

PERSONAL INFORMATION



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WORK EXPERIENCE

UNIVERSITY CAREER

RESEARCH

Feb 14 - Present

Research Associate

Imperial College Business School
Innovation and Entrepreneurship Group
P.zza Martiri della Libertà, 33, 56127 Pisa (Italy)
<http://www.sssup.it/>

RA in the "Scaling the Rural Enterprise", a joint RCUK / DST funded research project between the UK and India investigating how digital technologies may help create scale for rural enterprise within the framework of local sustainable agri-food system.

Co-coordinator of the partnership between Imperial College Business School and FAO in the framework of the Meeting urban food needs (MUFN) FAO project that aims at developing a digital tool to visualise data on food production, distribution and shortages in the cities.

Jan 13 – Jan 14

Research grant-holder

Istituto di Management- Scuola Superiore di Studi Universitari e Perfezionamento Sant'Anna di Pisa
P.zza Martiri della Libertà, 33, 56127 Pisa (Italy)
<http://www.sssup.it/>

Grant title: "Participatory processes, territorial planning and economic development"

Tasks and responsibilities:

Project design and project management of Project: "Rurban Plan of the Municipality of Roccastrada", co-financed by the Tuscany Regional Law N° 69/2007 "Rules on the promotion of participation in the formulation of regional and local policies". The Project concerns the participatory process of urban planning and participatory budgeting 2014 and 2015 of the Municipality of Roccastrada (GR)

Dec 11 - Present

Research Associate

Centro Interdisciplinare di Scienze per la Pace (CISP) – Università di Pisa
Via Emanuele Filiberto duca d'Aosta, 1, 56127 Pisa (Italy)
<http://cisp.unipi.it/organizzazione-del-cisp/fellowship>

Tasks and responsibilities:

- Member of the "Deliberative democracy and participation" research group:
 - **30 Mar 2012:** Table facilitator of the Focus Group "Right and Religion" in the framework of the National Seminar "Right and Religion. The evolution of the law science through the analysis of four books", Università di Pisa, Dipartimento di Diritto Pubblico and Centro Interdisciplinare di Scienze per la Pace.
- Member of the editorial board of the Journal "Scienza e Pace" / "Science and Peace" - ISSN 2039-1749: <http://scienzaepace.unipi.it/>
- Teaching

Nov 09 - Nov 11

Research fellow

Dipartimento di Agronomia e Gestione dell'Agro-ecosistema – Università di Pisa
Via San Michele degli Scalzi, 2, 56124 Pisa (Italy)
<http://daga.agr.unipi.it>

Fellowship title: “Competences and entrepreneurship capacity in agriculture: definitions, limitation factors, evaluation tools and policies”

Involvement in the following projects:

1) **January 2011- January 2012:** SOLINSA - “Agricultural Knowledge Systems in Transition: Towards a more effective and efficient support of Learning and Innovation Networks for Sustainable Agriculture” (n. 266306 Fp7-KBBE-2010-4).

In this project I contributed to the elaboration of the theoretical framework and I supported the leader research team (FIBL Institute) in the management of the overall project.

2) **August 2009- December 2010:** “The social dynamics and the challenges of the Tuscany countryside: an explorative inquiry in the Province of Pisa”, financed by the Tuscany Region Agency ARSIA (Agency for development and innovation in agriculture and forest sector) . Project of the Dipartimento di Produzioni Animali – Univesità di Pisa

I was involved in the elaboration of the theoretical framework, definition of the qualitative research methodology, in the field research and in the elaboration of the final report .

3) **July 2009 – April 2010:** TERRAGIR “Promotion du territoire pour la compétitivité et l’innovation dans l’espace rural transfrontalier” (Programme de coopération transfrontalière Italie - France Maritime 2007-2013 - FEDER: Fonds Européen de Développement Régional).

I was involved in the analysis of the regional normative and governance system of the “Strade del vino e dell’olio e dei prodotti tipici” (Routes of wine, olive oil and local agro-food products) of Tuscany, Liguria, Sardinia and Corsica. I have identified a tool for the definition of a development strategy of these routes, and for the evaluation of the internal governance system of the routes.

4) **December 2008- April 2011:** TURRU - “Rural areas and tourism configurations: opportunities and best practices”. Project financed by Tuscany Region, in collaboration with Dipartimento di Scienze Economiche –Università di Firenze.

I was involved as responsible for the research team of the University of Pisa, I had a key role in the coordination of the overall project activities. I have elaborated the theoretical framework, the methodology and I was responsible for the field research of one of the three case studies .

