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**Professor of Comparative Law, Intellectual Property and New Technologies Law, Policy and Management**, with a successful career in academia, new technologies, information technology & media institutions and industries.

**Academic in innovation, media and technologies law, policy & management**, with a multifold experience in academic public and private sectors. Author of books & papers in international academic journals. Ph.D., MSc and Executive diplomas at Harvard and Singularity University.

**Skilled in:** Intellectual Property, Competition, Data Protection & Security Law, Policy & Management; Media, Information Technologies, Artificial Intelligence, Cloud, Blockchain, Web3, Smart Contracts, Fintech, NFTs, Metaverse, Healthcare and Life Sciences Law, Policy and Management; Government Relations; Public Policy; Regulatory Affairs; International and Comparative Law & Policy; Project Management & Building Allies.

**Current academic positions:**



**Professor of Comparative Law, Intellectual Property and New Technologies Law & Management** and **Director of Research Centres at European University of Rome;**  
**Visiting Professor in Biotechnology Law and Academic Fellow at National University of Singapore.**



**Education/Habilitations:**

PhD in Competition Law, MSc in Globalization of Markets and Consumer Protection, Degree in Law, and Executive diplomas in Negotiation and Leadership at Harvard University and in Exponential Technologies at Singularity University. Habilitations as Full Professor in Comparative Law, Associate Professor in Commercial Law and Lawyer in Italy.



**Publications:**

10 books, among which "Smart Contracts and Comparative Law", Springer, and "Biotechnological Inventions and Patentability of Life", Edward Elgar, and about 70 articles in academic journals.

## **Academic Experience**

**2014 – Present Professor of Comparative Law, Intellectual Property and New Technologies Law & Management, Director of the Innovation Law Laboratory - InnoLawLab, Co-Director of the Research Centre of Excellence for Copyright and Coordinator of the M.Sc. in Artificial Intelligence: Law and Ethics of Emerging Technologies and of the LLB Profile in Law and Management of New Technologies at European University of Rome**

Rome, Italy

**8/2022 – Present Academic Fellow of the Centre for Technology, Robotics, Artificial Intelligence and the Law - TRAIL at National University of Singapore**

Singapore

**8/2020 – Present Visiting Professor of Biotechnology Law at National University of Singapore**

Singapore

**8/2022 – Present Expert Member of the Government Blockchain Association, Working Groups: Education, Intellectual Property, Healthcare & Life Sciences**

Washington, DC

**4/2019 – Present Member of the IP & Innovation Researchers of Asia Network**

Singapore; Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia; Geneva, Switzerland

**11/2020 Lecturer in Intellectual Property Law and Policy at Beijing Normal University, Global Development Strategic Partnership Project, Institute for Internet Policy & Law**

Beijing, China

**7/2020 National Scientific Habilitation as Full Professor in Comparative Law**

Italy

**6/2020 Member in the Expert Review Panel on Law at the Research Council for Culture and Society of the Academy of Finland**

Helsinki, Finland

**8/2019 Visiting Professor of Law & Technology at Singapore Management University and Research Fellow at National University of Singapore**

Singapore

**5/2015 – 12/2017 Member of the University Quality Presidium at European University of Rome**

Rome, Italy

**12/2013 National Scientific Habilitation as Associate Professor in Comparative Law and in Commercial Law**

Italy

**2010 - Present Member of the Board of the PhD courses in “Categorie giuridiche e tecnologia” of European University of Rome (before) and then in “Il diritto dei servizi nell’ordinamento italiano e europeo” of Parthenope University of Naples and European University of Rome (since 2018)**

Rome-Naples, Italy

**2009 – Present Founder, coordinator of the Editorial Board and member of the Scientific Committee of the Law Journal "Diritto Mercato Tecnologia"**  
Rome, Italy

