

Curriculum Vitae

Name of the researcher: Dr. Adele Valeria Messina

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EDUCATION

13/01/2009 – 31/10/2011 Ph.D. in Politics, Society and Culture, Department of Political and Social Sciences (DiSPeS), University of Calabria (Unical), Italy. Title: *La distruzione degli ebrei e la sociologia dal 1933 a oggi* – later published as a book (*American Sociology and Holocaust Studies*, Academic Studies Press and Open Access), Excellent, 28/01/2013

2006-2007 International Master's Diploma in Teaching the Holocaust, Advanced Training and Interdisciplinary Specialization, 2nd level, Department of Science of Education, University of Roma Tre, Italy. Title: *La non modernità della Shoah*, Excellent, 20/05/2008

2004-2006 Master's Degree in Political Science, Faculty of Political Sciences, Unical, Italy. Title: *Verità, menzogna, testimonianza dopo Auschwitz*, 110/110 *cum laude*, 28/09/2006

2001-2004 Bachelor's Degree in Political Science and International Relations, Faculty of Political Sciences Unical, Italy. Title: "Satyagraha" la forza della verità, 110/110 *cum laude*, 23/07/2004

CURRENT POSITION

31/03/2025 – 31/03/2028 Assistant Professor/Ricercatrice a tempo determinato, ex lege 240/2010 – Piano Nazionale di Ripresa e Resilienza (PNRR) *per chiamata diretta*, Seal of Excellence (SoE) – of History and Institutions of Asia at the Department of Humanities, Social Sciences and Cultural Industries of University of Parma (Gruppo Scientifico Disciplinare 14/GSPS-04 "Storia internazionale e studi di area", SSD GSPS-04/D "Storia e Istituzioni dell'Asia")

PREVIOUS POSITIONS

01/11/2023-31/12/2023 Expert Consultant, Project Preserving Iraqi Heritage, UNESCO, Baghdad, Iraq

03/12/2021-30/11/2023 Junior Fellow, FSCIRE, Bologna, Italy, for Plorabunt Project "Religion and Politics"

09/01/2020-30/06/2020 Expert committed for program "Percorsi di interculturalità" by Sistema Bibliotecario Vibonese with Unical, funded by Funds of Plan "Culture Urban Future" of the Ministry of Cultural Heritage and Activities and Tourism, Italy

23/07/2007-15/02/2008 Intern (research, storage of archival data) at the National Association of Italian Partisans (ANPI), Centro Telematico di Storia Contemporanea, Casa della memoria e della storia, Rome, Italy

FELLOWSHIPS (SELECTED)

20/06/ – 11/07/2021 ReIReS Fellowship (TNA, Horizon 2020) KU Leuven, De Smedt Archives, Belgium

23/09/ – 20/10/2018 EHRI Fellowship, Wiener Library, London. Outreach: Report "Analysis of the (Pseudo) Sceptical Methodology in B.R. Smith's Papers," 19/10/2018, Wiener Library

08/07/–01/08/2013 Ministry of Foreign Affairs Fellowship, Hebrew Summer Ulpan, Haifa University, Israel

13/01/2009-31/10/2011 PhD Fellowship Politics, Society and Culture, DiSPeS, Unical, Italy

2006-2007 Voucher Extra Regional for High Education, Italy

2004-2006 Fellowship Master's Degree, Unical, Italy

2001-2004 Bachelor's Degree Fellowship, Unical, Italy

INTERNATIONAL ADVANCED SCHOOL/TRAINING

Wintersemester 2024-2025 Sprachkurs in Biblisch-Hebräisch, Augustana-Hochschule, Neuendettelsau, Germany

08.10/07/2024 Venice Summer School in Digital and Public Humanities 2024, online

13-17/05/2024 MSCA@UNIPR BOOTCAMP 2024, UNIPR, Italy

09/2023 – 05/2024 Online Advanced Course, Biblical Hebrew, Aramaic, Syriac, 36 hours, FSCIRE, Bologna-Palermo, Italy

29/09/2023 RESILIENCE Workshop FAIR Principles and Religious Studies, resilience-ri.eu, online

17-18/07/2023 ITSERR – Italian Strengthening of the ESFRI RI RESILIENCE, FSCIRE, Bologna, Italy

