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## **Personal Information**

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## **Education & Research**

Ph.D. *The individualization of war and the transformation of enmity* [Excellent] in International Studies NASP Graduate School [Sept. 2018 – Sept. 2022]

*Università degli studi di Milano*, Milan (Italy)

Supervisor: Prof. Alessandro Colombo – International Relations

Guest Researcher – Institut de droit comparé (ISDC) [1 Feb. 2022 – 27 Apr. 2022]

Lausanne (Switzerland)

Visiting Researcher – Castrén Institute of International Law [1 Sept. 2021 – 30 Nov. 2021]

*Helsinki University*, Helsinki (Finland)

Co-supervision: Prof. Martti Koskeniemi – History of Political and Legal Thought

Erasmus Ph.D. Visiting Student - Faculty of Social Sciences [22 Sept. 2020 – 12 Jan. 2021]

*Charles University Prague*, Prague (Czech Republic)

Co-supervision: Prof. Adrian Brisku – Intellectual History

M.A. Degree History of International Relations - cum laude [Sept. 2017 – Jun. 2018]

*Leiden University*, Leiden (The Netherlands)

M.A. Degree International Relations - 110/110 cum laude [Sept. 2015 – Jul. 2017]

*Università degli Studi di Milano*, Milan (Italy)

Erasmus Student - Departments of History and Law [Aug. 2016 – Feb. 2017]

*Université Sorbonne Paris I*, Paris (France)

B.A. Degree in Political Science [Sept. 2011 – Jul. 2015]

*Università degli Studi di Milano*, Milan (Italy)

High School Degree [Jul. 2011]

*Liceo Statale Classico A. Volta*, Como (Italy)

## **Publications**

### **Books**

*La Politica dell'abbondanza: cibo, sicurezza alimentare e Relazioni internazionali*, Mondadori Università, 2024, ISBN 979-12-2060-173-3 (con Marco Clementi)

## Book Chapters

*Between Abyss and Intimacy: the Modern Concept of Political Enemy in Civil War's Thought* [in *Helsinki Yearbook of Intellectual History*, De Gruyter, 2024, ed. Poykko, P.-M.; Slotte, P.; Salo, V. O.] DOI: [10.1515/9783110990645-00](https://doi.org/10.1515/9783110990645-00)

## Articles in Peer-Reviewed Journals

*Modern Ideas on Enmity and the Post-Cold War International Order: An English School's Interpretation* [under review at *International Relations*]

*La categoria di Unlawful Enemy Combatant e la pratica del targeted killing: verso una guerra individualizzata?* (with Micol Ferrario) [DPCE Online, Jun. 2024]  
DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.57660/dpceonline.2024.2132>

*Il ritorno dell'Unlawful Enemy Combatant e l'individualizzazione dell'inimicizia: storia di una categoria giuridica ambigua e interpretazione del suo utilizzo contemporaneo* (with Micol Ferrario) [Ragion Pratica, Nov. 2023] DOI: [10.1415/108694](https://doi.org/10.1415/108694)

*The 'individualization of war': discussion and critique of a discourse*  
[Critical Studies on Security, Jan. 2024] DOI - [10.1080/21624887.2024.2308362](https://doi.org/10.1080/21624887.2024.2308362)

*Politica del cibo e sicurezza alimentare* (with Marco Clementi)  
[Rivista il Mulino Sept. 2023] DOI: [10.1402/108006](https://doi.org/10.1402/108006)

*The Crafting of the Modern Concept of Regular Enemy: Grotius and Hobbes International Thought on War* [Quaderni di Scienza Politica, Mar. 2023] DOI: [10.48271/106847](https://doi.org/10.48271/106847)

## Book Reviews

Andrew Clapham, *War*, 2021, Oxford University Press [Global Intellectual History, Nov. 2022]  
DOI: [10.1080/23801883.2022.2149934](https://doi.org/10.1080/23801883.2022.2149934)

Lauren Benton, 2024, *They Called It Peace: Worlds of Imperial Violence*, Princeton University Press [under review at *Athena Journal*]

## Other Outputs

*L'impatto dei droni armati nel conflitto tra Russia e Ucraina*, Brief [Geopolitica.info, Mar. 2023]

## Working Papers

*The Recoil of War and the 'Weaponization of Food': Insights on the Contemporary Global Food Regime and its Crises*

