

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Emanuele Sommario



[Sex](#) | [Date of birth](#) | [Nationality](#)

WORK EXPERIENCE

October 2010– Present

Associate Professor of International LawScuola Superiore Sant'Anna, Pisa (Italy), www.sssup.it

- Conducting research and lecturing on various Public International Law topics, notably International Humanitarian Law, Human Rights Law, International Disaster Law, Collective Security Law.
- Supervising graduate and PhD students in their research activities.
- Convening and delivering post-graduate courses aimed at civilian and military personnel.
- Submitting research proposals to attract external funding.
- Performing administrative, organisational and managerial tasks within the Scuola.
- Member of the Board of the PhD in “Human Rights and Global Politics”.
- Former Member of the Board of the “Master in International Security Studies”.
- Rector’s Delegate to the “Universities for Peace” Network.
- Member of the Board of the DIRPOLIS Institute.

[Business or sector](#) Higher education and research

July 2018 – Present

Director of the Master in Human Rights and Conflict Management

Scuola Superiore Sant'Anna, Pisa (Italy)

- Exercising scientific supervision over the course and guaranteeing quality enhancement.
- Participating in the selection of students and identification of faculty members.
- Managing a team of three professionals who assist me in running the programme.
- Administering an annual budget of approximately 180.000 Euro.

[Business or sector](#) Higher education and research

April 2010 – Present

Co-Director of the Intensive Course “Health Systems through Crisis and Recovery”

Scuola Superiore Sant'Anna, Pisa (Italy)

- Exercising scientific supervision over the course and guaranteeing quality enhancement.
- Participating in the selection of participants.
- Delivery of sessions on the international legal aspects of the topic.
- Managing an assistant who helps him delivering the course.
- Administering an annual budget of approximately 20.000 Euro.

[Business or sector](#) Higher education and research

June 2010 – September 2010

Senior Research Fellow in International LawScuola Superiore Sant'Anna, Pisa (Italy), www.sssup.it

- Conducting research and lecturing on various Public International Law topics.
- Supervising undergraduate and master students.
- Convening and delivering post-graduate courses aimed at civilian and military personnel.
- Project writing.

[Business or sector](#) Higher education and research

January 2010 – May 2010 **Excellence Fellow (Boursier d'Excellence)**
 University of Geneva (Switzerland), International Law Department, www.unige.ch
 ▪ Researching topics of Human Rights Law and International Humanitarian Law
[Business or sector](#) Higher education and research

October 2004 – November 2009 **Research Fellow in International Law**
 Scuola Superiore Sant'Anna, Pisa (Italy), www.sssup.it
 ▪ Conducting research and lecturing on various Public International Law topics, notably International Humanitarian Law, Human Rights Law, International Disaster Law, Collective Security Law.
 ▪ Supervising undergraduate and master students.
 ▪ Convening and delivering post-graduate courses aimed at civilian and military personnel in the framework of the Scuola's *International Training Programme for Conflict Management* www.itpcm.dirpolis.sssup.it
 ▪ Project writing.
[Business or sector](#) Higher education and research

OTHER RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

July 2018 – August 2018 **Visiting Scholar**
 Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies, Geneva (Switzerland), www.graduateinstitute.ch
 Research topic: Human Rights and Disaster Risk Reduction
[Business or sector](#) Higher education and research

July 2017 – August 2017 **Visiting Scholar**
 Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies, Geneva (Switzerland), www.graduateinstitute.ch
 Research topic: Derogation clauses in HR treaties
[Business or sector](#) Higher education and research

July 2016 – August 2016 **Visiting Scholar**
 Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies, Geneva (Switzerland),
 Research topic: The legality of human rights restrictions imposed in disaster settings
[Business or sector](#) Higher education and research

2015 July 2015 – August 2015 **Visiting Fellow**
 British Institute of International and Comparative Law, London (UK), www.biiicl.org
 Research topic: Human Rights in EU CSDP Missions
[Business or sector](#) Higher education and research