8.22.29/03/2022 Seminar Cattedra Lombardini, Paolo ebreo?, Emilia Romagna Theological Faculty and Foundation Lombardini for the Jewish Christian Studies, online

19/03–13/05/2018 Antisemitism: From Its Origins to the Present, E-Learning Department of the International School of Holocaust Studies, Yad Vashem

Semester 2016-01a, Modern Hebrew Online Course Stage 1, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, 30 hours

3–8/12/2013, Rethinking and Teaching Nazism, Winter Graduate School, Mémorial de la Shoah in cooperation with the Memorial to the Murdered Jews of Europe, Berlin, Germany, 36 hours

4–8/08/2013 Teaching the Holocaust at Memorial Sites, EU Department & Yad Vashem, Lublin, Poland

2–6/01/2012 Thinking and Teaching the Holocaust, Winter Graduate School, Mémorial de la Shoah, Paris, France

21-28/08/2011 Holocaust Studies and Educational Materials, Yad Vashem

07-11/2010 English POR FSE Calabria 2007-2013, CLA, Unical

30/06-20/07/2004 Spanish Project ERASMUS, CLA, Unical

TEACHING ACTIVITIES

2026-2027 Assistant Professor, Interculture and Institutional Pluralism - Unit 1 (first cycle degree, Global Studies for Sustainable Local and International Development and Cooperation, Edunext), Department of Humanities, Social Sciences and Cultural Industries of University of Parma (Unipr), Italy

2026-2027 Assistant Professor, Interculture and Institutional Pluralism - Unit 2 (first cycle degree, Global Studies for Sustainable Local and International Development and Cooperation, Edunext), Department of Humanities, Social Sciences and Cultural Industries of University of Parma (Unipr), Italy

2026-2027 **Assistant Professor**, Intercultural Institutions and Communication (First cycle degree), Department of Humanities, Social Sciences and Cultural Industries of University of Parma (Unipr), Italy

2025-2026 **Assistant Professor**, Intercultural Institutions and Communication (First cycle degree), Department of Humanities, Social Sciences and Cultural Industries of University of Parma (Unipr), Italy

2024-2025 **Assistant Professor**, Intercultural Institutions and Communication (First cycle degree, Communication and Contemporary Media for Creative Industries), Department of Humanities, Social Sciences and Cultural Industries of University of Parma (Unipr), Italy

2022-2023 **Adjunct Professor**, Talmud (MA Students), Department of Culture and Society, Palermo University (Unipa), Italy

2022-2023 **Adjunct Professor**, History of Judaism in Modern and Contemporary Ages (MA Students) Department of Culture and Society, Unipa, Italy

2021-2022 **Adjunct Professor**, History of Judaism in Modern and Contemporary Ages (MA Students) Department of Culture and Society, Unipa, Italy

23/09/2019-19/09/2020 **Adjunct Professor**, Contemporary History (BA Students), Department of Culture, Education and Society (DiCES), Unical, Italy

01/10/2018-21/09/2019 **Tutorial Teaching**, Contemporary History (BA Students), DiSPeS, Unical, Italy

02/10/2017-22/09/2018 **Adjunct Professor**, Contemporary History (BA Students), DiSPeS, Unical, Italy

21/09/2015-31/12/2015 **Tutoring Teaching**, Contemporary History (BA Students), DiSPeS, Unical, Italy

24/05/2012-20/06/2012 **Tutoring Teaching**, History of Human Rights and Citizenship, Faculty of Political Sciences, Unical, Italy

19/04/2012-14/07/2012 **Tutoring Teaching**, Economic History (BA Students), DESF, Unical, Italy

02/11/2010-30/09/2011 **Tutorial Teaching**, Contemporary History (BA Students), DiSPeS, Unical, Italy

18/12/2008-30/09/2009 **Tutorial Teaching**, Contemporary History (BA Students), Faculty of Political Sciences, Unical, Italy

30/11/2009-30/09/2010 **Tutoring Teaching**, Contemporary History (BA Students), Faculty of Political Sciences, Unical, Italy

25/02/2008-30/09/2008 **Tutorial Teaching**, Contemporary History (BA Students), Faculty of Political Sciences, Unical, Italy

08/09/2008-30/11/2008 **Tutoring Teaching**, Modern and Contemporary World (BA Students), Faculty of Political Sciences, Unical, Italy

20/11/2006-30/09/2007 **Tutorial Teaching**, Contemporary History (BA Students), Faculty of Political Sciences, Unical, Italy

