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EDUCATION

- 2007 – 2011** **EUROPEAN UNIVERSITY INSTITUTE, FLORENCE - ITALY.**
PHD THESIS: “THE RELEVANCE OF CRITICAL RACE THEORY TO EUROPE”.
Supervision by Professor Wojciech Sadurski - University of Sydney - and Professor Kendall Thomas - Columbia Law School. Defended June 21, 2011.
- 2004 – 2005** **UNIV. OF CALIFORNIA, BOALT HALL SCHOOL OF LAW, BERKELEY – UNITED STATES.**
LL.M. IN CORPORATE LAW AND SPECIALISATION IN ANTI-DISCRIMINATION LAW.
LL.M. thesis on the “Absence of *Critical Race Theory* in Europe”; supervision by Professor Angela P. Harris.
- 2002** **FACULTÉ INTERNATIONALE DE DROIT COMPARÉ, STRASBOURG – FRANCE.**
DIPLÔME SUPÉRIEUR DE DROIT COMPARÉ.
- 1995 – 2001** **UNIVERSITÀ DEGLI STUDI DI MILANO - ITALY.**
BACHELOR’S DEGREE IN LAW – FINAL GRADE 110/110 (SUMMA CUM LAUDE).

ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

Research Assistance and Experience:

CENTRAL EUROPEAN UNIVERSITY, BUDAPEST – HUNGARY. (2014 – today).

Associate Professor in comparative constitutional law, human rights law and non-discrimination law.

UNIVERSITE PARIS OUEST NANTERRE LA DEFENSE (2012 – 2014).

Post-doctoral researcher with REGINE, a project on feminist legal theory in France.

EUROPEAN UNIVERSITY INSTITUTE, FLORENCE - ITALY. (2009 – 2012).

- Research Assistant for Professor Ruth Rubio-Marín on issues relating to gender and constitutional law.
- Academic Assistant for the Law Department in coordinating the First Year/LLM Programme and the drafting of the Law Department Self-Assessment Report.

COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW, NEW YORK – UNITED STATES. (2009).

Visiting Scholar. Research for PhD thesis.

UNIVERSITÀ DEGLI STUDI DI MILANO – ITALY. (2001 – 2002).

University assistant in comparative law with Professor Antonio Gambaro and Professor Albina Candian.

Teaching:

UNIVERSITÀ DEGLI STUDI DI MESSINA – ITALY. (2013).

30 hour Summer School on “Critical Race and Feminist Legal Theory”.

UNIVERSITÀ DEGLI STUDI DI MILANO – BICOCCA – ITALY. (2009, 2011, 2012).

Seminars on anti-discrimination law in contract law from a comparative perspective and on “The Constitutionalization of Private Law” during a summer school.

NEW YORK UNIVERSITY – VILLA LA PIETRA, FLORENCE – ITALY. (2011).

Lecturer on international human rights.

UNIVERSITE DE PARIS II, PANTHEON-ASSAS, PARIS – FRANCE. (2002 – 2004).

Lecturer in Italian Law. Participated in research projects of the university’s *Institut de droit comparé*.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 2005 – 2007** **COOLEY GODWARD KRONISH LLP, PALO ALTO – UNITED STATES.**
Represented and advised public and emerging companies on venture capital financings, IPOs and M&A.
- 2002 – 2004** **CASTALDI MOURRE SPRAGUE, PARIS – FRANCE.**
Provided legal counsel on public procurement matters. Analyzed German and Austrian conflict of law decisions.
- 2002** **EUROPEAN COMMISSION, JOINT RESEARCH CENTRE (JRC), ISPRA – ITALY.**
Advised internal scientific units on public procurement, contracts and other legal issues related to their research.

LANGUAGES

German	Native speaker
Italian	Fluent
English	Fluent (TOEFL 283/300)
French	Fluent
Spanish	Good
Hungarian	Basic

PUBLICATIONS AND WORK IN PROGRESS

Books:

- *Critical Race Theory: une introduction aux grands textes fondateurs* (with Hourya Bentouhami (eds.)), Paris: Dalloz, 2016, forthcoming.
- *Law, Lawyers and Race: Critical Race Theory from the United States to Europe*, London, New York: Routledge, 2014.
- *Ce que le genre fait au droit* (with Stéphanie Hennette-Vauchez and Diane Roman (eds.)), Paris: Dalloz, 2013.
- *Fighting discrimination in Europe: the case for a race-conscious approach* (with Costanza Hermanin and Michele Grigolo (eds.)), London, New York: Routledge, 2013.