Oct 08 - 1 Oct 09

Research grant-holder

Centro Interdipartimentale di Ricerche Agro-Ambientali “E. Avanzi” – Università di Pisa
Via Vecchia di Marina, 6, 56122 Pisa (Italy)
<http://www.avanzi.unipi.it/>

Grant title “Participatory programming and planning in EU rural development policies”

Task and responsibilities :

Research on:

- The theoretical framework of participatory planning, with specific focus on participatory-deliberative democracy
- International case studies of participatory rural planning in rural development policies (desk analysis)

Sep 07 - Dec 08

Researcher

Dipartimento di Scienze Economiche ed Estimative – Università di Perugia
Via Borgo XX Giugno, 74, 06121 Perugia (Italy)
<http://www.agr.unipg.it/dsee/FramesetENG.html>

EU Project ETUDE: “Enlarging the theoretical understanding of rural development” (n. FP6 -2005-SSP-5-A-044245)

Task and responsibilities:

Development of the theoretical framework on the economic and territorial development of rural areas, with a specific focus on rural and agro-industrial districts. Development of the methodology and field research on case studies: phase 2 of the project “Loading the conceptual framework: Quick scan of case studies” and phase 4 of the project “Testing the conceptual framework in-depth regional studies”.

Jun 07 - Sep 09

Researcher

Dipartimento di Scienze Economiche – Università di Firenze
Via delle Pandette, 9, 50127 Firenze
<http://www.dse.unifi.it>

Research project (STRUGO) “New governance processes for the development of the agro-industrial system and the rural area in the light of the evolution of European and national policies”. National project financed by the Ministry of Agricultural, Food and Forestry

Task and responsibilities:

Development of the theoretical framework on rural and agro-industrial districts and case study research on the Rural District of Lunigiana (MS)

Jul 06 - Dec 07

Researcher

Polo Universitario Grossetano scarl - Università di Siena
Via Ginori, 63, 58100 Grosseto (Italy)
<http://www.pug.unisi.it/>

Research Project LAIRM: “ Laboratory on the dynamics of the agro-industrial system and of the rural development in Maremma”. Project financed by Polo Universitario Grossetano within the framework of the ADEP - Interreg IIIC Project.

Tasks and responsibilities:

May 07 - Dec 07

Research activity on “Instruments for the Governance of rural Development: the Rural District of Maremma”

Jul 06 - Dec 06

Study on “Rural Animation for the Rural District of Maremma”:

- Organization focus groups
- Writing project report .

Apr 06 - Nov 06

Researcher (PhD Student)

Dipartimento di Agronomia e Gestione dell'Agro-ecosistema - Università di Pisa
Via san Michele degli Scalzi, 2, 56124 Pisa (Italy)
<http://daga.agr.unipi.it>

Project “Capacity building actions to support local governance, planning and economic animation for rural development in Balkan region” financed by Tuscany Regional Law. 84/01, art.7.

Tasks and responsibilities:

- lectures and field visit programme manager, during the Istria Region and AZZRI Agency delegation visit in Tuscany
- Lecturer of the seminar: "The evolution of the CAP and the EU Rural Development Policy
- coaching of the Istria Region and AZZRI Agency delegation during the field visit;
- Field visit in Istria (from 16 Oct 2006 to 21 Oct 2006);
- Writing project report.

TEACHING and COURSE MANAGEMENT

8-9 Mar 13 **Senior Lecturer**

Centro Interdisciplinare di Scienze per la Pace (CISP)
Via Emanuele Filiberto duca d'Aosta, 1, 56127 Pisa
<http://cisp.unipi.it/english>

Master " Expert in project management of participatory processes"
(<http://www.masterpartecipazione.it/>). Master financed by the Tuscany Regional Law N° 69/2007
"Rules on the promotion of participation in the formulation of regional and local policies"

Tasks and responsibilities:

9 MAR: Lecture (4 hours):"Comparative analysis of participatory processes on multiculturalism and identity"

8 MAR: Lecture (4 hours):"Networks, actors and territory: the social construction of new rural identities through participative processes"

Oct 12 **Senior Lecturer**

Land Lab - Agricoltura, Ambiente e Territorio - Scuola Superiore di Studi Universitari e Perfezionamento Sant'Anna di Pisa
P.zza Martiri della Libertà, 33, 56127 Pisa (Italy)
<http://www.sssup.it>

Training course in " Programming LEADER axis: Innovation Processes and Participation"
(<http://www.sssup.it>)

Tasks and responsibilities:

- Course design and course co-coordinator
- lectures (14 hours): (a) Developing strategies and territorial innovation processes; (b) Dynamics of interaction between institutions in programming and implementing the Local Development Plan; (c) Applying "problem solving" approach in programming rural development

29 Sep 12 **Senior Lecturer**

Dipartimento di Diritto Pubblico – Università di Pisa
Piazza dei Cavalieri, 2, 56100 Pisa (Italy)
www.ddp.unipi.it

Master "Planning and environmental protection" (<http://www.masterambiente.it/>)