*The Enemy as Target. A Western Strategic History from Biplanes to Drones*

*Revisionist Just War Theory and the Individualization of Enmity: Some Reflections*

*An Enduring Absent Presence: The 'Wild Forest' as a Structural Concept for International Relations*

### **Papers Presented at Conferences & Seminars**

*An Enduring Absent Presence: The 'Wild Forest' as a Structural Concept for International Relations* CEEISA-ISA Joint International Conference: [University of Rijeka, Croatia, June 18-21 2024]

*Ukraine's war and the weaponization of food* – CISESP Annual Workshop [Università di Milano-Bicocca, Milan, Italy, Apr. 12 2024]

*An Enduring Absent Presence: The 'Wild Forest' as a Structural Concept for International Relations* – Concepta: Research Seminars in Conceptual History and Political Thought [Online & University of Malaga, Spain, Jan. 8-9 2024]

*Thinking Through Dichotomies: Sovereignty, Free Trade and the Problem of Food in International Relations* EISA Conference 2023 – Panel “Agrarian Orders” [Potsdam, Germany, Sept. 4-6 2023]

*The Return of the Unlawful Enemy Combatant and the Individualization of Hostility: The History of an Ambiguous Legal Category and the Interpretation of its Contemporary Deployment, State-Sponsored Assassinations in International Politics, History, Law* [Online, Swansea University, UK, 16-17 May 2023]

*Il ritorno della categoria dell'unlawful enemy combatant*, Costituzionalismo, declinazioni del principio pacifista e conflitti armati, Convegno annuale di Diritto Pubblico Comparato ed Europeo, DPCE [Università di Pescara, Italy, 29-30 Jun. 2023]

Seminar – *The Recoil of Grain Wars? Insights from the War between Ukraine and Russia* [Università degli Studi di Milano-Bicocca, Milan, Italy, 4 Feb. 2023]

*Targeting from afar: commercial drones and mediatization of war in Ukraine*, Towards a development of mediatization research VI: Mediatization of War [Online, Marie-Curie Skłodowska University, Poland, 9 Dec. 2022]

*Between intimacy and abyss: civil war and the concept of enemy in early modern political theory* EISA Workshop of International Studies [Thessaloniki, University of Thessaloniki, Jul. 6 2022 – 9 Jul. 2022] – declined

*Between intimacy and abyss: civil war and the concept of enemy in early-modern political theory* Historical, Philosophical and Theological Perspectives on Political Violence [Helsinki, University of Helsinki, Mar. 31 2022 – 2 Apr. 2022]

*The modern concept of political enemy amidst the resurgence of individualized war* EISA Conference 2021 – Panel “Crisis and critique” [Online, Sept. 13 2021]

*The Individualization of War: a Critical Concept Analysis* EISA Workshop “What is War?” – EISA/IEHD [Online, Sept. 2 2021]

*The Individualization of War: a Critical Concept Analysis*

Standing Group for International Relations – Italian Society of Political Science [Online, Jun. 28 2021]

*The Modern Concept of Enemy and the Form of War*

Dilemmas of Modernity 200 Years of Central Europe Cultures and Societies [Online, May 22 2021]

*The Making of War at a Distance: How Modern Technologies in the Crimean War recast the “Present of War”*

War Studies Network Annual Conference [Paris, University of Paris II-Pantheon Assas, 28 Jan. 2020 – 30 Jan. 2020]

*Enmity and modernity*

4EU+ Ph.D. Conference of Central Europe Cultures and Societies [University of Warsaw - Online, 19 Nov. 2020]

Seminar - *Italy covid-19 emergency: a political theory approach* [Charles University, Prague Czechia, 8 Oct. 2020]

### **Teaching Activities**

Adjunct Professor – International Relations [Spring Semester 2025]

*Università di Pavia, Milan (Italy)*

*Department of Political Science*

Adjunct Professor – Geopolitics [Fall Semester 2024]

*Università di Pavia, Milan (Italy)*

*Department of Political Science*

Seminar Lecturer – International Relations Theory [Spring Semester 2023 – Present]

*Università degli Studi di Milano, Milan (Italy)*

*Department of International, Legal, Historical, and Political Studies*

Adjunct Professor – Political Science [Spring Semester 2023]

*Università degli Studi di Milano, Milan (Italy)*

*Department of Political and Social Science*

Teaching Assistant (*Cultore della materia*) – International Relations [Oct. 2022 – Present]