**2014 – Present Member of the Editorial Board of the Law Journal “Comparazione e diritto civile”**  
Salerno, Italy

**2011 – Present Member of the Italian Association of Comparative Law**  
Rome, Italy

**2011 – Present Italian Talent Abroad since 2022 and earlier Alumnus at Aspen Institute**  
Rome, Italy

**2005 – 2014 Research Associate at the “Programa de Derecho y Bienes Publicos - Derecho / Propiedad Intelectual” at the Flacso University of Buenos Aires (2012-2014); Visiting Research Fellow at the Institute for Information Law of the University of Amsterdam (2012 – 2013), at the Max Planck Institute for Intellectual Property, Competition and Tax Law of Munich (2007 – 2011), and at the London School of Economics and Political Science (2005)**  
Buenos Aires, London, Munich, Amsterdam

**2011 – 2014 Assistant Professor of Private Comparative Law and Information Technology Law at European University of Rome**  
Rome, Italy

**2009 – 2014 Scientific Coordinator of the LL.M. in “Competition and Innovation Law” at the Luiss University of Rome**  
Rome, Italy

**2013 – 2014 Academic Tutor of the Advanced Course in Electronic Commerce and Intellectual Property at WIPO**  
Geneva, Switzerland

**2008 – 2011 Lecturer in European Union Law at University of Roma Tre**  
Rome, Italy

**2007 – 2011 Lecturer in Competition Law at University of Bologna**  
Bologna, Italy

**2005 – 2012 Lecturer in Intellectual Property, Competition and Communications Law at Luiss University of Rome**  
Rome, Italy

**3/2010 EU expert at the EU-China Workshop on Application of Anti-Monopoly Law in Intellectual Property Area for the European Patent Office**  
Changsha, China

**2-12/2007 Expert Member of the Culture Ministry Committee for the Reform of Copyright Law**  
Rome, Italy

## **Publications**

Smart Contracts: Elements, Pathologies and Remedies in the US, Europe and Singapore, forthcoming in M. Findlay, N. Remolina Leon, J. Loo (eds.), Law and Change: An Asian Perspective, 2022

NFTs, Metaverse and the Law, forthcoming in F. Di Porto, O. Pollicino, Non Fungible Tokens and Metaverses versus Law, 2022

[Food Traceability in Europe, the US and China: Comparative Law and Technological Regulation](#), in BioLaw Journal, no. 2/2022

["Legal Big Data": From Predictive Justice to Personalised Law?](#), in Comparative Law Review, no. 2/2020

[Smart Contracts and Comparative Law. A Western Perspective](#), Springer, 2021 (book)

[Contract Automation from Telematic Agreements to Smart Contracts](#) (with A.M. Gambino), in Italian Law Journal, no. 1/2021

[Data circulation and legal safeguards: A European perspective](#), in Comparative Law Review, no. 1/2019 (published in July 2020)

[Genetically modified organisms and sustainable development: regulatory approaches, access to resources and traceability](#), in BioLaw Journal, no. 2/2020

[Human genomics and surrogate motherhood: legal pluralism and the circulation of models](#), in Comparative Law Review no. 2/2018 (published in May 2020)

La circolazione dei dati. Titolarità, strumenti negoziali, diritti e tutele (The circulation of data. Ownership, negotiating tools, rights and protections; ed., with A.M. Gambino), Pacini, 2020 (book)

Legal big data: prospettive applicative in ottica comparatistica, in S. Faro, T.E. Frosini, G. Peruginelli (eds.), Dati e algoritmi. Diritto e diritti nella società digitale, Il Mulino, 2020

Automazione contrattuale e "contratti intelligenti". Gli smart contracts nel diritto contrattuale comparato (Contract automation and "smart contracts" in comparative contract law), Giappichelli, 2019 (book)

Diritto dell'informatica e della comunicazione (Informatics and Communication Law; with A.M. Gambino & D. Mula), Giappichelli, 2019 (book, 3rd edition)

Datificazione dei rapporti socio-economici e questioni giuridiche: profili evolutivi in prospettiva comparatistica (Datification of socio-economic relations and legal issues: evolutionary profiles in comparative perspective; with F. Corrado), in "Il diritto dell'informazione e dell'informatica", n. 2/2019