Tasks and responsibilities:

Lecture (4 hours) " Deliberative participation: from theory to practice. The case study of Participatory Budget of Cascina"

Nov 11 - Apr 12 **Senior Lecturer**

Land Lab - Agricoltura, Ambiente e Territorio - Scuola Superiore Sant'Anna di studi Universitari e Perfezionamento di Pisa
Piazza Martiri della Libertà, 33, 56127 Pisa (Italy)
<http://www.sssup.it/>

Training course "Participatory projecting for the sustainable development of rural areas". Course financed by the Tuscany Regional Law N° 69/2007 "Rules on the promotion of participation in the formulation of regional and local policies" <http://www.sssup.it/territorirurali>

Tasks and responsibilities:

- lecture on "Opportunities and weaknesses of agriculture in marginal areas: theoretical framework and case studies"
- coaching during workshop activities;
- development of the introduction chapter of course handbook. Title of the chapter "Actors and territory: networks dynamics and participation for rural sustainable development".

Apr 07 - May 08

Lecturer

Dipartimento Scienze Economiche e Metodi Matematici - Università degli Studi di Bari
Via C.Rosalba, 53, 70124 Bari (Italy)
<http://www.uniba.it/ricerca/dipartimenti/dse>

Master "International Business And Economic Cooperation" (MIBEC)

Tasks and responsibilities::

Apr 2007: Leader and lecturer of the module (30 hours; language: English): "The EU strategies for territorial development: governance, territorial innovation laboratories and relevant policies"

May 2008: Leader and lecturer of the module (30 hours; language: English): " Sustainability and governance: passwords for planning and programming (territorial and corporate) "

22 Sep 07

Lecturer

Dipartimento di Scienze Politiche e Sociali – Università di Pisa
Via C. Colombo, 35, 57124 Pisa (Italy)
www.dsp.unipi.it

Master in "Social entrepreneurship and local e-governance"
(<http://www.sp.unipi.it/index.php?page=dssme/home/>)

Tasks and responsibilities:

Lecture (4 hours) on "Troubles with implementing local governance. Three case studies (Chianti, Lunigiana, Maremma) on the hard march towards rural districts in Tuscany".

25 Mar 06

Speaker

Dipartimento di Scienze Politiche e Sociali – Università di Pisa
Via C. Colombo, 35, 56124 Pisa (Italy)
www.dsp.unipi.it

Master in "Social entrepreneurship and local e-governance"
(<http://www.sp.unipi.it/index.php?page=dssme/home/>)

Tasks and responsibilities:

Presentation (2 hours) on "Local and sustainable development: the project of the European interuniversity platform for regional and local sustainable development".

18 Mar 05

Speaker

Dipartimento di Scienze Economiche e Sociali – Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore di Piacenza
Via Emilia Parmense, 84, 29122 Piacenza (Italy)
<http://dipartimenti.unicatt.it/dises>

Master on Territorial Marketing (MUMAT)

Tasks and responsibilities:

Seminar (4 hours): "The EU Lisbon strategy and regional development"

2ul 04 - 3 Jul 04

Speaker

Dipartimento di Scienze Economiche e Sociali – Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore di Piacenza
Via Emilia Parmense, 84, 29122 Piacenza (Italy)
<http://dipartimenti.unicatt.it/dises>

Midterm Seminar: "Cluster Policies And Local Development" of the Master in Territorial Marketing

Tasks and responsibilities:

Speech on "The Rural Districts: the Tuscany experience"

Jul 07- Aug 08

Course Manager

Dipartimento di Produzioni animali – Università di Pisa
Via delle Piagge, 2, 56124 Pisa (Italy)
<http://www.vet.unipi.it/>

Erasmus Mundus "International Master of Science in Rural Development" (IMRD):
<http://www.imrd.ugent.be/index.asp>

Tasks and responsibilities:

Jul 07- Aug 07: "Pisa Summer Course 2007": Project management and lectures: design of the lectures programme, organization and management of the field visits

Jul 08- Aug 08: "Pisa Summer Course 2008": Project management and lectures: design of the lectures programme, organization and management of the field visits

Jan 05-Dec 05

Course Manager

Dipartimento di Scienze Sociali – Università di Pisa
Dipartimento di Scienze Politiche e Sociali – Università di Pisa
Via C. Colombo, 35, 57124 Pisa (Italy)
www.dsp.unipi.it

Tasks and responsibilities:

- Project designer and Project Manager of the European University Platform for Regional and Local Sustainable Development.

involving the University of Padua, University of Pisa, Catholic University of Piacenza, University of Florence and of Siena, University of Galati and University of Economics of Prague.