SUPERVISING AND MENTORING ACTIVITIES FOR BA, MA, PHD STUDENTS, POSTDOC

2025-Today Bachelor Thesis, PhD Students, Supervision postdoc

09/06/2023 as invited GUEST, SHARI Seminar in Theology and Religious Studies

03-11/2023 Supervision 1 PhD Student, FSCIRE, Italy

2019-20 Assignment Degree Thesis (14/04/2020; 15/05/2020; 18/06/2020) DiCES, Unical, Italy

PUBLICATIONS

Monographs

American Sociology and Holocaust Studies: The Alleged Silence and the Creation of the Sociological Delay. Boston: Academic Studies Press, 2017. Reprint 2021 in Open Access through Academic Studies Press and Knowledge Unlatched, Germany. DOI <https://doi.org/10.1515/9781618115485>, 4 eds

(Selected) Reviews of: L.G. Bihler, *American Jewish History* 102, no. 4 (2018): 587-589. <https://muse.jhu.edu/>; P. Jedlowski, *Rassegna Italiana di Sociologia* 4 (2018): 857-858. DOI: 10.1423/92212

(Selected) Citations in: R. J. Berger, *Sociology and the Holocaust: A Discipline Grapples with History*, New York: Routledge, 2024; Jan Burzlaff, "Histories in Motion: The Holocaust, Social Science Research, and the Historian," in *Politics, Violence, Memory: The New Social Science of the Holocaust* edited by Jeffery Kopstein, Jelena Subotić, and Susan Welch, 53-66, Ithaca, NY, 2023; online edn, Cornell Scholarship Online, 18 May 2023), <https://doi.org/10.7591/cornell/9781501766749.001.0001>; Konrad H. Jarausch, "History of Society and Holocaust Research: Thoughts on a Tenuous Relationship," in *Beyond Ordinary Men: Christopher R. Browning and Holocaust Historiography*, edited by Thomas Pegelow Kaplan, Jürgen Matthäus, and Mark W. Hornburg, 176-189, Leiden: Brill, 2019, DOI: https://doi.org/10.30965/9783657792665_015; Poland's Holocaust, *Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia*; Ulas Samchuk *Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia*; Ukrainian collaboration with Nazi Germany, *Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia*

Articles in Peer-Reviewed Scientific Journals

"La retorica antisemita e l'επανόρθωσις come suo principio," *Rhetorik*, 44, no. 1 (2025): 43-68. <https://doi.org/10.1515/rhet-2025-0005>

"Rethinking *Amidah* and partisan testimony from the non-Jewish resistance member's writings of Anna Pawełczyńska," *History of European Ideas* 50, no. 2 (2023): 266-286. DOI: 10.1080/01916599.2023.2250810

"New perspectives on Everett C. Hughes' sociological works about the Holocaust, 1930s-1980s," *Journal of Modern Jewish Studies* 19, no. 3 (2020): 337-361. <https://doi.org/10.1080/14725886.2020.1713512>

"L'idéologie raciale aux États-Unis: Edward A. Ross et la construction du discours antisémite," *Diasporas. Circulations, migrations, histoire* 31 (2018): 115-29. <https://journals.openedition.org/diasporas/1336>

"Nel campo di Auschwitz," *Deportate, Esuli, Profughe* 30 (2016): 202-26. ISSN 1824 - 4483. Copyright: licenza Creative Commons CC BY-NC-ND, <https://www.unive.it/pag/31776/>

“Intervista con Jean-Léonard Touadi,” *Daedalus. Quaderni di storia e scienze sociali*, 4 (2012), 14 pp. Online ISSN: 1970-2175

Conference Proceedings

“La cura in ‘The Lonely Man of Faith’ di Rav Soloveitchik,” in *Le culture della cura*, a cura di Michele Cometa e Santi Di Bella, 429-439. Palermo: UnipaPress, 2025.

