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Academic Positions

2017 Associate professor in Philosophy of Law.
2014 Member of Teaching Panel of Research Doctorate Trieste-Udine in “*Storia delle società, delle istituzioni e dal pensiero. Dal Medioevo all’età contemporanea*”.
2014 Accredited associate professor in History of Philosophy.
2013 Accredited associate professor in Philosophy of Law.
2004-Present Permanent University Research Fellow in Philosophy of Law, University of Udine (Italy).
2001-2004 University Research Fellow in Philosophy of Law, University of Udine (Italy).
1999-2000 Research Fellow, Department of History and Philosophy of Law and Canonic Law, University of Padua (Italy).
1997-1999 Post-doctoral Fellow, Department of History and Philosophy of Law and Canonic Law, University of Padua (Italy).

Philosophical Education

1997 Phd in Philosophy of Law, University of Padua. Dissertation title: *Reductio ad unum. Il modello gerarchico di ordinamento e le sue rappresentazioni nella controversia sulle relazioni tra potere spirituale e potere temporale all’inizio del XIV secolo*. Supervisor: Prof. Francesco Gentile.
1989 Laurea degree in Philosophy, University of Padua, cum magna laude. Thesis title: *Il principio del dinamismo conoscitivo nella filosofia di S. Tommaso d’Aquino*. Supervisor: Prof. Enrico Berti.

Teachings

2001-2002 *Political Philosophy*, Faculty of Modern Languages, University of Udine.
2002-Present *Methodology of Law*, Law Faculty, University of Udine.
2006-2007 *Philosophy of Law*, Faculty of Arts, University of Udine.
2012-2013 *Philosophy of Law*, Faculty of Arts, University of Udine.
2015-Present *Philosophy of Law*, Law Faculty, University of Udine.
2018-Present *General Theory and Methodology of Law*, Law Faculty, University of Udine.
2020-Present *Law and Literature* (Interdisciplinary Clinic), Law Faculty, University of Udine.

Participation at Funded Research Projects

2022-25 Research Project PSD DISG 2022-2025 “*L’identità politica europea*” (Coordinator with Gabriele De Anna and Claudio Cressati).
2022-25 Research Project PSD DISG 2022-2025 “*Human Subjectivity and Technological Innovation*” (Coordinator).

- 2018 Research Project VQR3 funded by Department of Legal Sciences of the University of Udine “*La verità nel processo. Quale corrispondenza? La prospettiva del dibattito italiano*” (P.I.).
- 2012 National Research Project funded by the Ministry of University (PRIN): “*L’universalità e i suoi limiti: meccanismi di inclusione ed esclusione nella storia della filosofia e nei dibattiti filosofici contemporanei*”. National Coordinator: Prof. Loris Sturlese, University of Salento.
- 2008 National Research Project funded by the Ministry of University (PRIN): *Forme del commento filosofico dal tardoantico al tardomedioevo (secoli V-XVI): studio dottrinale ed edizione di testi*. National Coordinator: Prof. Gianfranco Fioravanti, University of Pisa. Unit of Udine: *Logica, metafisica, pensiero politico e giuridico a Parigi, Oxford e in Italia (secc. XIII-XV)*. Local coordinator: Prof. Andrea Tabarroni.
- 2002 National Research Project funded by the Ministry of University (PRIN): *Europa e Costituzione*. National coordinator: Prof. Pietro Giuseppe Grasso, University of Pavia.
- 2000 National Research Project funded by the Ministry of University (PRIN): *La filosofia politico-giuridica tra XX e XXI secolo. Maestri e problemi*. National Coordinator: prof. Francesco Gentile, University of Padua.
- 1999 National Research Project funded by the Ministry of University (PRIN): *Sussidiarietà, sovranità nazionali e integrazione europea*. National Coordinator: prof. Francesco Gentile, University of Padua.
- 1998 National Research Project funded by the Ministry of University (PRIN): *L’ordinamento giuridico tra sovranità nazionali e integrazione comunitaria*. National Coordinator: prof. Francesco Gentile, University of Padua.
- 1996 National Research Project funded by the Ministry of University (MURST ex 40%): *Ordinamento politico, ordinamento giuridico, ordinamento economico: continuità e differenze*. Coordinator: prof. Francesco Gentile.

Research Themes

- 1) Philosophy of Law: human nature and its laws; order in the legal system; subsidiarity vs sovereignty; natural order and technological order; humanism and AI.
- 2) History of Philosophy of Law: history of sovereignty; Marsilius of Padua; Dante Alighieri; the Thomistic tradition; the philosophy of technology.
- 3) Methodology of Law: argumentation theory; methodology of the judicial dispute; the quaestio disputata as pattern.
- 4) Epistemology: certitude and truth in trial; structure and criteria of judgement.