

Curriculum Vitae et Studiorum

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1. Present position

Full Professor of Comparative Private Law, Dipartimento di Giurisprudenza, Università di Torino

2. Education and academic curriculum

1984, Università degli Studi di Torino – Laurea in Giurisprudenza (JD) – Final mark 110/110, cum laude

1986-1995, Resarcher in Comparative Private Law, Università degli Studi di Trento, Faculty of Law

1995-1998, Researcher in Comparative Private Law, Università degli Studi di Torino, Faculty of Law

1998-2000 Associate Professor of Comparative Private Law, Università degli Studi dell'Insubria, Faculty of Law

2000-2008, Full Professor of Comparative Private Law, Università degli Studi del Piemonte Orientale “A. Avogadro”, Faculty of Law

2008-2012, Full Professor of private law , Università degli Studi di Torino, Faculty of Law

3. Courses taught in Italian univesities

1991-1992, Istituzioni di diritto privato, Università degli studi di Torino, Faculty of Law

1993-1996, Istituzioni di Diritto privato italiano e comparato, Università degli Studi di Torino, Facoltà di Scienze Politiche

1997-1999, Diritto anglo-americano, Università degli Studi di Torino, Faculty of Law

1999- 2000, Sistemi giuridici comparati, Università degli Studi di Torino, Faculty of Law

2004-2008, Diritto civile progredito, Università degli studi del Piemonte Orientale “A. Avogadro”, Faculty of Law

2005-2006, Sistemi giuridici comparati, Università degli Studi di Torino, Faculty of Law

2009 to date, Sistemi giuridici comparati, Università degli Studi di Torino, Faculty of Law

2009 to date, Diritto privato comparato, Università degli Studi di Torino, Faculty of Law

4. Post graduate teaching

2005-2008, Member of the Phd "Board Foundations of European Law" a(Roma 3 Law Faculty)

2009 -2010, Member of the Phd "Board Private and Comparative Law" Pogamme, Università degli Studi di Torino

2010 to date, Director of the Phd "Program Law, Persons and the Market", Università degli Studi di Torino

5. Visiting Professor

Université Paris II (2014)

Faculté internationale de droit comparé, Strasbourg (2007-to date)

Université de Luxembourg (2013)

Université Jean Moulin, Lyon (2010-2012)

Law School, Cornell University (2011)

Faculty of Law, Bar Ilan University (2011)

6. Academic distinctions

Titular Member of the International Academy of Comparative Law

Corresponding Member, Accademia delle Scienze di Torino

President of the Italian Society for Research in Comparative Law (SIRD)

Member of the Governing Board of the Società italiana degli studiosi di diritto civile (SISDIC)

Member of the Governing Board of the Italian Association fo comparative law (2006 – 2009)

President of the Italian Grup of the Association Henri Capitant (2011 to date), Vice President of the same Association (2005 – 2010)

Fellow of the European Centre of Tort and Insurance Law, Vienna

Member of the Governing Board of Isaidat, Istituto Subalpino per il diritto delle attività transnazionali (President R. Sacco)

Member of the Consultative Committee of the Max-Planck Institut for Social Anthropology (Halle)

Member of the Scientific Committee of the Laboratorio dei diritti fondamentali (President V. Zagrebelsky)

Visiting Scholar, Invited Lecturer, Clarendon Lectures in Law 2004, University of Oxford

7. Commissions of trust

2010-to date, Head of the Doctoral School for Human and social sciences of the University of Torino (comprising 7 phd programs in the fieds of law, economics, sociology, political sciences, psychology)

2013 to date, Head of the Scientific Council of the Scuola di Studi Superiori, Università di Torino

2011-2012, Member of the Evaluation Panel panel for Research of the Università di Torino

2012, Member of the SH2 panel of the European Research Council for the evaluation of European Scientific Projects in the Field of the Humanities (2012)

2001- 2006, Director of the Law Department of the Università del Piemonte orientale

2001-2004, Member of the Academic Senate of the Università del Piemonte orientale

8. Judicial Appointments

2014 to date, Judge of the Corte dei trusts, Repubblica di San Marino

9.-Participation to research projects

9.1 International research projects

The Reception of Continental Ideas in the Common Law World (1990-1992) (dir. Prof. Matthias Reimann, Michigan University), sponsored by the Gerda Henkel Stiftung

Itinera Fiduciae (1995-1997) (dir. Prof. R.H. Helmholz e R. Zimmermann) sponsored by the Gerda Henkel Stiftung

The Common Core of European Law (Prof. M. Bussani, U. Mattei gen. eds.) – *Good faith in European Private Law* (dir. S. Whittaker, R. Zimmermann)

The Common Core of European Law (Prof. M. Bussani, U. Mattei gen. eds) –coordinator of the research group on *Security over corporeal movables in European private law* with E.M. Kieninger and others

