Curriculum Vitae

Diego Del Priore

2014 - 2018 Ph.D in EU Affairs and Multi-level Governance
Università degli Studi di Teramo (Italy)

Research in political science, European affairs, EU law, decision-making process, with a specific focus on social and employment policies in the European Union. Contribution to research projects for the Italian Ministry of Foreign Affairs. Research activity in Belgium and UK. Selected to work as consultant to a project for the Brussels-based organization, Solidar, concerning the analysis of alternatives to austerity policies. This initiative is addressed to the MEPs and was presented to the European Parliament. Responsible for the editorial committee at the European Observatory (University of Teramo).

2012 - 2017 Research and Communications Assistant

Institute for Advanced Studies in Geopolitics and Auxiliary Sciences (IsAG) 7 Rome (Italy)

Activity of research; editing of articles, reports and papers concerning international affairs, economic and social issues, EU and Middle East; Israeli-Palestinian conflict; media and press relations; interviews; supervising interns; support to raise the visibility of the Institute's activity to national and EU level; Research activity in Brussels, London, Paris, Copenhagen, Israel, West Bank.

Head of the Secretariat of the Under Secretary of State

2011 - 2013 Ministry of Infrastructure and Transport Rome (Italy)

Editing policy briefs and reports; external relations; management of relations with the Italian Parliament, media and press, stakeholders, trade unions; coordination of the office; management of the parliamentary agenda, administrative activity, research, public relations with both political and institutional actors, event and meetings organisation.

Communications and Advocacy Assistant

2011 Human Rights Watch Brussels (Belgium)

Research; development of research to expand and maintain lists of journalists reporting on human rights issues, broadening the impact and reach of HRW's statements; editing of reports; contacts with press and media; assistance with press briefings and conferences; collaboration with the EU Advocacy department; organization of events and press conferences.

2010 Personal Assistant to the Counsellor

Permanent Representation of Italy to the European Union (Mediterranean/Middle East Department) Brussels (Belgium)

Editing of dossier concerning EU policy on Middle East and Mediterranean; collaboration in preparing the Association Councils between EU and Algeria, Lebanon and Tunisia; assistance to the work of the Council Mashrek/Maghreb and Middle East/Gulf (conclusions on the situation of Gaza Strip and Neighbourhood European Policy, Union for Mediterranean)

2010 **Project Manager**

Italian Trade Commission Copenhagen (Denmark)

Management of two workshops held in Copenhagen concerning the promotion of Italian exporting companies in the Danish market. Organization of meetings, seminars, contacts and logistics. Media and press relations.

2007 - present

Journalist (card n. 120929)

Several periodicals and local reviews, Rome (Italy)

Editing of articles concerning economic, environmental, political affairs; drafting press releases; interviews.

EDUCATION - OTHER

Master in Diplomatic Studies

SIOI - Società Italiana per l'Organizzazione Internazionale, Rome (Italy)

Studies of Diplomacy, International law, Human Rights standards, EU law, English, French.

Master's degree in International Relations

"La Sapienza" Università di Roma, Rome (Italy)

International and European law, Italian and comparative constitutional Law, international organisations, economics, languages (English, French and Spanish), geopolitics, history. Final grade - 110/110 e lode

Research grant Student

Institut du Monde Arabe, Paris (France); School of Oriental and African Studies (SOAS), London (United Kingdom)

Research for the editing of my Master thesis concerning the Israeli-Palestinian conflict

Exchange Student

Copenhagen Business School, Copenhagen (Denmark)

Exams and attendance of lessons and seminars in the framework of the Erasmus programme. English courses for business students.

Bachelor degree in Political Science and International Relations

"La Sapienza" Università di Roma, Rome (Italy)

Modern and contemporary history, political science, international law, public

Mother tongue(s) Italian

French Spanish

English

Other language(s)

UNDERSTANDING SPEAKING WRITING Spoken interaction Listening Reading Spoken production C2 В1 В1 A2 A2 A2

 $Levels: A1/A2: Basic user - B1/B2: Independent user - C1/C2: Proficient user \\ \underline{Common European Framework of Reference for Languages}$