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Current Academic Position

Associate professor in urban and legal geography, University of Turin

Director of OMERO – Research Centre for Urban Studies at the University of Turin

Member of the Teaching Committee of the PhD programme in Urban and Regional Development, Politecnico di Torino and University of Turin

Research Interests: legal geography; geopolitics; Israel-Palestine; housing informality/illegality; corruption and organized crime infiltration in urban planning, policy and development; pluralism and multiculturalism.

Language skills: Italian (native), French and English (fluent)



PUBLICATIONS

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3. Chiodelli F. (2017). *Shaping Jerusalem. Spatial planning, politics and the conflict*. Routledge, London and New York.
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5. Paone S., Petrillo A., Chiodelli F. (2018). *Governare l'ingovernabile. Politiche degli slum nel XXI secolo*. ETS Edizioni, Pisa

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2. Chiodelli F. (2013), Public Spaces between Utopia and Dystopia: Facts, Interpretations, and Problems, *Città in Controluce*, 23-24: 107-120.
3. Chiodelli F. (2012), The Jerusalem Master Plan: Planning into the Conflict, *Jerusalem Quarterly*, 51: 5-20.



PREVIOUS POSITIONS and TEACHING EXPERIENCES

Associate professor in urban planning at the Gran Sasso Science Institute and **vice-coordinator** of the international PhD programme in Urban Studies and Regional Sciences (2017 - 2020)

Senior research fellow, Gran Sasso Science Institute (2013 – 2017) and **member of the Teaching Committee** of the international PhD programme in Urban Studies and Regional Science at the Gran Sasso Science Institute

Lecturer in “Spatial Analysis of the City”, Bachelor of Science in Architecture Science, School of Architecture, Politecnico di Milano (2010-2013)

Postdoctoral Research Fellow in “Spatial Planning and Urban Policies”, at the Department of Architecture and Planning, Politecnico di Milano (2010-2012)



INSTITUTIONAL ROLES

Director of OMERO – Research Centre for Urban Studies, University of Turin (2020 -)

Member of the scientific board of FULL (Future Urban Legacy Lab), Polytechnic University of Turin (2022 -)

Vice-president of the Master’s Degree in Geography and Territorial Sciences, University of Turin and Polytechnic University of Turin (2024 -)

Member of *Commissione Dattica Paritetica*, University of Turin (2020-2022)

Responsible for the selection of foreigner students, Master Degree in Environmental, Cultural and Territorial Economics, University of Turin

Member of the Academic Senate of the Gran Sasso Science Institute (2018 - 2020)

Vice-coordinator of the international PhD programme in Urban Studies and Regional Sciences at the Gran Sasso Science Institute (2017 - 2020)

Member of the Teaching Committee of the PhD programme Urban and Regional Development, Politecnico di Torino and Università di Torino (2020 -)

Member of the Teaching Committee of the international PhD programmes in Urban Studies (2013-2016) and in Urban Studies and Regional Sciences (2016 - 2020)

Representative of the Gran Sasso Science Institute in the steering committee of the Società Italiana degli Urbanisti (2016-2019)

Representative of the Gran Sasso Science Institute in the Centro Nazionale di Studi per le Politiche Urbane "Urban@it" (2018-2020)

PARTICIPATION IN EDITORIAL BOARDS AND SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEES

Member of the editorial board of the international journals:

- *Journal of Property, Planning and Environmental Law* (2024 -)
- *Transactions of the Institute of British Geographers* (2025 -)

Member of the scientific committee of the following publishers:

- *Agenzia X, collana Terrae*
- *Lettera 22, collana Progetto decoloniale*
- *Liberaria Universitaria Edizioni, collana Scienze sociali applicate*

RESEARCH PROJECTS

Coordinator of the local unit of the national research project "In-Situ: Social Interaction and Territorial Use. The Relevance of Public Space in Building Social Cohesion" (PRIN Project, funded by The Italian Ministry for University and Research) (2023-2025)

Principal Investigator of the research projects "The use and conditions of (il)legality of private housing in Italy" (funded by Gran Sasso Science Institute, in cooperation with ANCI – Associazione Nazionale dei Comuni Italiani) (2019-2020)

Principal Investigator of the research project "Corruption in urban planning and spatial development of Italian cities" (funded by Gran Sasso Science Institute) (2014-2016)

Principal Investigator of the research project "Space regulation and informality" (funded by Gran Sasso Science Institute) (2014-2016)

Research Fellow in the collaborative research project RESPECT "Towards a Topography of Tolerance and Equal Respect. A comparative study of policies for the distribution of public spaces in culturally diverse societies" (funded by: European Commission, Seventh Framework Programme) (2010-2011)

Research Fellow in the project: "Welfare, Poverty and the City: the impact of social and environmental deprivation in urban contexts" (funded by: Fondazione Lombarda per l'Ambiente) (2007-2009)

Research Fellow in the project: “Participatory Planning: the Area Reggiani experiment” (funded by: Municipality of Bergamo) (2008-2009).



CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS

In the last years, I gave papers at numerous international and national scientific conferences (such as: Association of American Geographers Annual Conference; Planning, Law, and Property Rights Association Annual Conference; AESOP Conference; Italian Society of Urban Planners; Italian Association of Regional Sciences conferences).

I organised national and international conferences, and dozens of academic seminars. I have been invited speaker and discussant in national and international academic seminars, in several universities such as University of Sheffield, Doha Institute for Graduate Students, TU Delft, University College of London, Université de Marseille et Aix-en-Provence, King's College London, University of Kent, University of Amsterdam, University of Grenoble



SUPERVISION/CO-SUPERVISION OF PHD DISSERTATIONS

Doctoral programme in ***Urban Studies, Gran Sasso Science Institute*** (l’Aquila, Italy):

1. Dicle Kizildere, *Varied manifestations on urban neo-liberalism in Istanbul. Business Improvements Districts, Gentrification and the Commodification of Beyoglu Historical Center* (co-supervisors: Prof. Zeynep Günay, Istanbul Technical University)
2. Emanuele Belotti, *Informality as a structural outcome. The case of squatted public housing in Milan* (co-supervisor: Massimo Bricocoli, Polytechnic University of Milan)
3. Sabina Maslova, *Transnational living of high-skilled international migrants: spatialities and housing practices of expatriates in Moscow and London* (co-supervisor: Russell King, University of Sussex)
4. Martina Gentili, *The politics of housing for the lower middle class. Demand, Supply and Actors in Rome* (co-supervisor: Joris Hoekstra, TU Delft)
5. Senyo Dotsey, *The politics of migrants/refugees' reception and uncertainty dynamics in Italy: Sub-Saharan Africans and local actors' coping strategies in the field of housing*

Doctoral programme in ***Urban Studies and Regional Science, Gran Sasso Science Institute*** (l’Aquila, Italy):

6. Daniela Morpurgo, *Spatial Planning and non-Catholic Migrant-Led Places of Worship in Italy* (co-supervisor: Richard Gale, University of Cardiff)
7. Sergio Vieda, *Housing informality beyond the urban poor. Secondary housing informality in coastal regions* (co-supervisor: Roberto Rocco, TU Delft)
8. Francesco Ginocchio, *Informal economies and political white-collar crime in cities* (co-supervisor: Julianne Weegels, University of Amsterdam)
9. Massimo Bertolin, *The Grey Area of Property Development and Its Governance* (co-supervisor: Carlo Salone, University of Turin)
10. Eunice Nthambi Jimmy, *Housing informality within middle-class residential neighborhoods: the case of Nairobi city, Kenia* (co-supervisor: Melanie Lombard, University of Sheffield)

Doctoral programme in ***Urban and Regional Development, Politecnico di Torino and Università di Torino***:

11. Francesco Nurra, *A critical geography of religious spaces in Italy* (co-supervisor: Ugo Rossi, Gran Sasso Science Institute)
 12. Giulia Massenz, (Co-supervisor: Maria Chiara Giorda, Università di Roma Tor Vergata; 2022 - ongoing)
 13. Angelina Grelle (Supervisor: Silvia Aru, University of Turin) (2022 - ongoing)
 14. Ikram Ahmad Hajeras Bataineh (supervisor: Carlo Salone, University of Turin (2023 - ongoing)
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PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT

As of 2021, I have promoted more than 50 public engagement events aimed at both local and national audiences (the full list is available on IRIS). Some of these events were held as part of the activities of the OMERO research center, of which I am the director. These include:

- The realization of the podcast “Quattro città. Appunti di geografia urbana”, broadcast by *Radio Popolare*
- The coordination of a permanent space in the national newspaper *Huffington Post Italia*, on behalf of the OMERO Research Center, in which more than 30 articles on relevant urban issues have been published by numerous scholars, both from the University of Turin and from other Italian universities.
- The publication of several articles on current urban issues in national newspapers such as *Il Manifesto* and *Huffington Post Italia*.
- The organization of two seminar series for non-academic audiences, in collaboration with *Urban Lab Torino* (“La città dei giovani”, 2023; “La città: margini, fratture, confine”, 2024)
- The organization of an international award for urban short films, in collaboration with *Urban lab Torino, Caucaso Factory* and *Piccolo Cinema Torino*
- Realization of about 20 public presentations for non-academic audiences (in libraries, bookstores, schools and cultural centers) of the volume “Cemento armato. La politica dell’illegalità nelle città italiane”. The book is also a finalist candidate for “I fiori blu” literary prize.