

Francesca Battistelli

Curriculum Vitae e studiorum

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Work experience

I am a Senior PM - Graduated in International Relations with a post-university specialization in European Public Relations, I have over 15 years of experience in PM and financial management, mainly in the framework of national and EU funded projects. I managed different kind of working groups and achieved different kind of goals, both for public institutions and private organisations and companies.

March 2021 - ongoing:

National Research Council, Institute of Atmospheric Pollution Research – Area della Ricerca Roma1 – Montelibretti (RM), Italy

Research grant on "Support in the writing and management of projects at national and European level and in particular within the IANOS project (IntegrATed SolutioNs for the DecarbOnization and Smartification of Islands), notice AR 13/2020 prot. no. 0003739/2020 of 20/11/2020

Task & responsibilities: management of European-funded and national projects, implementation of some project activities, proposal design coordination for EU calls, consortium management.

May 2022 – Ongoing:

Consultant

Working as consultant for EU project development and assessment for different companies:

Professionisti e Consulenti Italia – proposal development for companies and public institution

SETIN srl – Working Strategy development and Assessment with Theory of change method for SETIN clients; Interreg MED proposal.

September 2007 – March 2021:

Legambiente ONLUS – National headquarter – Rome, Italy

Protected Areas and Biodiversity Office (from 2020): Policy officer for Climate and Forestry; technical management of European projects; drafting of thematic dossiers (forest bio-economy, state of biodiversity conservation...), organisation of events/conferences

Project development office (2008-2020): project management, researching national and European calls for proposals, planning proposal submission, relations with Italian and foreign project partners, relations with donors, reporting activities, financial management,

Mediterranean and International (from 2015): Relations with other associations, networks and bodies in the environmental sector in the Mediterranean basin. Organisation of and participation in events; advocacy activities; definition of common policies; organisation of signature collection campaigns. Focus on minor islands and marine litter.

“Salvitalia” Campaign (2007-2012): campaign assistant: planning interventions, contacts with sponsors, institutions and local volunteers, management of communication materials, organisation of events.

Projects awarded and managed during this assignment include:

- “Green Post, Green Alternative Postal Vehicle Project” (**EIE/07/119/SI2,466271**) 01/01/2008 – 30/06/2010; Lead partner: Poste Italiane SpA
- “FISHSCALE, Food Information and Safeguard of Habitat a Sustainable Consumption Approach in Local Environment” (**LIFE09/INF/IT/000076**) 01/10/2010 - 30/09/2013; Lead partner: Costa Edutainment S.p.A
- “ZeroCo2: Zero Emission COmmunities – piccoli comuni a zero emissioni”(**2G-MED09-452**) 01/06/2010 – 31/05/2012; Lead Partner: Provincia di Massa Carrara
- “RECOIL - RECovered waste cooking OIL for combined heat and power production” (**LIFE10/ENV/IT/000341**), 01/09/2011 - 28/02/2015; Lead Partner: AzzeroCo2
- “Towards 100% RES rural communities I00-RES-COMMUNITIES (**IEE/1 1/014/512.616363**), 01/04/12 - 31/03/15; Lead Partner: Centre de Recherche pour l'énergie renouvelables (CLER)
- “Bioeparks – Developing an efficient and sustainable biomass supply chain in 5 European Nature Parks” (**IEE/12/994/SI2.645924**), 01/04/13- 31/03/16; Lead Partner: Legambiente Onlus
- “Market Watch” (**IEE/12/858/SI2.644761**), 01/04/13- 31/03/16; Lead Partner: Energy Saving trust
- “CIVIC – Common Intervention on Vulnerabilities in Chains” (**HOME/2013/ISEC/FINEC/4000005244**), 01/09/14 – 31/08/16; Lead Partner: Corpo Forestale dello Stato (Italian national Forestry Corp)
- “Increasing Social Awareness and ACceptance of biogas and biomethane” (**H2020 ISAAC (691875)**), 01/01/2016 - 30/06/2018; Lead Partner: AzzeroCo2
- “MEDSeaLitter - Developing Mediterranean-specific protocols to protect biodiversity from litter impact at basin and local MPAs scales” (**MED programme/1134**), 01/11/2016 - 31/07/2020 - Lead Partner: Parco Nazionale delle 5 Terre
- LIFE 360: a multi-stakeholder platform for inclusive and ambitious 2030 climate plans (LIFE PLAN UP) (**LIFE17 GIC/AT/000039**), 01/07/2018 – 30/06/2021; Lead Partner: Carbon Market Watch
- “Municipalities integrating transport mobility, land-use and energy” (**H2020-MULTIPLY (785088)**), 01/11/2018 – 31/10/2021; Lead Partner: Deutsche Umwelthilfe e.V.

- “Developing and strengthening cross-sectoral linkages among actors in sustainable biocomposite packaging innovation systems in a Central European circular economy (BIOCOMPACT – CE)” (CE 1237), 01/05/2017– 30/06/2020; Lead Partner: Kemijski inštitut (Slovenia)
- “COMMON - COastal Management and MOnitoring Network for tackling marine litter in Mediterranean Sea (ENI CBC MED A_B.4 4_0080_COMMON) 04/09/2019 - 03/09/2022; Lead Partner : Legambiente Onlus
- “LIFE CO2PEF&PES” (LIFE 19/CCM/IT/001201), 3/06/2020 - 31/12/2023; Lead Partner: Scuola Universitaria Superiore Sant’Anna

March 2014 – August 2015:

Asinitas Onlus – Rome, Italy

Project development and project management consultant: project management and reporting of projects funded by various institutions for the inclusion and teaching of Italian L2 to migrants and asylum seekers or migrant women: management of activities and working groups, relations with Italian and foreign project partners, reporting activities

July – September 2009:

INEX-SDA – Prague, Czech Republic

EU Leonardo Training Programme (Lifelong Learning Programme): Assistant in the outcoming sector for volunteer working camps; evaluation of camps in the incoming sector. Work activity in English.