“Open access meets productivity: ‘Scholarship, see effect of being an efficient source,’” *Dariah Winter School: Open Data Citation for SSH* (2017): 93-94. [DARIAH_Winter_School-6-CaseStudies.pdf \(huma-num.fr\)](https://doi.org/10.1111/dariah.12111)

Edited Volumes

M. Dziaczkowska and **Adele Valeria Messina** (eds.), *Jews in Dialogue: Jewish Responses to the Challenges of Multicultural Contemporaneity*. Leiden: Brill, 2020

Book Chapters in Collective Volumes

“The contribution of Rabbi Joseph B. Soloveitchik towards *Nostra Aetate*: A lonely relationship of love” (Rome: Studium, forthcoming)

“La retorica antisemita e ἡ ἐπ'ἀνθρώπους come suo principio,” *Rhetorik*, 44, no. 1 (2025): 43-68. <https://doi.org/10.1515/rhet-2025-0005>

“R. Soloveitchik and Interreligious Dialogue: New Insights into The Lonely Man of Faith (1965)” in *Freiheit. Interreligiös. Interkulturell. Kirche-Konfession-Religion*, edited by A. Mambelli, M. Mülke, 209-224. Göttingen: V&R, 2025

“Modernity and the Holocaust: Exploring Zygmunt Bauman’s Contribution to the Sociology of the Holocaust,” in *The Anthem Companion to Zygmunt Bauman*, edited by M.H. Jacobsen, 59-75. London: Anthem Press, 2023

“Nota di chiusura. Come sulle spalle di Atlante: “את המשקל של הזכרון,” in *Noi, la vostra bandiera*, a cura di C. Ferranti, N. Santoni, 262-271. Macerata: EUM, 2022

“In cerca di pace alla ricerca della salute: punti vicini tra due esperienze,” in *Diseguaglianze e resilienza ai tempi del Covid-19*, a cura di D. Cersosimo, F. Cimatti e F. Raniolo, 1562-1583. Roma: Donzelli, 2020

“Pulire il Paese da ogni grumo insolubile”: note per uno studio su Edward Alsworth Ross e l’ideologia razziale negli Stati Uniti di fine Ottocento-inizio Novecento,” in *Figli della memoria*, a cura di P. Coen, C. Ferranti, 69-91. MC: EUM, 2014

Introductions

“Introduction” (with M. Dziaczkowska), in *Jews in Dialogue*, edited by M. Dziaczkowska and **A.V. Messina**, 1-12. Leiden: Brill (2020). <https://doi.org/10.1163/9789004425958>

Catalog, Encyclopedia, Corpus Entry and Learning Portal

“Peacemaking” in Susan De-Gaia, *Encyclopedia of Women in World Religions: Faith and Culture across History* [2 volumes]. ABC-CLIO, 2018: 185-188

“Shoah”, “Treblinka”, “Warsaw Ghetto” for the Exhibition *Ci guardano* on the Warsaw Ghetto by Z. Lipeccka (Museum of Present, CS, 22/02-10/03/2018)

Book Reviews

Review of *Percorsi storico-educativi della memoria europea. La Shoah nella società italiana* by Luca Bravi, *Mestiere di Storico. Annale Sissco* 1 (2015)

Altro

“Behind the Online Access. Notes and Papers of Everett C. Hughes: A Small Treasure for the Post-Holocaust Sociology,” *Holocaust. Studii și cercetări* (Holocaust. Study and Research) 9, no. 10 (2017): 117-39

Review of *Final Solution. The Fate of the Jews, 1933-1949* by David Cesarani, *Free Ebrei*: 6, no. 1 (2017)

INVITED LECTURES, SEMINARS, CONFERENCES (SELECTED)

Parma (University of), Department of Humanities, Social Sciences and Cultural Industries, Interdisciplinary Doctoral Course “Alterità e altrove”, 15/04/2027

Title *Practices of Coexistence of Otherness in Jerusalem of the Late Ottoman Empire and Early British Mandate (1917-1924)*

Parma, (University of), Aula Magna, Seal of Excellence Day, 07/05/2026

(<https://www.unipr.it/node/111269>; https://youtube.com/playlist?list=PLugO3WkFJ4Y_N0J0-ptO3IJz8TCG-LsJ&si=ZMz1hN8JlckgORY)

Title *Theological Reactions to the Collapse of the Ottoman Empire after the Conquest of Jerusalem in 1917*

- *Project Presentation as Principal Investigator*

Rome (Pontifical Biblical Institute), Conference on *Nostra Aetate*, 26-28/02/2025

Title *The Contribution of R. Joseph Ber Soloveitchik Towards Nostra Aetate*

Neuendettelsau (Augustana-Hochschule), Interkulturelle Theologie, Islam, Islamic Theology and Interreligious Dialogue, 03/02/2025

