



**ELENA GUERRA**

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## Scientific Curriculum Vitae

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**Day of birth:** 02/27/1982

**Nationality:** Italian

**Language knowledge:** Italian (mother tongue), English (B2)

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**Veneto Journalist Association:** since 07/31/2014

**Title:** PhD student in Education, Human Sciences, University of Verona (until 30.09.2025), Teaching Tutor and Teaching Assistant for "General Pedagogy" (M-PED/01) (from a.y. 2024-2025), 6 cfu, Bachelor's Degree in Education Sciences (full professor: Agostino Portera): "General Pedagogy" (from a.y. 2024-2025) 6 cfu, Bachelor's Degree in Sport Sciences (senior assistant professor: Marta Milani) of University of Verona.

LOW RISK OFFICE WORK SAFETY FREQUENCY CERTIFICATE With final verification of knowledge acquired - 07/07/2023. Certificate of participation in the training course for workers' safety representative R.L.S - 03/12/2013

## Degrees

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**2005-2008** Master's degree in Journalism, University of Verona (IT) (110/110)

**2001-2004** Bachelor's degree in Communication Sciences, University of Verona (IT) (102/110)

**1996-2001** Technical Art Institute Diploma "S.B. Boscardin", Vicenza (IT) (95/100)

## Training courses

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**2022 - 2025** Doctorate in Education, Human Sciences, University of Verona (Cycle XXXVIII)

**From 2015 – in progress** Mandatory continuing education for publicist and professional journalists from the Veneto Journalists' Association

**April 2025** Training course on Health and Interculturality, four online sessions organized by CASA LILT, as part of a project funded by Fondazione Cariplo and Fondazione Comunitaria Brianza.

**July 2023** "PeRCoRSI - Partecipazione e rigenerazione di comunità e reti sostenibili e inclusive", workshop on-line, Fondazione Cariverona and EURIS (IT)

**May 2023 - September 2023** W1 - FONDI EUROPEI E PROGRAMMAZIONE 2021/2027 - UNIVERONA, Training on European planning by Intellera Consulting, a company selected by the Italian Ministry of University and Research to carry out administrative strengthening and beneficiary support actions through Task Force, offers a training program dedicated to European planning

**February 2023** Webinar “Mixed Methods Research with NVivo” with Janet Elliot, University of Exeter (UK)

**February 2023** Seminar “Un’introduzione all’analisi qualitativa con Nvivo”, with Giovanni Aresi, Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore (IT)

**April 2022** Course in “Social media marketing and advertising for entertainment” with Chiara Natali of Napier Academy (IT)

**November 2021** Course in “Utilizzo del software di analisi quantitativa e qualitativa del testo Jasp” with John Carey dell’University of Massachusetts (US) at Univeristy of Verona (IT)

**February and March 2021** Online course “Capire e riconoscere i crimini d'odio in Italia” for ONG e Italian public authorities, specifically focusing on anti-Muslim hate crimes, by Facing Facts! CEJI – A Jewish Contribution to an Inclusive Europe

**September and October 2015** Basic course of Corso base Europroject planning 2015 by Fondazione CIS Verona (IT)

**March and April 2015** Social Budgeting Course by CSV Verona (IT)

**October 2014** Training seminar “La violenza sulla donna. Il dipartimento d’Emergenza e Accettazione e la violenza domestica” of the Accredited Hospital Presidium Sacro Cuore – Don Calabria di Negrar (VR), (IT)

**August 2013** Course “Utilizzo del software di analisi qualitativa del testo NVivo” by Alessandro Zonin at University of Verona (IT)

**March and April 2013** Course “La comunicazione online e tecniche Seo” by Scuola di Giornalismo A. Chiodi di Mestre (VE), (IT)

**January and February 2011** VI Course for aspiring publicists Order of Journalists of Veneto, at the Fondazione di Venezia (IT)

**May 2010** Course “Comunicare senza barriere” by Order of Journalists of Veneto, at the Fondazione di Venezia (IT)

**November 2008** Seminar “La comunicazione per addetti agli uffici stampa” by Fondazione Università Iulm di Milano (IT)

## **Academic positions**

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**From September to December 2024** Teaching Tutor for course General Pedagogy (M-PED/01) (from a.y. 2024-2025), 6 cfu, Bachelor's Degree in Education Sciences, University of Verona (IT) (full professor: Agostino Portera)

**From October 2024 – in progress** Organiser and Moderator, *HumanS@Meetings* series, aimed at PhD candidates and early-career researchers to foster peer support and peer learning among doctoral students in the Human Sciences program, Department of Human Sciences, University of Verona.

