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ABOUT ME

PhD Student and Journalist with 5 years of professional experience in Media and Communication industry. I am endowed with high creative capabilities in written and oral skills and marked propensity to teamwork.

WORK EXPERIENCE

02/07/2024 - 01/12/2024 Rome, Italy **PROJECT COLLABORATOR** SAPIENZA UNIVERSITY OF ROME

- Created and updated contents for the portal of Marche Region Road Safety Observatory (CEMOSS)
- Edited technical sheets concerning national and international "Good Practices" cases
- · Defined awareness contents relating to road safety at regional level

Business or Sector Professional, scientific and technical activities

Department Department of Civil, Constructional and Environmental Engineering, Sapienza University of Rome

07/04/2023 - 07/09/2023 Rome, Italy **COMMUNICATIONS MANAGER** CTLUP SRL

- Drafting, editing and translating editorial content for the corporate website and social media pages (LinkedIn, Twitter)
- Defining protocols and guidelines aimed to a better web content management and an improvement of relationships with other staff members
- Creating corporate documents (company profile, report, signature format) for a more efficient communication with clients and partners

Business or Sector Professional, scientific and technical activities

Department Research Centre for Transport and Logistics (CTL), Sapienza University of Rome

01/01/2020 - 31/12/2022 Avellino, Italy **JOURNALIST & WEB CONTENT MANAGER** CITYNEWS SPA

- Drafted and edited articles for AveilinoToday (an online newspaper of Citynews company)
- Programmed and managed content on AveilinoToday's social media pages (Facebook, Instagram)
- · Created and published videos on AvellinoToday's YouTube channel

22/09/2020 - 28/02/2021 Avellino, Italy WEB CONTENT EDITOR SA DOCUMENTS S.R.L.

- Drafted and edited content for Sistema Irpinia online platform (a project funded by the Province of Avellino)
- Checked and verified sources for more than 500 sheets concerning the main places of interests and events located in Irpinia
- · Planned documents and guidelines for a correct management of sheets

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

02/11/2023 – CURRENT Rome, Italy PHD IN INFRASTRUCTURES AND TRANSPORT Sapienza University of Rome

The main purpose of the research project aims at proposing a data integration model to find the common ground between subjective and objective data regarding sustainable mobility issues. The model will be tested on at least a specific case, concerning a plan or a strategic document scheduled by a municipal or regional administration in an urban (or wider) context.

PhD is funded by a Sapienza Scholarship (until October 2026).

Address Via Eudossiana, 18, 00184, Rome, Italy | Website https://www.uniroma1.it/en/ | Level in EQF EQF level 8 |

Thesis The development of smart cities in Europe: an integrative crowdsourcing model for sustainable mobility sector

30/04/2019 – 10/12/2020 Rome, Italy **MASTER IN GLOBAL MARKETING, COMMUNICATION & MADE IN ITALY** Italy-USA Foundation and Centro Studi "Comunicare l'Impresa"

Address Via Vittorio Veneto, 108, 00187, Rome, Italy | Website https://www.italiausa.org/

01/10/2014 – 16/02/2018 Fisciano, Italy **MASTER'S DEGREE IN BUSINESS AND PUBLIC COMMUNICATION** University of Salerno

Address Via Giovanni Paolo II, 132, 84084, Fisciano, Italy | Website https://www.unisa.it/

12/09/2005 – 10/07/2010 Avellino, Italy HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA IN LINGUISTIC STUDIES Liceo Statale "P. E. Imbriani"

Address Via Salvatore Pescatori, 155, 83100, Avellino, Italy | Website <u>https://www.liceoimbrianiavellino.edu.it/</u>

01/10/2010 – 25/11/2013 Fisciano, Italy BACHELOR'S DEGREE IN PUBLISHING STUDIES Università degli Studi di Salerno

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LANGUAGE SKILLS

Mother tongue(s): ITALIAN

Other language(s):

| | UNDERSTANDING | | SPEAKING | | WRITING |
|---------|---------------|---------|--------------------------------------|----|---------|
| | Listening | Reading | Spoken production Spoken interaction | | |
| ENGLISH | B2 | C1 | B2 | C1 | C1 |
| SPANISH | B1 | C1 | B1 | B2 | B2 |
| FRENCH | B1 | C1 | B1 | B1 | B2 |

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

DIGITAL SKILLS

Content Management Systems | SaaS | Social Network | Microsoft Office | Emails & Marketing | Photo and Video Editing

DRIVING LICENCE

Driving Licence: B

HONOURS AND AWARDS

27/05/2019

Accredited Professional – Italy-USA Foundation

Released by Italy-USA Foundation, in the context of Master in Global Marketing, Communication & Made in Italy

Link https://youtu.be/YPjHE_Rx44E

HOBBIES AND INTERESTS

Blogging, Photography, Team sports, Travelling, Music, Videogames

VOLUNTEERING

18/09/2013 – 31/12/2023 Avellino, Italy Info Irpinia

Founding Member and Web Content Coordinator on the website of the organisation

Link https://infoirpinia.it/

14/01/2019 – 14/01/2020 Campobasso, Italy **Agenzia Agorà**

Universal Civil Service Volunteer in the context of "Argento Campobasso" project

03/07/2019 – 11/07/2019 Avellino, Italy XXX Universiade Estiva Napoli 2019

Media and Broadcasting Services Assistant during the running of men's and women's basketball tournaments at the Palasport Del Mauro