

# Curriculum Vitae

## Personal Statement

PhD in Contemporary History, University of Bologna

## Research Areas

Contemporary History, History of political thought, Urban Studies

## Research Topics

- European Integration
- Interwar period history
- History of infrastructures
- Contemporary Logistics
- Logistics Genealogies
- Critical Logistics

## Education

- **April 2017**  
PhD in Contemporary History, University of Bologna  
Thesis: “The logistics space of the United Europe. On Jean Monnet and the rationality of integration”.  
Supervisor: prof. Sandro Mezzadra.
- **November 2011**  
MA in History, University of Bologna  
Thesis: “Federal Europe. The political thought of Altiero Spinelli”.  
Supervisor: prof. Carlo Galli and prof. Paola Rudan.  
Mark: 110/110 *cum laude*.
- **July 2007**  
BA in Communication Science, University of Bologna  
Thesis: “The Alternative Media. Informationguerrilla and Peacelink: two cases of mediactivism”.  
Supervisor: prof. Mauro Sarti.

## Activities

- September 2008 – June 2009  
**Erasmus** program at the University of Groningen (The Netherlands);
- December 2011 – December 2015  
**Archive research** to the European Union Historical Archives at the European University Institute – Florence (Italy);
- May 2012

**Archive research** to the *Foundation Jean Monnet pour l'Europe*, Lausanne (Swiss), thanks to a scholarship assigned by the University of Bologna;

- January 2013 – September 2013; November 2013 – August 2014  
**Tutor of the MA course** “Mass Media and Politics” - Department of Political Science (University of Bologna). Supervisor: prof. Maria Laura Lanzillo
- April – May 2014  
**Archive research** to the *Foundation Jean Monnet pour l'Europe*, Lausanne (Swiss), thanks to the “Henri Rieben” scholarship assigned by the *Foundation Jean Monnet pour l'Europe*, Lausanne (Swiss);
- December 2014 – February 2015  
**Visiting Research Student** at the Carleton University of Ottawa (Canada). Supervisor: prof. William Walters.

### **Membership**

- Board and Research Member of Into the Black Box - A Collective Research on Logistics, Spaces, Labour (<http://www.intotheblackbox.com/>)
- Member of the Editorial Board of “*Zapruder – A Journal for the History of Social Conflict*”
- Member of the Council of the *Foundation Jean Monnet pour l'Europe* (Lausanne – Swiss)

### **List of publications**

#### **Academic articles:**

- N. Cuppini, M. Frapporti, M. Pirone, “Logistics Struggles in the Po Valley Region: Territorial Transformations and Processes of Antagonistic Subjectivation”, in *The South Atlantic Quarterly*, Vol. 114, N. 1, 2015, pp. 119-134.

#### **Books chapters:**

- M. Frapporti, “Federalismi. Altiero Spinelli e gli autori del Federalist: proposte idee e azioni concrete”, (“Federalisms: Altiero Spinelli and “The Federalist” authors: purposes, ideas and actions”) in *Culture e società nel mondo contemporaneo*, edited by M. Malatesta, D. Rigato, V. Cappi, Bologna, Dipartimento di Storia Culture Civiltà, 2014.
- N. Cuppini, M. Frapporti, “Insubordinazioni del lavoro nella pianura logistica del Po” (“Work insubordination in the Po logistics valley”), in C. Benvegnù e Francesco Iannuzzi (edited by), *Figure del lavoro contemporaneo. Un'inchiesta sui nuovi regimi della produzione* (“Contemporary Labour Figures. An investigation on the new regime of production”), Ombrecorte, 2018

#### **Journals Edited:**

- N. Cuppini, M. Frapporti, F. Ricciardi (edited by), “Block the Box. Logistica, flussi, conflitti” (“Block the Box. Logistics, Flows, Struggles”), *Zapruder*, n. 46, May – August

2018.

Other minor academic articles:

- M. Frapporti, “Investigating Logistics. Institute for European Ethnology della Humboldt-Universität di Berlino 19 - 30 Settembre 2016. Bollettino conferenza”, in *Scienza&Politica*, vol. XXVIII, no. 55, 2016, pp. 241- 246.
- M. Frapporti, “Politiche della logistica. Spazi globali, metropoli, lavoro. Bologna dal 9 febbraio al 6 giugno 2017. Dipartimento di Scienze Politiche e Sociali: ciclo di seminari”, in *Scienza&Politica*, vol. XXVIII, no. 56, 2017, pp. 241- 248.
- N. Cuppini, M. Frapporti, “Logistics Genealogies. A dialogue with Stefano Harney”, in *Social Text*, September 2018.
- N. Cuppini, M. Frapporti, “The Logistics of Global Capitalism: A Dialogue with Giorgio Grappi, Brett Neilson and Ned Rossiter”, in *ZapruderWorld: An international journal for the history of social conflict*, 15<sup>th</sup> October 2018, <http://zapruderworld.org/2018/10/the-logistics-of-global-capitalism-a-dialogue-with-giorgio-grappi-brett-neilson-and-ned-rossiter/>.