Da September 2006 – August 2007

Legambiente ONLUS – National headquarter – Rome, Italy – National civil service

Agriculture Office: organisation of information campaigns, relations with sponsors, drafting of thematic dossiers;

Campagna Salvitalia: campaign assistant: planning interventions, contacts with sponsors, institutions and local volunteers, management of communication materials, organisation of events.

“Goletta Verde del Mediterraneo” (Mediterranean Green Schooner) Campaign: logistic organisation of the campaign (stops in Catalonia, Corsica, Sardinia), relations with local stakeholders and local Legambiente local branches.

February – May 2003

RÉSEAU Environnement, Montréal, Québec, Canada

Internship at the "Service de Développement des Marchés", organisation of business trips and trade fairs for companies in the environmental services sector; project officer for the Sustainable Cities Project with the Canadian Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

Americana 2003" trade fair: stand hostess, reception and information; member of the organising committee;

Publications, reports, articles

- “Report di Analisi, sistematizzazione dei dati e progettazione del database per il DSS” – Specialist study for the development of a plan aimed at defining a management system for the roads network of the Metropolitan City of Rome (SIGePaS project)

- Patrizio Tratzi, Doan Thanh Ta, Zhiping Zhang, Marco Torre, Francesca Battistelli, Eros Manzo, Valerio Paolini, Quanguo Zhang, Chenyeon Chu, Francesco Petracchini, Sustainable additives for the regulation of NH3 concentration and emissions during the production of biomethane and biohydrogen: A review, *Bioresource Technology*, Volume 346, 2022, 126596, ISSN 0960-8524, <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.biortech.2021.126596>.
- Report "Sustainable Islands", 2021 edition. ISBN: 978-88-6224-024-6
- A. Nicoletti, F. Barbera, F. Battistelli, L. Gallerano, S. Raimondi, 2020, "La bioeconomia delle foreste: conservare, ricostruire, rigenerare"
- S. Carpentieri, F. Battistelli, L. Buetti, F. Spinelli, C. Vecchi (edited by), 2020, "Il bilancio sociale 2019 di Legambiente"
- F. Battistelli, A. Minutolo, A. Scialoja, G. Zampetti, T. Schäfer, B. Kieslinger, M. García González, S. Egger, 2017, CAPTOR project - D4.4 "Engagement and empowerment report for citizen science".
- M. Dominici, F. Battistelli, R. Guadagnini, D. Sciarra, 2007, Dossier "Pesticidi nel piatto", Legambiente

Education and Qualification

Degree in International and Diplomatic Sciences, 18/03/2005

awarded by the University of Bologna (Forlì campus), Italy

Dissertation with the following title: "Private military companies, a foreign policy tool for states"

Supervisor: Prof. Marco Cesa, Subject: Strategic studies.

Vote 105/110

Academic Year 2002/2003: Overseas programme at **Université de Montréal**, Canada

Scientific high school diploma (National Computer Science Plan), 1999,

Liceo "T.Parentucelli", Sarzana (SP) – Italy

Vote 100/100

School year 1997/98 on annual individual exchange programme at **École de Rochebelle**, Sainte-Foy (Québec, Canada)

Training - professional development courses and other courses

English

February 2017 – July 2020

Online conversation course on Fluentify.com platform – *Speaking practice*

"The Work of Facilitator" course

April – May 2015

at the Social School of the Metropolitan City of Rome, Italy

Topics dealt with: group facilitation, participatory processes, participatory planning.

Course "Methods and techniques for the design and management of projects funded by the European Union".

19-20-21 December 2013

at Regione Lazio, course delivered by Professionisti per L'Europa, Rome, Italy

Topics covered: Funding matrix, Project Cycle Management, proposal construction, partnership construction

Technical Seminar for First Level Controllers and Financial Managers of MED projects

October 2010

provided by the National Managing Authority and the Joint Technical Secretariat - Naples, Italy

Postgraduate Master in European Public Relations

January – September 2006

delivered by: Ateneo Impresa Business School, Rome, Italy

Topics covered: Communication, event organisation, lobbying techniques, institutional relations

Language skills

English, writing and speaking, B2 level

French, writing and speaking, C2 level, learned in language immersion

Computer skills

Microsoft Office package; Windows operating system and some knowledge in the Apple area; FrontPage and html language; Electronic mail (Outlook, Outlook express, LotusNotes, thunderbird); data processing software; FileMaker; internet.

Other skills

In my work, I have managed teams with a wide range of cultural and sectoral backgrounds and skills, and have been comfortable in all situations, demonstrating leadership skills. I demonstrated my ability to negotiate with partners and project leaders in which I was involved and with sponsors/donors who financed the activities for which I was responsible. I have often had to organise events at national and international level, even on short notice, demonstrating organisational and interpersonal skills, gaining success and appreciation. I like working in a team but I can also work autonomously, respecting objectives and deadlines. My proposal design and development experience has tested me in working under stress, without losing sight of the objective and the ability to work in groups and in complex systems.

I am currently a member of the Assembly of Delegates of Legambiente Onlus, the highest political body of the association.

I have a category B driving licence

Other activities

Since 1999 I have been working as a volunteer for the association Intercultura at local and national level, with different roles and responsibilities: presidency of the local group; organization and conduction of meetings of preparation for a study abroad; intercultural education; promotion of the association's programs; public relations at local level and sponsorship search; management of groups; accompanying groups of 16-years-old students abroad.

In the years 2005-2006 I was in charge of writing articles of analysis of international relations for the website equilibri.net.

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