

# Lavinia Pilosu

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## EDUCATION

**London School of Economics and Political Science (LSE)**

**2022 - 2023**

**MSc International Migration and Public Policy | European Institute**

- Key courses: Labour Markets and the Political Economy of Employment in Europe; Political Economy of Migration in Europe; International Migration and Migrant Integration.

**Alma Mater Studiorum - University of Bologna**

**2017 - 2019**

**MSc Resource Economics and Sustainable Development**

Key courses: Sustainable Resource Economics and Policy; Economics of Climate Change, Econometrics.

**University of Roma Tre**

**2014 - 2017**

**BSc Political Science and International Relations**

- Key courses: Development Economics, Micro and Macroeconomics, Public and Private Law,

**Metropolitan University of Prague**

**2016**

**Erasmus semester**

- Key courses: Geography and Geopolitics.
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## RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

**Programme Assistant - EU policies (FGIII)**

**Sep 2024 - Present**

**European Commission | Brussels**

DG Employment, Social Affairs & Inclusion (EMPL) - E.4 - Italy, Sweden, Denmark

- I monitor and support the implementation of three ESF and ESF+ regional programmes in Italy.
- I prepared and participated in two Monitoring Committees and liaised with local and regional authorities.
- Backup Desk Officer for the Just Transition Fund (JTF) in Italy.

**Programme and Project Management Assistant (Interim)**

**May 2024 - Aug 2024**

**European Union Agency for Asylum – EUAA | La Valletta (Malta)**

- I supported the programme manager in the implementation of the New Pact Programme.
- I liaised with project managers and contributed to the organisation and analysis of information, and data.
- I attended meetings with the Commission and key stakeholders and drafted reports.

**Blue Book Trainee**

**Oct 2023 - Feb 2024**

**European Commission | Brussels (Belgium)**

DG Migration and Home Affairs (HOME) - C.2 - Legal Pathways and Integration

- I attended weekly meetings and drafted flash reports on a range of topics. I also contributed to lines-to-take and presentations.
- I liaised with key stakeholders to get inputs on implemented integration initiatives and drafted sections of the mid-term review of the Action Plan on Integration and Inclusion.
- I participated in the drafting of assessment reports on projects funded under the Asylum, Migration and Integration Fund (AMIF).

**Research Manager - EU Projects**

**Mar 2021 - Aug 2022**

**University of Bologna | Bologna (Italy)**

- I oversaw the financial and administrative implementation of EU-funded projects for sustainable development (e.g. LIFE, Horizon Europe). I ensured alignment with the regulatory frameworks, tracked the level of expenditures and provided administrative support.
- I prepared financial reports and supported the organisation of meetings with international project partners.
- I conducted the negotiations of research agreements with various stakeholders.

## European Projects and Funding Intern

Italian National Agency for Microcredit | Rome (Italy)

Jul 2020 - Dec 2020

- I monitored funding opportunities and drafted reports for external communication.
- I contributed to the drafting of project proposals under the Asylum, Migration and Integration Fund (AMIF).
- I conducted weekly monitoring tasks on microfinance and microcredit policy initiatives and drafted reports.

## International Cooperation Intern

Italian Embassy to Tanzania | Dar es Salaam (Tanzania)

May 2019 - Aug 2019

- I liaised with Italian NGOs and kept the internal database up to date.
- I followed the rollout of a development and cooperation project: I liaised with project partners, participated in technical meetings and drafted minutes.
- I attended institutional meetings with the government and UN Agencies and drafted reports.

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## ADDITIONAL EXPERIENCE

### Correspondent (UK and Europe)

Oct 2022 - Lug 2023

The London Globalist (LSE International Affairs magazine) | London

- I analysed migration policy developments and drafted three articles (e.g. "Climate-induced migration: international response and formal protection").

### Refugee+ GAZIANTEP project

Nov 2021

Associazione Europolmente | Gaziantep (Turkey)

- I conducted interviews with 30 Syrian refugees to get their input on integration processes in Turkey with a focus on the labour market and education system.

### Humanitarian aid worker

Aug 2021

Refugee Biriyanis & Bananas NGO | Chios (Greece)

- I assisted in the organisation and the delivery of humanitarian aid in the Vial refugee camp.

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## COURSES AND LICENCES

CAST FGIV 4879848

EPSO

Sep 2024

Advanced post-graduate diploma in Human Security & Sustainable Development

ISPI School

Mar 2022 - Jul 2022

Course in Social Protection for Sustainable Development

United Nations System Staff College (UNSSC)

Mar 2022 - Apr 2022

Master of Expertise - European Funding and Projects and Internationalization of Enterprises

SIOI - UN Association of Italy

Jan 2020 - May 2020

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## OTHER SKILLS

### LANGUAGES

- Italian: native
- English: C2
- French: B1

### IT

MS Office, MS Outlook, EU Survey, SurveyMonkey, Google Forms, Tableau, Pajek.

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