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EDUCATION

UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA LAW SCHOOL, Philadelphia, PA, May 2014.

S.J.D. Dissertation in Corporate and Bankruptcy Law advised by Prof. David Skeel.

UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA LAW SCHOOL, Philadelphia, PA, December 2008.

LL.M with Distinction. Focus on: Corporate Law, Bankruptcy Law, International Commercial Arbitration.

UNIVERSITÀ ROMA TRE, Rome, Italy, June 2005.

Doctoral Degree, PhD equivalent.

- Dissertation in Civil Law: “Contract Freedom and the Limitations on Debtor Liability”.
- Granted a Scholarship (Merit-based, first in the admission exam).

UNIVERSITÀ ROMA TRE, Rome, Italy, October 2001.

J.D. equivalent summa cum laude, Diploma di Laurea in Giurisprudenza.

ACADEMIC ACTIVITY

UNIVERSITÀ ROMA TRE, Rome, Italy

- *Licensed Full Professor* in Comparative Law (Abilitato alle funzioni di Professore Ordinario in Diritto comparato), March 2018-present.
- *Associate Professor* in Private Law, May 2016-present.
- *Licensed Associate Professor* in Private Law and Comparative Law (Abilitato alle funzioni di Professore Associato in Diritto privato e in Diritto comparato), December 2013-present.
- *Co-Coordinator* of the “Certificate in International Commercial and Investment Arbitration”, September 2013-present (organized together with the International Chamber of Commerce, the Milan Chamber of Arbitration and the Italian Association for Arbitration).
- *Tenured Assistant Professor* in Civil Law (Ricercatore confermato in Diritto Privato), January 2007-May 2016.
- *Courses Taught*: Private Law 2015-present; Economic Analysis of Law 2005-present; Media Law 2007-2014; Law and Literature 2007-2010.

RIVISTA DI DIRITTO SPORTIVO, Rome, Italy, July 2014-present.

Member of the Advisory Board.

ITALIAN NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF NOTARIES, Rome, Italy, January 2014-July 2016.

Member of the Committee for the Study of the “Contratto di fiducia”

LUISS GUIDO CARLI, Rome, Italy

Lecturer at the Master “Business and Company Law: European and International Perspectives”, September 2013-present.

NOVA SOUTHEASTERN UNIVERSITY LAW CENTER, Fort Lauderdale, FL

- *Visiting Professor*, August 2013.
- *Course Taught*: Selected Topics in Italian Law – Comparative Bankruptcy Law.

COMPARATIVE LAW REVIEW, Rome, Italy, March 2010-present.

Editor

GIUFFRÈ PUBLISHING HOUSE, Rome, Italy, January 2006-July 2009.

Member of the Editorial Board and Co-author of the treatise “Civil Law” - edited by Prof. Nicolò Lipari and Prof. Pietro Rescigno.

UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA LAW SCHOOL, Philadelphia, PA

LL.M Advisor of the University of Pennsylvania Journal of International Law, January 2008-December 2008.

YALE LAW SCHOOL, New Haven, CT

• *Visiting Scholar*, Fall Term 2006. Academic Year 2003-2004.

Invitation extended by Judge Guido Calabresi. Granted the “Mario Gasbarri” Scholarship provided by Alleanza Assicurazioni (leading Italian company in the Life Insurance market) (Merit-based).

• *Editor*, Yale Law and Policy Review, Fall Term, 2003.

ITALIAN NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF NOTARIES, Rome, Italy, March 2006-November 2006.

Member of the Committee for the Study of the Italian Trust.

ALBERT-LUDVIGS-UNIVERSITÄT, Freiburg, Germany

Visiting Researcher, Fall Term, 2005.

GOVERNMENT EXPERIENCE

MINISTRY OF JUSTICE, Rome, Italy, May 2016-present.

Member of the Consultancy Group appointed for the enactment of the new regulation of “Non Possessory Security Interests”.

MINISTRY OF JUSTICE, Rome, Italy, November 2013-February 2014.

Member of the Drafting Committee for the introduction in the Italian legal system of the “Contratto di fiducia”.

MINISTRY OF JUSTICE, Rome, Italy, January 2012-October 2012.

Member of the Drafting Committee of the new Italian Consumer Bankruptcy Law.

GOVERNMENT ECONOMICS AND FINANCIAL MINISTRY, Rome, Italy, September 2006-December 2007.

Member of the Scientific Secretariat for the Reform of the First Part of the Italian Civil Code, which regulates Nonprofit Organizations.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

STUDIO LEGALE RUBINI, Milan, Italy, October 2009-present.

Counsel. Focus on civil and commercial litigation and arbitration representing both Italian and international clients and acting both as counsel and as arbitrator. Drafting of affidavits and legal counseling on civil and corporate Italian law and acting as an expert witness in Italian law in international disputes.

EXPERT TESTIMONY

• *Silver Ridge Power BV v. the Italian Republic*, ICSID No. ARB/15/37, January 2018-present.

Investment Treaty Arbitration pending before the World Bank’s International Centre for Settlement of Investment Disputes. Engaged by the Italian Republic (defendant).

• *Belenergia S.A. v. the Italian Republic*, ICSID No. ARB/15/40, March 2017-present.

