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Personal information

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 Date of birth 28/12/1969

Occupational field **Expert in international youth mobility, non-formal education, youth work, digital literacy and online learning**

Work experience

Dates Since November 1999

Occupation or position held Trainer, Project manager and Learning designer

Main activities and responsibilities I work for the Associazione Interculturale NUR NGO on a per project base and my tasks range from writing projects for grant submission to managing approved projects, from delivering specific training activities to monitoring and evaluating project's outcomes. In the past 25 years I've written and implemented a number of approximately 70 different projects for the association in the fields of non-formal education, intercultural learning and youth mobility, specifically ranging from EVS (now ESC) projects, youth exchanges and training courses.
 I am also in charge for the management of the association's international partnerships. The most relevant right now are the "Generation Europe – The Academy" one, on youth participation and youth work and the "Cities of Learning" Network for the recognition of learning through digital badges.

Name and address of employer Associazione Interculturale NUR, Via dei Colombi 1, 09126, Cagliari, Italy

Type of business or sector NGO active in the social and education fields.

Dates Since 1997

Occupation or position held Trainer, Facilitator, Project manager, Learning content designer, Webmaster and Communication manager

Main activities and responsibilities Through the years I've played different roles connected with education. My most relevant tasks have been tightly linked to EVS (and now ESC) having written and managed over 18 hosting projects, trained over 1000 volunteers, NGO EVS staff and mentors (with 35+ training courses delivered including pre departure, on arrival, mid term evaluation, post project final evaluation, mentoring, EVS management, Contact Making Seminars) for the Italian National Agency for Erasmus+, for SALTO centres and other NA's since 2003. Since 2020 I have been a member of the European Academy on Youth Work Advisory Group representing the IYWT Guild.
 During the COVID-19 crisis, I have been called by the Italian NA to design, together with 4 more colleagues, the format of the first online training cycle for the ESC volunteers and tested the first (and 4 more after that) TEC course delivered digitally in April 2020. In the specific field of EU financed volunteering programs I have also been involved as an NGO accreditor in MEDA countries. More generally in the field of youth work, mobility and NFE I often deliver training courses aimed at NGO staff, youth workers and other trainers on topics ranging from e-learning courses management to youth leadership development, from digital citizenship and participation to photographic communication. Over the years, I have specialized in developing projects, courses, and tools to facilitate the use of digital tools in the learning process and from the point of view of digital literacy. Since the mid 90's I have also designed and managed complex web sites for NGOs and specific projects and events in the NFE field. From 2010 to 2023 I've been in charge for the web pages of the International Tool Fair and since 2017 to 2023 for its overall communication strategy and social media channels. I also have a long experience in the vocational education field writing, assessing, and managing training courses.
 I've been since its kick off (July 2021) a member of the facilitators team for the on-going "Mental Health in Youth Work" long term National Agencies partnership project lead by the Finnish E+ National Agency.

Most relevant work experiences January – May 2025 one of 2 Lead facilitators of the 4th European Youth Work Convention (Malta) for the

Partnership between the European Commission and the Council of Europe in the field of youth November 2024 to September 2025 member of core team of 3 trainers for the coordination and implementation of the Inspirational Event of the SNAC Mental Health in Youth Work and its preparatory meetings, most specifically in charge of the coordination of a team of 5 facilitators working with youth groups.

July – October 2024 facilitator by the Finnish NA for the SNAC SPI - Study Visit – “Youth work in Rural Areas” (October 2024, Italy).

March 2024 – September 2025 member of the facilitation team for the “Youth LAB_2024” in Ireland on 24th to 27th September '24, on behalf of Léargas, the Irish NA.

From February to June 2023 Coordinator for Communication of the Kick-off event of the SNAC Sport for the French National Agency. May - December 2024 contracted to manage the backbone of the communication strategy of the SNAC including developing communication guidelines, website requirements and basic branding of the project.

From November 2021 to October 2024 researcher for the Result 1 (national research on youth work) and coordinator for the Result 2 (comparison of partnering countries status of youth work) of the E+ KA220 project “The Future of Youth Workers” for NINFEA, Italy

From October 2022 to October 2024 regional coordinator and facilitator for the public events of the E+ KA154 project “Focus Youth Work” led by EURODEMOS YOUTH MOBILITY NGO (Italy)

From 2022 to 2024, member of the team responsible for creating creative content and developing a training format for the project “A.S.K.(ING) YOU(TH) - Developing Competencies for Creative Youth work Practice” (2020-1-MT01-KA227-YOU-092437) for the University of Salerno.

