

MADDALENA VALACCHI

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EDUCATION

University of Trento, Ph.D. International Studies November 2022 - Expected defence 2026

- "Cultrice della materia" with Prof. Guderzo, University of Siena (2024-...)
- Tutor for Great Powers Politics since 1945 at the University of Bologna (Italy) with Professor Gregorio Marino Doimo Bettiza, and for International Political Philosophy and History of Ideas at the University of Trento (Italy) with Professors Michele Nicoletti and Manuela Bragagnolo (February- September 2026)
- Visiting research University of Utrecht, The Netherlands (May 2025 - June 2025)
- Visiting research University of Warsaw, Poland (January 2024 - March 2024)

University of Siena, MA and BA in Studi internazionali October 2017- July 2022

- **MA:** "Poland and the Construction of Europe. 1989-1998"; 110/110 cum laude e menzione. Thesis research funded by: Borsa Konrad Adenauer Stiftung; supervisor: Prof. Guderzo.
- Erasmus University of Warsaw, Poland (October 2021-March 2022)
- **BA:** "Promesse e realtà. Carter Videla e i diritti umani. 1977-1980"; 110/110 cum laude; supervisor: Prof. Guderzo.
- Overseas Project Universidad del Salvador, Argentina (March 2019-July 2019)

VISITING AND RESEARCH ABROAD

Fellowship, Department of History, University of Utrecht May 2024- June 2025

Collaboration with the research groups "Global Cold War" and "Europe in the World", and Archival research at Institute of Social History.

Visiting research, Center for Europe, University of Warsaw January 2024 - March 2024

Lectures, Seminars and Archival research at Fundacja Karta; Archiwum Akt Nowych; Archiwum Historyczne Komisji Krajowej.

MOST RELEVANT PUBLICATIONS

- [8] Valacchi M., *Influencias internacionales en la transición hacia una Argentina democrática: los Estados Unidos y el papel de los derechos humanos*, in Anuario IELAT, Cuarenta años de continuidad institucional democrática en Argentina: otro balance pluridisciplinar, V. 2, 2026, pp. 15-29, ISSN: 3045-6894.
- [7] Valacchi M., *Parallel tracks. Sino-Polish relations and perceptions in the late Cold War*, in "Rivista di Studi Politici Internazionali", 92, n.1, 2025, pp. 95-121.
- [6] Valacchi M., *The Time When Poland Should Return to Europe. Polish National Legacies in the European Construction*, in "Studia Europejskie – Studies in European Affairs", 29, n. 4, 2024, pp. 225-241.
- [5] Valacchi M., *La speranza della ricerca*, in Valacchi F., *L'archivio aumentato. Tempi e modi di una digitalizzazione critica*, Milano, Editrice Bibliografica, 2024, pp. 134-141.
- [4] Valacchi M., *Desideri e realtà. L'amministrazione Carter e la Junta militar di Videla (1977-80)*, in "Nuova Rivista Storica", CVII, n. 3, 2023, pp. 913-942.
- [3] Valacchi, M., *Solidarność, la chiesa e i contadini: per un'analisi del processo di integrazione europea della Polonia*, in "Storia e Problemi Contemporanei", 90, 2022, pp. 100-121.
- [2] Valacchi, M., *In margine a un inventario: l'archivio dell'Ambasciata d'Italia in Washington. (1910-1925)*, in "Le Carte e la Storia", 1, 2023, pp. 197-202.

- [1] Valacchi, M., *NATO Archives Online: un sistema di fonti per la storia delle relazioni internazionali*, in "Bibliothecae", 11, n.2, 2022, pp. 309-330.

MOST RELEVANT CONFERENCES, SEMINARS, LECTURES

- [11] **Organizer** of the Lecture series "*Geografie statunitensi*". Speakers: Alessandra Bitumi, Fabio Casini, Lorenzo Costaguta, Mario Del Pero, Andrea Francioni, Marco Mariano. University of Siena (2025-2026).
- [10] "*Where Documents Meet Diplomacy: Reframing International History through Archival Legacies and Present Constraints*" (2h). Lecture within the Archival Science and AI program - Università della Tuscia (19 December, 2025).
- [9] **Invited.** "*Beyond the Iron Silence: How Solidarność's Political Prisoners Called the World to listen*". At: Political Prisoners and Transnational Solidarity during the 20th century - Università di Trento (September 16-17, 2025).
- [8] "*Pop-Poland: Solidarnosc and the Building of Its International Network*". At: Sixth Conference of the New Diplomatic History Network - Sciences Po Aix (May 22, 2025).
- [7] "*The Polish 'Witches' Cauldron': The European Community's Pragmatic Response to Solidarność*". At: 6th Annual Graduate Conference on the History of European Integration - European University Institute (September 1-2, 2025).
- [6] **Organizer** of the Guest Lecture "*Facing the Future in the EU: Enlargement, Migration, and International Order*". Guest Lecture with Scholars of the Center for Europe: Kamil Zajackowski, Artur Adamczyk, Małgorzata Pacek - Università di Siena (April 23, 2025).
- [5] "*Why Poland Matters*" (6h). Three lectures in the "Lectures on Europe" seminar, within the European Studies program - Università di Siena (March-April 2025).
- [4] "*Solidarity Across Borders A Comparative Analysis of Solidarność's International Literature and Primary Sources*". At: The Future of Central and East European Studies -Instytut Pileckiego, Warsaw (October 19, 2024).
- [3] "*Per questa lotta contiamo sull'appoggio dell'opinione pubblica mondiale*". *Solidarność e la retorica dei diritti umani*. At: Convegno nazionale SiSi - Sapienza Università di Roma (June 5, 2024).
- [2] "*Premisas para una Argentina democrática: Carter, Videla y los Derechos Humanos*" At: CONGRESO INTERNACIONAL ARGENTINA 1983 -Universidad de Alcalà (November 6-7, 2023).
- [1] "*Le fonti per la storia internazionale tra invenzione e partecipazione*" Lecture at the PhD in History and Transmission of Cultural Heritage and Bachelor of Arts -Università della Campania Luigi Vanvitelli (June 26, 2023).

MOST RELEVANT SCHOLARSHIPS & PRIZES

- 2021** Scholarship Foundation Konrad Adenauer in Italy, KAS.
2024 Finalist for V Premio Sissco per un articolo di rivista.

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Archives in the history of international relations; Polish History, focus on Solidarność movement; History of the European Integration; History of human rights.

LANGUAGES

Italian (mother tongue); **English** (C1 IELTS 2022); **Spanish** (C1/C2); **Polish** (B2/C1 ongoing). Acconsento alla pubblicazione del mio CV in ottemperanza alle disposizioni di legge dettate in materia di trasparenza (D.Lgs 33/2013)