Guest Lecture, Title “*Se non ora, quando?*”: *Holocaust and Memory Culture in an Italian-Catholic Context (1945-2025)*

Neuendettelsau (Augustana-Hochschule), Seminario Ecuménico for international and German students and doctoral candidates, 22/01/2025

Title (with Joefererick Bin Ating, Leander-Tjorven Wiese) "Intercultural Ecumenism" - Decolonization

Neuendettelsau (Augustana-Hochschule), 23/01/2025

Guest Lecture, Title *A Jewish Post-Shoah Perspective on the Concepts of "Power" and "the Faint" in Relation to the God of Israel*

Greifswald (University of), *Fragmented Evolutions? Shifts in the Memory of the Holocaust in the Baltic Sea Region, 1989-2023*, 6-8/06/2024

Guest Lecture, Title *What did Jewish Women do? 7 Key-Terms to Keep the Memory of the Holocaust Alive*

Parma (University of), Department of Humanities, Social Sciences and Cultural Industries, 05/12/2023

Title *Qof-dàlet-shin: Holiness-Justice in Jewish Marriage*

Bologna, Augustana-Hochschule and FSCIRE, Freedom, Interreligious. Intercultural, 4-6/09/2023

Title *R. Joseph B. Soloveitchik and Interreligious Dialogue: New Insights into The Lonely Man of Faith (1965)*. Outcome:

Visiting Fellowship at Augustana-Hochschule, Germany, Wintersemester 2024-2025

Palermo (Mosque of), Meeting with Imam Sheikh Dr. BadriAl-Madani, 2/05/2023

Title *Significant places, testimonies of the presence of the three Abrahamic religions in Palermo*

Macerata (University of), International Memory Day, Edith Bruck. Testimoni nel presente, 27/01/2023

Guest Lecture, Title *Una stanza della memoria, 1933-1959: Lèchem ve-Milchamàh*

Palermo, International Conference "Le culture della cura", 12-15/12/2022

Title *La cura in The Lonely Man of Faith di Rabbi J. B. Soloveitchik*

Camaldoli, Colloqui ebraico-cristiani, I^a Settimana internazionale di studi sull'ebraismo italiano, 3-8/07/2022

Title *1873, Due racconti di Adele Levi della Vida: tra religione e rinnovamento educativo-politico* (with an invitation to edit a critical edition of the unique and rare copy at the Biblioteca Nazionale Centrale di Firenze)

Maitland, HMREC, Dr. Norman M. Wall Summer Teachers' Institute, 7-9/06/2021, online

Title: *The History of Post-Holocaust Sociology since 1945*

Florence (University of), Advanced International Course in Teaching the Shoah, 17/12/2020, online

FORLPSI: Nell'ambito del Progetto RICERCA AZIONE PARTECIPATIVA E BUONE PRATICHE DI INSEGNAMENTO PER UNA CONOSCENZA INTERDISCIPLINARE DELLA SHOAH, realizzato con il contributo della prof.ssa Silvia Guetta attraverso il Corso di Perfezionamento Didattica della Shoah: Orizzonti lontani, orizzonti impossibili. Percorsi e luoghi di accoglienza per perseguitati e profughi ebrei tra gli anni Trenta e Cinquanta

Title *Note per lo studio storico della sociologia della Shoah: voci e documenti dagli anni '30 agli anni '50*

Macerata (University of), International Memory Day, 27-28/01/2020

Title *Tra uomini normali e carnefici antisemiti*

Rende, Unical, American Sociology and Holocaust Studies, 21/11/2017

Title *American Sociology and Holocaust Studies: The Alleged Silence and the Creation of the Sociological Delay*

Rende, Unical, International Conference, Ferramonti 1943-2013, 23-25/04/2013

Title *Paul Neurath: da prigioniero politico a scienziato sociale*

Rende, Unical, International Conference, I semi del razzismo, Auschwitz: 27 gennaio 1945, 27-28/01/2012

Title *"Pulire il paese da ogni grumo insolubile": razzismo e antisemitismo nell'America della Grande Crisi*

Rome, University of Roma Tre, Le sfide della Didattica della Shoah, 10/05/2011

Title *La non modernità della Shoah*

(INVITED AFTER PEER-REVIEWED) CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS (SELECTED)

Parma (University of), Giornata di Studi. Anni capitali. Le relazioni interreligiose a Gerusalemme tra il 1917 e il 1924

Title *La protezione religiosa in Palestina negli affari politici del Regno d'Italia del 1920*

St Andrews, European Academy of Religion, *Annual Conference, Religion Inside*, 19-23/06/2023

Paper Presentation, *Reading Ancient Jewish Sources on the Archetypal Fratricide in Contemporary Studies (1980s-2020s)*.

