Institute (INPS) in Rome (Via Ciro il Grande, 21, 00144 Roma RM, Italy). For more information on the process to access the data, send an email to the administrators of the VisitINPS program at dcstudiericerche@inps.it. The administrators will provide the bureaucratic steps required to visit the INPS headquarters and replicate our results.

Dataset used: Istituto Nazionale della Previdenza Sociale. 2011. Database UNIEMENS. Rome.

Software: The replication package was prepared and run on Stata 15 in the virtual machine at INPS.

Additional packages: The code uses the user-written package “reghdfe.” It is already installed on the virtual machine at INPS. Therefore, it does not need to be installed.

Replication: While at INPS, you can replicate the whole analysis simply running the master do file named “master.do” in the “do_files” folder included in this archive. Make sure to type the right path to three key folders on rows 10, 11, and 12 of the “master.do.” The exact path will depend on the location in which the INPS administrators are going to place the currently archived folder with our data.

The master.do file contains a list of all codes used to replicate the analysis and a short description of their outputs. The codes are divided by tables and figures.