Articles and case notes:

- “Antidiscrimination Exceptionalism: Racist Violence before the ECHR and the Holocaust Prism” (with Ruth Rubio-Marín), *European Journal of International Law*, 2015, vol. 26, no. 4, pp. 881-899.
- “The French Supreme Court clarifies the implications for the *ordre public* of the act abolishing the prohibition of same-sex marriages” (with Sara Migliorini), *GenIUS*, 2015, no. 2, pp. 268-275.
- “La lotta giuridica contro gli stereotipi di genere”, *Rivista critica del diritto privato*, 2015, no. 3, pp. 443-466.
- “REGINE or ‘Gender goes legal in France’”, *Romanica silesiana*, 2013, vol. 8, no. 1, pp. 59 – 70.
- “Race discrimination and access to the European Court of Justice: *Belov*”, *Common Market Law Review*, 2013, vol. 50, no. 5, pp. 1433-1450.
- “Les stérilisations forcées sur les femmes roms dans la jurisprudence de la CEDH”, *Recueil Dalloz*, 2013, no. 18, pp. 1246-1247.
- “Is the European Court of Human Rights’ case law on anti-Roma violence ‘beyond reasonable doubt’?”, *Human Rights Law Review*, 2012, vol. 12, no. 3, pp. 479-507.
- “Introduction: how does race ‘count’ in fighting discrimination in Europe?” (with Costanza Hermanin and Michele Grigolo), *Ethnic and Racial Studies*, 2011, vol. 34, no. 10, pp. 1635 – 1647.
- “Race in mainland European legal analysis: Towards a European Critical Race Theory”, *Ethnic and Racial Studies*, 2011, vol. 34, no. 10, pp. 1648 - 1664.
- “Veiled Issues in European Courts”, in Giulia Calvi and Nadia Fadil (eds.), *Politics of Diversity. Sexual and Religious Self –Fashioning in Contemporary and Historical Contexts*, *EUI Working Papers*, HEC 2011/01, pp. 5 – 18.
- “Life Partnerships in Germany: Separate and Unequal”, *Columbia Journal of European Law*, 2009, vol. 16, no. 1, pp. 37 – 65.
- “Race judicata. The ban on the use of ethnic and racial statistics in France”, *European Constitutional Law Review*, 2009, vol. 5, no. 2, pp. 197 – 217.
- “L’assenza della *Critical Race Theory* nei paesi di *civil law*”, *Rivista trimestrale di scienza dell’amministrazione*, 2007, no. 4, pp. 109 – 123.
- “Color Blindness or Total Blindness? The Absence of Critical Race Theory in Europe”, *Rutgers Race & the Law Review*, 2007, vol. 9, no. 1, pp. 57 - 127.

Book chapters and contributions to collective volumes:

