

WORK EXPERIENCE:

August 2014 - present

European Parliament - Brussels, Belgium and Strasbourg, France

Parliamentary assistant to MEP Paolo De Castro - S&D Group Coordinator for the Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development, Member of the Committee on Budgets and of the Committee on International Trade, Member of the Delegation for relations with the United States

Main activities and responsibilities:

- management and supervision of the institutional activities in Brussels, Strasbourg and Italy;
- strategic support with respect to the drafting and management of relevant parliamentary reports, including the 'Directive on Unfair Trading Practices in the agricultural and food supply chain' and the mid-term review of the Common Agricultural Policy - 'Omnibus Regulation';
- negotiation with other MEPs, political groups and representatives of other European institutions in order to achieve consensus on various positions of the S&D Group; participation and support throughout the process of inter-institutional negotiations;
- drafting and editing of resolutions, reports, opinions, amendments, oral and written questions, background documents supporting parliamentary activities, speeches and press releases;
- support dialogue with non-institutional political actors (civil society, NGOs, expert groups and think-tanks, stakeholders);
- contribution to public communication of the MEP's political activity, liaising also with the press.

January 2013 - July 2013

European Parliament - Brussels, Belgium

Trainee assisting MEP Paolo De Castro - Chairman of the Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development, Member of the Delegation for relations with the United States

Main activities and responsibilities:

- organization and management of various events and conferences;
- analytical support during the negotiations on the reform of the Common Agricultural Policy;
- cooperation with the School of Agriculture and Veterinary Medicine of the University of Bologna (IT) in the evaluation of environmental effects of the Common Agricultural Policy regulatory reform.

March 2011 - August 2011

Bassi Luigi & C. S.p.a., global market leader in fitting production - Lodi, Italy

Junior Consultant Trainee in the administrative department

Main activities and responsibilities:

- monitoring and auditing of the electronic invoicing system of the company;
- collection and preparation of the information and data required by the fiscal and statistical system of the European Union - Intrastat;
- inquiry of the company's tax obligations and preparation of an assignment report.

EDUCATION:

September 2009 - February 2015

Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore - Piacenza, Italy

Master's Degree in Business Management - International Management curriculum

Final dissertation: *Back to the origins: empirical evaluation of the increasing reshoring activities within the manufacturing industry*

Final grade: 110/110 cum laude

September 2011 - July 2013

AVANS School of International Studies - Breda, the Netherlands

BBA in International Business and Management Studies program

Final dissertation: *Assessing the Greening: micro-economical evaluation of the CAP greening obligations*

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES:

2011 - present

Translands, cultural association - Piacenza, Italy

Member of the association, promoting and organizing activities and events aimed at the preservation of the cultural heritage of rural areas in the Po Valley.

PERSONAL SKILLS:

Languages Italian (native), English (fluent), French (good)

Computing Microsoft Excel, Outlook, PowerPoint, Word (proficient), Social Media targeting and communication (proficient), SPSS Statistics (proficient) and Sap R/3 (intermediate)