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Executive summary of relevant experience

- 1982 Graduated in Law (criminal procedure), University of Naples
- 1983-1984 Higher School of Public Administration (public management and finances); other higher education in The Hague and in Italy (1985/2011).
- 1985-1988 Counsellor at the Treasury, providing advice to the Office of the Prime Minister on constitutional issues; auditing of the National Budget.
- 1988-1989 Judge and Prosecutor (trial period), at the Military Tribunal in Rome: investigations and prosecutions of military offences, attending hearing and drafting judicial decisions.
- 1989-1992 Deputy Prosecutor. In the most challenging conditions, a number of complex and high profile investigations and prosecutions on serious crimes (e.g., murder, transnational drugs and arms trafficking, kidnapping, rape, corruption, fraud) against Mafia-type organized criminal groups, including in Mega-trials. Mandated for all organizational and efficiency measures of the Office (administration, staff, procurement, directives), forensics, directives for Police forces, and financial preventive measures.
- 1992-2007 Military Judge:
- Pre-Trial and Trial Judge (1992-1998) in Verona. Management of the Office, review of investigations, confirmation of charges, judgments, also in war crimes cases. Attached to various Tribunals and to the Appeals Court,
 - Judge for sentence enforcement (1998-2002) in Rome. Supervision of the detention regime and application of the Penitentiary Law, including enforcement of life imprisonment sentences for war crimes committed in 1944,
 - President of the Military Tribunal in Turin (2002-2007). Management of the Tribunal. Adjudication of serious crimes, including war crimes committed in 1944
- 1997-2007 Legal expert at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs for international criminal law. Member of a number of National Commissions for the implementation of international criminal law instruments. All International Criminal Court issues, since the 1998 Rome Conference. Active member of and chaired the COJUR-ICC. Delegate at the UN/EU/Council of Europe for a number of international criminal law and human rights matters, including witness protection, Civilian Crisis Management, and terrorism. Bureau member of the Committee of Experts on Terrorism (CODEXTER) at the Council of Europe. Participation and presentations at a number of international and national Conferences on all main international criminal law subjects. Organizer and co-ordinator of the major “Conference on International Criminal Justice” (Turin, 14-18 May 2007), as well as of the Round Table on “International Criminal Justice: role, future and opportunities” (Turin, 20 December 2005). UN expert and UNICRI consultant (explosives, weapons of mass destruction, terrorism, and criminal justice).
- 2007-present Legal Adviser at the Embassy of Italy to The Netherlands:
- Chairman of the Oversight Committee on the Permanent Premises of the ICC,

- Chairman of the Budget Committee of the Permanent Court of Arbitration (previously of the Working Group on the Financial Regulations and Rules).

Author of a number of publications in international criminal law (justice and terrorism).

Fluent in English and French.