**July 12 – October 11, 2025** Adjunct Lecturer for the course SPS/08 *Intercultural Social Media Management* (3 ECTS – 18 hours), within the first-level Master’s program in *European Communication, Mass Media, and Intercultural Journalism*, University of Verona.

**From September 2024 – in progress** Member of the Scientific Committee of the Master in European Communication, Media and Intercultural Journalism, University of Verona (IT)

**February – March 2024** Classroom Teaching Tutor for the course General and Intercultural Pedagogy, LM-87 degree in Social Work in Complex Contexts, 2nd semester of the a.a. 2023/24, University of Verona.

**October – December 2023** Classroom Teaching Tutor for the course Foundations of Educational Work, L-19 degree in Educational Sciences (from a.y. 2023-2024), 6 cfu, 1st semester, University of Verona

**From October 2023 – in progress** Doctoral student representative, Department of Human Sciences, University of Verona (IT)

**From 2021 – in progress** Teaching Assistant for course “General and Social Pedagogy” (M-PED/01), University of Verona (IT) (full professor: Agostino Portera and senior assistant professor: Marta Milani)

**a.y. 2018-2019** Assistant lecturer in Intercultural Journalism and Multimedia (SSD M/PED 01) at the University of Verona with Professor Maurizio Corte

**From 2009 – in progress** Teaching, Communication and internship Tutor at the 1st level Master course in “Intercultural Competence and Management - Intercultural Mediation and Communication” for professionals in the fields of education, business, social work, health care, and mass media (Director: prof. Agostino Portera)

## **Participation in national and international conferences or seminars**

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**8 August 2025** (with Ghio, M.) Poster Presentation at the *International Conference on Zoom*, “HumanS@Meetings: A Case Study of Student-Led Initiatives Promoting Doctoral Well-being and Competence Development”, as part of the Graduate/Post-doc Students Teaching in Higher Education: Empowering the Next Generation of Educators Conference, organized by *ITeach: Certification in Higher Ed Inc.*, Victoria, Canada

**20 June 2025** “*The Media in Conflict Management and Mediation*”, presented at the national conference “Conflict Resolution and Consensual Justice: Dialogues around the ‘Manual of Negotiation and Mediation’” organized by the Neg2Med Research Center, at University of Verona (IT)

**13 June 2025** “*Intercultural Competences Beyond the School: A Research Study to Explore Managers’ Training Needs in Italian Companies (119)*”, presented at the International Conference “Currents in Education: Navigating Change in Languages, Cultures, and Communities”, IAIE, June 11–13, Eötvös Loránd University of Sciences (ELTE), Department of English Language Pedagogy (DELP), Budapest, Hungary

**14 May 2025** “*Intercultural Competences in the Workplace for the Promotion of Good Practices. Research on Diversity Management in Italian Companies*”, oral presentation for the Groupe de Recherche sur les Relations Ethniques, les Migrations et l’Égalité (GERME), Institut de Sociologie, Université Libre de Bruxelles (ULB), Belgium

**9 May 2025** Organization of the conference “*Reflections in Tandem: A Shared Journey into the Study of Plurilingualism and Intercomprehension*” with Marta Milani, Encarnación Carrasco Perea, and Raquel Serrano López, at University of Verona (IT)

**25 March 2025** Organization and moderation of the seminar “*ROOKIES: diverse generazioni a confronto. Le competenze interculturali nei luoghi di lavoro*” with Agostino Portera, director of the *Centro Studi Interculturali* and professor of General and Social Pedagogy, Davide Quaglia, associate professor at the Department of Computer Science, Lucia Dal Negro from *De-LAB srl SB*, “*I Trentenni*” by Silvia Rossi, Stefania

Rubino, and Ilaria Sirena, Cristian Molinari from *In Job SpA* (part of *W Group SpA*), and *Global Shapers Turin Hub*, at University of Verona (IT)

**12 February 2025** Organization and moderation of the conference "*Cittadini sì o no? Numeri e politiche a Verona*" with Gloria Albertini from IDOS/Cestim Onlus, Giuditta Oghomwen from Afroveronesi, and Enrico Varali from the association CADUS, *Camera avvocati degli stranieri e dei diritti umani*, at La Sobilla, Verona (IT)

