

CURRICULUM VITAE

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EDUCATION AND TRAINING

July 2007

Master Degree in Social Sciences – University of Milan, Italy

Title of dissertation: Demoniacal Possession in the Catholic Cultural Context: Crisis and Reconstruction of Being

January 2005

Degree in Sociology – University of Milano-Bicocca, Milan, Italy

Title of dissertation: The Myth of the New Man in the Cinematography of Fascism

July 2000

Diploma (Secondary School with bias towards classical studies).

Currently I'm collaborating as social researcher within "Progetto Cuccagna (Project of urban sociology - see the web site www.cuccagna.org)" under the supervision of the sociologists Sergio Della Pier and Sebastiano Citroni.

MOTHER TONGUE: ITALIAN

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1. Topic of thesis: Catholic rituals of healing and non-conventional therapies

2. Research interests: Sociology of health and illness, Anthropology of medicine, Religion, Cultural Processes, Identity and Construction of Self topics

3. Graduated from: July 2007

4. Degree in: Social Sciences – University of Milan, Faculty of Political Sciences