- “Hate Crimes”, in Andreas J. Wiesand, Yvonne Donders and Ania Śledzińska-Simon (eds.), *Culture and Human Rights – The Wrocław Commentaries*, 2016, forthcoming.
- “Racial Stereotypes and Human Rights”, in Eva Brems and Alexandra Timmer (eds.), *Stereotyping as a Human Rights Issue*, Antwerp: Intersentia, 2016, pp. 119-141.
- “La famille : « unité fondamentale » de discriminations ? ”, in Diane Roman (ed.), *La Convention sur l'élimination de toutes formes de discriminations à l'égard des femmes*, Paris : Pedone, 2014, pp. 219 - 245.
- “Le Comité pour l'élimination de la discrimination à l'égard des femmes : trente ans d'activités en faveur des femmes”, (with Béatrice Delzangles), in Diane Roman (ed.), *La Convention sur l'élimination de toutes formes de discriminations à l'égard des femmes*, Paris : Pedone, 2014, pp. 49 - 80.
- “L'intersectionnalité dans le contentieux de la non-discrimination relatif au domaine de l'emploi en France” in REGINE (eds.), *Le droit français au prisme du genre*, Paris: Editions du CNRS, 2014, pp. 699 - 716.
- “La burqa en Italie : d'une politique locale à une législation nationale”, in David Koussens and Olivier Roy (eds.), *Quand la burqa passe à l'ouest....Enjeux éthiques, politiques et juridiques*, coll. “Sciences religieuses”, Rennes: Presses universitaires de Rennes, 2013, pp. 237-250.
- “Is the European Court of Human Rights' Case-law on Anti-Romani Violence ‘Beyond Reasonable Doubt’?”, in Morag Goodwin and Paul De Hert (eds.), *European Roma Integration Efforts – A Snapshot*, Brussels: Brussels University Press, 2013, pp. 27-50.
- “Discriminations indirectes et statistiques : entre potentialités et résistances” (with Carole Nivard), in REGINE (eds.), *Ce que le genre fait au droit*, Paris: Dalloz, 2013, pp. 77-91.
- *La franchise au carrefour du droit de la concurrence et du droit des contrats : Etats-Unis, Union européenne, France, Allemagne, Italie*, L. Vogel (ed.), Paris: Editions Panthéon-Assas, 2011.
- “Le monde des codes civils”, Louis Vogel (ed.), in: *1804-2004 : Le Code civil : un passé, un présent, un avenir*, Paris: Editions Dalloz, 2004, pp. 789-802.
- *Les introuvables du droit comparé (1993-2003)*, Louis Vogel (ed.), coll. “Droit Global/Global Law” no. 2002/2 - 2003/1, Paris: Editions Panthéon-Assas, 2004.
- *Cinq ans de droit comparé dans le monde (1997-2002)*, Louis Vogel (ed.), coll. “Droit Global/Global Law” no. 2002/1, Paris: Editions Panthéon-Assas, 2002.

News articles and reports/studies

- “European Added Value on a directive on combating violence against women. Assessing the necessity and the direct and spill-over effects of intervention at the EU level of a directive on combating violence against women” (with Myriam Benlolo Carabot, Clémentine Bories and Stéphanie Hennette-Vauchez), *Report written upon demand by the European Parliament*, August 2013.
- “Réponse présentée par REGINE et Trans Europe Experts à la Consultation publique sur le déséquilibre entre les hommes et les femmes au sein des organes décisionnels des entreprises dans l'Union européenne”, *Answer provided pursuant to the public consultation by the European Commission*, May 2012, available at http://www.regine.u-paris10.fr/fichier/documents/pdf/30_tee-regine-consultation-publique.pdf
- “Freedom of Religion and Anti-discrimination Law: Promoting or Restricting Religious Diversity in Europe?”, *EUI Review*, Spring 2011, pp. 9-10.
- “Cours suprêmes : comment le filtrage des recours révèle le pouvoir des juges”, *Report written upon demand by the French Supreme Court (Cour de cassation)*, 2004, later published as *Cours suprêmes : comment le filtrage des recours révèle le pouvoir des juges*, sous la dir. de Louis Vogel, coll. « Droit Global/Global Law » n° 2003/2 - 2004/1 - 2004/2, Paris : Editions Panthéon-Assas, 2005.

Book reviews of:

- DIA ANAGNOSTOU (ed.), *Rights and Courts in Pursuit of Social Change*, Oxford, Portland (Or.): Hart, 2014; published in *Maastricht Journal of International and Comparative Law*, 2014, vol. 21, no. 3, pp. 580-586.
- THOMAS CASADEI and LUCIA RE (eds.), *Differenza razziale, discriminazione e razzismo nelle società multiculturali*, 2 voll., Reggio Emilia: Diabasis, 2007; published in *Diritto, immigrazione e cittadinanza*, 2008, no. 3-4, pp. 471 – 475.
- KENDALL THOMAS and GIANFRANCESCO ZANETTI (eds.), *Legge, razza e diritti, La Critical Race Theory negli Stati Uniti*, Reggio Emilia: Diabasis, 2005; published in ‘La Critical Race Theory – Quando la razza diventa politica e diritto’, *Teoria politica*, 2007, pp. 198 – 200.
- SILVIA SONELLI, *L'accesso alla corte suprema e l'ambito del suo sindacato*, coll. “Comparazione e cultura giuridica”, Torino: G. Giappichelli Editore, 2001; published in *Revue Internationale de Droit Comparé*, 2004, pp. 539 – 541.