July 2014 – August 2014 **Visiting Fellow**
 British Institute of International and Comparative Law, London (UK)
 Research topic: Protection of Human Rights in Disaster Settings
[Business or sector](#) Higher education and research

July 2013 – August 2013 **Visiting Fellow**
 British Institute of International and Comparative Law, London (UK)
 Research topic: International Responsibility in UN Peacekeeping
[Business or sector](#) Higher education and research

- 2005 – 2010 **Lecturer in International and EU Law**
 University of Pisa, School of Medicine and Public Health Pisa (Italy), www.unipi.it
 ▪ Delivering lectures on health-related aspects of International and EU Law
Business or sector Higher education and research
- 2019 2008 – **Lecturer in International Humanitarian Law**
 University of York, Post-war Reconstruction and Development Unit,
<http://www.york.ac.uk/politics/centres/prdu/>
 ▪ In charge of the IHL module within the University's MA in Post-war Recovery Studies
Business or sector Higher education and research
- 2013 - present **Consultant and Trainer**
 European Commission Civil Protection Mechanism
https://ec.europa.eu/echo/what/civil-protection/experts-training-and-exchange_en
 ▪ Developing a training session on International and European Disaster Law, and delivering the same in the framework of Community Mechanism Introduction Courses (CMI), held several times per year in Easingwold (UK), Rome, Volterra, Split (HR), Innsbruck (AT) and Zagreb (HR).
 ▪ Drafting of a case study aimed at assessing and documenting the relevance and impact of International and EU law on the work of civil protection experts acting outside their home countries.
Business or sector Humanitarian Affairs
- November 2008 – December 2010 **Human Rights Expert**
 Training of Jandarma Officers on European Human Rights Standards, EU Twinning Project – TR06 IB JH 03 coordinated by the Italian Carabinieri
 ▪ Drafting of the *Jandarma Human Rights Concept*, a statement of human rights undertakings adopted by the Turkish Jandarma as a policy instrument;
 ▪ Drafting of a *Human Rights Reference Publication*, a list of practical guidelines on human rights and policing to be followed by law enforcement officers, accompanied by a compilation of international and national human rights instruments;
 ▪ Identifying of the training needs of the Turkish Jandarma in the field of Human Rights and development of training curricula.
 ▪ Delivering training courses on Human Rights standards for mid-level and senior Turkish Jandarma officers.
Business or sector Research and Training
- April 2007 – May 2007 **Consultant/Trainer in International Humanitarian Law**
 United Nations World Food Programme
 ▪ Development and delivery of a training module for the Emergency Response Training (ERT) held in Revinge (Sweden);
 ▪ Preparation of a case study tailored to scenarios familiar to humanitarian agencies working on relief operations and protection
Business or sector Humanitarian Affairs
- October 2000 – June 2001 **Short Term Electoral Observer**
 ▪ October 2000, STO for the Council of Europe Electoral Observation Mission to Kosovo;
 ▪ January 2001, STO for the OSCE EOM to Azerbaijan
 ▪ June 2001, STO for the OSCE EOM to Bulgaria
Business or sector Electoral Observation, Rule of Law

2003 - Present **Trainer/Lecturer**

Since 2003 I have developed training curricula and delivered training modules on subjects within the scope of my research interests in the framework of training activities offered (or funded) by the following institutions/organisations:

- United Nations World Food Programme
- United Nations Development Programme
- United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea
- European Commission - Europe's New Training Initiative for Civilian Crisis Management (ENTRi)
- European Union Civil Protection Mechanism
- European Union Aid Volunteers Training.
- Italian Ministry of Defence (Centro Alti Studi per la Difesa)
- Italian Carabinieri Forces (Scuola Ufficiali Carabinieri and Centre of Excellence for Stability Police Units - CoESPU)
- Italian Civil Protection Department
- Government of the Republic of San Marino
- Italian Red Cross
- International Institute of Humanitarian Law
- Italian and foreign NGOs
- Universities of Bologna, Florence, Siena, Pisa, Milan, Rome "La Sapienza", Roma Tre, Bari, Salento, Trento, Scuola Normale Superiore of Pisa, Verona, Gran Sasso Institute, Uninettuno, Sultan Qaboos University (Oman), Trinity College Dublin (Ireland), University of York (UK), Doha Institute for Graduate Studies (Qatar).

