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CURRICULUM VITAE

EDUCATION

PhD, 1995

University of Bologna
Department of Sociology
Sociology and Social Policy
Bologna, Italy

Dissertation Title: “Forms of solidarity in complex societies. A study on culture and values of voluntary sector”. Arguments: Voluntary Organizations, Nonprofit Organizations, Third Sector, Organizational culture

MA, 1989

Field: Political Science
Cum laude.
1989

Thesis: “Social Policies in complex societies”. Main arguments: Welfare State, Social Policy, Voluntary Organizations, Social Services, Third Sector, Public-nonprofit relationships.
Received the maximum evaluation: 110/110.

Other Studies:

International Fellowship in Philanthropy and Nonprofit Sector
Institute for Policy Studies
Johns Hopkins University
Baltimore USA.
1990/1991.

RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

September 1995 to December 1996

Coordinator, “Study and Research Unit” by the FIVOL – Italian foundation for voluntary organization. Under my scientific direction as been carried on the “Second National Report on Voluntary Organization in Italy”.
Rome, Italy

1997-1999

Director, Institute of Research on Training and Education (IREF) with the Italian Association of Christian Workers (ACLI). This is one the largest nonprofit organizations in Italy. Under my scientific direction, two reports were produced: “Six National Report on Associations in Italy” and the “Seven National Report on Associations in Italy”.
Rome, Italy

2000 – 2005

Director of Flaminia Foundation (Culture and High Education)

Ravenna, Italy.

From 2006 to 2014

Full time Assistant Professor at the University of Bologna – School of Economics – Forlì Campus; where I teach “Sociology”, “Sociology of Economy”, “Sociology of Nonprofit Organizations” and School of Political Sciences where I teach “Methodology of Qualitative Research”.

From 2014 to present

Full time Associate Professor at the University of Bologna – School of Economics, Management and Statistics – Forlì Campus; where I teach “Sociology”, “Sociology of Nonprofit Organizations” and at the School of Political Sciences where I teach “Social Justice and Equity” and “Methodology of Quantitative Research”.

MEMBERSHIPS

“Consultant Committee for the development of statistics on Nonprofit Institutions” by the ISTAT (Italian National Institute of Statistics).

2008 to present

The Italian Association of Sociology (AIS).

2006 to present

From 2012 to 2014 I have been the Secretary of the “Social Policy” Unit.

From 2015 to present, I’m National Coordinator of the “Social Policy” Unit.

National Observatory on Associations by the Ministry of Welfare – Italian Government

2001 to present

International Society for Third Sector Researchers (ISTR).

1994 to present

EDITORIAL BOARD AND OTHER COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIPS

Scientific Committee of the Foundation Nomisma Terzo Settore

Bologna, Italy

2006 to present

Editorial Committee member

The Italian Scientific Review “*Impresa Sociale*” (Social Enterprise), Issan Edizioni,

Tento, Italy

2008 to present

Editorial Committee member

The Italian Scientific Review “*Sociologia e Politiche Sociali*” (Sociology and Social Policy),

Franco Angeli Editore

Milan, Italy

2008 to present

Editorial Board member

The Review “*International Leadership Journal*” published by the School of Business and Management at Thomas Edison State College, Trenton, New York State, USA
2009 to present.

Editorial Board member

The Review: “*Nonprofit policy Forum*” published by Walter de Gruyter
Berlin, Germany
2011 to present;

Scientific Committee Member

The Review: [NON PROFIT paper - Diritto, Management, Servizi di pubblica utilità](#),
Maggioli Editore (ISSN 1122-9322)
January 2016 to present;
http://www.periodicimaggioli.it/non-profit.html#product_tabs_description_tabbed

Editorial Board Member

The Review: *European Social Innovation Review (ESIR)*
Sinnergiak Social Innovation - Basque Country
<http://pub.sinnergiak.org/index.php/esir/index>
February 2016 to present

Editorial Board Member

The Review: “*Sicurezza e Scienze Sociali*”,
Franco Angeli Milano,
<http://www.francoangeli.it/riviste/sommario.asp?IDRivista=177>
from n. 1/2016 to present;

Editorial Board Member

The Review: *CIRIEC-España, revista de economía pública, social y cooperativa*
<http://www.ciriec-revistaeconomia.es>
Printed Edition: ISSN 0213-8093
On line Edition: ISSN 1989-6816
from n. 1/2017 to present;

Associate Professor

The University of Bologna
Research Appointment, *Department of Sociology and Business Law*, Bologna Main Campus
Teaching Appointment, *Faculty of Economics, Management and Statistics*, Forli Campus
2014 to present

Assistant Professor

The University of Bologna
2006 to 2014

Director, *The European Summer School on Social Economy*
University of Bologna
Faculty of Economics- Forlì Campus
Forlì, Italy.
www.esse.unibo.it
2009 to present.

Member of the IRT-SECS Integrated Research Team on *Social Economy and Civil Society*,
Coordinator, Sociology Group
Coordinate two research areas:
Welfare policies
Third Sector and Civil Society
University of Bologna
Bologna, Italy
2010 to present

International Research Team” (IRT) on Social Economy and Civil Society (SECS).
This research unit is constituted by about 50 members from 7 disciplines: Sociology, History,
Economics, Psychology, Statistics, Law, and Accounting. The unit is organized in 8 research areas.