**24 November 2024** Presentation at the Round Table "*Cultura, arte, educazione in dialogo per promuovere il benessere nelle relazioni affettive e per contrastare la violenza contro le donne*", organized by the Gender Equality Department of the Municipality of Verona and ULSS9 Scaligera of the Veneto Region (IT), at Gran Guardia Palace, Verona (IT)

**2 October 2024** (with Martina Ghio) "The Role of the PhD Student Representative: Functions, Regular Meetings, and Humans@Meetings" – Presentation as part of the Welcome Day for the 40th cycle of PhD programs at the Department of Human Sciences, University of Verona (IT)

**11 September 2024** Moderation of the round table "*Mi sta a cuore: Maestri e profeti. Pedagogia emancipatrice da Don Milani e Manzi ai nostri giorni*" during the Teaching Days organized by the Municipality of Verona, with Professor Daria Gabusi (University of Verona), Paolo Landi (former student of Don Milani and former trade unionist), journalist and teacher Alex Corlazzoli, and the Mayor of Verona, Damiano Tommasi, held at Palazzo della Gran Guardia, Verona.

**28 May 2024** "Hate speech and gender discrimination. The challenge of intercultural communication in primary school" as part of conference into the project "Gender Equality (Street View Approach) in Primary Education", Erasmus+ KA2 2023 Program, Cooperation Partnerships School Education Sector KA220-SCH, Project code: 2023-1-IT02-KA220-SCH-000150964 (PI), May 26-30, Platon Schools in Katerini (Greece)

**23 May 2024** "Comunicare le diversità nei social media per una comunicazione inclusiva", as part of the seminar "Disseminazione dei progetti attraverso i media" for the master in "Intercultural Competence and Management - Intercultural Mediation and Communication", University of Verona (IT)

**18 May 2024** Roundtable "Storytelling inclusivo" as part of the conference "#HR UNMASKED" organized by Associazione Italiana Direzione Personale Veneto e Friuli Venezia Giulia, at 311, Verona (IT)

**12 April 2024** (invited) "Che lingua parli? Decolonizziamo il linguaggio - Intersezionalità e pluralità nei media", room SMT3 of Polo universitario S. Marta, University of Verona (IT)

**9 April 2024** Organization and moderation of the seminar "Gestione delle diversità nei luoghi di lavoro: buone pratiche a confronto" with Agostino Portera, director of Centre Intercultural Studies and full professor of General and Social Pedagogy, Valeria Valotto, institutional area manager and vice-president of Progetto Quid, Maria Antonietta Bergamasco, co-founder of the social promotion association Dhub, and Francesco Salvoro, HR Manager, addressed to students of Education Sciences from the course in Intercultural Pedagogy, at University of Verona (IT)

**28 March 2024** "Religious Diversity in Italian Work Environments. A Qualitative Research that Explores Human Resource Managers Training Needs in Italian Companies" with Cristina Balloi of Università Cattolica of Milano in the International conference "Diversity, Equity, Inclusion, and Belonging+ in Education to Transform Society" of IAIE, March 26-28, University of Technology in Chemnitz (DE)

**13 March 2024** "Gender communication. Communication and gender stereotypes for inclusive language" into the project "Gender Equality (Street View Approach) in Primary Education", Erasmus+ KA2 Program

2023 Partnerships of Cooperation sector School Education KA220-SCH, Project code: 2023-1-IT02-KA220-SCH-000150964 (PI), March 11-13, University of Verona (IT)

**February - March 2024** Teaching tutor for the course General and Intercultural Pedagogy, Social Service in Complex Settings since semester 2 of the a.y. 2023/24 at the University of Verona (IT)

**15 February 2024:** Organization and moderation of the conference “Numeri e testimonianze sul lavoro nel percorso migratorio a Verona” with Gloria Albertini (IDOS/Cestim Verona), Edoardo Garonzi (One Bridge To) and the testimony of Qazi Husnain, at La Sobilla, Verona (IT)

**20 November 2023** Presentation at the conference titled “*Nero su bianco. La violenza invisibile delle parole*” at the *Giardino musicale - Dino Formaggio* of the Municipality of Illasi (Vr), organized by Ulss9 Scaligera of the Veneto Region