Business or sector Research and Training

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

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| 2000 – 2005 | <p>PhD in Public International Law
 Scuola Superiore Sant'Anna, Pisa (Italy), www.santannapisa.it
 Thesis: "The Protection of Human Rights in Situations of Public Emergency"
 Final Mark: Full Marks and Honours (100/100 cum laude)</p> |
| 2002 | <p>LL.M in Public International Law
 University of Nottingham (UK), www.nottingham.ac.uk
 Final Mark: Pass with Distinction</p> |
| 1993 – 1999 | <p>Degree in Political Science
 University of Pisa (Italy), www.unipi.it
 Final Mark: Full Marks and Honours (110/110 cum laude)</p> |
| March 2003 | <p>Diploma in International Human Rights Law
 Institute for Human Rights, Åbo Akademi University (Finland),
 http://www.abo.fi/fakultet/en/humanrights
 Final Mark: Excellent</p> |
| March 2001 | <p>Diploma in International Humanitarian Law
 International Committee of the Red Cross, Geneva (Switzerland)
 www.icrc.org</p> |

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

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|--------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Books | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Stati d'emergenza e trattati a tutela dei diritti umani ("States of emergency and human rights law treaties"), Giappichelli, Turin, 2018 |
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- Routledge Handbook of Human Rights and Disasters (edited with F. Zorzi Giustiniani, G. Bartolini and F. Casolari), Routledge, London, 2018.
- China's and Italy's Participation in Peacekeeping Operations (edited with A. de Guttry and L. Zhu), Lexington Books, Lanham, 2014.

Book Chapters

- “Misure di contrasto al COVID-19 e diritti umani: una valutazione alla luce dei parametri della Convenzione europea per i diritti umani”, in G. Gioffredi, V. Lorubbio, A. Pisanò (Eds.), *Diritti umani in crisi? Emergenze, disuguaglianze, esclusioni*, Pacini Editore, 2021, pp. 115-128.
- “State Responsibility for Violations of International Humanitarian Law in the Work of the Eritrea-Ethiopia Claims Commission: A Reappraisal Ten Years On”, in G. Venturini et al. (Eds.), *The Armed Conflict Between Ethiopia and Eritrea in International Legal Perspective (II Edition)*, TMC Asser Press – Springer, 2021, pp. 477-494.
- “International Human Rights Law and States of Emergency”, in A. de Guttry (Ed.), *Celebrating an Amazing Journey - ITPCM 25th Anniversary 1995-2020*, Edizioni ETS, 2020, pp. 83 – 87.
- “Limitation and Derogation Provisions in International Human Rights Law Treaties and Their Use in Disaster Settings”, in E. Sommario et al. (Eds.), *Routledge Handbook of Human Rights and Disasters*, Routledge, 2018, pp. 98 – 118.
- “One Law to Bind them All: International Law and Disaster Resilience”, in A. Herwig and M. Simoncini (Eds.) *Law Facing Disasters: Able to Promote a Resilient Approach?*, Routledge, 2016, pp. 245 - 251.
- “Attribution of conduct in the framework of CSDP missions: reflections on a recent judgment by the Higher Administrative Court of Nordrhein-Westfalen”, in S. Poli (Ed.), *Human Rights in EU Foreign Affairs, CLEER Papers 2016/5*, TMC Asser Press, pp. 155 – 174.
- “The Status of Foreign Fighters under International Humanitarian law” in A. de Guttry et al. (Eds.) *Foreign Fighters under International Law and Beyond*, TMC Asser Press – Springer, 2016, pp. 141 – 160.
- “Responsibility Under International Law For Human Rights Violations Committed By UN Peacekeepers: Reconsidering Issues Of Attribution” in A. de Guttry, E. Sommario and L. Zhu (Eds.) *China's and Italy's Participation in Peacekeeping Operations*, Lexington Books, 2014, pp. 369 – 397.
- “Derogation from Human Rights Treaties in Situations of Natural or Man-made Disasters”, in A. de Guttry et al. (Eds.) *International Disaster Response Law*, TMC Asser Press - Springer, 2012, pp. 323 – 352.
- “State Responsibility for violations of International Humanitarian Law in the work of the Eritrea-Ethiopia Claims Commission”, in G. Venturini et al. (Eds.), *The Armed Conflict Between Ethiopia and Eritrea in International Legal Perspective*, TMC Asser Press – Cambridge University Press, 2009, pp. 393 – 407.

