

Curriculum Vitae

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Education:

- J.D., University of Genoa, Law School (IT), 2000 (110/110 magna cum laude and honours of publication)
- L.L.M., University of California at Berkeley, Boalt Hall 2002-2003
- Certificate in Law & Technology, University of California at Berkeley, Boalt Hall 2004
- JSD, University of California at Berkeley, Boalt Hall 2003-2006¹

Academic position and activities:

- ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF BUSINESS LAW, University of Genoa – Department of Law²

ACADEMIC ROLES

- MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF REGENTS for the University of Pavia PhD Program in Civil Law, European Legal Culture and Roman Law for the Intellectual Property Scientific Program (from 2018 to present)
- MEMBER OF THE TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER COMMISSION (INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY TRANSFER AND SPIN OFFS) at the University of Genoa (from 2020 to present)
- COORDINATOR of the Intellectual Property Program at the IANUA Summer Program, University of Genoa (from the academic year 2019-2020 to present)

¹ This title has been deemed equivalent to Italian PhD by Italian Ministry of University decree of July 6, 2010.

² Qualified to full professorship in Business Law since March 2018.

- MEMBER OF THE STAFF, Turin-WIPO International LL.M. Program in Intellectual Property Law, in Turin (from the academic year 2013-2014 to present)
- MEMBER OF THE COMMISSION ON AI AND UNIVERSITY, University of Genoa (from 2025 to present)
- MEMBER OF THE COMMISSION ON DISTANCE LEARNING at the University of Genoa (2020)
- MEMBER OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE of the Master Program “Giurista d’impresa” at the University of Genoa (from 2017 to 2020)

RESEARCH PROJECTS

- MEMBER of the local research unit of Genoa for the Project PRIN 2017: “Artificial Intelligence and Legal Studies Perspectives. Are the Algorithmic decision-making and data driven predictions calling for a new legal framework? A focus on financial and labour markets highlighting protection of rights and wealth distribution”, Prot. 2017L9HJ25_001, CUP I84I19001180008
- RESPONSIBLE for the legal aspect of Ethical Artificial Intelligence for the Project funded by the European Union - NextGenerationEU and by the Ministry of University and Research (MUR), National Recovery and Resilience Plan (NRRP), Mission 4, Component 2, Investment 1.5, project “RAISE - Robotics and AI for Socio-economic Empowerment” (ECS00000035); Member of the IP Plan commission within the RAISE Project for the drafting of the regulation on technology transfer of RAISE (20 hours); Member of the Spin off commission within the RAISE Project for the drafting of the regulation on Spin offs of RAISE (44 hours)

LAW JOURNALS

- CO-DIRECTOR of “Aida” Law Journal (*Annali Italiani di diritto d’autore*) (from 2020 to present)
- MEMBER OF THE EDITORIAL BOARD of “Leggi civili commentate” Law Journal (from 2018 to present)
- MEMBER OF THE EDITORIAL BOARD of “Il Nuovo Diritto delle Società” (from 2020 to present)

- MEMBER OF THE EDITORIAL BOARD of “Aida” Law Journal (*Annali Italiani di diritto d'autore*) (from 2005 to 2020)
- MEMBER OF THE ADVISORY COMMITTEE of the “Berkeley Journal for Law and Technology”, University of California at Berkeley (from 2004 to 2006)

Courses:

- Cyber law, Master program in network economy, Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore (Piacenza), for the academic years 2003-2004 (25 hours); 2004-2005 (25 hours), 2005-2006 (25 hours)
- Intellectual Property Law, Master in “Giurista di impresa”, University of Genova, 2006 (2 hours), 2007 (2 hours), 2008 (2 hours), 2009 (2 hours), 2010 (3 hours)
- Intellectual Property Law, Department of Law, University of Genoa, for the academic years 2004-2005 (15 hours), 2005-2006 (15 hours), 2006-2007 (20 hours), 2007-2008 (20 hours), 2008-2009 (20 hours), 2009-2010 (40 hours), 2010-2011 (40 hours)
- Business Law (Diritto commerciale), Department of Law, University of Genoa, “Giurista di impresa”, for the academic years 2013-2014 (54 hours), 2014/2015 (54 hours), 2015/2016 (54 hours), 2016/2017 (54 hours)
- Business Law (Diritto commerciale I), Department of Law, University of Genoa, “Giurisprudenza”, for the academic years 2013-2014 (54 hours), Fraction M-Z; 2016-2017 (54 hours), Fraction M-Z; 2017-2018 (54 hours), Fraction A-L; 2017-2018 (54 hours), Fraction M-Z; 2018-2019 (54 hours), Fraction A-L; 2018-2019 (54 hours), Fraction M-Z; 2019-2020 (54 hours), Fraction A-L; 2019-2020 (54 hours), Fraction M-Z; 2020-2021 (54 hours), Fraction A-L; 2020-2021 (54 hours), Fraction M-Z; 2021-2022 (54 hours), Fraction A-L; 2021-2022 (54 hours), Fraction M-Z; 2022-2023 (54 hours), Fraction A-L; 2022-2023 (54 hours), Fraction M-Z; 2023-2024 (54 hours), Fraction A-L; 2023-2024 (54 hours), Fraction M-Z; 2024-2025 (54 hours), Fraction A-L
- Intellectual Property and Algorithmic Innovation, Department of Economy, University of Genoa, for the academic years 2023-2024 (48 hours), 2024-2025 (48 hours)
- Intellectual Property, IANUA Summer Program, University of Genoa, for the academic years 2022-2023 (4 hours), 2023-2024 (4 hours)

- Trade Secrets, Master Program in Intellectual Property, WIPO and University of Turin, a.a. 2018-2019 (8 hours), 2019-2020 (8 hours), 2020-2021(8 hours), 2021-2022 (8 hours), 2022-2023 (8 hours), 2023-2024 (8 hours), 2024-2025 (2 hours)
- Biotechnology Law, Biotechnology Department, University of Genoa, for the academic year 2016-2017 (40 hours)

Visiting Professor:

- VISITING PROFESSOR AT THE GRAND ECOLE DE COMMERCE À PARIS ET LILLE (IESEG) for the years 2019: teaching a course in Lille on Intellectual Property and Openness, January 2019 (16 hours) and on Privacy Law, January 2019 (16 hours)
- VISITING PROFESSOR AT THE GRAND ECOLE DE COMMERCE À PARIS ET LILLE (IESEG) for the years 2020: teaching a course in Lille on Intellectual Property and Openness, January 2020 (16 hours)
- VISITING PROFESSOR AT THE GRAND ECOLE DE COMMERCE À PARIS ET LILLE (IESEG) for the years 2022: teaching a course in Paris on Intellectual Property and Openness, March-April 2022 (16 hours)
- VISITING PROFESSOR AT THE GRAND ECOLE DE COMMERCE À PARIS ET LILLE (IESEG) for the years 2023: teaching a course in Paris on Intellectual Property and Openness, March 2023 (16 hours) and on Privacy Law, March 2023 (16 hours)
- VISITING SCHOLAR AT CHUNG-ANG UNIVERSITY, SCHOOL OF LAW, Seoul (South Korea) providing lectures on Laws of Internet of Things and Artificial intelligence (2019)

Third mission activities:

- Training activities within the RAISE Project on the subject of “Intellectual property as a corporate asset”, “Intellectual property protection: case studies”, “Intellectual property valorisation strategy” (registration of the lessons: February 29, 2024)
- Member of the Board of directors of the Foundation “Abele Ruggeri” appointed by the University of Genoa (November 28, 2024)
- PRESIDENT OF THE AIPPI ITALIAN COMMISSION ON BIG DATA AND ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE (AIPPI: International Association for the Protection of Intellectual Property) for the years 2018, 2019, 2020
- Academic member of the 2015 Commission for the Italian Bar Exam
- Academic member of the 2018 Commission for the Italian Chartered Accountant Exam

- Conference Presentation “Il Governo dell’algoritmo” at “Giuspentameron”, Emilio Betti Institute, March 12, 2021
- Conference Presentation “GDPR and its Critical Analysis”, March 12, 2019 Gangnam-Gu, Seoul (Startup Alliance)
- Conference Presentation “Etica e sviluppo tecnologico nelle scienze della vita”, University of Genoa, November 19, 2019
- Roundtable Presentation “Didattica a distanza: profili di proprietà intellettuale”, University of Genoa, May 21, 2021
- Speaker at the “Euro-Mediterranean Conference on Intellectual Property and Innovation - Challenges for SMEs and New Entrepreneurs in the Global Marketplace”, Tunis, February 23, 2023, on the subject of intellectual property and SMEs in the Mediterranean Sea (3 hours)
- Participation in a mission to Thessaloniki within the EU IPMED project as a University of Genoa member, May 8-11, 2023 (20 hours)
- Participation in the Ligurian Stakeholders Working Group within the EU IPMED project on June 16, 2023; July 9, 2023 and July 27, 2023 (4 hours)
- Participation as a delegate of the Technology Transfer Commission in the Evaluation Commission on technological start-ups within the COOP Start Up Liguria 2023 Project (4 hours)
- Speaker at the presentation of the 2023 edition of SMARTCup Liguria, July 28, 2023 (3 hours)
- Lecturer on technology transfer at two meetings held at the University of Genoa for administrative staff and teachers of all departments, 2021-2022 (6 hours)