**9-11 November 2023** “*Ethnic Substitution: Unfortunate Expression or Unacceptable Supremacism*” with Marta Milani and Stella Merlin of the University of Verona at the International scientific conference “*Negative Solidarities. The age of anger and hate speech in the Anglophone globalized public sphere*”, November 9-10-11, Palazzo Du Mesnil, University of Naples L’Orientale

**4 April 2023** Organization and moderation of the seminar “*Le competenze interculturali e la mediazione nei servizi sociali ed educativi*”, with Sara Maria Terziotti, social worker at the *Centro per l’Affido e la Solidarietà Familiare* of the Municipality of Verona, Veronica Benetti, psychologist and psychotherapist at the *Centro per l’Affido e la Solidarietà Familiare* of the Municipality of Verona, and Dinha Rodrigues dos Santos, expert mediator of the linguistic and cultural mediation system of the *Associazione di Mediatori e Mediatrici Terra dei Popoli*, aimed at students of Educational Sciences in the *Pedagogia interculturale* course, at Univr (IT)

**21 March 2023** Presentation during the in-depth seminar “*Dalla razza al razzismo*”, organized for the 19th *Settimana Contro il Razzismo* by the *Centro Pastorale Immigrati* together with *Cestim Verona*, in collaboration with the *Cultural Anthropology* course - Department of Cultures and Civilizations at the University of Verona. With Anna Paini, professor of Cultural Anthropology at the Department of Cultures and Civilizations at the University of Verona, Gian Maria Varanini, emeritus professor of Medieval History at the Department of Cultures and Civilizations at the University of Verona, Federica Panizzo, criminal lawyer and tutor at the School of Specialization for Legal Professions (Criminal Law Area) at the University of Trento and Verona, and Elena Guerra, journalist and PhD candidate in Education at the University of Verona (IT)

**9 March 2023** Organization and moderation of the webinar “*Età e gap generazionali: risorsa o ostacolo in azienda?*”, with Cristina Balloi, researcher at the *Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore* in Milan

**13 October 2022** “The Diversity Charter in companies: an experimental procedure to develop intercultural competencies and promote Diversity Management best practices” in the International scientific and practical conference “Educational challenges of the socio-cultural sphere. Implementation of European values in audiovisual culture in wartime conditions” for students, young researchers, PhDs, practitioners and academicians, teachers, general public, Kyiv. The conference is in the frame of Jean Monnet Chair «Social-Cultural Aspects of European Studies» (SCAES) - 620635-EPP-1-2020-1-UA-EPPJMO-CHAIR in cooperation with the Jean Monnet Center of Excellence “Western Ukrainian Research Center for European Studies” (WURCES)-599469-EPP-1-2018-1-UA-EPPJMO-CoE, and National Erasmus+Office in Ukraine

**6 July 2022** (with Elisa Maria Francesca Salvadori) “*Intercultural education and communication*”, online seminar as part of the *Mate 2022 International Congress*

**20 June 2022** Organization and moderation of the online seminar “*THROW-In. Trainers as Healthy Roadmap of Welcoming Inclusion, esperienza di un progetto pilota di inclusione sociale attraverso lo sport*”, aimed at students of the *Master in Intercultural Competence and Management*

**27 May 2022** *"Mapping Native Language Teacher Training in Italy, Malta, Slovenia, Croatia, and Austria"*, seminar within *Icpatme 2022 - IV International Conference on Education and Technologies "Pedagogical advances in technology-mediated education"* at Akdeniz University, Turkey

**5 April 2022** Organization and moderation of the seminar *"L'approccio interculturale nel lavoro educativo: dalla maternità all'infanzia"* with Melissa Macavilca, educator and intercultural mediator, and Tommaso Rinaldi, linguistic tutor and Italian L2 teacher trainer for *Cestim (Centro Studi Immigrazione Verona)*, aimed at students of Educational Sciences in the *Pedagogia interculturale* course

**March – April 2022** *"Fondamenti di social media management e ufficio stampa"*, hands-on training course for students of the Master's Degree in *Publishing and Journalism* at the University of Verona

**29 March 2021** *"Quali attenzioni avere nel linguaggio? Come si fa giornalismo nel 2021?"*, webinar organized by *Pass Magazine* of the University of Verona, as part of the "21 giornalismo" series

**5 July 2020** *"Social lab"*, webinar organized by the *Master in Intercultural Competence and Management*, as part of the specialist module in *Intercultural Journalism, Media Relations, and European Video Journalism*