- “Diritto alla vita come obbligo positivo per lo Stato: le sentenze della Corte europea dei diritti dell’uomo” (“Positive obligations of States to ensure the right to life in the jurisprudence of the ECtHR”), in UCODEP – Regione Toscana, 60° anniversario dalla Dichiarazione Universale dei Diritti dell’Uomo. Successi e insuccessi: una finestra sul mondo, Centro Stampa Giunta Regionale, Firenze, 2008, pp. 154 – 168.
- Legal status and treatment under international humanitarian law of individuals apprehended in the course of operational Enduring Freedom”, in A. de Guttry (Ed.), *Oltre la Reazione – Cambiamenti nell’assetto giuridico internazionale dopo l’11 settembre*, Edizioni ETS, Pisa, 2003, pp. 323 – 363.
- “La protezione dei diritti umani fondamentali in situazioni di emergenza interna: la parabola della Declaration on Minimum Humanitarian Standards” (“Protecting fundamental human rights in situations of internal emergency: the Declaration on Minimum Humanitarian Standards”), in A. de Guttry (Ed.), *Le nuove sfide nella protezione internazionale dei diritti dell’uomo. Tutela e promozione dei diritti umani alla luce dei recenti sviluppi del diritto internazionale*, Edizioni ETS, Pisa, 2002, pp. 41 – 70.

Journal Articles

- “Le restrizioni ordinarie e straordinarie ai diritti umani adottate per far fronte al COVID-19 e la loro legittimità alla luce dei parametri della CEDU”, in *Quaderni di Sidiblog*, Vol. 7, 2021, pp. 69-78.
- “International Disaster Law in Practice – Developments within the UN System (2019)”, in *Yearbook of International Disaster Law*, Vol. 2, 2021, pp. 367-376
- “International Disaster Law in Practice – Regional Human Rights Bodies (2019)”, in *Yearbook of International Disaster Law*, Vol. 2, 2021, pp. 474-482
- “When climate change and human rights meet: A brief comment on the UN Human Rights Committee’s Teitiota decision”, in *Questions of International Law*, 2021, pp. 51 - 65
- “The ‘2018 Global Compact for Migration’ and the Political and Electoral Rights of Migrants. A missed opportunity?” (with A. de Guttry), in *Ordine internazionale e diritti umani*, Vol. 6, 2020, pp. 1050-1063.
- “Feeding the hungry, quenching the thirsty: Shaping the Rights to Food and Water in Disaster Settings through Humanitarian Standards” (with M. Alabrese and F. Spagnuolo), in *Global Jurist*, 20 (1), 2019, doi: <https://doi.org/10.1515/gj-2019-0007>
- “International Disaster Law in Practice - United Nations Bodies (2018)”, in *Yearbook of International Disaster Law*, Vol. 1, 2019, pp. 305 – 313
- “Human rights law and Disaster risk reduction” (with Silvia Venier), in *Questions of International Law*, 2018, pp. 29 – 47
- “Dealing with Migrants in the Central Mediterranean Route: A Legal Analysis of Recent Bilateral Agreements Between Italy and Libya” (with A. de Guttry and F. Capone), in *International Migration*, 2017, pp. 1 - 17
- “Lo status dei foreign fighters secondo il diritto internazionale dei conflitti armati” (“Foreign Fighters and the Law of Armed Conflict”), in *Rassegna dell’Arma Dei Carabinieri*, Vol. 64, 2016, pp. 37-60
- “La deroga turca alla Convenzione europea dei diritti dell’uomo in risposta al tentato colpo di stato del luglio 2016” (“The Turkish Derogation to the ECHR as a Response to the Failed Coup d’Etat of July 2016”), in *Diritti umani e diritto internazionale*, Vol. 10, 2016, pp. 720-727.
- “Applying the Jus in Bello in the Cyber Domain: Navigating between lex lata and lex ferenda”, in *Questions of International Law*, Vol. 3, 2016, pp. 13 -23.