Selected academic conferences:

- IP and Constitutions, WIPO ILO, Turin, December 2, 2005, presenting “Intellectual Property and the Constitution: developments in the U.S.”
- Patenting Life Forms, WIPO, Geneva, October 1, 2009, presenting “Ethical Aspects of Patenting related to life forms: the Onco Mouse and the Edinburgh Patent”
- Televisioni, nuove tecnologie e IP: Aida, Pavia, 3 October 2010 presenting “Privacy and Intellectual Property
- Facebook et similia: Aida, Pavia, September 30, 2011, presenting “Privacy e social networks”
- IPRs and Internet in European Law: Aippi, Milan, February 7, 2014 presenting “Data mining and copyright”
- WIPO-ILO Turin Center on Intellectual Property, 2 December 2015; presentation on “Big data and Intellectual Property

- Master Conference, May 4, 2016 on Innovative Start-up Companies, presenting: The role of Law in organizing innovative start-up companies
- Conference at the University of Ferrara, Rovigo, November 11, 2016 on Personal Data Law in European Union, presenting: “Big data and the GDPR
- Aida Conference, September 9, 2016 on “An Assessment on European Copyright Law”, presenting: Copyright and Freedom of Expression
- WIPO-ILO Conference in Turin, October 16, 2017 on “Artificial Intelligence and IP”, presenting “Artificial intelligence and its relevance for intellectual property”
- Orizzonti di Diritto Commerciale Conference, Rome, February 23, 2018, as paper discussant on Rosa Maria Agostino’s “Big data e nuovi beni tra modelli organizzativi e controllo dell’impresa”
- “Artificial Intelligence, Health Data and the Law: European and Asian Perspectives”, University of Genoa, April 26, 2018
- Thammasat University, Bangkok (Thailand), March 15, 2018 Conference, presenting a paper on Big data Law
- Shinawatra University, Bangkok (Thailand), March 16, 2018 Conference, presenting a paper on Big Data and Artificial Intelligence
- Aippi and AIPLA Conference on “Proprietà intellettuale: Prospettive dalle due sponde dell’Atlantico”, Milan, June 12, 2018, presenting “Data Protection between privacy and IP: rules and circulation
- WIPO Conference Turin, October 15, 2018 presenting a paper on “Trade secrets and Artificial Intelligence”
- Artificial intelligence and Law in European Law, March 8, 2019, Chung-Ang University, Seoul (South Korea)
- AI and Law in Europe, March 11, 2019 Chung-Ang University School of Law
- Aida Conference, 2021 on “Clausole generali e proprietà intellettuale”, presenting: “Le clausole generali organizzative dell’immaterialità”

Seminars:

- Lecture within the PhD program of the University of Pavia on the belonging of research results, October 25, 2024 (3 hours)
- Lecture within the PhD program of the University of Pavia on algorithmic transparency, April 9, 2021 (3 hours)

Publications:

BOOKS

- *Big data e Innovazione computazionale*, Giappichelli, 2017 (in italian); translated in *Derecho, Big Data e Inteligencia Artificial*, Tirant Le Blanc, 2019 (in spanish)
- *The Public Interest and Intellectual Property Models*, Giappichelli, 2010 (in english)

