

PERSONAL INFORMATION

**Francesca Arcostanzo**

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WORK EXPERIENCE

- 10/2014–02/2015 **Robert Schuman Traineeship**  
European Parliament - DG COMM, Milan Information Office (Italy)
- 02/2014–06/2014 **Web editorial staff - Volunteer**  
Vox Diritti - Italian Observer For Human Rights, Milan (Italy)  
<http://www.voxdiritti.it>
- 02/2013–06/2013 **Tutor - Executive Master in Ecomobility Management**  
Luiss Business School, Rome (Italy)
- 02/2013–06/2013 **Intern - Communication Department**  
Prime Minister's Office - Communication Department, Rome (Italy)
- 11/2011–06/2012 **Media and PR officer (part-time)**  
LUISS University, Rome (Italy)
- 01/2010–05/2010 **Media Relations assistant - Volunteer**  
African, Asian and Latin American Film Festival, Milan (Italy)
- 09/2009–06/2010 **Italian teacher for foreigners - Volunteer**  
"Samarcanda" no-profit network, Milan (Italy)
- 04/2008–Present **Social media manager and PR assistant - Summer Job**  
Sport Club "Centro Canoa e Rafting Monrosa" (family-run business), Balmuccia (VC) (Italy)

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

- 01/2014–Present **Phd in Political Studies - Public Opinion, Political Communication and Political Behavior**  
Graduate School in Social and Political Sciences - University of Milan, Milan (Italy)
- 07/07/2014–11/07/2014 **International Summer School in Political Communication and Electoral Behaviour - (New) Media Effects on Electoral Behaviour**  
University of Milan in collaboration with the Italian National Election Studies (Itanes) and the Italian Association of Political Communication (ComPol), Milan (Italy)

- 20/03/2014 **Workshop in Visual Content Strategy**  
Studio SAMO, Milan (Italy)
- 21/02/2014–08/03/2014 **Certificate in Web Marketing**  
Studio SAMO, Milan (Italy)  
Main occupational skills covered: SEO, SEM, Google Adwords, Social Media Marketing
- 09/2011–11/2013 **MA in Government and Public Communication (110 cum laude)**  
LUISS University, Rome (Italy)  
Principal subjects: Political Communication, Journalism, New Media Management, Politics, Semiotics, Law
- 10/06/2013–14/06/2013 **Certificate in Film Criticism**  
Torino Film Commission, Turin (Italy)
- 07/2012–12/2012 **Student Exchange Program**  
Singapore Management University, Singapore (Singapore)  
Principal subjects: Corporate Communication and New Media, Marketing, Communication Skills
- 16/07/2012–20/07/2012 **Certificate in Political Communication and Electoral Behaviour (Summer School)**  
University of Milan in collaboration with the Italian National Election Studies (Itanes) and the Italian Association of Political Communication (ComPol), Milan (Italy)
- 24/01/2011–11/02/2011 **Certificate in General English - Advanced**  
British Study Centre, London, (United Kingdom)
- 08/2010–12/2010 **Student Exchange Program**  
Universidad Publica de Navarra, Pamplona (Spain)
- 09/2008–07/2011 **Bachelor's degree in Social Science for Cooperation, Development and Peace (110 cum laude)**  
University of Milan, Milan (Italy)
- 09/2003–06/2008 **High School Diploma - Classical Studies (90/100)**  
LGS "G. Berchet", Milan (Italy)
- 03/2012 **Certificate in Public Speaking**  
LUISS University, Rome (Italy)  
Professor: Alberto Castelvetti

## PERSONAL SKILLS

Mother tongue(s) Italian

Other language(s)

	UNDERSTANDING		SPEAKING		WRITING
	Listening	Reading	Spoken interaction	Spoken production	
English	C1	C2	C1	C1	C1
IELTS certificate score 7.0 (February 2013)					
Spanish	C1	B2	B2	B2	B1
DELE Cervantes certificate - B2					
French	A2	A2	A1	A1	A1

Levels: A1/A2: Basic user - B1/B2: Independent user - C1/C2: Proficient user  
[Common European Framework of Reference for Languages](#)