- “Sull’applicazione concorrente della Convenzione europea per i diritti umani e del diritto internazionale umanitario: il caso Hassan” (“Concurrent Application of the ECHR and International Humanitarian Law: The Hassan Case”), in *Diritti umani e diritto internazionale*, Vol. 9, 2015, pp. 210 – 217.
 - “Unlawful Conduct of UN Peacekeepers: Who is to Blame?”, in *ITPCM International Commentary*, N. 10, 2014, pp. 53 – 57.
 - Il sovraffollamento delle carceri italiane e gli organi internazionali per il rispetto dei diritti umani” (“Prison overcrowding in Italy in the practice of human rights treaty monitoring bodies”), in *Questione Giustizia*, Vol. 23, 2012, pp. 33-43.
 - “Killing Osama Bin Laden: Legal Implications”, in *ITPCM International Commentary*, N. 7, 2011, pp. 4-7.
 - “La definizione dell’ambito d’applicazione del diritto internazionale umanitario in situazioni di conflitto armato non internazionale nella giurisprudenza recente del Tribunale penale internazionale per la ex-Iugoslavia” (“The applicability of International humanitarian law in situations of non-international armed conflicts in the recent case law of the ICTY”), in *Diritti umani e diritto internazionale*, Vol. 2, 2008, pp. 668 – 673.
- Reviews**
- Book**
- Review of “L. Vierucci, Gli accordi fra governo e gruppi armati di opposizione nel diritto internazionale”, in *Italian Yearbook of International Law*, 2014, pp. 570-576.
 - Review of “G. Martinico, O. Pollicino (ed.), The National Judicial Treatment of the ECHR and EU Laws”, in *Revista Romana De Drept European*, Vol. 13, 2011, pp. 177 – 180
 - “Law and Disorder? The War on Terror and the International Legal System”, in *The International Spectator*, Vol. 37, 2002, pp. 107 – 110.
- Manual**
- Training**
- “Chapter I - Elements of Public International Law”, in *Human Rights and Law Enforcement – A Manual for the Training of Police Forces*, Italian Carabinieri External Relations Unit, 2010
 - “Chapter VII - Human Rights in Investigation Activities”, *ibidem*;
 - “Chapter VIII - Policing in States of Emergency”, *ibidem*;
 - “Chapter X - Victims of Crime and Abuse of Power”, *ibidem*.
- Online articles**
- “Misure di contrasto all’epidemia e diritti umani, fra limitazioni ordinarie e deroghe” (“Measures to tackle the effects of the pandemic and human rights, between ordinary limitations and derogations”), in *Blog Società Italiana di Diritto Internazionale*, 2020 [<http://www.sidiblog.org/2020/03/27/misure-di-contrasto-allepidemia-e-diritti-umani-fra-limitazioni-ordinarie-e-deroghe/>]
 - “Misure di contrasto al Coronavirus e rispetto dei diritti umani” (“Measures tackling the Coronavirus and Respect for Human Rights”), in *Affarinternazionali*, 2020 [<https://www.affarinternazionali.it/2020/03/misure-di-contrasto-al-coronavirus-e-rispetto-dei-diritti-umani/>]
 - “Attentati di Parigi: la Francia deroga alla Convenzione Europea dei Diritti dell’Uomo” (“Terrorist attacks in Paris: France derogates from the European Convention on Human Rights”), in *Blog Società Italiana di Diritto Internazionale*, 2016 [<http://www.sidiblog.org/2016/01/11/attentati-di-parigi-la-francia-deroga-alla-convenzione-europea-dei-diritti-delluomo/>]
 - “Erdoğan alla prova dei diritti umani” (“Erdoğan put to the test of human rights”), in *Affarinternazionali*, 2016, [<http://www.affarinternazionali.it/articolo.asp?ID=3560>]