RESEARCH ACTIVITIES

From 2007 to 2009 - Member, Research Unit of Bologna University of a National Research Project (two years) financed by the Ministry of University and Scientific Research on “*Social Networks, Social Capital and Public Goods*”. Directed by Prof. Pierpaolo Donati and Prof. Ivo Colozzi.

From 2011 to 2012 - Member (with Prof. Ivo Colozzi) of the Italian Research Unit of an International Research Project on “*Global Survey of Executive Succession (GSES) in Nonprofit Organizations/NGOs*”. Directed by Joseph C. Santora Thomas Edison State College Trenton, New Jersey, USA and James C. Sarros Monash University Caulfield East, Victoria, Australia.

From 2015 to present - Member of the Italian Research Unit of an European Research Project called INNOSI - *Innovative Social Investment: Strengthening communities in Europe*; European Commission – Horizon 2020, European Commission, Research Executive Agency, Brussels

MAIN PUBLICATIONS

1997

“Local welfare contracting: Ravenna in the 1980s and 1990s”, in Perri 6 and Jeremy Kendall (eds.) (1997) *The Contract Culture in Public Services. Studies from Britain, Europe and the Usa*, Arena, Aldershot, UK, pp.133-147.

1998

with Marilyn Taylor, “Unpacking the state: the implications for the third sector of changing relationships between national and local government”, in *Voluntas* n.2/3 1998, Plenum Press, London, pp.113-136.

2006

Change of perspective. Sociology and Photography, in Bassi A., Corelli G., Ravaglioli A. (edit by), *Jobs. Faces of a third millennium town*, Edizioni Moderna, Ravenna, pp.66-86.

2009

with Ivo Colozzi, "Leaders of Nonprofit (Third Sector) Organizations in Italy: Cultures of Three Types of Organizations", in *International Leadership Journal*, Vol. 1, Issue 3/4, Spring/Summer 2009.

2010

La mosaïque coopérative. Stratégies de réseaux de la coopération sociale à Ravenne, in Xabier Itcaina (sous la direction de), *La politique du lien, Les nouvelles dynamiques territoriales de l'économie sociale et solidaire*, aux Presse Universitaire de Rennes, pp. 109-126, ISBN 978-2-7535-1208-5.

2011

(Edit by), *Breaking the Barriers. Improve access to long life learning in three European countries*, Edup, Roma, pp. 175

"The social added value of third sector organizations", *EMES Conferences Selected Papers Series*, ECSP-R11-28 <http://www.emes.net/index.php?id=538>

2012

How to measure the intangibles, Towards a system of indicators (S.A.V.E.) for the measurement of the performance of social enterprises, in Hans-Werner Franz, Jürgen Howaldt, Josef Hochgerner (eds) (2012), *Challenge Social Innovation*, Berlin, Springer, pp.326-350. ISBN 978-3-642-32878-7

2013

Another brick in the wall. Housing policy as a means to social integration: the role of nonprofit organizations. A case study in the municipality of Ravenna – Italy, in Juan-Luis Klein et Mathieu Roy (sous la direction de), *Pour une nouvelle mondialisation: le défi d'innover*, Presses de l'Université du Québec (Social Innovation Séries), Montréal, Canada, pp. 167-179. ISBN 978-2-7605-3622-7.

Succession in Italian Nonprofits: A Survey, in *International Leadership Journal*, Vol. 5, Issue 1, Fall 2013, pp. 51-71 . ISSN 1944-7426

2014

The Social Added Value of Third Sector Organizations, in Boccacin L. (2014) (Edit by), *Third Sector, Partnerships and Social Outcome. The Cases of Italy and Ireland*, Vita e Pensiero, Milano, pp. 76-108. ISBN 978-88-343-2729-6.

Review of: David Billis (Editor), *Hybrid Organizations and the Third Sector. Challenges for Practice, Theory and Policy*, Palgrave Macmillan, London, 2010, pp. 256, in “Nonprofit Policy Forum”, Volume 5, Issue 2, Pages 1–8, November 2014. ISSN (Online) 2154-3348

Review of: Jacques Defourny, Lars Hulgard, Victor Pestoff (Edited by), *Social Enterprise and the Third Sector. Changing European landscapes in a comparative perspective*, Routledge, London and New York, 2014, pp. 279; in “Voluntas”, Volume 25, Issue 6 (2014), Page 1694-1696

with Massimo Lori and Ilaria Vannini, *Profiling the social impact of nonprofit institutions: measurement, constraints and research directions*, ISTR Working Papers Series 2014, pp.17.

https://c.ymcdn.com/sites/istr.site-ym.com/resource/resmgr/WP2014/Profiling_the_social_impact_.pdf

2015

with Giorgia Vincenti, *Toward a New Metrics for the Evaluation of the Social Added Value of Social Enterprises*, in “CIRIEC-España, Revista de Economía Pública, Social y Cooperativa”, Vol. N. 83, pp. 9-42

with Santora J., Sarros James; Esposito Mark; Bozer Gil, *Nonprofit Succession Planning and Organizational Sustainability: A Preliminary Comparative Study in Australia, Brazil, Israel, Italy, Russia and the U.S.*, in “The Journal of Applied Management and Entrepreneurship”, Vol. 20, N. 4, October 2015, pp. 66-83

2016

La politica sociale: scenari e prospettive, in Corbisiero Fabio e Ruspini Elisabetta (a cura di) (2016), *Sociologia del futuro. Studiare la società nel 21mo secolo*, CEDAM, Padova, pp. 51-75.