- **March 2006- Dec 2006:** Project designer and Manager of the SLOS Course ("Sviluppo regionale e LOcale Sostenibile):

I have organized a post-master course of 6 month in Brussels (as internationalisation of the existing Master Courses of the Italian Universities): 1month lectures and 5 month traineeship in private and public organizations.

The lessons were held in the buildings of the EU Institutions (Commission, Committee of the Regions, Economic and Social Committee).

CONSULTANCY AND RESEARCH (not academic)2014 **Consultant**

Imperial Consultants (ICON)
58 Prince's Gate, Exhibitions Road, London SW7 2PG
<http://www.imperial-consultants.co.uk>

Project: Study for Ericsson: "The impact of datafication on strategic landscapes and on industry transformation"

Tasks and responsibilities:

Report on the Food industry, Report on the Economics of Networked Society

November 2014

Consultant

Forum Srl
Via del Bosco, 264/F 56029 Santa Croce sull'Arno (PI)
www.forum.it/

Project: School and diversity: pluralism, interculture, inclusion and rights.
Participatory workshop: "Inclusive school in Valdera, kick off day of ""Centro Territoriale per l'Inclusione - Valdera"

Tasks and responsibilities:

Responsible of the participatory table" Relationships between CIT and social-sanitary structures"

Oct 13 – January 2014

Consultant

PIN s.c.r.l. – Servizi Didattici e Scientifici per l'Università di Firenze
Piazza G. Ciardi, 25 - 59100 Prato
<http://www.poloprato.unifi.it/>

Project: CASET – Mugello: "Territorial socio-economic and agro-environmental analysis of the milk production local system in Mugello area"

Tasks and responsibilities: Desk analysis: descriptive statistics and analysis of institutional programming documents, stakeholders analysis; Interviews with relevant local stakeholders; reporting; Organization focus groups with local stakeholders for discussing the research results

Oct 12 - Present

Independent Senior Researcher

Istituto Regionale Programmazione Economica e Territoriale della Toscana (IRPET)
Villa La Quiete alle Montalve - Via Pietro Dazzi, 1, 50141 Firenze (Italy)
<http://www.irpet.it/en/index.php>

Tasks and responsibilities:

Technical assistance to Tuscany Region offices for socio-economic analysis, planning and ex-ante evaluation of the Rural Development Programme (2014-2020) - European Agricultural Fund for Rural Development – EAFRD

Oct 12

Consultant

Associazione Italiana per la Partecipazione Pubblica (AIP2),
Via L. Silvagni, 19 - 40137 Bologna
<http://aip2italia.org/>

Project: "European Voices for Active Ageing" project financed in the framework of the 2012. European Year of the active ageing and solidarity between generations"

(<http://europa.eu/ey2012/ey2012main.jsp?catId=975&langId=en&mode=initDetail&initiativeId=427&initLangId=en>)

Tasks and responsibilities:

Co-coordinator of the Bologna World Café " Work after 50" (Bologna, 23 October 2012)

Aug 10 - Dec 12

Consultant (researcher)

Istituto di Servizi per il Mercato Agricolo e Alimentare (ISMEA)
Via Nomentana, 183, 00161 Roma (Italy)
<http://www.ismea.it>

Project 2.3 "Study of part-time farming in Italy" - Action 1.2.2 - National Rural Network 2007-2013

Tasks and responsibilities:

- definition of the theoretical framework and of the methodology
- qualitative research of part-time farming in mountain areas (Lunigiana area (MS) and Garfagnana area (LU) - Tuscany)
- support for the definition of specific policies for part-time farms in the framework of rural development policies.

May 10 - Mar 11

Consultant (researcher)

Agenzia Regionale per lo Sviluppo e l'Innovazione nel settore Agricolo e forestale (ARSIA)
Via Pietrapiana, 30, 50121 Firenze (Italy)
<http://www.arsia.toscana.it/>

Consultancy services in the field of development through studies and analysis supporting the implementation of Axis IV LEADER – measure 511 Rural Development Programme (2007-2013).

Tasks and responsibilities:

- Responsible of the Report on "The evolution of LEADER in Tuscany and new scenarios";
- Development of guidelines for technical assistance for supporting implementation of Axis LEADER

Apr 06 - May 06

Independent Researcher

INEA – Istituto Nazionale di Economia Agraria
Via Nomentana, 41, 00161 Roma (Italy)
<http://www.inea.it>

Research Project: " Laboratory on the dynamics of the agro-industrial system and of the rural development in Maremma "

The contract concerned the acquisition contract copyright of the chapter "Analysis of rural development local plan " of the Province Of Grosseto
(http://www1.inea.it/file_bollettino/acq_biblio10.cfm)

Jul 06 - Dec 12

Associate

Laboratorio di Studi Rurali "Sismondi"
c/o Dipartimento di scienze agrarie, alimentari e agro-ambientali (DISAAA) - Via San Michele degli Scalzi, 2, 56124 Pisa (Italy),