From July to December 2023, member of the research team and co-author of the [collection of case studies](#) “Digital Interactive Spaces: Digitally transforming education and participation” for SALTO Participation & Information.

Co-author in 2023 of a [Media Information Literacy manual](#) for a course by the International Organization for Migration (IOM) of the UN in Libya, developing the module on critical thinking and artificial intelligence.

Trainer for the course Cyber Youth workers for Balkan Idea Novi Sad (September 2022)

January 2020 – March 2022 member of the facilitation team for the NA Youth LAB for all National Agencies of Erasmus+ and ESC on behalf of the Turkish NA

Trainer for the course “Inlining Online Process” for the Greek Erasmus+ NA (Nov. 2021)

Facilitator for the E+ Seminar “Power of Pathways” coordinated by “GoEurope, Germany (Nov. 2021)

Trainer for the Leadership training course vol.2 for the E+ KA3 project “Cities of Learning. Youth co-design learning, civic and career pathways” coordinated by “GoEurope, Germany (Oct. 2021)

Trainer for the online course “Act Locally, Think Globally: How to build a solidarity project” for the Greek Erasmus+ NA (April 2021)

Trainer for the "European Solidarity Corps' Community Building Online Meeting " organized by Europeers and European Solidarity Network (March 2021)

Trainer for the online course “Citizenship Reloaded” on digital tools and online youth culture for the Italian Erasmus+ NA (December 2020)

Facilitator for the online workshops of the 3rd European Youth Work Convention for the Council of Europe (December 2020)

Facilitator in the first [e-learning training MOOC](#) (Massive Open Online Course) on the European Solidarity Corps program for the UK National Agency. The project involved over 1700 enrolled learners from 80+ countries (July 2019 – December 2020)

Digital platform technical hosting/facilitation for the Online Event “Boosting Change Through Social Innovation” for the Interreg Central Europe “Social(i)Makers project of “arbeit plus”, Austria (July 2020)

Trainer for the course aimed at Non-Key Experts to Deliver Trainings and Manual in Digital and ICT Tools for CSOs in the frame of the EU Technical Assistance to Civil Society Organisations (TACSO 3) in the Western Balkans and Turkey (June 2020)

Trainer for the United Nations Development Program (UNDP) in the Arab States for the online learning training for Youth Leadership Program Country Officers and youth-serving organizations to support their virtual activities. (June 2020)

Guest speaker on the topic of virtual youth exchanges and learning at the “MOVE IT - Youth mobility in the digital era” online event held by the German “Nationale Agentur Erasmus+ JUGEND IN AKTION “ (June 2020)

Organiser and co-trainer for the online training course on digital tools to deliver non formal education for the youth workers of the Italian network YEPP Italia (June 2020)

Organiser and co-trainer for the first online training course on digital tools to deliver non formal education for the youth workers of the Italian NGO CISV, Turin (2020)

Guest speaker at the “Exploring the digital Dimension of **Youth workers’ competences**” conference in Vienna (February 2020) on the topic of virtual youth exchanges and learning and organized by the