- “Il terremoto in Nepal e la risposta (del diritto) internazionale” (“The earthquake in Nepal and the international (legal) response”), in Blog Società Italiana di Diritto Internazionale, 2015
[<http://www.sidiblog.org/2015/05/11/il-terremoto-in-nepal-e-la-risposta-del-diritto-internazionale/>]
 - “Da Srebrenica lezione di diritto internazionale”, in Affarinternazionali, 2013,
[<http://www.affarinternazionali.it/articolo.asp?ID=2437>]
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**CONFERENCES/SEMINARS
ATTENDED (as invited
speaker/chair)**

- International Workshop on [Climate and Changes: legal and ethical implications](#), 13-14 September 2021, Moderator of one of the sessions [event co-organized with four colleagues at the Scuola Sant’Anna]
- On-line conference on [Il covid-19 nell’ottica dell’International Disaster Response Law](#), Italian Red Cross, 12 December 2020, presenting on “La tutela dei diritti umani nell’ambito della pandemia di Covid 19”
- Launch event for the book by Flavia Zorzi Giustiniani, [International Law in Disaster Scenarios - Applicable Rules and Principles \(Springer, 2020\)](#), 9 December 2020. Organizer and moderator of the webinar, featuring Dr. Arnold Pronto, Prof. Giulio Bartolini, Prof. Federico Casolari and the Author
- Conference on [Academic Freedom at Risk: Solidarity in Europe](#), organized by the Scholars at Risk Network, Pisa, 18 November 2020, presenting on Judicial Avenues to Defend Academic Freedom: the Role of Human Rights Law
- Launch event for the book by Salvatore Zappalà [La giustizia penale internazionale \(Il Mulino, 2020\)](#), Scuola Superiore Sant’Anna, webinar, 5 November 2020, discussant on the evolution of international criminal justice.
- Webinar on [Diritti umani ed emergenza sanitaria: la CEDU ai tempi del Covid-19](#), organized by the journal *Ius in Itinere*, 30 April 2020, presenting on “Stati d’emergenza e misure restrittive dei diritti: quale scelta fra provvedimenti di restrizione ordinaria e misure derogatorie?”
- Annual Joint [Doctoral Workshop in Legal Studies](#), European University Institute, Florence, November 2019, Discussant for a paper on Regulation of Outer Space Activities and Current Developments.
- CUCS VI Conference 2019 on [Citizenship and Common Goods](#), Trento, 19-21 September 2019, Panel on Access to Water in the Global South: Actors, Interests, Problems and the Role of International Law, presenting on Guaranteeing the right to water in disaster settings: bridging the gap between theory and practice.
- Interim Meeting of the International Law Association’s Committee on [Human Rights in Times of Emergency](#), Pisa, 25-26 July 2019, presenting on “The Interplay between International Human Rights Law and International Humanitarian Law” [[event co-organized with the Chairs and Rapporteurs of the Committee](#)]
- International Conference, [The Sustainable Development Goals in Global Perspective](#), Pisa, 29-30 October 2018, Chair of the Panel on “Legal and normative implications of the SDGs” [[event co-organized with Francesca Spagnuolo and Chiara Macchi, Scuola Superiore Sant’Anna](#)]

