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PERSONAL DATA

First Name: Manuel

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Date of birth: 23 July 1975

Office Address: Dipartimento di Scienze Umane e della Formazione, P.zza Ermini 1, 06123 Perugia, Italy.

EDUCATION

17 febbraio 2006 – Ph.D. in *Theory and History of Educational Processes (Social Science)*, University of Cassino - Italy. Thesis: *Ideology, education, and society. Analysis of the revolutionary Bolivarianism of Venezuela and its schools.*

4 April 2001 – Degree in *Philosophy*, University “La Sapienza”, Rome – Italy. Thesis: *The issue of education in Niccolò Machiavelli’s political thoughts.*

LANGUAGES

Italian – Mother tongue

Spanish – Mother tongue

English – Good reading and understanding of conversations level, middle-low speaking level

French only reading

Portuguese – only reading.

FIELDS OF RESEARCH

- ⤴ Latin American Studies;
- ⤴ Democracy and Democratization in Latin America;
- ⤴ Venezuela Politics;
- ⤴ Political Sociology of Latin America;
- ⤴ Sociology of Education;
- ⤴ Sociology of Local Development;
- ⤴ History of Sociological Thoughts;

SPECIFIC OBJECTS OF RESEARCH

- ⤴ Latin American political systems;
- ⤴ Epistemological Foundations of Sociology of Power
- ⤴ Structures and dynamics of Revolutionary Movements in Latin America
- ⤴ Relation between Education and Power in the philosophical, sociological, and political debate – with special attention to Latin-America Political Movements, especially in Venezuela
- ⤴ Relation between Education and Ideology.
- ⤴ Relation between Local Powers and Local Stakeholders in Local Development
- ⤴ Processes.
- ⤴ Analysis of the Industrial Districts undergoing Economic Crisis and Related Intervention policies.

Other activities

He is a columnist on the topics of Latin America to Huffington Post Italy, International Affairs and other Italian newspapers.

He made a documentary on the sociological movement Chilean Conversations with Camila Vallejo that was presented to the Valdivia Film Festival and won an honorable mention at the Festival of Latin American Cinema of Trieste.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCES

Coordinator

From 15 March 2014 to now, Coordinator of International Centre of Democracy and democratization Latin America Luiss University

Assistant Professor

From 15 July 2013 to now Assistant Professor Political Sociology University of Perugia

Visiting Scholar Loyola University New Orleans

From 15 June to 30 July visiting scholar at College of Social Science Loyola University New Orleans

From (10-4-2013) Director of International Centre of Democracy and democratization Latin America Luiss University

Contracted Professor of Political Science

From 2010-2011 University of Tuscia (Italy)

Assistant Professor of Political Sociology
From 2009 to 2012 University of Perugia

Visiting Scholar

From 11 February to 26 March 2011 visiting scholar at Latin American Studies Department Fordham University, New York.

Sociology Researcher

From 15/07/2009 Faculty of Science of Education - University of Perugia, Italy

Lecturer

11 March 2010– Congress *Creativity and Crisis of Local Communities. New Paradigms of Socio-Cultural development in the between areas*. Lecture *Local Development and Local Powers – towards a approach to the cooperation networks and to the social growth's synergies of the territory*. The congress was organized by the University of Perugia, Faculty of Science of Education,

Course Coordinator

September 2009 –Coordinator of the EDA VT/5 Committee – Education of Adults.

Lecturer

22 October 2009 – Congress *How to think Georg Simmel in the post-centenary of Soziologie: heritage and perspectives*. Lecture *Dynamic Disbalance: Power and Social Conditioning in George Simmel*. The congress was organized by the University of Perugia, Faculty of Science of Investigation and Security.

Lecturer Professor

5-8 October 2009 – Professor of “Elements of Psychology and Sociology” at CNIPA Puglia, Italy – course for Social-Health Operators.

Lecturer

21 April 2009 – Lecture *Ideology, Education, and Society in Latin-America* at the University of Teramo, Faculty of Political Science.

Junior Researcher

May 2008 – January 2009. Representative of the University of Perugia to the ISFOL/STRURZO research project *Associationism of Social promotion: local and network's policies, leadership, participation*.

Lecturer

6 June 2008 – Lecture *The Invisible Society's Relationships. Simmel's contribution to the development of the analytical power*. The congress was organized by the Italian Association of Sociology (Social Theory section) at University “Roma Tre” of Rome, Italy. The lecture is going to be published in coming weeks.

Consultant

April – May 2008. Organization of the Congress *Technological Innovation and Culture* in cooperation with FILAS – Lazio Region Company. The Congress took place on 15-18 May 2008 in relation with the National event *Let's Open our Mind*.

Lecturer

5 April 2008. Lecture *Utopia and Ideology as Cultural Systems: the contribution of Analytical Power*

to an old issue. The lecture was part of the congress *Utopia. Dedicated to Francesco Maria Battisti* organized by University “Roma Tre” of Rome, Italy.

Post-Doc

July 2006 – July 2007 and July 2008- July 2009. Researcher at the *Human and Social Science Department* at the University of Cassino, Italy.

Contracted Professor

July 2006 – July 2007 and July 2008- July 2009. Professor of Sociology at the University of Cassino, Italy – Faculty of Literature and Philosophy - Science of Education Department.