Legal academic translations:

- Madhavi Sunder, “Garder la foi: réconcilier les droits humains et des femmes et la religion”, in REGINE, *Ce que le genre fait au droit*, Dalloz, 2013, pp. 229-253 (from English to French – with Stéphanie Hennette-Vauchez).
- Edoardo Ales, “Die italienische Arbeitsmarktreform; eine hoffnungsfroh stimmende Erfolgsgeschichte », *Recht der internationalen Wirtschaft*, 2012, n° 12, p. 1 (from Italian to German).
- Emmanuelle Bribosia, Julie Ringelheim and Isabelle Rorive, “Reasonable Accommodation for Religious Minorities: A Promising Concept for European Antidiscrimination Law?”, *Maastricht Journal of European and Comparative Law*, 2010, vol. 17, no. 3, pp. 137 – 161 (from French to English).
- Sebastiano Midolo, “L’actualité du droit de la contumace en Italie”, in Robert J.H., Tzitzis S. and Bernard G. (eds.), *L’identité sexuelle - Contumace et défaut criminel*, Essais de philosophie pénale et de criminologie, 2008, vol. 7, pp. 325-328 (from Italian to French).

CONFERENCES AND PRESENTATIONS (SELECTION)

- “Racial Otherness in French Public Law: A Long History of Legal Discrimination of *gens du voyage* and the Roma, *ICON-S*, Humboldt University (Germany), June 2016.
- “Gender Quotas in Italian and French Public Law: A Tale of Two Converging and Diverging Trajectories”, *Italian Constitutional Justice in Global Context*, Central European University (Hungary), June 2016.
- “Racial Stereotyping and Human Rights”, *Stereotyping as a Human Rights Issue*, Ghent University (Belgium), December 2013.
- “Continental European Post-Racialism”, *Critical Race Theory. From the Academy to the Community*, Yale Law School (United States), February 2013.
- “Is the European Court of Human Rights’ case-law on anti-Roma violence’ beyond reasonable doubt?”, *Conference “Europe and the Roma: Where do we stand now?”*, Vrije Universiteit Brussels (Belgium), March 2012.
- “La nascita della discriminazione indiretta a causa dell’origine etnica o razziale nella giurisprudenza della Corte Europea dei Diritti dell’Uomo. Quale futuro per i diritti dei migranti e per un’espansione oltre il diritto all’educazione?”, *Convegno internazionale “L’Europa delle minoranze: diritti fondamentali, istituzioni e buone pratiche contro la discriminazione”*, Bologna (Italy), June 2010.
- “The Birth and Death of Indirect Race Discrimination”, *Law and Society Annual Meeting*, Chicago (United States), May 2010.
- “Le donne e il diritto: disuguaglianze e differenze. L’attualità del diritto di genere”, *Presentation with Maria Acierno (Judge at the Italian Supreme Court)*, Frascati (Italy), March 2010.
- “Veil(ed) Issues in European Courts”, *Workshop “Politics of diversity. Sexual and religious self-fashioning in contemporary and historical contexts” with and in honour of Joan Scott*, European University Institute, Florence (Italy), April 2009.
- “Aktuelle verfassungsrechtliche und gesetzliche Entwicklungen in Frankreich rund um die problematischen Begriffe “Rasse”, “ethnische Herkunft” und ihrer Klassifizierung“, *4ème rencontre franco-allemande de jeunes chercheurs en droit public comparé*, Deutsche Hochschule für Verwaltungswissenschaften, Speyer (Germany), March 2009.
- “The Impact of Critical Race Theory on European Legal Scholarship”, *Law and Society Annual Meeting*, Las Vegas (United States), June 2005.