**27 March 2019** *"Tecnica degli uffici stampa per la comunicazione della cultura"*, lecture for students of the Master's Degree in *Publishing and Journalism* at the University of Verona

**24 May 2018** *"Ufficio stampa per la cultura ed esercitazione #dettaglinonrichiesti"*, lecture for students of the Master's Degree in *Publishing and Journalism* at the University of Verona

**19 May 2017** *"Ufficio stampa per la cultura"*, lecture for students of the Master's Degree in *Publishing and Journalism* at the University of Verona

**17 April 2015** *"L'ho uccisa perché l'amavo. Il femminicidio: vittime e carnefici nei media italiani"*, lecture for students of the Master's Degree in *Publishing and Journalism* at the University of Verona

## Organization and Participation in Research Groups

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**2024-2027** Research group *"Dialoguing@arts – Advancing Cultural Literacy for Social Inclusion through Dialogical Arts Education (dArts)"*, HORIZON Research and Innovation Actions, Call for proposal HORIZON-CL2-2023-HERITAGE-01. Project no. 101132352, 42 months (National Coordinator: Prof. Marta Milani)

**2023-2026** Research group *"Gender Equality (Street View Approach) in Primary Education"*, Erasmus+ KA2 2023 Cooperation Partnerships in the School Education sector KA220-SCH, Project code: 2023-1-IT02-KA220-SCH-000150964 (PI). Scientific coordinator: Prof. Marta Milani, University of Verona. Involved partners: *Centro Studi Interculturali* of the University of Verona, *Vallda* Association, University of Nicosia, *IDEA Academy* (Malta), *Maria Regina Primary Qawra* (Malta), *SynKoino Coop* and *Platon M.E.P.E* (Greece), *Istituto Comprensivo di Bologna* (Italy), *Ferdinand Buisson School* (Belgium), and the NGO *Le LABA* (France)

**2023-2025** Research group *"VVV – Voglio Vedere Verde: simulazione virtuale di ecosistemi naturali per esprimere, condividere e comunicare le esigenze di verde nell'ambiente"*, FORMAT2023 call by *Fondazione Cariverona*, involving 15 schools in Verona and its province, 24 months. Scientific coordinator: Prof. Davide Quaglia

**2019-2022** Research group *Global Learning Experience (GLE)*, 6-week project from April 4 to May 13, 2022. Involved partner: *DePaul University, Department of Counseling & Special Education*, Chicago, USA (Prof. Melissa S. Ockerman)

**2019-2021** Research group *MATT – Mapping Teacher Training in Europe*, Erasmus+ Key Action 2 Strategic Partnerships. Scientific coordinator: Prof. Agostino Portera, University of Verona. Involved partners: *Akdeniz University* (Antalya, Turkey); *VisMedNet Association* (Malta); *Management, Accounting and Education Research Association (MAERA)* (Portugal); *Norges Teknisk – Naturvitenskapelige Universitet (NTNU)* (Norway); *Wyższa Szkoła Biznesu I Nauk O Zdrowiu* (Poland)

**2015-2017** Research group *PRIN (2015) «Successo formativo, inclusione e coesione sociale: strategie innovative, ICT e modelli valutativi»*. Scientific coordinator: Prof. Agostino Portera, University of Verona.

**2010-2012** Research group *PRIN (2010) «Educazione interculturale alla cittadinanza a scuola e nei media»*. Involved research units: *Università Cattolica di Milano* (lead unit, scientific coordinator: Prof. Milena Santerini); *University of Turin* (Prof. Mario Castoldi); *University of Sassari* (Prof. Paolo Calidoni); *University of Messina* (Prof. Concetta Sirna)

## Affiliation to University Research Centers

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**2008 – in progress** Member of the *Centro Studi Interculturali (CSI)* at the University of Verona, directed by Prof. Agostino Portera

**2008 – in progress** Member and co-founder of the *Centro di ricerca Prosmedia* within the CSI at the University of Verona, directed by Prof. Agostino Portera

**2022 – in progress** Member of the Scientific Committee and the *Centro Universitario di Negoziazione e Mediazione (Neg2Med)* at the University of Verona, directed by Prof. Alberto Tedoldi

## Affiliation with other foreign Universities and Research Centers

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**2025** Visiting Scholar, Group for research on Ethnic Relations, Migration & Equality (GERME), Université libre de Bruxelles, Belgium (1 April - 30 June)

## Membership in International Scientific Societies

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**2024 – in progress** Member of the International Association for Intercultural Education (IAIE)

## PUBLICATIONS

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Milani, M., Guerra, E., & Apolito, N. (in press). **Assessing and evaluating intercultural competence in the Italian school system: Challenges and possibilities**. In F. Dervin & D. Moore (Eds.), *The International Routledge Handbook of Intercultural Teacher Education and Training*. Routledge.