Coordinator and Lecturer

12 December 2007. *Debate on Local Development* at Lazio Region headquarters.

Consultant

October 2007 – January 2008. Methodology consultancy to the project *Participation Lazio Region 2007*.

Consultant

November 2006 – June 2007. Cultural Projects’ consultant to the Municipality of Rome, Italy – Department for suburbs, labour and education policies.

Scientific Coordinator

May – November 2006. *First Inquiry on Italian Journalism* organized by the National Journalists Association – FNSI and under the scientific direction of Professor Francesco Maria Battisti.

Lecturer

18 May 2006 – Lecture *Society and Ideology* at the congress *Mind, Body, and Reality* organized in Rieti , University of Rome “La Sapienza”

Lecturer

21 April 2006 – Lecture *A Philosophy to Think. General Thoughts on Teaching Philosophy in Schools* at the *62nd Annual Meeting of Philosophy of Education Society*, Puerto Vallarta – Mexico.

Contracted Professor

2005 – 2007. Professor of *Sociology of Social Changes* at the Faculty of Literature and Philosophy of the University of Cassino – Italy – Department of Science of Communication.

Fellowship

November 2003 – March 2004. Fellowship at the Universidad Simon Rodriguez de Barquisimeto – Venezuela.

Assistant to the Professor

September 2002 – Present. Assistant to the Professor Francesco Maria Battistini for the Sociology course, Faculty of Literature and Philosophy of the University of Cassino, Italy.

Junior Researcher

May 2002/ may 2004 –. Researcher for the European Research Project EMPLOCTOOL on the comparative analyses of different European Community areas.

Consultant

January – June 2002. Consultancy on the establishment of an *Observatory of Social Affairs* in cooperation with the association XIII Comunità Montana dei Monti Lepini, Latina, Italy, under the umbrella of the Sociology course, Faculty of Literature and Philosophy of the University of Cassino, Italy.

Lecturer

15 February 2002 – Lecture *The Private sphere as Claim and Presumption. A Wittgensteinian Interpretation* at the Congress *Language and Perception* organized by University of Rome “La Sapienza”, Italy – Faculty of Philosophy. The abstracts of the congress have been published by Carrocci Editing, Rome 2002.

Philological Director

December 2001 – present. Director of the *Machiavelli Project* session in the website www.lastoria.org of the University of Milan, Italy.

Consultant

July 2000 – September 2002. Consultant to the Centre of Studies “Eugenio Battisti”, Rome, Italy on publications photographic editing archivist at the *Battisti Library and Epistolarium, and congresses’ coordinator*.

PUBLICATIONS

- o Chávez’s children. Ideology, education, and society in Latin America, Lexington, Washington, 2013.
- o (editors) Manuel Anselmi and Lucio Meglio, *Tempo libero, Tempo del lavoro*, (Free Time, Working Time), Bevivino, Milan 2009.
- o Sviluppo locale e partecipazione (Local Development and Participation. The negative example of the Industrial District of Civita Castellana), included in *Quale identità per i partiti politici nell’era post-ideologica? (What identity for political parties in the post-ideological age?)*, (editors) Renata Micheli, Morlacchi, Perugia 2009.
- o
Link: <http://www.morlacchilibri.com/universitypress/Centro%20Studi%20Ezio%20Vanoni%20libro-400.html>
- o Pensare la resistenza, salvare la resistenza. (To think the Italian Resistance Movement, to save the Italian Resistance Movement), included in *La morale della favola* (editors) Ferdinando Vaselli and Marco Trulli, Purple Press Editing, Rome 2009. Link: <http://www.ibs.it/code/9788895903309/morale-della-favola.html>
- o I Bambini di Chavez. Ideologia educazione e società in America Latina (Chávez’s children. Ideology, education, and society in Latin America), Franco Angeli Editing, Milan 2008.
Link http://www.francoangeli.it/ricerca/Scheda_libro.aspx?id=15949

Evaluating Local Commitment for Employment. towards a realisation of the European Employment Strategy., Wolfgang E. Baaske, Bettina Lancaster (editors), Studia, Universitätsverlag Rudolf Trauner, Linz 2004. Link:
Link: <http://openlibrary.org/b/OL18838662M/EmplocTool>

Dove natura manca. Il posto dell'educazione tra pedagogia e politica, alcune riflessioni su dei versi di Machiavelli ("...where nature is missing", the place for education. Between pedagogy and politics, some reflections on different Niccolò Machiavelli's lines included in Ognuno cresce solo se sognato in Literature and pedagogy, (editors) E. Midolla and R. Sandrucci, Sciascia Editing, Caltanissetta 2004.

o Persi tra Dante e il brigante(Lost between Dante and the bandit), foreword to Dante Bandit. Violence in the Forest, Stampa Alternativa Editing, Rome 2002.
Reviews:http://www.provincia.grosseto.it/prov_inf/2001/04/105

o Il privato come rivendicazione e presunzione. Una interpretazione wittgensteiniana. (The Private sphere as Claim and Presumption. A Wittgensteinian Interpretation) Included in

o Language and Perception, (editors) R. Contessi, T. Russo and M. Mazzeo, Carocci Editing, Roma 2002.

o Degree thesis Niccolò Machiavelli and the education, published by the website

o www.cultureducazione.it under the umbrella of the course of Pedagogy of the Faculty of Literature and Philosophy of the University of Rome "La Sapienza", Italy – April 2000.