ARTICLES AND COMMENTS

- *Le privative industriali nella disciplina delle start up e PMI innovative*, in *Diritto dell'innovazione e PMI* (edited by Oreste Cagnasso and Angelo Mambriani), Zanichelli, 2025, p. 111-132
- *Brevetto per invenzione*, in *Lineamenti di diritto industriale* (authored by Michele Bertani, Alessandro Cogo, Philip Fabbio, Anna Genovese, Andrea Ottolia), Wolters Kluwer, 2024, p. 373-494
- *Prospettive della proprietà intellettuale nel rapporto fra impresa e beni*, in *Il nuovo diritto delle società*, 2023, p. 1799-1815
- *Il governo dell'algoritmo*, in *Aida*, 2022, p. 301-332
- *L'opt-out commons nella nuova disciplina del data mining*, in *Giurisprudenza italiana*, 2022, p. 1253-1262
- *Le clausole generali organizzative dell'immateriale*, in *Aida*, 2021, p. 94-114
- *A Topography of Data Commons: From Regulation to Private Dynamism*, in *GRUR International*, 2021, p. 335-345 (with Cristiana Sappa)
- *Il problema della trasparenza algoritmica*, in *Annuario di diritto comparato e di studi legislativi*, 2020, p. 85-113 (with Piercarlo Rossi)
- *Il D.Lgs. n. 63/18 di attuazione della Dir. 2016/943/UE sulla protezione dei segreti commerciali fra tutela e bilanciamenti*, in *Le Nuove Leggi civili commentate*, 2019, p. 1091-1113
- *I dati personali nel sistema della proprietà intellettuale: il caso dei Big data*, in *Studi per Luigi Carlo Ubertazzi*, Giuffrè Francis Lefebvre, 2019, p. 605-631
- *The Borromean knot of Artificial Intelligence and its regulation*, in *Il Nuovo diritto delle Società*, 2018, p. 1745-1755

- *Italy*, in *Employees' Intellectual Property Rights* (Edited by Sanna Wolk and Kacper Szkalej), Second Edition, Wolters Kluwer, 2018, p. 221-248
- Introduction to artt. 45-81 CPI, in *Commentario Breve alle leggi su Proprietà Intellettuale e concorrenza*, CEDAM, 2016, p. 360-362
- *Comment to Art. 45 CPI*, in *Commentario breve alle leggi su proprietà intellettuale e concorrenza*, CEDAM, 2016, p. 362-368
- *Comment to Art. 46 CPI*, in *Commentario breve alle leggi su proprietà intellettuale e concorrenza*, CEDAM, 2016, p. 368-372
- *Comment to Art. 47 CPI*, in *Commentario breve alle leggi su proprietà intellettuale e concorrenza*, CEDAM, 2016, p. 373-377
- *Comment to Art. 48 CPI*, in *Commentario breve alle leggi su proprietà intellettuale e concorrenza*, CEDAM, 2017, p. 377-382
- *Comment to 49 CPI*, in *Commentario breve alle leggi su proprietà intellettuale e concorrenza*, CEDAM, 2016, p. 382-383
- *Comment to Art. 50 CPI*, in *Commentario breve alle leggi su proprietà intellettuale e concorrenza*, CEDAM, 2016, p. 383-384
- *Comment to Art. 51*, in *Commentario breve alle leggi su proprietà intellettuale e concorrenza*, CEDAM, 2016, p. 384-386
- *Comment to Art. 52 CPI*, in *Commentario breve alle leggi su proprietà intellettuale e concorrenza*, CEDAM, 2016, p. 386-390
- *Comment to Art. 53 CPI*, in *Commentario breve alle leggi su proprietà intellettuale e concorrenza*, CEDAM, 2016, p. 390-391
- *Comment to Art. 54 CPI*, in *Commentario breve alle leggi su proprietà intellettuale e concorrenza*, CEDAM, 2016, p. 391-392
- *Comment to Art. 55 CPI*, in *Commentario breve alle leggi su IP e Concorrenza*, CEDAM, 2016, p. 392
- *Comment to Art. 56 CPI*, in *Commentario breve alle leggi su proprietà intellettuale e concorrenza*, CEDAM, 2016, p. 392-393
- *Comment to Art. 58 CPI*, in *Commentario breve alle leggi su proprietà intellettuale e concorrenza*, CEDAM, 2016, p. 394-395
- *Comment to Art. 59 CPI*, in *Commentario breve alle leggi su proprietà intellettuale e concorrenza*, CEDAM, 2016, p. 395-396
- *Comment to Art. 60 CPI*, in *Commentario breve alle leggi su proprietà intellettuale e concorrenza*, CEDAM, 2016, p. 396-397