	<p>Austrian National Agency IZ - Verein zur Förderung von Vielfalt, Dialog und Bildung. Facilitator: seminar "Play it Forward" (Vilnius, Lithuania) on the digital competences of trainers in the international youth work field with focus on impact communication and assessment tools (2020) Guest speaker: "European Academy on Youth Work" with a presentation on Erasmus+ Virtual Exchanges for the on-line intercultural dialogue for the German National Agency and SALTO T&C RC (2019) Web developer for the project "Youth work against violent radicalisation" coordinated by SALTO SEE. (2018-2019) Trainer: KA3 "AAA - Aware and Active" project for the Italian National Agency and under the coordination of the Austrian National Agency on digital literacy and fight to radicalisation in youth field. (2018-2019) Trainer: TC "Logging In" (Ulcinj, Montenegro) on the Information and Communication Technology (ICT) and e-learning tools for youth workers Trainer: TC "Switch ON-line Learning" (Sremski Karlovci, Serbia) on online learning in non-formal education and youth work Trainer: TC "youth of today" (Bitola, North Macedonia) on the Information and Communication Technology (ICT) for youth workers Trainer: TC "Virtual Dialogues for Social Change" (Wroclaw, Poland) on on-line learning for youth work Coordinator: e-learning language course "Le tre I" (European Integration Fund Programme, Cagliari, Italy) Coordinator: e-learning language course "Immigrati – Tecnologie per l'integrazione" (European Integration Fund Programme, Cagliari, Italy) Trainer: TC "Illusion or reality? New Media as a tool in Social Work" (Omegna, (NO), Italy) Coordinator, Learning designer and Trainer for 2 editions of the TC "SOSO for Youth: social software for youth work" (Cagliari, Italy and Fruska Gora, Serbia) Coordinator: e-learning activities for the Equal project "ILEX - Inserimento Lavorativo Extracomunitari" (Cagliari, Italy)</p>
Relevant digital tools I'm directly involved with	<p>Arthiefact, Android app for an educational game on art (available on-line on Google Play from August 2019) AppRaiser, KA2-financed web-app for competences development based on ETS Competence Model for Trainers, International Youth Work Trainers Guild (https://appraiser.badgecraft.eu/) YouTrain Videoproject, KA2 financed video tutorials project for trainers in NFE SALTO Educational Tools Portal (ETP) that includes the web sites for the Tool Fair (International editions and national ones), the "Tools for Learning" online magazine, the "Multilingual Educational Toolbox" and the "Educational Library" (http://educationaltoolsportal.eu/)</p>
Name and address of main employers	<p>Partnership between the European Commission and the Council of Europe in the field of youth, quai Jacoutot, 67075 Strasbourg, France Léargas, Irish National Agency, King's Inns House, Parnell Street, Dublin 1, D01 A3Y8, Ireland SALTO Participation & Information Finnish National Agency (EDUFI) - Hakaniemenranta 6, Helsinki, Finland NINFEA (Italian National Informal and Non-Formal Education Association), Via 14 aprile 1945 n. 5, Arona (NO), Italy Greek National Agency - (I.NE.DI.VI.M) 417, Acharnon ke Kokkinaki GR-11143, Athens, Greece Council of Europe, Youth Department, Strasbourg, France United Nations Development Program (UNDP) in the Arab States Arbeit Plus, Herklotzgasse 21/3, 1150 Wien, Austria Associazione Interculturale NUR, Via dei Colombi 1, 09126, Cagliari, Italy Agenzia Nazionale per i Giovani, Via Sabotino 4, 00195, Roma IJAB – International Youth Service of the Federal Republic of Germany, D-53175 Bonn, Godesberger Allee 142-148, Germany Türkiye Ulusal Ajansı (Turkish National Agency for Erasmus+) Hlibeyt Mah. Mevlana Bulvarı No:181 06520 Çankaya / ANKARA Austrian National Agency IZ - Verein zur Förderung von Vielfalt, Dialog und Bildung, Dresdner Straße 82/12 1200 Vienna, Austria Nectarus, Vilnius, Lithuania Lietuvos Neformaliojo Ugdymo Asociacija, Taikos 181-1, 05209, Vilnius - Lithuania Zavod MOVIT NA MLADINA, Dunajska cesta, 22, 1000 Ljubljana, Slovenia Agence Service Civique - SALTO-YOUTH Euromed Resource Centre, Support and Advanced Learning and Training Opportunities, 95, Avenue de France, 75013 Paris, France (previously Agence française du Programme Européen JEUNESSE / INJEP - Institut National de la Jeunesse et de l'Education Populaire -9-11 rue Paul Leplat - F-78160 Marly le Roi, France) Replay Network - Via Raoul Chiodelli, 222 00132 Roma</p>

	SEEYN (South East European Youth Network), Sarajevo, Bosnia ed Herzegovina Hungarian National Agency Tüzér utca 33-35, 1134, Budapest, Hungary CNOS FAP – Regione Sardegna, Via Don Bosco, 14, 09047 Selargius (CA), Italy Together Polska Foundation - ul. Przyjazni 81/5 53-030 Wrocław, Poland Former Province of Cagliari - V.le Ciusa 21, 09131 Cagliari, Italy CONSORZIO UNO Chiostro del Carmine, via del Carmine, 09170 Oristano ANCI (Italian National Association of Municipalities) Sardegna, Viale Trieste, 6, 09100 Cagliari ACRI Associazione di Fondazioni e di Casse di Risparmio s.p.a. – Piazza Mattei 10, 00186 Roma BalkanIDEA Novi Sad, Serbia YouthNET partnership: Balkan Children & Youth Foundation, Skopje, Macedonia / Austrian Development Cooperation e Interkulturelles Zentrum, Austria Isforcoop S.c.a r.l. vocational training agency – via Efisio Loni 6, 09047 Selargius (CA) Italy Lega delle Cooperative della Sardegna - via Efisio Loni angolo via Montanaru, 09047 Selargius (CA) Regione Autonoma della Sardegna (Autonomous Region of Sardinia)																																																											
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Degree in Political Science with a thesis on “Pre-De Gaulle Crises in French-American Relations1954-1956”, edited with professor Liliana Saiu, professor of History of International Relations. Final mark of 110/110 “cum Laude”.																																																												
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Social skills and competences