Guerra, E., Merlin, S., & Milani, M. (2025). **“Ethnic Replacement”: Unfortunate expression or unacceptable supremacism? An interdisciplinary approach to a case study in Italian political discourse**. In G. Balirano, R. Lawson, & G. Scotto di Carlo (Eds.), *Language Unleashed: The Anatomy of Hate Speech in Contemporary Discourse*, special issue *AION Anglistica*, 27(2). ISSN: 2035-8504.

Guerra, E. (2025). **Intercultural competences beyond the school: A research study to explore managers' training needs in Italian companies**. In G. Jenei & I. Lázár (Eds.), *Book of Abstracts, IAIE International Conference 2025 – Currents in Education: Navigating Change in Languages, Cultures, and Communities* (pp. 15). ELTE Eötvös Kiadó. ISBN: 978-963-312-427-7; ISBN: 978-963-312-428-4 (pdf).

Guerra, E., & Corte, M. (2025). **The media in conflict management and mediation**. In A. M. Tedoldi (Ed.), *Manual of Negotiation and Mediation* (pp. 353–372). Zanichelli.

Guerra, E., Milani, M., Salvadori, E.M.F. (2022). **Intercultural Education and Communication**. In M. Cambulat, B. Biçac, B. Direkci, & R. Vezne (Eds.). Mapping Teacher Education in Europe (pp. 95-103). Sebat Ofset.

Guerra E., Salvadori E. M. F. (2022). **Strategies and Tools for Inclusion and Intercultural Education in Blended/Distance Learning and Virtual Worlds**. In M. Cambulat, B. Biçac, B. Direkci, & R. Vezne (Eds.). Mapping Teacher Education in Europe (pp. 104-113). Sebat Ofset.

Guerra, E., Salvadori, E.M.F. (2022). **The syllabus of the module 6**. In M. Cambulat, B. Biçac, B. Direkci, & R. Vezne (Eds.), Mapping Teacher Education in Europe (pp. 147-150). Sebat Ofset.

Guerra E., Salvadori E. M. F. (2022). **Intercultural education and communication**. In MaTE international congress 2022 abstracts/ full texts , Atti di "MaTE International Congress", Antalya, Turchia, 6-7 luglio 2022, pp. 36-36, ISBN 978-625-00-0882-9

Guerra E. (2021). **Prefazione**. In Cappellazzo L. Donne di Sabbia. Paoline.

Guerra E., Silvestri A., Tessaro E. (2019). **Ricette migranti. 20 piatti, 20 storie**. Cierre Edizioni.

Corte M., Guerra E. (2018). **Come i media hanno presentato il caso del Biondino della spider rossa**. In Corte M., Baccaro L. Il Biondino della spider rossa. Crimine, giustizia e media (pp. 158 – 177). Cacucci Editore.

Corte M., Guerra E., Kapel N., Martini C., Pedron S. (2014). **I media e l'immigrazione**. In Corte, M., Il giornalismo interculturale e comunicazione nell'era digitale. Il ruolo formativo dei media in una società pluralistica (pp. 76 – 87). Cedam editore.

Proimedia. (2013). **Cronaca e criminalità: i delitti dei media**. In Associazione Carta di Roma, Notizie fuori dal ghetto. Primo rapporto annuale Associazione Carta di Roma (pp. 104 – 118). Edizioni Ponte Sisto.

