



## Alberto Giordano

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### *Education and training*

2005

#### **PhD in Political Philosophy**

The Political Philosophy of Luigi Einaudi - Excellent  
University of Genoa - Genoa - IT

### *Academic experience*

2021 - ONGOING

#### **Senior Assistant Professor (RTDB)**

DAFIST - Univeristy of Genoa - Genoa - IT

2017 - 2020

#### **Lecturer**

DAFIST - Univeristy of Genoa - Genoa - IT  
Lecturer in History of Political Thought

2015 - 2020

#### **Lecturer**

DISPO - University of Genoa - Genoa - IT  
Lecturer in Political Rhetoric and History of Public Opinion

2014 - 2015

#### **'Comitato Nazionale Cavour' Research Fellow**

Fondazione Filippo Burzio - Turin - IT

2010 - 2014

#### **Research Fellow**

Department of Legal and Political Studies - University of Milan - Milan - IT

2008 - 2010

#### **Adjunct Professor**

Department of Philosophy - University of Genoa - Genoa - IT  
Adjunct Professor of Sociology

2007

#### **Post-doc**

Fondazione Luigi Einaudi - Turin - IT

2006

## **Post-doc**

Fondazione Filippo Burzio - Turin - IT

## ***Work experience***

2017 - ONGOING

**General Editor of the book 'L. Einaudi Scritti sull'agricoltura e il territorio' (Edizione Nazionale degli scritti di Luigi Einaudi vol. III).**

Edizione Nazionale degli scritti di Luigi Einaudi - Turin - IT

2011

**Scientific Advisor - Project for the Reassessment of Luigi Einaudi's Works.**

Fondazione Luigi Einaudi per studi di politica ed economia - Rome - IT

2008

**Scientific Advisor - national exhibition 'Luigi Einaudi the Birth of the Italian Republic and the Struggle for European Union' Rome Palazzo del Quirinale (Presidency of the Republic).**

Fondazione Luigi Einaudi per studi di politica ed economia - Rome - IT

2001

**Scientific Translator**

Department of Legal Culture Giovanni Tarello - School of Law University of Genoa. - Genoa - IT

## ***Language skills***

**Italian**

Mother tongue

**English**

Proficient

**French**

Independent

## ***Teaching activity***

Throughout my academic career, I have been teaching a wide variety of courses in the areas of history and social and political sciences, such as Sociology, Political Rhetoric, History of Public Opinion and History of Political Thought. Despite the obvious differences as to the approach, I have always tried to involve students as much as possible within the current boundaries of the educational system. Students attending classes are frequently asked to discuss and question many of the issues I have previously dealt with, something pupils really appreciate and which, by the way, makes it easier and nicer the process of learning. Besides, I have been supervising many BA and MA dissertations in Political Philosophy, History of Public Opinion and History of Political Thought, devoted to a great number of authors and themes.

## ***Research interests***

- 1) History of European and American liberalism;
- 2) Liberalism, free-market and democracy in modern and contemporary Italy;
- 3) Populist political discourse in Europe and America;
- 4) Wilhelm Röpke, neo-liberalism and the 'Third Way';
- 5) Thomas Jefferson and the foundation of the American republic;
- 6) Intergenerational justice;
- 7) Individualism and environmentalism in the thought of Henry D. Thoreau;
- 8) Harriet Taylor, John Stuart Mill and early feminism;
- 9) Liberalism and sustainable development;
- 10) The political legacy of Pier Paolo Pasolini;
- 11) Edmund Burke and English political theory in the 18th century;
- 12) The political thought of John F. Kennedy.

## ***Grants***

**2016 - 2018**

### **Discourses of Violence and Peaceful Persuasion. New and Past Rhetoric in Europe**

European Commission - COST Programme

Participant

Invited Secondary Proposer of COST Action Proposals OC-2016-2-21472 and OC-2018-1-22652

**2014 - 2015**

### **Social Psychology and the Rationality of Democratic Decisions**

University of Genoa - IT

Participant

**2010 - 2011**

### **Towards a Topography of Tolerance and Equal Respect. A Comparative Study of Policies for the Distribution of Public Spaces in Culturally Diverse Societies**

European Commission - Seventh Framework Programme (SSH-2009-3.3.1)

Participant

**2008 - 2009**

### **Values and the Market Philosophical Models in Perspective**

University of Genoa - IT

Participant

**2007 - 2009**

### **Economists and Newspapers in Turin (1861-1961). A Critical Assessment of a Century of National Economic**

## **Growth**

Compagnia di San Paolo - IT  
Participant

## **2006 - 2008**

### **Equal Respect for Persons Its Foundations and Its Implications for Political and Legal Institutions**

MIUR - bando PRIN 2005 - IT  
Participant

## ***Editorial activity***

In 2008 I have been appointed to the editorial board of the journal 'Novinostra-In Novitate', devoted to the history of Italian north-western provinces. Besides, I have been acting as a referee in blind and peer-reviews promoted by several journals such as 'Materiali per una storia della cultura giuridica', 'Ventesimo secolo', 'About Gender' e 'Apex-recensioni filosofiche'. Furthermore, since November 15, 2016, I have been acting as an official member of the Committee for the National Edition of the Papers of Luigi Einaudi, promoted and funded by the Ministry of Cultural Heritage and Activities and the Bank of Italy.

## ***Other professional activities***

- Since 2010, Chairman (non-stipendiary) of the 'John F. Kennedy' Research Institute (Francavilla Bisio);
- Since 2011, member of the scientific committee of 'Oltregiogo Letteratura – festival di culture, storie e saperi';
- Since 2018, member of the Wilhelm Röpke Institut, Erfurt (Germany).