*Università di Pavia, Pavia (Italy)*

*Department of Political Science*

Guest Lecturer – International Relations Theory [Fall Semester 2022]

*Ukrainian Catholic University - UCU, Lviv (Ukraine)*

*Faculty of Political Science*

Teaching Assistant – History and Politics of European Integration [Oct. 2021 – May 2022]

*Università degli Studi di Milano, Milan (Italy) – 4EU+ Project (Sorbonne, Copenhagen, Warsaw)*

*Professor Piero Graglia and Professor Paola Mattei*

Teaching Assistant – Alcide De Gasperi Winter School [17 Jan. 2022 – 21 Jan. 2022]

*European University Institute EUI, Florence (Italy) - 4EU+ Project (Sorbonne, Copenhagen, Warsaw)*

Teaching Assistant – Comparative Politics & Political Science [Jan. 2020 – Sept. 2022]

*Università degli Studi di Milano, Milan (Italy)*

*Professor Paola Mattei*

University Seminar “Drone Warfare and the Transformation of War” [Feb. 2021 – Present]

*Università degli Studi di Milano, Milan (Italy)*

*Professor Alessandro Colombo*

### **Other academic activities**

Editorial team – *Athena: Journal of Philosophy, Law and Globalization* [Oct. 2022]

Research Article Reviewer – *Quaderni di Scienza Politica, Il Mulino; Nuovi Autoritarismi e Diritti*  
– *NAD Rivista*, Università degli Studi di Milano; *Global Social Challenges Journal*, Bristol  
University Press

Master and Bachelor thesis mentor (informal) [*Università di Pavia and Università degli studi di Milano, 2021-present*]

### **Seminars Attended & Intensive Courses**

Summer School Degree - Building Democracies from Conflicts [Jun. 2016 – Jul. 2016]

*London School of Economics – LSE, London (United Kingdom)*

Short Degree in "Geopolitica e Sicurezza Globale" [Feb. 2016 – Jul. 2017]

*Istituto per gli Studi di Politica Internazionale, ISPI, Milan (Italy)*

Winter School in "Geopolitics and Biopolitics" [1 Feb. 2019 – 18 Feb. 2019]

*Skytte Institute of Political Studies, Tartu University, Tartu (Estonia)*

Seminar "Carlo Ginzburg: Machiavelli e la paura" [7 Sept. 2020 – 8 Sept. 2020]

*Istituto italiano per gli studi filosofici, IISF, Napoli (Italy)*

Summer Seminar "Transnational Law: New, Old or Borrowed?" [23 Aug. 2021 – 27 Aug. 2021]

*Erik Castrén Institute and Helsinki University, Helsinki (Finland)*

Crash course on "The History of Concepts" [30 Aug. 2021 – 3 Sept. 2021]

*Concepta and Helsinki University, Helsinki (Finland)*

### **Professional Experience**

Communication and Seminar Assistant [1 Jul. 2018 – 1 Sept. 2018]

*USI - Università della Svizzera Italiana, Lugano (Switzerland) Middle East Mediterranean (MEM) Summer School and Forum - I Edition*

Seminar Assistant [6 May 2018 – 9 May 2018]

*Leiden University, Leiden (Netherlands)*

Academic Conference “Challenging the Liberal World Order: The History of Global South, Decolonization and the United Nations. 1955-2000”

Intern at Alleycat Video-Journalist Studio [Aug. 2013 – Nov. 2013]

*New York City (United States)*

### **Grants & Scholarships**

Istituto italiano di studi filosofici (IISF), Napoli – Borsa di Formazione [10 Feb. 2022 – 31 Nov. 2022]

Erasmus+ Ph.D. Scholarship [1 Sept. 2020 – 1 Feb. 2021]

Ph.D. Scholarship [31 Aug. 2018 – 31 Dec. 2021]

Erasmus Scholarship [30 Aug. 2016 – 13 Feb. 2017]

### **Associations**

*SGRI* – Standing Group of International Relations - *Società Italiana di Scienza Politica*

*EISA* – European International Studies Association

### **Language Skills**

Mother tongue(s):  
Italian

Other language(s):  
French: C1  
English: C1  
Spanish: B2  
Classical Arabic: A2

### **Academic Recommendations**

Dr. Vineet Thakur  
Lecturer, Leiden University, Faculteit der Geesteswetenschappen, Institute for History and International Studies  
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