

## CURRICULUM VITAE

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### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 2012 - present**                      **Vienna International Justice Institute (VIJI),**  
Vienna, Austria, (*Technical Advisor*), part-time
- 2005 - 2012**                              **United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC)**  
Beijing, China, (*Head of Office*)
- 2001 - 2004**                              **United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC)**  
Vienna, Austria (*Crime Program Officer*)
- 1997 - 2001**                              **United Nations Center for International Crime Prevention**  
**(UNCICP)** Vienna, Austria, (*Crime Prevention Officer*)
- 1994 - 1995**                              **“Daroghi Group Ltd.”,**  
St. Petersburg, Russia (*Assistant to the General Manager*)
- 1991 - 1994**                              **“Mauro Law Firm”,**  
Rome, (*Attorney at Law*)

### EDUCATION / PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

- 1994**                      **Attorney at Law** (admitted to the Defence Bar on 10/10/1994)
- 1991**                      **Doctor of Law Degree**, Faculty of Law, University of *Modena*, Italy

### AWARDS

- 1996**                      **Scholarship**, Institute of Foreign Trade, Ministry of Foreign Trade.

### LECTURES

- 2011**                      **Lecture, University of Beijing**, “*Environmental Crime: Patterns and Trends in Asia*”, Peking University and Griffith University
- 2005**                      **Lecture, University of Pisa, Master Programme in Economics**, Internal Auditing Educational Program (IAEP), “*Financing of Public International Institutions.*”

### PUBLICATIONS

- “*United Nations Development Cooperation, from its origins to the Paris Declaration on Aid Effectiveness: Is the UN on the right track?*” in *La Comunita' Internazionale*, Volume LXIII, no. 3, 2008, pp. 469 – 487.

- “*Stemming the scourge (of illicit drugs) together*”, in *China Daily*, 1 October 2009, p. 27.
- “*Environmental Crime: Patterns and Trends in Asia*”, in *Non-Traditional Security Challenges in East Asia*, Peking University and Griffith University, July 2011.
- “*China’s international commitments in the fight against corruption*”, in *Orizzonte Cina*, February 2013, pp. 9-10 (published in Italian).
- “*Re-education through labor camps: imminent closure or reform?*” in *Orizzonte Cina*, April 2013, pp. 7-8 (published in Italian).
- “*The new (Chinese) criminal procedure code: perspective for international cooperation*”, in *Orizzonte Cina*, November 2013, pp. 4-5 (published in Italian).
- “*The heirs of Fu Manchu - The Chinese Mafia is back and it’s on a tear*”, in *East* no.52, March/April 2014.
- “*China’s commitment to the United Nations Convention against Corruption*”, *Freedom from Fear Magazine*, Issue no. 9, pp. 83-85, United Nations Interregional Crime and Justice Research Institute (UNICRI) and Max Planck Institute for Foreign and International Criminal Law.
- “*The threat of Chinese Mafia*”, in *Orizzonte Cina*, March 2014, pp. 2-3 (published in Italian).
- “*Taking stock of progress made by the International Association of Anti-Corruption Authorities*”, International Association of Prosecutors, Newsletter 61, April 2014, pp. 4-7.
- “*Old and new drugs threaten China*”, in *Orizzonte Cina*, May 2014, pp. 8-9 (published in Italian).
- “*China strengthens the judiciary not the rule of law*”, *Freedom from Fear Magazine*, Issue no. 11, pp. 127-129, United Nations Interregional Crime and Justice Research Institute (UNICRI) and Max Planck Institute for Foreign and International Criminal Law.

<b>LANGUAGES</b>
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| • <b>Russian</b>  | Working knowledge |
| • <b>English</b>  | Fluent            |
| • <b>French</b>   | Working knowledge |
| • <b>Mandarin</b> | Basic             |
| • Italian         | Mother tongue     |