Genomica umana e maternità surrogata nel diritto comparato: pluralismo giuridico e dinamica dei modelli (Human genomics and surrogacy in comparative law: legal and dynamic pluralism of models), in Comparazione e diritto civile, n. 2/2019

Big data e diritto comparato (Big data and comparative law), in Comparazione e diritto civile, n. 3/2019

Organismi geneticamente modificati e sviluppo sostenibile: circolazione dei modelli, accesso alle risorse e tracciabilità (Genetically modified organisms and sustainable development: circulation of models, access to resources and traceability), in Rivista di diritto industriale, n. 4-5/2019

La responsabilità degli intermediari online negli ordinamenti asiatici: una panoramica comparatistica di questioni di policy e approcci regolatori da una prospettiva occidentale, in Il diritto dell'informazione e dell'informatica, n. 2/2018

Contratti di utilizzazione del software (with A. Baldi), in D. Valentino (ed.), Contratti informatici, UTET, 2018

[Biotechnological Inventions and Patentability of Life. The US and European Experience](#), Edward Elgar, June 2015 (book)

[Freedom to Conduct a Business, Competition and Intellectual Property](#) (with G. Ghidini), in C. Geiger (ed.), Research Handbook on Human Rights and Intellectual Property, Edward Elgar, February 2015

[Coopetition: The Role of IPRs](#) (with G. Ghidini), in D. Beldiman (ed.) Innovation, Competition and Collaboration, Edward Elgar, June 2015

La tutela del diritto d'autore in rete: bilanciamento degli interessi, opzioni regolatorie europee e "modello italiano", in Il diritto dell'informazione e dell'informatica, n. 1/2015

Invenzioni biotecnologiche e limiti della brevettabilità tra recenti evoluzioni della giurisprudenza statunitense e prospettiva europea dei diritti fondamentali: verso un "indirizzo occidentale" comune?, in Rivista di diritto industriale, n. 3/2014

Obblighi di informazione nei contratti a distanza e nei contratti negoziati fuori dei locali commerciali e nei contratti diversi da essi, in A.M. Gambino, G. Nava (a cura di), I nuovi diritti dei consumatori - Commentario al d.lgs. n. 21/2014

Il regolamento di cui alla delibera n. 680/13/CONS dell'Agcom per la tutela del diritto d'autore in rete, in Rivista di diritto industriale, n. 2/2014

[Synergetic Interaction between Intellectual Property and Consumer Protection: A Pragmatic Law & Economics Proposal](#) (with M. Marzetti), in D. Beldiman (ed.), Access to Information and Knowledge: 21st Century Challenges in Intellectual Property and Knowledge Economy, Edward Elgar, 2013

Diritto dell'informatica e della comunicazione (Informatics and Communication Law; with A.M. Gambino), Giappichelli, 2012 (book)

Innovazioni biotecnologiche e brevettabilità del vivente. Questioni giuridiche e profili bioetici nei modelli statunitense ed europeo (Biotechnological Inventions and Patentability of Life. Legal Rules and Bioethical Issues in US and EU Models), Giappichelli, 2012 (book)

[Digital copyright and consumer/user protection: moving toward a new framework?](#), in Queen Mary Journal of Intellectual Property, no. 2/2012

[Intellectual Property and Consumer Law](#) (with D. Mula), in A. Ramalho, C. Angelopoulos (ed.), Crossroads of Intellectual Property: Intersection of Intellectual Property and other Fields of Law, Nova Publishers, 2012

I contratti di diffusione pubblicitaria, in A.M. Gambino (ed.), I contratti di pubblicità e di sponsorizzazione, Giappichelli, 2012

Accesso a informazione e conoscenza nell'era multimediale. Libertà di espressione, libertà di concorrenza, proprietà intellettuale (editor, with G. Ghidini, and co-author), Luiss University Press, 2011

Pratiche commerciali scorrette e Pubblicità ingannevole e comparativa (editor, with A.M. Gambino, and co-author), in Concorrenza e mercato, Giuffrè, 2005-2011

