



Tommaso Crepax

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Date of birth: Nationality:

ABOUT ME

I am a legal practitioner and researcher with techno-legal background, passionate about new technologies and their legal and societal implications. Presently, I am pursuing a joint PhD program, merging the fields of Artificial Intelligence at the University of Pisa and Law and Technology at Vrije Universiteit Brussel. Specializing on privacy engineering, data and cyber-security, my area of expertise encompasses data portability and governance, privacy risk management, data protection, and ICT contracts. My primary objective in research is to bridge the gap between technology and law, serving as a critical link to facilitate mutual understanding and collaboration. I am currently exploring the concept of data portability in regulations such as the Digital Markets Act, Digital Services Act, Data Act, and GDPR, with a focus on unlocking its potential within a legal digital economy framework.

WORK EXPERIENCE

[03/09/2021 – Current]

MSCA Fellow Researcher

Sant'Anna School of Advanced Studies

City: Pisa

Country: Italy

- Authoring scholarly articles focused on Privacy and Data Protection Engineering, with a special emphasis on Data Portability
- Collaborating with project colleagues to produce in-depth written materials that delve into the dynamic interplay between Intellectual Property and Data Protection
- Organizing and hosting conferences dedicated to Law and Technology, specifically in the realm of Artificial Intelligence, along with presenting at these events and engaging in meaningful participation
- Developing working papers and designing serious games as innovative methods to disseminate and communicate the research project's findings, effectively engaging with a broader audience and enhancing the impact and outreach of the research
- Completing 270 hours of comprehensive training encompassing the fields of Artificial Intelligence, Privacy, and Data Governance, with an integrated approach that includes both legal and computer science perspectives

[01/03/2020 – Current]

Researcher

Katholieke Universiteit Leuven

City: Leuven

Country: Belgium

- Conducting legal and technical research on Privacy Engineering
- Participating in H2020 projects (PDP4E) as legal expert
- Writing of academic papers on data security for cloud services
- Writing of H2020 proposals (SPARKS)
- Writing of PhD proposal

[01/10/2018 – 29/02/2020]

Researcher

Tilburg University

City: Tilburg

Country: Netherlands

- Writing and publishing of research articles
- Supervising and assessing Master's theses
- Teaching courses at Master and Bachelor level
- Participating in research projects

[01/04/2017 – 01/10/2018]

University Lecturer, Researcher and Master's program coordinator

Tilburg University

City: Tilburg

Country: Netherlands

- Coordinating the Law and Technology Master together with the Program Director
- Being responsible for theses coordination
- Supervising and assessing Master's theses
- Teaching of Master's Thesis course
- Giving guest lectures on Biotechnology regulation, Ethics of techno-regulation, Net Neutrality, etc.
- Drafting and reviewing internal policies related to education and Master's thesis development
- Coordinating and supervising legal clinics with academic institutes and private companies
- Helping in exam and assignments creation, correction, and grading
- Taking part in research projects of the Research Institute

[01/09/2016 – 01/10/2018]

University Teaching Assistant

Tilburg university

- Identifying and reviewing the courses' readings
- Reviewing course Syllabus
- Help writing exam questions
- Helping in exams correction and grading
- Tutoring students
- Giving lectures under teacher's supervision

[01/01/2017 – 01/04/2017]

Policy advisor intern

European Digital Rights

City: Brussels

Country: Belgium

- Providing legal analysis and counselling
- Monitoring policy initiatives from EU Parliament and Commission
- Liaising with lobbyists, activists, MEPs and Commissioners
- Publishing articles on the EDRi website
- Monitoring and reporting of institutional meetings
- Collaborating with relevant stakeholders in policy advocacy

[01/07/2016 – 01/10/2016]

Legal counsel trainee

Philips Lighting

City: Eindhoven

Country: Netherlands

- Drafting, evaluating, reviewing, negotiating of commercial contracts, outsourcing and procurement agreements; templates creation
- Drafting, evaluating, reviewing of IT contracts
- Executing Privacy Impact Assessments (PIAs)
- Conducting Legal research
- Giving legal advice in Data privacy and Intellectual Property
- Drafting, evaluating, reviewing of Internal policies
- Interacting with internal and external clients, from remote and in person

- Writing of suitable correspondence

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

[01/10/2021 – Current]

Joint Ph.D. Doctoral Researcher (UNIFI and VUB)

Università di Pisa, Vrije Universiteit Brussel

<https://www.phd-ai.it>

City: Pisa

Country: Italy

[01/09/2015 – 01/01/2017]

LL.M Law and Technology

Tilburg university

City: tilburg

Country: Netherlands

Level in EQF: EQF level 7

- Contracts and ICT (Prof. Dr. Mr. Kees Stuurman)
- Regulation: Ethics, Acceptance and Legitimacy of Technology (Dr. Anton Vedder)
- European Intellectual Property Rights and Technology (Dr. Ir. Maurice Schellekens)
- Privacy and Data Protection (Prof. Paul De Hert)
- Capita Selecta: Privacy and Data Protection (Dr. Eleni Kosta) • Cybercrime (Prof. Dr. Bert-Jaap Koops)
- International and European Regulation of Biotechnology (Prof. Mr. Han Somsen)
- Technology and Intellectual Property Rights (Dr. Martin Husovec)
- Health, Care, Technology & Regulation (Dr. Samantha Adams)
- Climate law (Dr. Jesse Reynolds)

[01/09/2007 – 25/10/2012]

Law Master's Degree

Università degli Studi di Padova

City: Padova

Country: Italy

Level in EQF: EQF level 7

LANGUAGE SKILLS

Mother tongue(s): Italian

Other language(s):

English

LISTENING C2 **READING** C2 **WRITING** C2

SPOKEN PRODUCTION C2 **SPOKEN INTERACTION** C2

Dutch

LISTENING A1 **READING** A1 **WRITING** A1

SPOKEN PRODUCTION A1 **SPOKEN INTERACTION** A1

French

LISTENING A2 **READING** B2 **WRITING** A1

SPOKEN PRODUCTION A2 **SPOKEN INTERACTION** A2

Spanish

LISTENING B1 **READING** B1 **WRITING** A1

SPOKEN PRODUCTION A2 **SPOKEN INTERACTION** A2

German

LISTENING A2 **READING** A2 **WRITING** A1

SPOKEN PRODUCTION A1 **SPOKEN INTERACTION** A1

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

DIGITAL SKILLS

Conoscenze di base di R e Python per analisi statistica e previsione di dati

ORGANISATIONAL SKILLS

Organisational skills

- good organisational skills gained as member of EU funded projects, within a team of researchers of different nationalities and backgrounds

COMMUNICATION AND INTERPERSONAL SKILLS

Communication and interpersonal skills

- good communication skills gained through experience as teacher

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