Forthcoming Publication of "Reading Ancient Jewish Sources on the Archetypal Fratricide in Contemporary Studies (1980s-2020s)"

Palermo (University of) - FATESI, Religioni e Culture, 4/04/2023

Title *3 novembre 1869 – 14 marzo 1970: il progetto religioso-politico di una bennata ebrea a Venezia*

Cagliari Cantieri di Storia, SISSCO, 15-17/09/2021, online

Title "The Jerry Falwell-Menachem Begin Connection": Sionismo cristiano, Reagan ed equilibri mediorientali. Outreach:

Video at <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=m4qUrbZsd4s>

Münster, European Academy of Religion, *Annual Conference*, 30/08-02/09/2021

Title *Towards a Rethinking of Catholic Identity through the Critical Thinking of Ulrich Beck*

London (University), School of Advanced Study, International Conference, 29-30/03/2019

Title (with M. Berkowitz) *Remembering Jews in Europe's Future: An Appreciation of Ulrich Beck*

Jerusalem, Yad Vashem, From the Living Room to the World-Wide Web, 11-15/11/2018

Title: *The Accounts of Three non-Jewish Survivors of Auschwitz*

Sheffield (University of), Interpreting Archives: British Association of Holocaust Studies 4th Annual Conference, 25-27/07/2017

Title "Interpreting Archives": Investigating some Past Events of Jews in Everett C. Hughes' Papers

Bucharest, "Elie Wiesel" National Institute for the Study of the Holocaust, EHRI: Online Access of Holocaust Documents:

Ethical and Practical Challenges, 6-8/06/2017

Title *After the Dariah Winter School in Prague: The Online Access of Everett C. Hughes' Works*

Prague (Charles University of/Univerzita Karlova), Open Data Citation for Social Science and Humanities: DARIAH's Humanities at Scale Winter School, 24-28/10/2016

Title Open Access Meets Productivity: "Scholarship, See Effect of Being an Efficient Source"

Rende, Unical, “*Donne nei Lager. Esperienze della deportazione.*” Seminario attorno al libro di Alessandra Chiappano “*Le deportazioni femminili dall’Italia fra storia e memoria*”, 18/02/2015

Title *Auschwitz visto con gli occhi di una scienziata sociale: la deportazione politica di Anna Pawelczyńska*

Catania (University of), Società Italiana per lo Studio della Storia Contemporanea (SISSCO), Storie in corso VI, Attorno alla Guerra Civile Europea, 26-28/05/2011

Title *Sociologia e Shoah. Una ricognizione storica*

ORGANIZATION OF INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES AND SCIENTIFIC MEETINGS

Organizer with Francesco Paolo Lo Muzio e Lia Talozzi, Seal of Excellence Day, at University of Parma, Italy, 07/05/2026

Organizer of interdisciplinary day of studies *Anni capitali. Le relazioni interreligiose a Gerusalemme tra il 1917 e il 1924* at UNIPR’s De Cive and CSEIA, Italy, 11/02/2025 with a paper *La protezione religiosa in Palestina negli affari politici del Regno d’Italia del 1920*

Organizer of Panel Plorabunt, EuARe, St Andrews, Scotland, 19-23/06/2023, Outcome of *Plorabunt* Project

Organizer of Panel Quest for Religious Diversity, EuARe, Bologna, Italy, 20-23/06/2022

Organizer (with M. Dziackowska) of 5 Panels, EuARe 2019-2021, Bologna, Italy, Münster, Germany

COMMISSIONS OF TRUST (SELECTED)

2026 Member MSCA_BOOTCAMP2026 Call Evaluation Committee (DR n. 146 del 05.02.2026)

2024-Today Peer-Review Board, *History of European Ideas*, Taylor & Francis, London

2022-Today Member of Academic Steering Committee, *Women in the Holocaust International Study Centre* (WHISC) Moreshet, Israel, and the Claims Conference Scholarships for Outstanding PhD Students, Honorary president: Prof. C. Rittner