<http://daga.agr.unipi.it/labrural/default.aspx>

Business or sector Not-for-profit organization with the Dipartimento di scienze agrarie, alimentari e agro-ambientali (DISAAA) – Università di Pisa

MANAGEMENT**Jul 06 - Jul 12**

General Secretary (manager on behalf of the Director) and member of the Board of Directors.
As Secretary I have been the manager of the Laboratory: support the Director activities, organizing and leading the board of directors meeting, organizing the annual general assembly, elaborate the annual plan of the activities, supervising the implementation of the plan on behalf of the Director, etc. Furthermore I managed the Laboratory external activities: research, consultancy, cultural activities as conferences and seminars, publishing and communication

Jan 12 - Jul 12

Administrative manager

RESEARCH AND CONSULTANCY**Apr 12 - Dec 12**

Research project: "Rural development and multifunctional agriculture in the Province of Lucca: sustainable development paths". The output of the project is a multimedia DVD (text, photos, videos, web pages) conducted for the Centro di Studi Agricoli della Provincia di Lucca – CSA..

Tasks and responsibilities:

- project design: project framework, theoretical foundations and qualitative research methodology
- project management;
- qualitative field research and reporting;
- ideation and supervision of the multimedia: documentary video, web pages and photo galleries;
- photographer.

Mar 12 - Dec 12

Project: Participatory Budget of the Municipality of Cascina 2013, co-financed by the Tuscany Regional Law N° 69/2007 "Rules on the promotion of participation in the formulation of regional and local policies".

Tasks and responsibilities:

- Ideation of the project (the dialogic-deliberative phase),
- management of the overall implementation of the project (the dialogic-deliberative phase),
- coordination of the deliberative meetings of the dialogic-deliberative phase of the project

Mar 12 - Oct 12

Monitoring and Evaluation Axis IV (LEADER) of the Tuscany Region's Rural Development Programme 2007-2013 (European Agricultural Fund for Rural Development - EAFRD):

Tasks and responsibilities:

- identification of indicators (output, result and impact) for the monitoring and evaluation of the Axis IV LEADER:
- development of the methodology and evaluation of the Local Development Strategies of the Local Action Groups. The evaluation adopted a participatory methodology.
- field research and final reporting

Apr 09 - Dec 09

Project: "Guidelines for the activation and implementation of the Territorial Integrated Project within the Rural Development Programme 2007-2014 of Tuscany Region". Project financed by Regione Toscana, ARSIA, IRPET and conducted by Laboratorio di Studi Rurali "Sismondi"

Tasks and responsibilities:

- Project Manager
- Development of the guidelines

Oct 08 - Dec 12

Project: web portal of UNCEM Toscana (Union of Mountain Communities of Tuscany) on rural development in mountain rural areas, co-financed by Rural Development Programme 2007-2013: <http://svilupporurale.uncemtoscana.it>

Tasks and responsibilities:

- ideation of the portal and scientific supervision of the contents
- project manager

Jul 06 - Aug 06

Project "Pisa Summer Course 2006", Erasmus Mundus "International Master of Science in Rural Development" (IMRD): <http://www.imrd.ugent.be/index.asp>

Tasks and responsibilities:

Project management and lectures

TEACHING (not academic)

June 2011

Lecturer

Fondazione PROMO PA

Viale Luporini, 37/57 55100 Lucca

<http://www.promopa.it/>

Course (nr. LU20050701) on "Experts for tourism services and activities" –co-financed by European Social Fund (ESF)

<http://www.promopa.it/component/content/article/186-bandi/716-percorso-formativo-agricultur.html>

Tasks and responsibilities:

Lecturer (8 hours): "Tourism and rural development"

Feb 06- Mar 06

Lecturer

Fondazione Campus studi del Mediterraneo

Via del Seminario Prima 790, Monte San Quirico 55100 LU

<http://www.fondazione-campus.it/>

IFTS Percorsi di Istruzione e Formazione Tecnica Superiore /*Higher technical education and training courses (post-secondary education and training)* – co-financed by European Social Fund (ESF)
Course (nr. LU20050701) on “Experts for tourism services and activities”

Tasks and responsibilities:

Leader and lecturer of the module (30 hours): Political Economy of tourism

OTHER WORK EXPERIENCE

Sep 03 - Apr 05

Acting General Secretary

Euro*IDEES (AISBL)

Avenue Milcamps, 8, B - 1030 Brussels (Belgium)

<http://www.euroidees.org/>

Business or sector International not-for-profit organization (AISBL) acting at EU level with the aim of representing the interests and pursuing political and policy advocacy of Regional and Local institutions and civil society organizations involved in local development policies, programmes, projects and initiatives.

