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### WORK EXPERIENCE

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01/01/2022 – CURRENT Bologna, Italy

#### PHD STUDENT IN EUROPEAN UNION LAW UNIVERSITY OF BOLOGNA

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- Supervisor: Prof. Federico Casolari
- Title of doctoral thesis: *"The trade, climate and green energy nexus: environmental regulation by means of the new generation free trade agreements concluded by the EU"*.
- Main subjects: EU Free Trade Agreements and climate change provisions - Common Commercial Policy - EU environmental and energy law

01/07/2023 – CURRENT Milan, Italy

#### EU AFFAIRS INTERN EDISON - ÉLECTRICITÉ DE FRANCE, TRANSALPINA DI ENERGIA SPA

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- Trainee in the "Strategy" and "EU Affairs" divisions, conducting legal and policy evaluations related to the alignment of the Company's strategic interests with the Union's climate neutrality objective.
- Drafting briefings and policy papers connected to EU environmental and energy law, with a specific focus on the intercorrelation stemming between the development of renewable energy sources and the protection of biodiversity.

10/05/2022 – CURRENT Bologna, Italy

#### LEGAL TRAINEE AVVOCATURA DISTRETTUALE DELLO STATO (STATE'S ATTORNEY)

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- Drafting legal acts and opinions related to Italian civil and administrative law, with a specific focus on State property concessions, state-owned assets and public procurement.
- Attending hearings in support of the State's Attorney.

01/05/2021 – 31/07/2021 Rome, Italy

#### ENVIRONMENTAL AND ENERGY AFFAIRS INTERN ISTITUTO AFFARI INTERNAZIONALI (IAI)

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- Assistance to the "Energy, Climate & Resources" research team of the Italian Institute for International Affairs in the collection, analysis and elaboration of data related to international and EU policy and legal acts concerning the energy and environmental domains. Main subjects of research: "Fit-for-55" Package; European Green Deal; Participation of the EU in the UNFCCC process; Environmental integration.
- Drafting of analytical papers and briefings related to several aspects of the Union's energy policy and law (energy security; energy efficiency; transition towards renewable forms of energy), along with its interactions with the Union's environmental policy.
- Preparation of Power Point presentations, Excel charts and Flourish maps as to illustrate collected data and the Institute's research output.

31/10/2020 – 30/12/2020 Bologna, Italy

#### LEGAL TRAINEE BOLOGNA COURT OF APPEAL

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- Selected by the University of Bologna to work as a curricular intern at the Bologna Court of Appeal (Criminal division).

• Analyzing court decisions, as well as strengthening theoretical knowledge on public and administrative law and criminal procedure.

**Business or Sector** Public administration and defence; compulsory social security |

**Department** Bologna Court of Bologna, Criminal division

30/09/2019 – 30/12/2019 Collegno, Italy

**LEGAL TRAINEE** UBROKER ENERGIE S.R.L.

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- Assistance in the preparation and drafting of commercial contracts in the energy sector.
- Assistance in the conduction of evaluations related to credit risk management, along with activities concerning debt recovery through extrajudicial actions.
- Assistance in the engagement with external legal advisors and in the preparation of relevant documentation related to legal actions.
- Drafting of legal opinions concerning the Italian civil and commercial domains of energy regulation.
- Monitoring legislative and jurisprudential evolutions concerning energy regulation in Italy and in the EU.

**Business or Sector** Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply | **Department** Legal Department |

**Website** <https://ubroker.it>

## ● EDUCATION AND TRAINING

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01/01/2022 – CURRENT Bologna, Italy

**PHD STUDENT IN EUROPEAN UNION LAW** University of Bologna

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- Supervisor: Prof. Federico Casolari
- Title of doctoral thesis: *"The trade, climate and green energy nexus: environmental regulation by means of the new generation free trade agreements concluded by the EU"*.

