

PERSONAL INFORMATION

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Sex F | Date of birth 17/08/1991 | Nationality Italian

WORK EXPERIENCE

2017 - now

**Italian Language Teacher Assistant in primary, secondary and high schools
(Dante Alighieri Society of South Australia - 262A Carrington Street Adelaide)**

Norwood Morialta High School (Middle and Senior Campus), 505 The Parade, Magill SA 5072
Charles Campbell College, 3 Campbell Rd, Paradise SA 5075
East Adelaide Primary School, 57/59 Second Ave, St Peters SA 5069

- Conversation practice with pupils alongside the teacher
- Individual pupil support and tutoring for SACE (interaction in Italian)
- Participate in educational activities held in the school
- Introducing students to every aspect of Italian culture and language
- Support the work of the language teachers

Business or sector Teaching

2017 - now

**Dante Kids Playgroup - children language course (0-5 years old)
(Dante Alighieri Society of South Australia)**

Campbelltown Library - 171 Montacute Rd, Newton SA 5074

- Learning Italian through games and activities
- Planning fun games and activities for kids
- Engaging kids and families to learn an additional language

Business or sector Teaching

2016 Project Management – Mobile Speech Data Collection (Italy)DefinedCrowd <https://www.definedcrowd.com/en-us/>

- Recruiting people for data collection
- Work management
- Quality assurance specialist

Business or sector Project management**2016 Sales Assistant at Zara S.r.l.**

Centro Commerciale Collestrada, Via della Valtiera, 181, 06135 Perugia PG, Italy

- Greeting and serving customers
- Stock control and management
- Stoking shelves with merchandise
- Working within established guidelines, particularly with brands
- Keeping up to date with special promotions and putting up displays
- Knowing inventory techniques and working in sales team

Business or sector Sales Assistance**2013 Internship (Bachelor Degree)**

Centro Studi Lusofoni “David Mourão-Ferreira” - Strada della Torretta, 15, 70122 Bari, Italy

- Electronic storage and arrangement of texts
- Promotion of Portuguese language and culture
- Promotion of events related to the Portuguese history and culture
- Study and promotion of David Mourão-Ferreira’s work

Business or sector Electronic Storage**2012 Waitress**

Pizzeria “Le Arcate” - via Vittorio Veneto, 56 70037 Ruvo di Puglia (Ba) - Italy

- Greeting and serving customers, providing detailed information on menus
- Taking customer orders and delivering food and beverages
- Making menu recommendations, answering questions and sharing additional information with restaurant patrons

Business or sector Hospitality**2010 - 2016 Private lessons of Italian, English, Spanish and Portuguese**

- Teaching Italian as a second language to adult foreigners from different countries
- Tutoring students from primary, secondary and college (homework)
- Tutoring university students and preparation for foreign languages exams

Business or sector Teaching**EDUCATION AND TRAINING**

2017 Responding to Abuse and Neglect - Education and Care (RAN – EC) training course

Paringa Park Primary School, 21 Bowker St, North Brighton SA 5048

- Protective practices in the interaction with children and young people
- Guidance for responding to abuse on children and young people
- Interagency code of practice - investigation of suspected child abuse or neglect

- 2017 **Youthpass Certificate – Erasmus + Project**
 “Stand Against Terrorism”, Athens
- Debates and group activities
 - Simulation activities and role-plays
 - Organization of events and cultural night
 - Promotion of Italian language and cultural
 - Social experiments and presentations
 - Educational tours
- 2014-2017 **Teaching Italian as a Foreign Language (Specialist Degree)** 110/110 magna cum laude
 Università per Stranieri di Perugia - Piazza Fortebraccio, 4, 06123 Perugia, Italy
- Second language acquisition devices
 - Language teaching (glottodidactics)
 - Psycholinguistics
 - Linguistic methodologies research
 - Language testing
 - Italian for foreigners
- 2010-2014 **Science of Linguistic and Cultural Mediation (Bachelor’s Degree)** 110/110 magna cum laude
 Università degli studi di Bari “Aldo Moro” - Via Michele Garruba, 6, 70122 Bari, Italy
- Portuguese, Spanish and French language courses and exams
 - Glottodidactics and language teaching
 - Linguistic methodologies research
 - Italian, Portuguese, Spanish and French literature
- 2013 **Erasmus Project (6 months)**
 Faculdade de Letras da Universidade de Lisboa - Alameda da Universidade MB, 1600-214 Lisbon, Portugal
- Portuguese language and culture
 - Sociology of cultural and communicative processes
- 2005-2010 **Diploma certifying the results of the state exam at the end of the course of studies in scientific high school** 91/100
 Liceo Scientifico “Orazio Tedone” - Via Alessandro Volta, 13, 70037 Ruvo di Puglia BA, Italy
- Scientific subjects
 - Foreign languages (English, Spanish and French)
 - Arts
 - Computers

PERSONAL SKILLS

Mother tongue(s) Italian

Other language(s)

	UNDERSTANDING		SPEAKING		WRITING
	Listening	Reading	Spoken interaction	Spoken production	
English	C1	C1	C1	C1	C1
Spanish	C1	C1	C1	C1	C1

Portuguese	C1	C1	C1	C1	C1
French	B2	B2	B2	B2	B2
Delf B1 (86/100)					

- Communication skills**
- Good communication skills gained through my experience as a teacher
 - Ability to meet deadlines
 - Passion in representing my country and my language abroad
 - Experience in working with people from different countries and with different cultures
 - Good skills in team work and cooperative learning strategies

- Organisational / managerial skills**
- Leadership (organizing a team of at least 8 people)
 - Strong attention to detail and the ability to work both as a team player and independently
 - Creative thinking

Digital competence

SELF-ASSESSMENT				
Information processing	Communication	Content creation	Safety	Problem solving
Independent User	Independent User	Independent User	Basic User	Independent User
EIPASS (European Computer Driving Licence) 7 modules (2013-2014)				
▪ good command of office suite (word processor, spread sheet, presentation software)				

- Other skills**
- Diploma certifying the results of a Piano course of 5 years at Conservatorio Niccolò Piccinni - Via Vittoriano Cimmarrusti, 2, 70124 Bari, Italia
 - Volunteering in Cultural Association “Fiorivano le Viole” (Perugia, Italy) as a teacher of Italian as a second language to migrants

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- Courses**
- Portuguese language Level B2, 15/20 (2013) - Universidade de Lisboa, Alameda da Universidade MB, 1600-214 Lisbon, Portugal
 - Spanish culture and language (2008) - Liceo Scientifico “Orazio Tedone”, Via Alessandro Volta, 13, 70037 Ruvo di Puglia BA, Italy
 - Creative Writing (2009) - Liceo Scientifico “Orazio Tedone”, Via Alessandro Volta, 13, 70037 Ruvo di Puglia BA, Italy

- Certifications**
- DELFB1 (86/100) 2008 – “Alliance Française” BARI
 - Child-Related Employment Screening – CLEARED (25 may 2017)

- Projects**
- Pragmatic competence in Italian as a second language: experimental investigation on requests produced by a group of advanced and beginners Spanish and English learners of Italian as a second language. Analysis of communicative strategies, internal and external modifiers and perspective

Conferences

- More than one language in the brain: Acquisition and Coexistence workshop - Università per Stranieri di Perugia, 25 february 2015
- 41° conference on Generative Grammar – Università per Stranieri di Perugia, 26-28 february 2015
- Workshop on “Language and dialect” presented by Assoc. Prof. Angela Scarino + Professional Development – SAATI Annual General Meeting (24 August 2017 - West Terrace, Adelaide SA)