- International Workshop, [Insurgencies: An Interdisciplinary Approach](#), Pisa, 24-25 September 2018, presenting on Criminal Gangs as “Parties” to Non-International Armed Conflicts” [[event co-organized with Francesco Strazzari and Luca Raineri, Scuola Superiore Sant’Anna](#)].
- Annual conference on [Attori, Azioni e Prospettive per la Protezione Civile](#), Verona, 31 May 2018, presenting on “Facilitare la risposta umanitaria in caso di disastri: il ruolo del diritto internazionale”.
- Workshop organized by the Interest Group on Human Rights of the Italian Society of International Law on [Diritti Umani in Turchia: Quale Ruolo per il Diritto internazionale ed Europeo?](#), Ferrara, 6 June 2018, presenting on “The Turkish derogations to the ECHR and to the ICCPR in response to the attempted military coup of July 2016: Rejoinders from Strasbourg and Geneva”.
- Annual Joint [Doctoral Workshop in Legal Studies](#), European University Institute, Florence, 13 October 2017, Discussant for a paper on Jurisdictional Bases for the Enactment of Diaspora Laws by Countries of Origin.
- International Conference on [Addressing recent challenges in Public International Law: Responses from Italy and China](#), Pisa, 4-5 July 2016, presenting on “China’s and Italy’s attitude towards the ILC’s work on the ‘Protection of Persons in the Event of Disasters’”.
- International Conference on [Human Rights in EU Foreign Affairs](#), University of Pisa, 1-2 October 2015, presenting on “Walking the Talk - Respect for Human Rights and International Humanitarian Law in EU Crisis Management Operations”.
- Expert Meeting on the [ILC’s Draft Articles on the Protection of Persons in the Event of Disasters](#), University of Roma Tre, 8-9 June 2015, presenting on “Draft Article 20 - Relationship to special and other rules of international law”.
- International Conference on [The Protection of Persons in Times of Disasters: International and European Perspectives](#), Rome, 3-4 March 2015, presenting on “Human Rights Restrictions in Emergency Situations”. [[event co-organized with Flavia Zorzi Giustiniani, Uninettuno University](#)]
- [Slandáil Project, Legal Workshop](#), Trinity College Dublin, 20 February 2015, presenting on “Disasters and Human Rights: Legal Implications”.
- International Conference on [China’s and Italy’s Approaches to Peacekeeping](#), Scuola Superiore Sant’Anna, 7-8 June 2012, presenting on “Human rights violations in peacekeeping operations: issues of international responsibility”.
- National Workshop on the [XXXI International Conference of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies: Current Challenges to IHL](#), Italian Red Cross, Florence, 23 September 2012, presenting on “The ILC’s work on the protection of persons in the event of disasters”
- Conference on [International Law and Disasters: Prevention, Preparedness, Response](#), Italian Civil Protection, Rome, 7 – 8 November 2011, presenting on “Derogation to Human Rights Treaties during Natural or Technological Disasters”
- International Conference on [The Armed Conflict between Eritrea and Ethiopia in International Legal Perspective](#), Scuola Superiore Sant’Anna, 19 – 20 October 2007, presenting on “The work of the Eritrea Ethiopia Claims Commission on Issues of Responsibility for Violations of International Humanitarian Law”.