## RESEARCH

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**October 2021 – September 2022** Research fellow in the scientific-disciplinary sector M-PED/01 *General and Social Pedagogy*, for the implementation of the research program *“La Carta della Diversità nelle aziende: una procedura sperimentale per sviluppare la Competenza Interculturale per promuovere best practice nel Diversity Management”*, funded under the *Ricerca di Base 2017* call

**February 2022** Sentiment analysis of the advertising, sales, and communication campaign for the *“Crisalis”* project by *Quid Impresa Sociale* in Verona

**2011-2018** Scientific research on *Crime, Justice, and the Media: “Il biondino della spider rossa. Analisi mediatica del caso Bozano – Sutter”*. Scientific coordinator: Dr. Maurizio Corte

**2010-2015** Scientific research for *Carta di Roma: “Cattive notizie. Cronaca e criminalità: i delitti dei media. Ricerca nazionale su immigrazione e asilo nei media italiani. Analisi dell'agenzia di stampa Ansa”*. Scientific coordinator: Dr. Maurizio Corte

**February – April 2011** Scientific research for *Carta di Roma* on the topic *“Caso Lampedusa. Il trattamento informativo dell'agenzia Ansa”*. Scientific coordinator: Dr. Maurizio Corte

## Organization of Summer Schools

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**July 2024** Member of the organizing committee for the Summer Schools organized by the CSI at the University of Verona in collaboration with the College of Education at DePaul University of Chicago, titled “Cultural Bridges: Fostering Intercultural Competences for Educators & Professionals”, July 10-13, University of Verona

## **Roles and Activities in Journalism and Intercultural Communication**

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**16 March 2025** Organizer and moderator of the panel “*La cura delle parole*” with Vera Gheno and Annamaria Testa at the fifth edition of the Verona Journalism Festival at Fucina Culturale Machiavelli

**5 October 2024** Speaker at the event “*Beyond Arrival. Stories of (Dis)Integration*” organized by One Bridge To Idomeni at Forte Sofia in Verona

**29 September 2024** Moderator of the event “*Pop Palestine. A Journey into Palestinian Popular Cuisine*” with Silvia Chiarantini and Fidaa I. A. Abuhamdiy, organized by the Brutti Caratteri 2024 Festival: Independent Publishing and Cultures

**4-11 June 2024** Delivery of a training session titled “*Siamo le nostre parole - seconda parte*” on non-discriminatory language, organized for volunteers of Caritas Verona “Officina Futuro”

**1 March 2024** Organization and moderation of “*Una nuova politica per la vera parità*” at the *Festival del Giornalismo di Verona*, with Marilena Umuhoza Delli (writer and activist), Monica Lanfranco (journalist), Beatrice Verzé (City Councilor for equal opportunities), and Barbara Bonomi Romagnoli (freelance journalist)

**23 February 2024** Delivery of a training session titled “*Siamo le nostre parole*” on media education, organized for middle school students of Istituto Comprensivo 09 Valdonega in Verona

**21 February 2024** Delivery of a training session titled “*Siamo le nostre parole*” on media education, organized for teachers of Istituto Comprensivo Zanella in Sandrigo, Vicenza

**20 November 2023** Speaker with a talk titled “*Le parole e le immagini che fanno la differenza*” during the traveling exhibition on “*Violence Against Women*”, protocol no. 208871, at the Giardino Musicale - Dino Formaggio in Illasi, Verona, organized by ULSS 9 Scaligera

**25 October 2023** Delivery of a training session on language related to gender-based violence for middle school students of *Istituto Scolastico "Zanella"* in Monteforte d'Alpone (VR), Determination No. 0461/0006 of 25/10/2023, organized by the Department of Sports of the Municipality of Monteforte d'Alpone

**18, 25 November 2023** Delivery of a training session titled “*Siamo le nostre parole - prima parte*” on non-discriminatory language, organized for volunteers of Caritas Verona “Officina Futuro”

**14, 21, 28 September 2022** Delivery of a training session titled “*Parole intorno al cinema con rassegna Mediorizzonti*”. Three free meetings organized by Caritas Verona “Officina Futuro” for young people aged 13 to 17 at Cinema Nuovo San Michele in Verona

**17 June 2022** Panel discussion “*Violenza di genere: problema culturale?*” as part of the Festival del Giornalismo di Ronchi dei Legionari, Gorizia

**7 May 2022** *“Lo sguardo femminile sul fare informazione tra linguaggio inclusivo e nuove professioni”*, seminar within the XXII RYLA Junior event, *“Becoming People and Citizens in the Digital Society and in Times of War”*, aimed at high school students from Verona and its province, organized by the Rotary Clubs of Verona and province, lead club: Villafranca di Verona

**14 December 2021** *“Media e immigrazione: il ruolo dei giornalisti per un’informazione inclusiva. Uso del linguaggio inclusivo nell’informazione”*, online course for journalists registered with the Ordine dei Giornalisti, organized by Reti dei Centri Interculturali - Regione Emilia-Romagna; ANCI Emilia-Romagna; Ordine dei Giornalisti and Fondazione Giornalisti dell’Emilia-Romagna, in collaboration with Centro Interculturale Asp Cesena - Unione dei Comuni Valle del Savio