- *Comment to Art. 61 CPI*, in *Commentario breve alle leggi su proprietà intellettuale e concorrenza*, CEDAM 2016, p. 397-399
- *Comment to artt. 98-99 CPI*, in *Commentario breve alle leggi su Proprietà intellettuale e concorrenza*, CEDAM, 2016, p. 533-540
- *L'interferenza permanente fra proprietà intellettuale e libertà di espressione nel diritto dell'Unione Europea: una proposta di bilanciamento*, in *AIDA*, 2016, p. 157-192
- *Riflessioni sui controlli interni nella s.r.l. e sulla realizzazione di un modello societario flessibile*, in *Rivista di diritto societario*, 2015, p. 191-206
- *Italy*, in *Employees' Intellectual Property Rights* (Edited by Sanna Wolk and Kacper Szkalej), Wolters Kluwer, 2015, p. 209-236
- *L'utilizzo computazionale dell'opera dell'ingegno in internet*, in *Aida*, 2014, p. 386-409
- *L'equity crowdfunding tra incentivi al reperimento di capitale di rischio per start up innovative e responsabilità*, in *Diritto della banca e del mercato finanziario*, 2014, p. 43-65
- Case note of European Court of Human Rights, 10 January 2014, n. 36769/08, in *Aida*, p. 442-445
- *Dati genetici (ed altre materie prime) nell'innovazione bioinformatica*, in *Confini e fronti dell'innovazione biotecnologica per la proprietà intellettuale* (edited by Gustavo Olivieri, Valeria Falce, Emanuela Arezzo), Giuffrè, 2014, p. 203-224
- *Corporate Disclosure as a Transaction Cost: The Case of SMEs*, in *European Review of Contract Law*, 2013, p. 363-386 (con Guido Ferrarini)
- AGOSTINO RAMELLA, in *Dizionario Biografico dei Giuristi italiani*, Il Mulino 2013, p. 1650-1651
- GAETANO FINOCCHIARO, in *Dizionario Biografico dei Giuristi italiani*, Il Mulino 2013, p. 868
- Case note of Court of Justice, 9 February 2012, in *Aida*, 2013, p. 475-492
- Case note of Court of Justice, 1 December 2011, in *Aida*, 2012, p. 471-492
- Case note of Trib. Roma, 25 October 2010, in *Aida*, 2012, p. 689-696

- *Privacy e social networks: profili evolutivi della tutela dei dati personali*, in *Aida*, 2011, p. 360-376
- *Moral Limits to Biotech Patents in Europe, a Quest for Higher Harmonization*, in *Biotechnology and Software Patent Law* (edited by Emanuela Arezzo, Gustavo Ghidini), Cheltenham: Edward Elgar, 2011, p. 309-337
- Comment to Trib. Bologna, 17 March 2011, in *Aida*, 2012, p. 617-620
- Comment to Court of Justice, 21 October 2010, in *Aida*, 2011, p. 476-480
- *Proprietà intellettuale e trattamento dei dati personali: riflessioni su privacy "per il sistema" e "nel sistema"*, in *Aida*, 2010, p. 319-339
- *Il conflitto inevitabile tra privativa industriale e antitrust: il caso del rifiuto di licenza*, in *Il diritto comunitario*, 2009, p. 195-207
- Case note of Trib. Roma, ord. 2 May 2008, in *Aida*, 2010, p. 675-682
- Case note of Trib. Firenze, 19 April 2008, in *Aida*, 2009, p. 653-659
- On the protection of sports commentary, case note of Trib. Roma, 3 October 2007, in *Aida*, 2008, p. 743-751
- *Opera dell'ingegno e bene culturale: una difficile coabitazione*, in *Il diritto ambientale*, 2007, p. 427-433
- On the protection of foley artists as AIE, case note of Consiglio di Stato, 25 January 2007, in *Aida*, 2007, p. 703-704
- On the protection of architectural works, case note of Trib. Milano, 12 April 2005, in *Aida*, 2006, p. 464-467
- On the protection of TV formats, case note of Trib. Milano, ord. 13 April 2005, in *Aida*, 2006, p. 467-470
- *Riflessioni sulla brevettabilità delle sequenze parziali di geni "EST"*, in *Rivista di diritto industriale*, 2005, p. 457-490
- *Preserving Users' Rights in Digital Rights Management Systems: Dealing with "Juridical Particularism" in the Information Society*, in *IIC*, 2005, p. 491-521
- On the registration of foley artists at SIAE, case note of Tar Lazio, 21 April 2005, in *Aida*, 2005, p. 655-657
- *Mapping the Information Environment: Legal Aspects of Modularization and Digitization*, in 6 *Yale J.L. & Tech.* 174, 2004, p. 174-276 (with Dan Wielsch)