DOCTORAL SUPERVISIONS

- Nadarajah Pushparajah, [Human Rights Obligations of Armed Non-State Actors in Non-International Armed Conflict](#) (2010 - 2014)
- Chiara Macchi, [Human Rights and Transnational Corporations - Legal and policy avenues for the protection of human rights in global supply chains](#) (2010 - 2015)
- Mariasole Continiello Neri, [Historical and Juridical analysis of the Occupatio Bellica: from the Hague Regulations to current international practice](#) (2011 – 2015)
- Emanuela Parisciani, [The Court of Justice of the European Union and the Common European Asylum System: Systemic Integration or Autonomous Meaning?](#) (2011 – 2015)
- Charlotte V. Reed, [From Victims to Survivors: The Reintegration of Female Child Soldiers in Colombia](#) (2012 – 2015)
- Maylis de Verneuil, [Statelessness of Romani Individuals in the Western Balkans: Negligence or Discrimination?](#) (2012 – 2016)
- Alessandro Tonutti, [Commissions of Inquiry under Modern International Law: A First Step to Ensure Accountability for Human Rights Violations?](#), Jointly supervised with Professor William Schabas, Leiden University (2012 – 2017)
- Denise Venturi, [Human Rights and the Securitisation of Borders - The Case of LGBTI Asylum Seekers](#), Jointly supervised with Professor Marie-Claire Foblets, KU Leuven (2013 – discontinued)
- Riccardo Luporini, [Natural disasters and forced displacement](#) (2018 – 2021)
- Giulia Bosi, [Time to address population mental health: a Human Rights and International Humanitarian Law perspective](#) (2020 – ongoing)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

activities	Advising	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Advisor to the EU Civil Protection Mechanism in the drafting of a training curriculum for Union Civil Protection Mechanism Introduction Courses, 2012 - ongoing ▪ Advisor to the Dutch NGO Pax for Peace, on a project concerning Civilian Harm in Armed Conflict, 2020-2021. ▪ Assistant to the Special Rapporteur of the International Law Commission Eduardo Valencia Ospina in preparing his 7th (UN Doc A/CN.4/668) and 8th (UN Doc A/CN.4/697) Reports on the “Protection of Persons in the Event of Disasters”, 2013 - 2016 ▪ Advisor to the NGO Medical Peace Work in the design and implementation of an on-line training module on International Humanitarian Law for Health Professionals, 2015
Funding	Projects &	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Awardee of a Jean Monnet Module on “European and International Human Rights Standards in Disaster Settings” (2020-2022). The module is funded with 29.000 Euro by the European Commission, after winning a competitive call. ▪ Local Coordinator of a Research Project on “International Disaster Response Law – Rules and Principles of International and EU Law” (2013 – 2016). The project was funded by the Italian Ministry for Research, after winning a competitive call at the end of which the four coordinators were awarded some 400.000 Euro. ▪ Awardee of some 46.000 Euro in research grants, conferred by the Scuola Superiore Sant’Anna, the DIRPOLIS Institute, and the Fondazione Banca Nazionale delle Comunicazioni (2010 – 2020).

Organization of training activities Co-director of the following training courses:

- [Psychosocial Interventions in Migration, Emergency and Displacement](#), Scuola Superiore Sant’Anna (since 2019)
- [Health Systems through Crisis and Recovery](#), Scuola Superiore Sant’Anna (since 2011)
- [International Disaster Law Course](#), International Institute for Humanitarian Law (since 2014)

Memberships Member of the “[International Law Association – Italian Branch](#)”

Member of the ILA’s [Committee on Human Rights in Times of Emergency](#)

Member of the “[Italian Society of International and EU Law](#)”

Member of the following research teams:

- [Obblighi internazionali in materia di Prevention, Preparedness, Response and Recovery da eventi con agenti CBRN e stato della loro attuazione in Italia](#), run by the Scuola Superiore Sant’Anna and funded under the PRIN 2017 scheme (Research Projects of National Relevance) (2018-2021)
- [International and European Disaster Law](#), coordinated by the University of Roma Tre and funded by the European Commission as a Jean Monnet Module under the Erasmus + scheme
- [CBRN - Integrated Response](#), funded by the European Commission, Prevention of and Fight against Crime Programme–Directorate General Home Affairs(2014-2016);
- [European Disaster Response Law in an International Context](#), run by the University of Milan and funded by the European Union-LLP Programme (2014-2016).
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German	C2	C2	C1	C1	B2
French	B1	B2	A2	A1	A1
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