Stato Sociale Relazionale, voce di dizionario in Terenzi P., Boccacin L. e Prandini R. (a cura di) (2016), *Lessico della Sociologia Relazionale*, Il Mulino, Bologna, pp. 315-320,

Welfare Society, voce di dizionario in Terenzi P., Boccacin L. e Prandini R. (a cura di) (2016), *Lessico della Sociologia Relazionale*, Il Mulino, Bologna, pp. 353-358,

Il vero, il bello e il giusto. Tre criteri relazionali per valutare la validità del discorso scientifico nelle scienze sociali, in “Sociologia e Politiche Sociali”, Vol. 19, N. 1, 2016, pp. 98 - 126;

Imparare aiutando. La pratica educativa del volontariato scolastico, in Angela Spinelli (2016) (a cura di), *La formazione nel volontariato fra realtà e possibilità*, Franco Angeli, Milano, pp. 125-158. ISBN 978-88-917-4151-6

con Massimo Lori e Ilaria Vannini, *Una proposta per la misurazione dell'impatto sociale delle Istituzioni Nonprofit: l'approccio dell'embeddedness*, in Barbetta GP., Ecchia G., Zamaro N. (a cura di), (2016), *Le Istituzioni nonprofit in Italia: dieci anni dopo*, Il Mulino, Bologna, pp. 149-172; ISBN 978-88-15-26682-8

Review of the Book: L. Mook, J.R. Whitman, J. Quarter, and A. Armstrong (eds): *Understanding the Social Economy of the United States*, in “VOLUNTAS: International Journal of Voluntary and Nonprofit Organizations”; DOI 10.1007/s11266-016-9762-8.

Review of the Book: Barinaga Ester, *Social Entrepreneurship: Cases and Concepts*, Studentlitteratur AB, Lund, 2014, pp. 201, in “VOLUNTAS: International Journal of Voluntary and Nonprofit Organizations”; DOI 10.1007/s11266-016-9766-4

Review of the Book: Emily Barman (2016), *Caring Capitalism. The Meaning and Measure of Social Value*, Cambridge University Press, New York, pp. 266, in “VOLUNTAS: International Journal of Voluntary and Nonprofit Organizations”, DOI 10.1007/s11266-016-9791-3;

with Ecchia, G. and Guerra, A., (2016), *The Role of Social Economy in Three Social Investment Policy Fields*, Working paper of the project: “Innovative Social Investment: Strengthening communities in Europe” (InnoSI), European Commission – Horizon 2020, European Commission, Research Executive Agency, Brussels.

with Ecchia, G. and Guerra, A., (2016), *Social Innovation Policies with the Involvement of Social Economy Organizations. Survey Evidence from ten European Countries*, Working paper of the project: “Innovative Social Investment: Strengthening communities in Europe” (InnoSI), European Commission – Horizon 2020, European Commission, Research Executive Agency, Brussels.

with Lazzari A. (2016), *The integrated system of early childhood education and care of the Emilia-Romagna Region. Case studies of innovative services*, pp. 141, Research Report, of the project: “Innovative Social Investment: Strengthening communities in Europe” (InnoSI), European Commission – Horizon 2020, European Commission, Research Executive Agency, Brussels.

2017

Achille Ardigò studioso e credente. Alcune riflessioni sul rapporto tra chiesa e società (civile), in Cipolla C. e Ardissoni A. (a cura di), *Achille Ardigò nelle sue attività istituzionali*, Franco Angeli, Milano, 2017, pp. 270-292;

with Dennis R. Young and Jung-In Soh, *Applying the Benefits Theory of Nonprofit Finance to Social Cooperatives*, paper presented at the 12th International conference of the International Society for Third Sector Research, Ersta Sköndal University College, Stockholm, Sweden, June 28 - July 1, 2016, pp. 1-23.

Le sfide dell'innovazione sociale nella morfogenesi del welfare, in A.A.V.V. (2017) (a cura di), *Dopo la globalizzazione: sfide alla società e al diritto*, collana Dipartimento di Sociologia, Giappichelli, Torino; *forthcoming*.

Una legislazione promozionale e sussidiaria per la costituzionalizzazione degli attori della società civile, in A.A.V.V. (2017) (a cura di), *La riforma del terzo settore*, Giappichelli Editore, Torino, *forthcoming*.

con Sara Fabbri, *The “Farmers Markets” phenomenon: a survey on the Farmer Market’s customers in the city of Cesena*, in AA.VV. (Eds) 2017, P.I.E. Peter Lang, Bruxelles; *forthcoming*.

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