Other texts:

- N. Cuppini, M. Frapporti, “La logistica come lente sul presente globale” (“Logistics as a lens on the Global Present”), in *La rivista il Mulino*, 2016, <https://www.rivistailmulino.it/item/3294>
- M. Frapporti, “Nuovi spazi logistici” (“New Logistics Spaces”), in *La rivista il Mulino*, 2016, [https://www.rivistailmulino.it/news/newsitem/index/Item/News:NEWS\\_ITEM:3318](https://www.rivistailmulino.it/news/newsitem/index/Item/News:NEWS_ITEM:3318)
- M. Frapporti, “Breve genealogia dell'integrazione (logistica) europea” (“A short genealogy of the European (logistics) Integration”) , in *Nuvole*, 2017, <http://www.nuvole.it/wp/1-breve-genealogia-dellintegrazione-logistica-europea/>

**Conference as speaker:**

Italian:

- September 17-19, 2013  
PhD History week, University of Bologna.  
Relation entitled: “*Federalismi. Altiero Spinelli e gli autori del Federalist: proposte, idee e azioni concrete*” (“Federalisms: Altiero Spinelli and “The Federalist” authors: purposes, ideas and actions”).  
Discussant: Prof. Riccardo Brizzi
- June 23 – 25, 2016  
National PhD Conference in Social Sciences, University of Padua.  
Relation entitled: “*La pianura logistica del Po nel diorama globale*” (“The Po logistics valley in the global diorama”).
- April 13, 2017

Seminars “Politiche della logistica” (“Politics of logistics”); Department of Political Science, University of Bologna.

Relation entitled: “*La costruzione dello spazio logistico europeo*” (“The building of the European Logistics Spaces”).

Discussant: prof. Alessandro Arienzo (University of Naples).

– June 8, 2017

XXXII Italian Congress of Geography, Rome.

Relation entitled: “*Nuove geografie d'Europa*” (“New geographies of Europe”).

– June 28 – 29, 2018

Conference “L'Europa di ieri, l'Europa che verrà” (“The Europe of Yesterday. The Europe of Tomorrow”), University of Perugia.

Relation entitled: “*La comunità logistica degli Stati Europei*” (“The logistics community of the European States”).

Discussant: prof. Paolo Raspadori (University of Perugia).

– September 27 – 28, 2018

Conference “L'Europa e il suo processo d'integrazione dall'Atto Unico alla Brexit. Punti di vista della storiografia italiana” (“Europe and its integration process from the Single European Act to Brexit: Perspectives from the Italian historiography”), University of Padua.

Relation entitled: “*L'integrazione europea alla luce dell'Atto Unico e della Brexit: uno sguardo logistico*” (“The European Integration after SEA and Brexit: a logistical gaze”).

Discussant: prof. David Burigana (University of Padua).

#### English:

– February 25, 2015

Ph.D Seminars organized by prof. William Walters, Carleton University, Ottawa.

Relation entitled: “*Connectivity means Collectivity? On Jean Monnet, infrastructures and Europe as a 'logistics space'*”.

– September 17 – 19, 2015

International Conference “Historical Materialism 2015”, University of Roma Tre.

Panel organized entitled: “*Seeing through logistics: politics, space and labour*”.

Relation entitled: “*The European Union: a logistic space*”.

– April 3 – 4, 2017

International Conference “Logistics: Labour, Infrastructures, Territories”, University of Padua.

Relation entitled: “*The European Union as a logistic space*”.

– March 16 – 18, 2018

Conference “Rethinking the History of Modern Political Concepts: Race and Division of Labor in Global Western Empires, 1791-1888”, University of Virginia, Charlottesville (Virginia, USA).

Relation entitled: “*Logistics between finance and governance in the XIX century*”.

Discussant: prof. Fahad Bishara (University of Virginia).

– October 31, November 5, 2018

Skype Conference at the “Social Movements Lab”, Duke University, Durham (North

Carolina, USA).

Relation entitled: “*Into the Black Box, a collective research project about logistics, spaces, and labor struggles*”.

**Summer School attended (all in english):**

- September 2 – 14, 2013  
Summer School “Teaching the Crisis. Geographies, Methodologies, Perspectives”, Institute for European Ethnology, Humboldt University, Berlin.  
Relation entitled: “*Logistics and Crisis: the Supply-Chain System in the Po Valley Region*”.
  
- September 21 – 26, 2014  
Summer School “Expanding the Margins: Migration, Mobilities, Borders”, Institute for European Ethnology, Humboldt University, Berlin.  
Relation entitled: “*Mobilizing borders: reshaping Bologna's territory through migrants struggles*”.
  
- September 18 – 30, 2016  
Summer School “Investigating Logistics”, Institute for European Ethnology, Humboldt University, Berlin.  
Relation entitled: “*The European Union: a logistic space*”.

**Languages:**

**Italian (native speaker)**

**English (proficient)**

**French (sufficient)**

**Spanish (sufficient)**

December, 2018.