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ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

THE AMERICAN UNIVERSITY OF ROME; 1988-June 2016

Program coordinator and main lecturer for the CIS (Commonwealth of Independent States) Executive Training Program run jointly in Rome by Baruch College (City University of New York) and American University of Rome, 1995-2000.

Instructor of "International Economic Organizations", "Italian Economy". "Principles of Economics", "e-Commerce", "Small Business Entrepreneurship", "International Trade", "International Finance", "Negotiating Globally" and "The European Union".

TEMPLE UNIVERSITY OF PHILADELPHIA – ROME CENTER; 1996-June 2015

Director of the internship program and of the joint Temple University-La Sapienza program at both Rome and Philadelphia campuses; 2004-present

Instructor of "Doing Business in the European Union", "International Marketing", "International Financial Markets", "International Business" and "International Trade"

LINK CAMPUS, UNIVERSITY OF MALTA, Rome; 2000-07

MBA program director

Directed global marketing of Link Campus's programs

Graduate-level courses taught: "Business Economics", "International Trade" and "E-Commerce"

UNIVERSITA' CATTOLICA, Piacenza (Italy); 2000-05

Graduate-level course taught: "e-Commerce" for the Master program in the Network Economy (MiNE), run in collaboration with the University of California, Berkeley.

MiNE Fellow.

ANTIOCH UNIVERSITY, Santa Barbara; 1999-2009

Graduate-level courses taught: "The Business Environment of the European Union", "International Marketing", "Transnational Economics" and "E-Commerce"

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, Santa Barbara (International Program), summers 2000-01

Courses taught: "E-Commerce".

Lectures: "e-Learning" for faculty and staff.

PONTIFICIA UNIVERSITAS LATERANENSIS, Rome; 1987-2004

Courses taught: "Micro", "Macroeconomics", "New Technologies" and "New Media and the Educational Field"

Program co-ordinator of the Ukrainian Executive Training Program, 2002.

LOYOLA UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO ROME CENTER, 1995-99

Courses taught: "International Economics", "The European Union" and "Italian Government and Politics"

BOSTON UNIVERSITY ROME CENTER, May 1990-July 1995

Graduate-level courses: "Doing Business in Central and Eastern Europe", "Business in the European Union" and "Multinational Trade and Finance"

**OTHER
PROFESSIONAL
EXPERIENCE**

MICRO-PROJECT MANAGER; Zimbabwe; 2015 to present.
Gathered funds both in the US and in Europe to finance small-scale projects benefiting needy rural communities in the Gweru Diocese of Zimbabwe. My tasks consist of carrying out onsite inspections and evaluations, identifying the more deserving projects, finding the necessary funds and contacting local contractors for the full implementation of the projects in question. The main focus falls on boreholes, school buildings and health clinics.

SENIOR COUNTRY MANAGER FOR CZECHOSLOVAKIA; EUROPEAN BANK FOR RECONSTRUCTION AND DEVELOPMENT; London, 1991-92.
Designed and directed EBRD's initial country strategy for Czechoslovakia (CSFR), set up the Bank's channel of contacts and physical presence in the country, coordinated output of EBRD professional staff working on CSFR. High-level contacts with CSFR government authorities at the federal and state level, mayors, central bank officials, international financial institutions and private businesses directly involved in CSFR affairs.

SENIOR ECONOMIC SPECIALIST AT THE U.S. EMBASSY IN ROME; 1983-91.
Responsible for providing the U.S. State Department with an understanding of the Italian economy and alternative policy suggestions. Prepared reports incorporating in-depth analysis and economic projections based on data analysis and first-hand discussions with officials in Government and industry. Organized high level meetings between U.S. and Italian political and economic leaders; provided regular briefings for U.S. government officials and private businesspeople on all issues concerning the Italian economy; monitored the evolution of Italian productive sectors (i.e., steel, telecom, energy, aviation), Italian trade policies and GATT negotiating positions, and the country's integration strides within the EU framework.

EDUCATION

CATANIA STATE UNIVERSITY, Catania (Italy), 1978.
MAGNA CUM LAUDE Political Science doctoral degree (Laurea) with a major in International Relations; then terminal degree.

JOHNS HOPKINS UNIVERSITY, SCHOOL OF ADVANCED INTERNATIONAL STUDIES, Bologna (Italy) and Washington, D.C., 1979-81
Master of Arts in International Studies; Fulbright scholarship.

MANCHESTER HIGH SCHOOL, Manchester, CT, 1969-72. High School Diploma with Honors (11th in my graduating class).

LANGUAGES

ITALIAN: Native tongue
ENGLISH: Fluent written and native oral skills; work language used since 1983.
FRENCH: Award granted by "Association Americaine des Professeurs de Francais" (1971); Proficiency Certificate by the Johns Hopkins University (1980).
SPANISH: Ability to converse, read and write.