01/09/2016 – 05/10/2021 Bologna, Italy

**MASTER'S DEGREE IN LAW** University of Bologna

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Master's thesis in European Union law. Title of the thesis: *"The Strategic Partnership between the European Union and the Republic of Korea - Legal basis and political challenges to enhance economic and security cooperation"*. Supervisor: Prof. Federico Casolari.

## ● LANGUAGE SKILLS

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Mother tongue(s): **ITALIAN**

Other language(s):

	UNDERSTANDING		SPEAKING		WRITING
	Listening	Reading	Spoken production	Spoken interaction	
<b>ENGLISH</b>	C2	C2	C2	C2	C1
<b>FRENCH</b>	C1	C1	C1	B2	C1
<b>SWEDISH</b>	A2	A2	A2	A2	A2

Levels: A1 and A2: Basic user; B1 and B2: Independent user; C1 and C2: Proficient user

## ● ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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### ADDITIONAL COURSES

27/06/2022 – 29/06/2022

**Summer school "Law of the EU External Relations"**

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Participation in the 2022 edition of the summer school "*Law of the EU External Relations*", organized by the Centre for the Law of EU External Relations (CLEER), (online).

01/02/2022 – 30/06/2022

### **EDELNET+ PhD online Seminar on Contemporary Methods of Legal Research**

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Participation in the doctoral course on methodology of legal research "*EDELNET+ PhD online Seminar on Contemporary Methods of Legal Research*", EDELNET – European Distance Education in Law Network, (online).

## **PUBLICATIONS**

**Remondino V., New Generation Free Trade Agreements at a Crossroads. Assessing Environmental Enforcement of the E.U.'s Trade and Sustainable Development Chapters from Global Europe to the Power of Trade Partnerships Communication**

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University of Bologna Law Review (forthcoming)

## **CONFERENCES AND SEMINARS**

03/07/2023

**Fostering Climate Protection by Means of the EU Generalized Scheme of Preferences (GSP). A Critical Assessment through the Lens of the Paris Agreement**

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Presentation given during the workshop "*ImprovEUorGlobe: The UN 2030 Agenda in the EU Trade Policy: Improving Global Governance for a Sustainable New World*", University of Bologna, Bologna (IT).

19/05/2023

**To bite off more than one can chew? Assessing Climate-led Conditionality in the EU's Generalized Scheme of Preferences through the Lens of the Paris Agreement on climate change**

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Presentation given during the conference "*EU Trade Law and Sustainable Development*", European University Institute (EUI), Fiesole (IT).

13/10/2022

**Assessing environmental sustainability of Free Trade Agreements at the dawn of the EGD. Effectiveness, Implementation and Enforcement at a crossroads**

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Presentation given during the EDELNet online PhD Conference.

16/09/2022

**Promoting intergenerational equity through the sustainable management and conservation of forests in the EU's New Generation Free Trade Agreements: Challenges and Opportunities in the era of the European Green Deal**

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Presentation given during the conference "*L'impatto internazionale delle azioni dell'Unione europea in materia di equità intergenerazionale tra politiche ambientali e sociali*", Aldo Moro University, Bari (IT).

## **DIDACTIC ACTIVITY**

09/05/2022

**University lesson: "Le clausole di tutela dei lavoratori negli accordi bilaterali di libero scambio dell'Unione europea"**

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University lesson given within the course of European and International labor law, held by Dr. Federico Ferri, University of Bologna, Bologna (IT).

**Teaching support: common course "Introduction to EU and International Law"**

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For the academic year 2022/23, winner of the University call (prot. n. 0001469 of 6 June 2023) for the assignment of a working position related to the "*UNA Europa Chair FIBRE*" Project, in order to draft a sources book for the common course "Introduction to EU Law and International Law", coordinated by Prof. Federico Casolari and Prof. Jan Wouters.

## **ASSOCIATIONS**

**SIDI - Società Italiana di Diritto Internazionale e Diritto dell'Unione Europea**

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Member since 2023

**AISDUE - Associazione italiana Studiosi di Diritto dell'Unione Europea**

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Member since 2022