Tasks and responsibilities:

- Coordination of the office activities;
- Supervision of the content of the monthly newsletter;
- Supervision of the trainees;
- Supporting and assisting President duties: scheduling and preparing agendas, drafting speeches, writing background notes, preparing annual note of association activities and the strategy for the following year, preparing political meetings, elaborating political and scientific documents;
- External relation with EU institutions and local, regional and national Representation to the UE on behalf of the President;
- Organization of seminars and international conferences;

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

Education

31 Jul 09 **Ph.D in International Cooperation and Sustainable Development Policies (Doctor Europaeus hons.) (full scholarship)** EQF level 8

Università di Bologna, Bologna (Italy)

1. Type of education:

Economia e Estimo Rurale (AGR-01) /Agricultural Economics

Ph.D. within the field of Post-Rural Studies. I adopted an interdisciplinary approach aiming at blending different disciplines, in particular rural sociology, rural geography and the Italian "territorialist" stream of agricultural economics in exploring rural development dynamics, with particular attention to rural development policies and local governance.

2) PhD Thesis title:

"Valorizzazione della diversità e sviluppo nella campagna contemporanea: la costruzione del web rurale in Lunigiana"/ "Diversity and development in the countryside of today: Assembling the rural web in Lunigiana" (supervisor: Prof. Gianluca Brunori)

2. Visiting Ph.D: As part of the Ph.D. programm and of the Doctor Europaeus Hons, I spent the **spring semester 2007** as visiting Ph.D (Socrates-Eramus Programme) at the School of City and Regional Planning, Cardiff University. My tutor was Prof. Terry Marsden Head of the School.

3. Research activities: I was involved in three research projects as part of the Ph.D. program:

3.1. **Feb 2007 - December 2008:** European Project ETUDE : "Enlarging the theoretical understanding of rural development", Project n. FP6-2005-SSP-5-A-044245

3.2. **May 2005 - December 2005:** technical assistance for the territorial analysis for the identification of the possible Rural Districts in the Province of Pisa, financed by the Province of Pisa. The consultancy was conducted by the Dipartimento di Agronomia e Gestione dell'Agroecosistema – Università di Pisa

3.3. **Jan 2005 - Feb 2008:** technical assistance for the development of the socio-economic plan of the Rural District of Lunigiana in accordance with "Application for the institutional recognition of the Rural District by the Regional Law 21/2004", financed by the Province of Massa-Carrara, the Mountain Community of Luniginana, and the Chamber of Commerce of Massa-Carrara. The consultancy was conducted by the Dipartimento di Agronomia e Gestione dell'Agroecosistema – Università di Pisa. The Ph.D. Scholarship was financed by the project.

13 Dec 02 **Laurea Magistrale (MSc)**

EQF level 7

Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore, Milano (Italy)

Degree in Economics (specialization Political Economics)

Thesis title:

"Lo sviluppo locale e le politiche territoriali in Europa: il caso LEADER a Grosseto"/ "Local development and the European territorial policies: The Grosseto LEADER experience" (supervisor: Prof. Giuseppina Malerba)

Training

Dec 12 - Jan 13 **Photoshop Course - Raw Image Processing in Camera Raw**

Lumina - festival internazionale di fotografia e video arte - international photography and video art festival., Lucca (Italy)

Raw Image Processing in Camera Raw

Feb 12 - Apr 12 **Digital Photography Course**

LUCCA PHOTO SCHOOL, Lucca (Italy)

- Theory and technique of photography training

- May 10 - Dec 10 **European Social Found training course in social video documentary**
 Circolo Agorà, Pisa (Italy)
 Course (124 hours) in social video documentary:
 - theory of documentary, audio and lighting, shooting, editing
- 26 Feb 10 **Course “SA 127.1 – Planning and agriculture, landscape and environment protection: towards an integrated planning of the territory”**
 Associazione ASSFORM, Rimini (Italy)
 Planning and agriculture, landscape and environment protection: towards an integrated planning of the territory”
- 5 Dec 08 - 6 Dec 08 **Workshop of Grounded Theory: coding and memo-writing techniques**
 Dipartimento di Ricerche Economiche e Sociali- Università di Cagliari, Cagliari (Italy)
 Qualitative research methodologies: Workshop of Grounded Theory: coding and memo-writing techniques – Prof. Susan Leigh Star - Santa Clara University (US)
- 1 Feb 03 - 31 Jul 03 **Leonardo da Vinci Programme traineeship**
 Euro*IDEES, Bruxelles (Belgium)
 Assistant of the Acting General Secretary
- 18 Feb 03 - 18 Mar 03 **French language course**
 Alliance Française – Centre Eurpéen de Langue Française, Bruxelles (Belgium)
 French language course
- Jul 02 **French language course**
 Alliance Française – Centre Eurpéen de Langue Française, Milano (Italy)
 French language course