The Common Core of European Law (Prof. M. Bussani, U. Mattei gen. eds) – coordinator of the research group *Commercial trusts in European private law* with U. Mattei and Lionel Smith

Human diversity and the Law (*Rev. int. dr. comparé*, 2002, 147) research sponsored by the *International Association of Legal Sciences* (dir. with Mauro Bussani)

Causality in the Law - Research group sponsored by the Max-Planck Institute for international and comparative law and by the Austrian Academy of Sciences (dir. Prof. Wininger, Koziol, and Zimmermann)

Binding Unity: the Search for Coherence in European Private Law (2005-2007) (dir, by Prof. Prechal and Van Roemund, sponsored by the Ministry for Research of the Netherlands)

The Acquis group 2004- to day, member of the research excellence network sponsored by the European Commission - VII Framework Programme.

Histories of Legal Transplantations (2005-2006), research sponsored by the *Institute of Advanced Studies, University of Jerusalem* (dir. by Prof. Harris and Likhovsky)

Convictions philosophiques et religieuses et droits positifs (2006-2008) (dir. by Prof. Vanderlinden and Foblets)

The European Legal Development Project (2005-2009), *European legal development and fault liability* – research sponsored by the AHRB Research Grant & Cambridge University (dir. 1990-1992, Prof. Bell and Ibbettson)

9.2. Research Projects sponsored by Italian Research Agencies

Prin 1999-2000, Il nucleo comune del diritto privato europeo in materia di trust e operazioni fiduciarie

Prin: 2001-2002, I giudici nazionali, la Corte di Giustizia ed il diritto comunitario

Prin 2003-2005, Il diritto privato europeo in materia di illecito extracontrattuale: il nesso di causalità e la sua trattazione comparativa con l'ausilio di tecnologie informatiche

Prin 2006-2008, Fondamenti cognitivi del contratto e struttura dell'agire

Prin 2009-2012, Comparare e misurare. Studio di fattibilità relativo alle misure quantitative in campo giuridico

2012-2014, Progetto di eccellenza dell'Ateneo di Torino: The Making of a New European Legal Culture. Prevalence of a single model, or cross-fertilisation of national legal traditions?

10. Select lectures and presentations

10.1 International conferences and workshops

Personal Autonomy: the philosophy and the rules (Max-Planck Institute for Social Anthropology, Halle, 26 May 2014)

Virtue and Utility: Fiduciary Law in Civil Law and Common Law Jurisdictions (De Paul Law School, Chicago, 20 July 2013)

Trusts as security devices, University of Barcelona, 20 October 2011

Legal Transplants in Italy, International Academy of Comparative Law, Washington, July, 2010

Uncovering legal culture(s): tracking the missing story of translation, *Uncovering legal culture(s): tracking the missing story of translation*, The Uses of Legal Culture Workshop, Venice, 20-21 May 2010

What What Went wrong ? European Centre of Tort Law, Austrian Academy of Sciences, Vienna, 16 April 2009,

Recognition of Common Law Trusts in Civil Law Jurisdictions, McGill Law School, 19 January 2009

Legal Transplants and the Frontiers of Legal Knowledge, Institute for advanced studies, Jerusalem, 13 June 2008

A Critical Look at 'Contract', Faculty of Law, Münster University, 12 November 2006

American and European Perspectives on the Disintegration of Property, Harvard Law School, 6 May, 2005

Against self-interest? Making sense of fiduciary obligations in comparative perspective, Clarendon Lectures, Facoltà di Giurisprudenza, Università di Oxford, 1-2 November 2004

Artificial Reason, Italian-American Congress of Comparative Law, Facoltà di Giurisprudenza, Università Statale di Milano, 31 Maggio 2003

La giustizia nei monoteismi: convergenze e divergenze, Siena, 3 Aprile 2003

10.2 Conferences and workshops in Italy (last 5 years)

La responsabilità medica in Italia e in Europa, Genova, 20 October 2014

Pubblicità degli atti e delle attività, Napoli, 3-4-5 April 2013

I principi ordinanti del diritto dei contratti, Bologna, 19 October 2012

La legislazione europea in materia di gestione del contenzioso medico – Comlas; Torino, 7 October 2011

Eventi avversi, informazione al paziente e sistema della responsabilità civile, Alessandria, 9 November 2009

Il codice dei beni culturali: riflessioni in tema di circolazione dei beni, Roma, 4 July 2008

Children's Rights: the Law's Uncertain Search for Principle and the Relevance of Cross-cultural Thinking, Torino, 5 May 2008

L'avvocato e il diritto comparato oggi, Roma, 4 April 2008

Languages

Italian (native speaker), English (fluent), French (good), Spanish, Russian, German (elementary).