**28 September 2021** *“Linguaggio in evoluzione”*, panel discussion as part of the IV edition of *Solidalia 2021*, a festival organized by CSV Padova e Rovigo, dedicated to civil service volunteers at the Centro Culturale Altinate/San Gaetano in Padua

**13 July 2021** *“Con/Tatto”*, a session on inclusive language and journalism, organized by *Arci Servizio Civile Vicenza* for volunteers and the general public

**24-25 November 2020** Online workshops *“Come fare un’intervista”* and *“Come fare un podcast”*, organized as part of Video Review Studio by the Liceo Artistico Statale di Verona

**30 April – 3 May 2020** *“La comunicazione e il giornalismo interculturale: le parole pesano”*, webinar organized by *Arci Servizio Civile Vicenza*, dedicated to volunteers

**24 April 2020** *“L’ufficio stampa e la comunicazione integrata”*, webinar organized by *Prosmedia*

**21 September 2019** *“Comunicare il fenomeno della migrazione. Il ruolo dei mass media nella creazione della percezione e valutazione di un evento epocale”*, meeting at *Fondazione Toniolo*, organized by the *Diocese of Verona* and *Centro Migrantes*

**12 September 2019** *“Tavolo di discussione sul tema cinema, arti visive e multimediali”*, roundtable at *Musalab*, organized by *Studioventisette* and *Doc Servizi*

**11 May 2019** *“Raccontare e interpretare la realtà a chi ascolta”*, course on how to identify news, bring it to the radio, and interact with guests and listeners, for members of *Radiosveglia* at *Porto Burci*, *Vicenza*

**14 February 2019** *“Realtà vs percezione: immigrazione e stereotipi”*, meeting at *La Sobilla*, organized by *Prosmedia* and *Veronetta129*, open to the public, with the presentation of the 2018 Immigration Statistical Report, *Verona*

**21 January 2017** *“La comunicazione sociale: hate speech e diversità”*, organized by the Scout Group of *Santa Croce*, *Verona*

**2 and 11 February 2016** *“La comunicazione e il giornalismo interculturale: le parole pesano”*, organized by *Associazione Popoli Insieme*, *Padova*

**21 May 2015** *“Morir d’amore”*, roundtable with *Lucia Annibali*, organized by the *Municipality of San Bonifacio*, *Verona*

**15 July 2014** *“L’ho amata da morire. Stereotipi e rappresentazioni dei media nei casi di femminicidio e violenza di genere”*, organized by *Prosmedia*, in *San Bonifacio*, *Verona*

**18 November 2013** *“Stampa e diversità culturale: il ruolo dei mass media”*, organized by Istituto Tecnico Boscardin, Vicenza

**14 October 2013** *“La violenza sulle donne”*, organized by the Consulta Diocesana Vicentina per le Associazioni Laicali, Vicenza

**25 May 2015** Final event of the project *“Immigrazione nei media”*, organized by Liceo S.S.A. Messedaglia, Verona

**22 November 2012** *“Africamix: le nuove frontiere della comunicazione sociale”*, organized as part of the 32nd edition of the African Film Festival of Verona.

## **Roles and Activities in Journalism and Intercultural Communication**

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**April 2020 – in progress** Editor-in-Chief of the online news outlet *Heraldo*.

**March 2022 - in progress** Press office for the *EXTRA sci-fi festival Verona*

**June 2021 – in progress** Concept, organization, and hosting of the five editions of the *Verona Journalism Festival*.

**March 2019 – in progress** Organization and press office for the event *Siamo tutti esposti*, promoted by the cultural association *veronetta129*.

**October 2018 – in progress** Event organization and training activities for the cultural association *Prosmedia*.

**October 2015 – in progress** Concept, organization, and press office for the Middle Eastern film series *Mediorizzonti*, promoted by the cultural association *veronetta129*.

**March 2014 – in progress** Organization and press office for the event *Indovina chi viene a cena? Verona*, promoted by the cultural association *veronetta129*.

## **LANGUAGE**

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**Native language:** Italian

**B2:** English

## **IT SKILLS**

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Excellent knowledge of the Windows operating system, Microsoft Office suite, and WordPress

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