PERSONAL SKILLS

Mother tongue(s) Italian

Other language(s)

	UNDERSTANDING		SPEAKING		WRITING
	Listening	Reading	Spoken interaction	Spoken production	
English	C1	C1	C1	C1	C1
French	B1	B1	B1	B1	A1

Levels: A1/2: Basic user - B1/2: Independent user - C1/2 Proficient user
[Common European Framework of Reference for Languages](http://www.cedefop.europa.eu)

PUBLICATIONS

PAPERS

Guest Editor, of the "Agriculture and Rural Development" Special Issue in AGRICULTURE, forthcoming 2016, ISSN 2077-0472, <http://www.mdpi.com/journal/agriculture>,

Berti G., Rovai M., Di Iacovo F., (2010), "L'attivazione dei Progetti integrati territoriali in Toscana: una proposta operativa di "progettazione forte", *Agriregionieuropa*, n. 20, anno 6, marzo 2010. ISSN: 1828-5880

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MULTIMEDIA

2012: Multimedia DVD (text, video, photography, web) "Development of rural system in the Province of Lucca: Rural development and multifunctional agriculture: sustainable innovation path":

- Photographer of the following photo galleries "Az. Agricola Baisi", "Agri-catering", "Agri-nido Le Lame";
- Art director of the following "Photography story": "Az. Agricola Colleverde"
- Ideation and art director of the video documentary: "Qualcosa di nuovo in città"/"Something New in the Town";

2008-2012: Ideation of the project, scientific expertise for the "Portal of rural development of Uncem Toscana"
<http://svilupporurale.uncemtoscana.it>

Ideation and art director of the video documentary "Financing rural development in mountain area of Tuscany"

2012: Ideation and art director of the video documentary "Part-time farming Entrepreneurship in Mountain Areas: Is it possible to survive in Lunigiana just with agriculture and tourism".

2011: Scientific expertise for the website and of the documentary Project CROSSCAP: "Transnational Actions For Communicating Common Agricultural Policy". <http://www.crosscap-webtv.eu/it/>. Project financed by UE, DG AGRI.

CONFERENCES, MEETINGS, WORKSHOPS, SEMINARS AND OTHER

8th July 2015

Expert Meeting "Methodological approaches to the analysis of complex food systems meeting urban food needs and to the formulation of local policies and investment plans" FAO-Rome, 8 July 2015, Espace Gabon, Building A, 09H00 - 17H00

3rd-4th July 2014

Workshop "Digital Technologies for Sustainable Local Agri-Food Systems", Imperial College Business School, South Kensington Campus, London,

<http://sustainablesocietynetwork.net/call-to-action/digital-technologies-for-sustainable-city-food-systems/>

21st-24th May 2013

Speech on "Is LEADER Inclusive or Elitist? Institutional innovation and the participatory-deliberative democracy", workshop 2.3 "Governance and participation of youth", Seminar "Youth migration and rural employment", organized by Asociación de iniciativas Rurales de Cataluña (ARCA), Solsona, Spagna.

11th May 2013

Lecture on "Empowered Deliberative Democracy: from theory to practice", Conference "Citizens2: Participatory Democracy and Social Inclusion of Migrants at Local Level", organized in the framework of the European Project "Sustainable Cooperation at Local Level" financed by LLP-Grundtvig Programme, Borgo San Lorenzo, Firenze

18th September 2012

Speech on "Rural tourism or tourism in rural areas? The case study of Montaione", Dissemination Seminar of the Project, Università di

Firenze, Facoltà di Economia, Polo delle scienze sociali.

10th July 2012

Speech on "The governance of mountain areas: deliberative and participatory democracy for rural development integrated planning"
Seminar of the Project "The role of farms in Hydrological management of mountain territories" financed by Tuscany Region and Mountain Community of Media Valle – Lucca". Borgo a Mozzano (LU)

21st June 2012

Speech on "Actors and territory: network dynamics and participation for rural sustainable development", final workshop on "Methods, tools and projects proposals", Course of Advance Education Course of Advanced Education "Participatory projecting for the sustainable development of rural areas", Scuola Superiore Sant'Anna di studi Universitari e Perfezionamento, Pisa..

5th May 2011

Speech: "Rural areas and turistic configurations opportunities and best practices" . Seminar "Research and innovation in Planning". Regione Toscana. Firenze

28th April 2010

Speech: "Tools for the integration of territorial policies. The case of Territorial Integrated Project of the National Strategic Plan (European Agricultural Fund for Rural Development (EAFRD)". Meeting "Safekeeping of the land. The ancient art of protecting and managing mountains territories. Comprensorio di Bonifica n°4, UnceM Toscana, Regione Toscana, Laboratorio di Studi Rurali "Sismondi". Fabbriche di Vallico (LU)

20th April 2010

Speech: "The CAP after 2013. The EU perspectives and the National orientations". Seminar "A new CAP to support the irreplaceable role of agriculture". CAAGCI, Consorzio Nazionale Meuccio Ruini e AGCI –AGRITAL Associazione Territoriale Toscana. Grosseto.

