

## CURRICULUM VITAE ET STUDIORUM

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### **Current positions**

**Research fellow** in International Law and European Union Law at the Law Department of the University of Catania researching on the project "Fundamental right's protection and public policy clause in the private international law system"; scientific supervisor Prof. Rosario Sapienza.

### **Education**

**2007/2008**, PhD in "Profili della cittadinanza nella costruzione dell'Europa", at the University of Catania, Faculties of Political Science and Law discussing a final disserta-

tion on "Fundamental rights' protection and counterlimit doctrine". Supervisor Prof. Rosario Sapienza - Coordinator Prof. Pietro Barcellona.

**2004 (january-march), "University of New South Wales" di Sydney, Australia, "Level 2 Certificate in Advanced English", University of Cambridge, ESOL Examinations.**

**2003 (november), Law Degree** (Laurea in Giurisprudenza, 110/110), The School of Law, University of Catania, discussing a dissertation on: "The European Constitution's debate", supervisor Prof. Rosario Sapienza.

**2002 (22 - 26 march), National Model United Nation** at the National Collegiate Conference Association, UN's non governmental organization, New York.

**2000/2001, "Certificate of International and comparative Law: Fundamental Issues",** at the Katholieke Universiteit Brabant" di Tilburg (Olanda), Faculty of Law.

**1995/1996, Baccalaureate** at Liceo-Ginnasio Statale "Michele Amari", Giarre (CT).

#### TEACHING AND RESEARCH COLLABORATION

**2013 to date: cultrice della materia** in International Law and European Union Law at the Law Department of the University of Catania and member of International Law, European Law and International Private Law exams' commissions at the same Department.

**2012 to date:** Clinical Tutoring, Public International Law Course "Il diritto internazionale nel processo italiano" (Prof. Rosario Sapienza);

#### PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITY

(2003-2009), Legal practice at Libertini & Associati Law firm, Catania;

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