Very social and communicative, good mediator and strongly aware of responsibilities that I am fully ready to take; very flexible and highly adaptable to intercultural contexts. Most of my social skills are the result of direct experiences (mostly through travels) and my internationally oriented studies.



A complete set of digital badges about specific competences can be seen on my badges wallet on the [Cities of Learning platform](#).

Organisational skills and competences

Very good logistics and planning skills; good leadership and role assignment skills; good team work skills and good performance under pressure.

Computer skills and competences

ECDL; ECDL examiner; advanced knowledge of the main OS's and most commons applications; specific knowledge of multimedia, photo, video editing software; design and management of web sites built with CMS and/or LCMS platforms; E-Learning platforms, AI, communication, security and privacy expert.

Erasmus+ Virtual Exchange badges:



See details about the badges at <https://openbadgepassport.com/app/profile/50960>

Cities of Learning badges wallet: https://bit.ly/col_badges

<p>Additional relevant information</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2024 co-author of the book “Il tempo della giovinezza – Storie dall'Italia” currently in press within the framework of the project “A.S.K.(ING) YOU(TH) - Developing Competencies for Creative Youth work Practice” by the Maltese National Agency. • 2023 co-author of the collection of case studies “Digital Interactive Spaces: Digitally transforming education and participation” for SALTO Participation & Information. • 2023 co-author of the Media Information Literacy manual for a course by the International Organization for Migration (IOM) of the UN in Libya (module on critical thinking and artificial intelligence). • 2021-22 member of the Table on Youth work established by the Italian National Agency for Erasmus+: Youth and European Solidarity Corps - ANG • 2020 member of the Italian Delegation to the 3rd European Youth work Convention • 2020 member of the European Academy on Youth Work Advisory Board • 2020 member of the SALTO Youth HOP Council of online learning experts • 2020 co-author of a chapter in the book “Designing and implementing virtual exchange – a collection of case studies” by Research-publishing.net • 2020 Video editor of the on-line concert for the school “Istituto Comprensivo Via Stoccolma”, Cagliari • 2020 founding member of NINFEA (Italian National Informal and Non-Formal Education Association) • 2020 Author of the article “The spring Virtual Exchanges became real” for the issue #6 of “LOGBOOK”, bi-annual magazine about professional open youth work in Europe • From 2019 On-line Intercultural Dialogue Facilitator for the Soliya platform • 2019 completed the Erasmus+ Virtual Exchange Advanced Facilitation Training for on-line facilitators. • 2018 completed the Erasmus+ Virtual Exchange Training to develop Virtual Exchange Projects • From 2018 to 2020 member of the Managing Board of the IYWT (International Youth Work Trainers) guild, of which I am also a founding member. • 2014 Sixth in the list of selected experts for the support to the Italian National Agency in the evaluation of Erasmus+: Youth projects • 2013 Author of an Article on “Reverse engineering for Tools” on the November 2013 issue of “Tools For Learning - Salto-Youth Euromed and Good Practices magazine”, edited by SALTO YOUTH Euromed, France. • 2007 Winner of the first prize for the innovative didactic contents for the “E-learning: learning design and learning objects” Master of the Tuscia University of Viterbo, Italy • 2005 Cowriter (1997) of the project Mythnet Sardinia, winner of the 2005 European Youth Award as best EVS project in Europe. <p><u>Member of the pools of trainers:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Replay Network EVS trainers (also including the former Salto Youth Euromed pool of EVS trainers in South Mediterranean countries.) • SEEYN (South Eastern European Youth Network) <p>I declare all information here included to be true and correct. Sincerely, Alexandro Jan Lai</p>
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