13th December 2010

Speech: "«Hope yes, perspectives ... we hope»: the new challenges of the countryside according to the account of the actors of the rural territory". Meeting "Social transformation in the countryside: new patterns". Laboratorio di Studi Rurali Sismondi. Università di Pisa

25th September 2010

Speech: "Short food chain. Why? What to do?". Meeting "Direct selling as development factor of local economy". Projet TERRAGIR "Promotion du territoire pour la compétitivité et l'innovation dans l'espace rural transfrontalier" (Programme de coopération transfrontalière Italie - France Maritime 2007-2013 - FEDER: Fonds Européen de Développement Régional). Provincia di Livorno. Livorno

4th May 2010

Speech: "Methodology for the evaluation of the sustainability of tourism in rural area". Meeting "The analysis of the effects of tourism in rural areas". TURRU Project ("Rural areas and tourism configurations: opportunities and best practices"). Dipartimento Scienze Economiche. Università di Firenze.

30th April 2010

Seminar "Strategies for the valorization of wine and food routes and short food chain initiatives". Projet TERRAGIR. VI Wine Show "Spinofiorito. Le piccole grandi Italie del bicchiere", Massa.

16th October 2009

Speech: "The results of the research on the governance patterns of the wine and food route omes of Tuscany, Liguria, Sardinia and Corse". Meeting of the Projet TERRAGIR. Nuoro.

1st October 2009

Speech: "Enogastronomic routes: the results of the first phase of the comparative analysis". Meeting of the Projet TERRAGIR. Levanto (SP)

2nd -4th September 2009

Presentation of PhD Thesis "Valorization of diversity and development in the contemporary countryside: assembling the rural web in Lunigiana". Summer School for PhD Student "Research methodologies in social sciences and in agricultural economics". SIDEA Società Italiana di Economia Agraria/ Italian Society of Agricultural Economics . Bari

23rd February 2009

Seminar: "ETUDE research project: methodology and the case study of Lunigiana". Laboratorio di Studi Rurali Sismondi. Università di Pisa.

27th November 2008

Seminar "The LAG as protagonist in the 2007-2013 Rural Development Policy". Seminars Cycle "Rural Development Plan 2007/13. The Axis 4 the LEADER method". Agenzia Regionale per lo Sviluppo e l'Innovazione del settore Agricolo (ARSIA)/Regional Agency for the development and innovation of agricultural sector and GAL Sviluppo Lunigiana. Pontremoli.

5th December 2008

Seminar "The LAG as protagonist in the 2007-2013 Rural Development Policy". Seminars Cycle "Rural Development Plan 2007/13. The Axis 4 the LEADER method". Agenzia Regionale per lo Sviluppo e l'Innovazione del settore Agricolo (ARSIA)/Regional Agency for the

development and innovation of agricultural sector and GAL LEADER Siena.

17th December 2008

Speech: "The implementation of the CAP: changes in the agriculture of the Province of Livorno". Project "The impact of the new CAP on the agriculture of the Province of Livorno" financed by the Tuscany Region (Art. 2, comma 1, lettera d) L.R. 34/01). Confederazione Italiana Agricoltori (CIA), Coldiretti. Livorno.

11th December 2007

Speech: "The rural district as new pattern of governance of rural areas: the case of Lunigiana". Meeting "Licciana Nardi Energy: Ecology, art, territory". Comune di Licciana Nardi, dal Parco Nazionale dell'Appennino tosco-emiliano. Licciana Nardi (MS)

1st -2nd December 2006

Speech: "The future of the rural world". Meeting ADEP Project (INTERREG III C, European Regional Development Fund (ERDF)). Provincia di Grosseto. Grosseto

8th -9th July 2004

Speech: "The European University Platform for Regional and Local Sustainable Development". Meeting "The Lisbon Strategy: Support, management and evaluation of the regional and local sustainable development". Euro*IDEES, Provincia di Enna, CESIS. Enna.

22nd May 2004

Speech: "Local development: theoretical framework and experiences". University Master in "Social Entrepreneurship and local e-Governance" – University of Pisa.

10th March 2004

Speech: "The European Regional policies: the role of the regional institutions and of the lobbies". Brussels Seminar. University Master in "Territorial Marketing" – Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore di Piacenza.

13th January 2003

Speech: "The Lisbon Strategy and the Regional and Local Sustainable Development". Brussels Seminar, University Master in "Social Entrepreneurship and local e-Governance" – University of Pisa