2022-Today Review Board, *Political Science & International*, OPAST GROUP LLC, Overland Park, KS, USA

2021-2020 Review Board, *Journal of Political Science & International Relations* (SciencePG), New York, USA

2021-Today Member of the Scientific Committee, *Il Tempo, la storia, la memoria*, EUM, Macerata, Italy

2021 Review Panel Member, *Christianity and Alterity*, EuARe 2021, Münster, Germany

2019 Review Panel Member, *Jews in Dialogue*, EuARe 2019, Bologna, Italy

2019-Today Member of the Scientific Committee, *Ossidiana, Teoria cultura e vita quotidiana*, DiSPeS, Unical, Italy

2017-2018 Editorial Board, *Ossidiana*, DiSPeS, Unical, Italy

2015-2017 Book Manuscript proofreader for New Digital Press, Palermo, and Aracne, Rome, Italy

2015-2021 Board member and contributing editor of *Free Ebrei*, ISSN 2282-6661, Italy

2009-2013 Editorial board, *Daedalus. Quaderni di storia e scienze sociali*, DiSPeS, Unical, Italy

2001 Member of the Jury Panel, Campiello Prize (Literary Award)

MAJOR COLLABORATIONS

16/04/2024-2025 Scientific consultant for the organization of the conference on *Nostra Aetate* in October 2025, Cardinal Bea Centre for Judaic Studies, Pontifical Gregorian University, Rome, Italy, <https://www.unigre.it/it/eventi-e-comunicazione/comunicazione/notizie-e-comunicati/convegno-internazionale-ripensare-nostra-aetate-60-anni-dopo/>

03/2022-11/2023 Member of national research group PARS – Training and Information Portal to Combat Religious Illiteracy, Italy. Outreach “Dibattito terminologico tra i termini olocausto e shoah”, 21/07/2022: <https://pars-edu.it/percorsi-formativi/dibattito-terminologico-tra-i-termini-olocausto-e-shoah>

02/2022-11/2023 Member of national research group for the collection and storage of archival materials, digitalization, metadating, conception and realization of Video History Exhibition 09/10/1982 by FSCIRE, B’nai B’rith, Committee for Anniversary of National Interest of the Presidency of the Council of Ministers, Rome Jewish Community, Publishing House Giuntina, Italy

01/2022-11/2023 Member of national research group for the conception of WP6 pars of Plorabunt Project PNRR ITSERR – Italian Strengthening of the ESFRI RI RESILIENCE

01/2022-11/2023 Member of FSCIRE national research group on DH & Religious Studies, FSCIRE, Bologna, Italy

2008-2010 Participant in Program of Scientific Research of Relevant National Interest, PRIN 2008-2010 (COFIN MURST 2008-2010) “Ridefinire la Nazione: diritti di cittadinanza e minoranze nelle crisi dello Stato (1914-1999)”. Coordinator: prof.

A. Graziosi

2009 Participant in Project 2009 exMURST 60%, La storiografia della Shoah. Head: prof. A. Salomoni, Unical; 23/07/2007-15/02/2008 Organizer of research, storage of archival data during internship at ANPI, Centro Telematico di Storia Contemporanea, Casa della memoria e della storia, Rome, Italy

AWARDS AND GRANTS

HORIZON-TMA-MSCA-2024-PF-GF Seal of Excellence Award

Young Researchers 2024 – SOE, Linea di finanziamento - giovani ricercatori beneficiari di “Seal of Excellence”, <https://www.gea.mur.gov.it/Bandi/YoungResearchersSOE2024>

MSCA@UNIPR BOOTCAMP 2024 Grant, UNIPR, Italy, 13-17/05/2024

HORIZON-TMA-MSCA-2023-PF-GF Seal of Excellence Award, 11/04/2024

Lunds Missionssällskap’s Grant for Panel “Christianity and Alterity. Towards more Inclusive Theology— Ecumenical and Interreligious Turn”, EuARe 2021

Grace och Philip Sandbloms fond, Andreas Rydelius stiftelse’s grant (for panel “Religion as Subversive Power, Religion and Rebellion” EuARe 2020)

Andreas Rydelius stiftelse’s grant (to partially cover participation in the EuARe 2019)

