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Work Experience

Jan 2020 – ongoing

Project Officer

United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC)

Trafficking in Persons and Smuggling of Migrants Unit in Niger

- Contributed to the design, implementation and monitoring of anti-trafficking and anti-smuggling
 project activities in Niger and the sub-region, including providing capacity building training to law
 enforcement officers and criminal justice practitioners;
- Provided technical and legal assistance to the government of Niger to effectively reform and implement national anti-trafficking and anti-smuggling legislation, in line with international standards and human rights principles;
- Supported regular substantive and financial project reporting in line with donors' requirements.

Feb 2019 - Jan 2020

Junior Consultant

| Ernst & Young Advisory S.p.A., Rome (Italy)

Advisory Services - Government and Public Sector

- Provided technical assistance to the Department for Civil Liberties and Immigration of the Italian
 Ministry of the Interior for the management, monitoring and financial reporting of EU funded projects
 on migration, security and social inclusion;
- Undertook need assessment activities in order to identify gaps and priorities with a view to assisting the Italian Ministry of the Interior with the elaboration of evidence-based policies and strategies;
- Contributed to the drafting of research papers, background documents, project proposals, technical
 offers as well as monitoring and evaluation reports.

Sept 2018 – Feb 2019

Research Assistant

ISPI – Istituto degli Studi di Politica Internazionale, Milan (Italy)

Africa Research Programme

- Undertook research activities for the Africa programme, with a focus on security, migration, human rights and climate change issues in Sub-Saharan Africa;
- Monitored media and policy developments on a regular basis;
- Wrote and edited country analyses and international organization profiles with a focus on Sub-Saharan Africa, as part of the ISPI/Treccani's Geopolitical Atlas Research Project.

Mar 2018 - Jul 2018

Robert Schuman Trainee

| European Parliament, Brussels (Belgium)

Traineeship programme for young graduates - Civil Liberties, Justice and Home Affairs

- Collected background information and drafted a report for a delegation visit to Niger with a focus on the inter-linkages between security, development and migration in the Sahel region;
- Attended conferences and meetings on topics of interests for the Secretariat on Civil Liberties, Justice and Home Affairs and drafted minutes further used as background documents;
- Drafted letters, translated documents (EN-FR-IT) and carried out research on issues related to the
 protection of fundamental rights and the rule of law in the EU.

Nov 2017 - Feb 2018

Visa Submission Officer

| VFS Tasheel S.r.l., Milan (Italy)

Visa Service Centre for the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia

- Developed analytical skills concerning Saudi Arabia immigration law, visa policy and broad security issues for workers in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia;
- Ensured accurately visa application processing and timely delivery of the daily applications to the consulate;
- Facilitated the collection of biometric information in accordance with the security protocols received from the Saudi Arabia Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

Jan 2017 - Sept 2017

Junior Policy Analyst

| Fundamental Rights European Experts Group, Brussels (Belgium)

Erasmus Traineeship Programme

- Attended and reported on meetings and special hearings of the European Parliament with regard to EU
 external relations with Middle Eastern and Sub-Saharan African countries as well as development
 cooperation;
- Researched and analyzed the negotiation, adoption and implementation of EU cooperation agreements with third countries;
- Monitored and evaluated the operational aspects of EU bodies and agencies (EEAS, Frontex, EASO)
 acting in the field of security, visa policies and international cooperation.

Education

2014 – 2016 MA GEOPOLITICS AND INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS | University of Naples "L'Orientale" (Italy)

- Focus on the International Relations of the MENA region and Sub-Saharan Africa, with Arabic language;
- Awarded a scholarship within the Erasmus Mundus Battuta Programme, financed by the European Commission, to spend an academic year in Morocco (Sept. 2015 – July 2016);
- Final grade: 110/110 with honors.

2011 – 2014 BA LINGUISTIC AND CULTURAL MEDIATION SCIENCES | University of Milan (Italy)

- Curriculum: International and multicultural activities, with English & Arabic languages;
- Final grade: 110/110 with honors.

Language Skills IT Skills

Italian	Native speaker	Arabic	Working knowledge	Excellent command of Office Suite (Word TM , Excel TM e PowerPoint TM , Outlook TM); Advanced knowledge of Windows operating systems; Knowledge of major Editing and Publishing tools.
English	Fluent	Spanish	Working knowledge	
French	Fluent	German	Basic knowledge	
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Professional skills

- Excellent communication skills, recognized both within the team and by clients;
- Experience in problem solving and strategic planning;
- Ability to manage and organize work, both independently and in teams;
- Proactivity, flexibility and ability to work within multicultural environments;
- Experience in research & policy analysis as well as project cycle management.

Trainings

- Specialization course: Migration, Integration and Democracy: legal, social and cultural profiles, *Unione forense per la tutela dei diritti umani*, Rome (Italy) from September to November 2020;
- UN Fellow orientation workshop on Project Management for International Development Cooperation and the Promotion of Peace & Security in developing countries, *International Training Centre of the International Labour Organization (ITCILO)*, Turin (Italy) December 2019;
- Introductory course on Open Source Intelligence Analysis and Reporting, Intellego-Conoscere per decidere, Rome (Italy) –
 June 2019;
- Specialization course on Migration Law and International Protection Recognition, Ius & Nomos, in partnership with IOM, UNHCR, CIR, Save the Children and Forensic Union for the Protection of Human Rights, Rome (Italy) – from January to November 2019
- Winter School Diploma in Human Security & Sustainable Development, Istituto degli Studi di Politica Internazionale (ISPI), Milan (Italy) – December 2018;
- Post-graduate Summer School on EU Immigration and Asylum Law and Policy, *Institute for European Studies (IES) of Université libre de Bruxelles*, Brussels (Belgium) July 2017.

Publications

- (De)stabilizzazione etnico-religiosa tra alleanze politiche e identità claniche, in "L'Orizzonte degli Eventi Quaderni geopolitici e analisi giuridiche", AMIStaDeS Fai Amicizia con il Sapere, ISSN 2724-2315, July 2020;
- The Future of Integration: New Technologies for a Migrant-Centric Approach, in "The Future of Migration to Europe", Italian Institute for International Political Studies (ISPI), March 2020;
- EU accession to the Istanbul Convention preventing and combating violence against women: the current state of play, The Fundamental Rights European Experts Group (FREE Group), April 2017;
- EU-Afghanistan 'Joint Way Forward on migration issues': another surrealist EU legal text?, The Fundamental Rights European Experts Group (FREE Group), April 2017;
- The ever-expanding national security State in Europe: the case of Poland, The Fundamental Rights European Experts Group (FREE Group), February 2017.

Additional information

- Driving license B;
- Available to travel and relocate;
- References available upon request.