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EDUCATION AND TRAINING

- October 2013 **University for Foreigners of Siena**
- Awarded of Ditals Certification:** it certifies my competence and my skills in teaching Italian as a foreign language especially to adults and elderly adults.
- 6 february 2013 **AQA Courses and Events: Putting the fun into controlled assessment. French, German, Spanish and Italian KS4. This workshop:**
- Gave me many exciting techniques and ideas for motivating learners and enhancing performance in key controlled assessment themes.
 - Offered a wide range of practical activities to use in the classroom to develop speaking and writing
 - Helped me to plan sequences of lessons ensuring development and progression of key language skills.
 - Illustrated techniques and activities which will be transferable all themes and equip students with autonomy and independence in their learning
 - Considered strategies to enable students to transfer knowledge with themes
- September 2013 **University for Foreigners of Siena**
- One week of theoretical and practical training in teaching Italian to foreigners
- 2006 – 2009 **University of Bologna, Italy**
- PhD in Modern European History (19th and 20th Century History). Dissertation focusing on parliamentary debates in Italy and France after world wars.
- 1999 – 2005 **University of Bologna, Italy**
- Degree in Political Science, with specialisation in History
 - Obtained top dissertation score with a mark of 110/110
 - Degree result equivalent to a **First Class Degree** in UK
- 1993 – 1998 **Niccolò Copernico Linguistic High School, Bologna, Italy**
- Diploma in Modern Languages with a grade of 55/60 (equivalent to 3 A grades at A-Level in England)

Skills and Personal Qualities

- Native Italian speaker, fluent written and spoken English and French, intermediate spoken and written level of modern Greek.
- IT Skills: Excellent skills in using Word, Excel, Internet Explorer, Outlook Express, Adobe PDF and Adobe In Design and experience of using digital bases
- Excellent capacity to organise own work and to work as part of a team
- Hard-working, precise, responsible and excellent team work skills
- Full driving licence

WORK EXPERIENCE

- 01/2012 – Present **Marlow Language Centre, Marlow, UK**
- Italian teacher to learners of a mixed range of ability levels from beginners to advanced learners
 - Teach small classes and one to one lessons covering grammar and conversation
 - Prepare all lessons, all course materials, hand-outs and assessments
 - Check all homework tasks and provide regular feedback and reports
- 09/2012 – Present **St George's School, Ascot, UK**
- Italian teacher preparing pupils for all GCSE exams
 - Responsible for creating schemes of work, exam entries, pupil reports and references and liaising with parents, Head of Languages, EAL and SEN staff and senior management
 - Created all course materials including course notes and exercises
 - Responsible for preparing plans, handouts, exercises and tests, marking of homework and tests
 - Taught exam and essay writing techniques to pupils
- 09/2014 – Present **Babel language consulting, Sidcup, UK**
- Italian teacher teaching to a professional working on the Italian market on the behalf of an investment management company
 - Responsible for creating course materials including course notes and exercises
 - Responsible for preparing plans, handouts, exercises and conversation
- 09/2014 – Present **Real Languages, Windsor, UK**
- Italian teacher teaching to professionals working for different companies
 - Responsible for creating course materials including course notes and exercises
 - Responsible for preparing plans, handouts, exercises and group conversation
- 09/2013 – 06/2017 **Acs International School, Egham, UK**
- Italian language, culture, history and geography teacher to three groups of Italian native and bilingual speakers (lower, middle and high school). It's an extracurricular activity part of the program *Native Language Enrichment* run by International Baccalaureate schools
 - Italian writing skills and abilities teacher for the middle and high school groups
 - Responsible for creating course materials including course notes and exercises
 - Responsible for preparing plans, handouts, exercises and group conversation.
- 03/2013 – 03/2015 **Strode's College, Egham, UK**
- Italian teacher teaching to beginners and intermediate group courses
 - Responsible for creating course materials including course notes and exercises
 - Responsible for preparing plans, handouts, exercises and group conversation.
- 07/2014 – 12/2015 **The Language Machine, Battle, UK**
- Italian teacher teaching to a professional working for an Italian car company in the UK
 - Responsible for creating course materials including course notes and exercises
 - Responsible for preparing plans, handouts, exercises and conversation
- 01/2006 – 01/2015 **Association for Research into Political History, University of Bologna, Italy**
- Member of the Editorial Board for the Journal *Ricerche di Storia Politica* (Research into Political History) published by Il Mulino
 - Production and Editorial Assistant
 - Organise all books reviews
 - Translate articles (including translation of technical language) from French and English into Italian
 - Write reviews of historical works
 - Collaborate in the peer review process

- 03/2012 – 06/2012 **Hollyfield School and Sixth Form Centre, Surbiton, London**
- Italian teacher to beginners pupils, covering grammar and conversation
 - Created course materials including course notes and exercises
 - Responsible for maintaining class room discipline, preparing class plans, class handouts, exercises and tests
- 02/2012 – 03/2012 **Claremont High School, Kenton, London**
- Class room observation in a range of Modern Foreign Languages lessons at an Inner City Comprehensive School
- 10/2010 – 11/2010 **Pickering and Chatto, London**
- Intern in the editorial department of a publishing company
 - Proof read typed material against original texts and formatted manuscripts for editing
 - Inserted and checked cross-references in proofs and manuscripts
 - Checked editorial note markers and proof read note lemmas
- 06/2009 – 08/2011 **Clueb Publishing Company, Bologna, Italy**
- Digital and Editorial Assistant
 - Responsible for the implementation of the Share TEC (sharing of digital resources in the Teaching Education Community) and E.I.O. (Editoria Italiana Online) publishing projects
 - Responsible for overseeing the creation of an initial indexing system for published works
 - Edited texts, proof read articles and evaluated suitability of unsolicited manuscripts for publication in journals
- 10/2006 – 09/2007 **Roberto Ruffilli Faculty of Political Science, University of Bologna. Italy**
- Teaching Assistant to the Chair of Modern History
 - Taught a 40-hour course to under-graduate students
 - Examined and evaluated oral examinations
 - Prepared and delivered lectures, classes, seminars and tutorials
 - Set, marked and evaluated examination papers in association with other members of the department

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT AND INTERESTS

Football coaching and administration

- Press agent and journalist for my hometown football club

Reading, politics and travel

- Former member of the political party “Fare per Fermare il Declino”
- Enjoy reading politics, art and literature.
- I volunteer as a journalist at the libertarian association I founded with some friends “Il dito nell’occhio” (the finger in the eye). This association has got a facebook page and a website. I write an article every day. I collaborate as well with the liberal blog “Gli immoderati”
- Enjoy football and former season ticket holder (for over 10 years) at Bologna F.C.
- Enjoy travelling especially visiting European capitals

Referees

Available on request