[Intellectual Property Rights and Market Power in the European Union: The Fil Rouge of Consumer Welfare](#), in Comparazione e diritto civile, 2011

[Intellectual Property and Consumer law in the Knowledge economy](#), in Il diritto di autore, n. 4/2010

"Marketplace of ideas" e accesso pluralistico tra petizioni di principio e ius positum, in Il diritto dell'informazione e dell'informatica, n. 4-5/2009

La copia privata" e le trasmissioni televisive ad accesso condizionato: cenni su configurabilità, caratteri e limiti, in Civiltà europea, n. 1/2009

[Technological Convergence and Competition on the Edge: "Emerging Markets" and Their Regulation](#), in IIC-International Review of Intellectual Property and Competition Law, n. 8/2007

Tutela della concorrenza "ad alta velocità": "la terra di confine" tra nuove offerte commerciali e servizi di comunicazione innovativi, in Il diritto dell'internet, n. 3/2007

L'antitrust nell'era della comunicazione multimediale: i "mercati emergenti" e la loro disciplina, in Concorrenza e mercato, n. 13-14/2005-6

Codice generale del diritto industriale. Proprietà intellettuale e concorrenza (editor, with G. Ghidini and G. Capuzzi), Giuffrè, 2007

Mercati emergenti fra convergenza tecnologica e concorrenza: il caso della televisione in mobilità (Emerging markets between technological convergence and competition: The case of mobile television), Giuffrè, 2006 (book)

Concorrenza, pluralismo, incertezze normative e rapporti tra Autorità indipendenti e controllo giurisdizionale, in Giustizia amministrativa, n. 1/2006

Le società miste per la gestione di servizi pubblici locali e la scelta del socio privato, in Nuova Giurisprudenza Civile Commentata, n. 3/2006

Reti e contenuti nella prospettiva della convergenza: scenari ed opzioni aperte dallo sviluppo del digitale, in Il diritto dell'informazione e dell'informatica, n. 3/2005

La pubblicità commerciale on line (Online Commercial Advertising), Giuffrè, 2004 (book)

La disciplina delle comunicazioni elettroniche non richieste alla luce del d.lgs. n. 70/2003 sul commercio elettronico e del nuovo 'codice in materia di protezione dei dati personali', in Il diritto dell'informazione e dell'informatica, n. 6/2003

## Education

### **3/2022 Harvard Negotiation and Leadership Executive Program**

Harvard University, United States

The Program aims to broaden understanding of negotiating concepts, acquire proven techniques, and then put learning into practice. Through negotiation exercises and interactive discussions, participants examine ways to structure the bargaining process to accommodate joint problem solving, brainstorming, and collaborative fact-finding. These frameworks help create smarter negotiation conditions, make more strategic decisions, and leave the bargaining table with improved outcomes.

### **7/2016 Singularity Executive Program in Exponential Technologies**

Singularity University, United States

The SU Executive Program is a week-long immersive course in Silicon Valley that examines how key converging technologies will shape our future and explores ethical leadership in a world of rapid change. World-class experts deliver interactive presentations in an immersive classroom setting, paired with insightful discussions and activities that leverage the diverse cohort of thought leaders and innovators we convene for each session. Participants also experience technology first-hand and Silicon Valley's "maker" culture through SU's iLab and off-campus visits.

### **9/2004 – 4/2008 Ph.D. in Competition Law (with scholarship) - thesis awarded with mention of merit at the Vittorio Frosini prize**

University of Perugia, Italy (supervisor Prof. Gustavo Ghidini)

### **4/2007 Qualification as a Lawyer admitted to the BAR**

Italy

### **12/2008 M.Sc. in Globalization of Markets and Consumer Protection (with scholarship)**

University of Roma Tre, Italy

### **1-12/2004 Advanced Course in International Commercial Law**

University of Rome Sapienza, Italy

### **9/1997 – 3/2003 Master's Degree in Law summa cum laude - thesis awarded with publication as a book**

Luiss Guido Carli University of Rome, Italy