EuARe 2019 Grant

EHRI Grant for the Seminar From the Living Room to the WWW: Documenting, Uploading and Utilizing Holocaust

Testimonies in the Digital Age, Yad Vashem, Jerusalem, 11-15/11/2018
Yad Vashem Grant 10th International Conference Holocaust Education, 25-28/06/2018
EHRI Grant Bucarest, “Elie Wiesel” NISH, EHRI, 6-8/06/2017
Grant Open Data Citation for SSH: DARIAH’s Humanities at Scale Winter School, Prague University, 24-28/10/2016
World War Blind Award 2008 (2nd pl.)
Award Bachelor’s Degree 2004 in Political Science and International Relations
Pizzo Musolino Award 2003 (due to *Due Racconti*’s publication)
B.G. Franco Award in Bioethics 2001
Campiello Junior Regional Award 2000 (1st pl.)
Campiello Junior Regional Award 1999 (3rd pl.)

MEMBERSHIPS OF SCIENTIFIC SOCIETIES

(2022-2023) American Academy of Religion (AAR)
(2019-2023) European Academy of Religion (EuARe)
(2017-today) Association for Jewish Studies (AJS)
(2017-today) Central European History Society (CEHS)
(2017-today) Italian Society Study Contemporary History (SISSCO)

INSTITUTIONAL RESPONSIBILITIES (SELECTED)

2026-2027 Member of Coordination Group for the Interdisciplinary Doctorate Course SST “Alterità e altrove”
2025-2026 Member of Working Group for the Interdisciplinary Doctorate Course SST “Alterità e altrove”
03-11/2023 Member of Travail théologique sur la Méditerranée, ICM, Marseille, France
2021-2023 Chair in Examination Committee, Department of Culture and Society, Unipa, Italy
12/2021-11/2023 Co-organizer, co-coordinator of international Plorabunt research group (Identification, fulfilment, update of case studies in Plorabunt database starting from 09/11/1982), FSCIRE, Bologna-Palermo, Italy
2022-2023 Organizer of International Call for Papers for publication of Plorabunt case studies in Brill Series and V&R, and International Journals, FSCIRE, Bologna, Italy – Outcome of Panel Plorabunt, EuARe 2023
2019-2020 Chair in Examination Committee, DiCES, Unical, Italy
2017-2022 Member of Examination Committee in (selected):
Comparative History of Religions and Secularizations
History of Human Rights and Citizenship
History of Human Rights and Peace Cultures, DiSPeS, Unical, Italy
19/05/2016 Organizer (with G. Bartolucci) of PhD Internal Seminar, *Autorità contese. Ebraismo e Islam tra legittimità e scetticismo*, DiSPeS, Unical, Italy
18/02/2015 Member in Programme Committee of “*Donne nei Lager*”, Unical (participation also as a speaker)
23/07/2007-15/02/2008 Management Task in archival digital documents, journals, Centro Telematico di Storia Contemporanea, Casa della memoria e della storia, Rome, Italy
06/08-3/09-11/09/2007 Organizer of proposal of the Memorandum Understanding and of Convention of High Education Post-University between International Master in Teaching the Holocaust, University of Roma Tre and Dep. 11 “Istruzione, Cultura, Alta Formazione, Università, Innovazione tecnologica, Regione Calabria” (patronage of MIUR, UCEI, Municipality of Rome, School Inspectorate of the Lazio Region, Italian Delegation of the International Task Force on Holocaust Cooperation Remembrance and Research)

PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT INITIATIVES

07/05/2026 Seal of Excellence Day
Day dedicated to the Research Projects (Individual Actions MSCA Postdoctoral Fellowships) of University of Parma awarded with a Seal of excellence (SoE) by the European Commission Horizon Europe in order to encourage doctoral and postdoctoral training in participation in the Horizon Europe Program, with the involvement of international guests.
13/12/2025 “For Peace between Israel and Palestine”, open to the public, organized by the “Paloma Voglia di leggere” Association
Participation, by invitation, in the event “For Peace between Israel and Palestine”: presentation of the book *A Very Brief History of the Conflict between Israel and Palestine. From 1882 to today* by Ilan Pappè organized by “Paloma Voglia di leggere”. My contribution: Historical contextualization in Jerusalem from 1917 to 1924.

LANGUAGES

Ancient Greek
Biblical Hebrew
English
French
Italian (native)
Latin
Modern Hebrew
Spanish