Investment Treaty Arbitration pending before the World Bank’s International Centre for Settlement of Investment Disputes. Engaged by the Italian Republic (defendant).

• *CEF Energia B.V. v. the Italian Republic*, SCC Arbitration No. V 2015/158, February 2017-present.

Investment Treaty Arbitration pending before the Arbitration Institute of the Stockholm Chamber of Commerce. Engaged by the Italian Republic (defendant).

• *Angiolillo et al. v. Christies, Inc. et al.*, No. 650871/2015, November 2016-present.

Civil action pending before the Commercial Division of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, County of New York. Engaged by Clarick Gueron Reisbaum LLP & Hughes Hubbard & Reed LLP (lawyers for the defendants), New York City, NY, U.S.

• *Cataldo Pirito v. Penn Engineering World Holdings et al.*, No. 2:09 – CV – 02396 (SD), July 2011 – August 2013.

Civil action before The United States District Court for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania. Engaged by Montgomery McCracken Walker & Rhoads LLP (lawyers for the defendant), Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, U.S.

SELECTED ACTIVITIES

• Sole arbitrator in a proceeding administered by the ICC International Court of Arbitration related to a dispute (arising out of a sale agreement governed by Swiss law) between a Swiss company and a Malian company.

• Party appointed arbitrator in an *ad hoc* arbitration related to a dispute (arising out of an agency agreement) between an Egyptian company and an Italian company.

• Sole arbitrator in a proceeding administered by the Milan Chamber of Arbitration related to a dispute (arising out of a distribution agreement) between a Czech company and an Italian company.

• Sole arbitrator in a proceeding administered by the Milan Chamber of Arbitration related to a dispute (arising out of a commercial lease agreement) between a tenant and a company owning a shopping mall.

• Advising a foreign fashion company in a dispute arising out of a commercial lease agreement related to brand stores located in major Italian airports.

• Legal opinion on the validity of an arbitral award under Italian law and the 1958 New York Convention in a Luxembourg proceeding to enforce an Italian award.

• Advising a major Italian construction company in a dispute arising out of an EPC agreement for the construction of a refinery plant in Iraq.

• Advising and representing a major Italian investment – merchant bank in a multimillion international arbitration, administered by the Milan Chamber of Arbitration, related to a dispute arising out of a stock purchase agreement.

• Advising and representing an Italian company in a dispute arising out of a stock purchase agreement.

• Advising a major Italian holding company in the largest litigation case in Italian history (so called Lodo Mondadori) arising out of the sale of a leading Italian publishing company.

• Advising an Italian photovoltaic producer in a dispute (against the bank financing the photovoltaic plant) arising out of a project financing agreement.

• Advising and representing an Italian leading photovoltaic company before the Court of Appeal of Venice in the opposition proceeding to the enforcement of two foreign arbitral awards issued with regard to a dispute arising out of take-or-pay clauses.

• Advising and representing a major Italian oil & gas company in multiple commercial litigations arising out of energy supply agreements.

• Advising and representing an Italian company in a proceeding before the European Union Intellectual Property Office (EUIPO) related to a dispute arising out of the registration of a trademark.

ADMITTED TO PRACTICE

ITALIAN BAR (ROME), November 2004-present.

NEW YORK STATE BAR, October 2010-present.

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATION

Italian Association for Arbitration (AIA); American Bar Association (ABA); New York State Bar Association (NYSBA); Associazione Italiana di Diritto Comparato (AIDC); Associazione Italiana per l'Arbitrato; Unione dei Privatisti (UPI); Italian Forum for Arbitration and ADR (ArbIt) – Co-Chair and Member of the Advisory Board.

FOREIGN LANGUAGE SKILLS

Italian (native), English (fluent), Spanish (fluent), German (basic).

PUBLICATIONS*

Books:

The Economic Foundation of Debtor-Creditor Relations, Bologna, published by il Mulino, 2017.

Contract Freedom and the Limitations on Debtor Liability, Milan, published by Giuffrè, 2012.

Regulation of Insurance Proceeds and Marital Property Law, Naples, published by Jovene, 2007.

Articles:

Cognitive Mistakes and Arbitration, in *La Rivista del Consiglio – Ordine Avvocati Milano*, 2016/2017, p. 75-90.

The “Special Purpose Fiduciary Contract” and the Settlor’s Asset Protection, in *Osservatorio di diritto civile e commerciale*, 2016, p. 521-536 and in *Il negozio di destinazione fiduciaria*, edited by Amadio G., Bianca M., Ciatti A., Zoppini A., Milan, published by Giuffrè, 2016, p. 75-89.

The Quantification of Damages in Economically Abusive Relationships, in *La consulenza tecnica nel giudizio arbitrale. Il danno da inadempimento contrattuale*, Edited by Azzali S., Rojas Elgueta G., Zoppini A., Milan, published by Giuffrè, 2016, p. 141-157.

The Parties’ “Double Personality” and the Role of the Arbitral Tribunal, in *Kluwer Arbitration Blog*, May 17, 2016.

The Legal Consequences of Corruption in International Arbitration: Towards a More Flexible Approach?, in *Kluwer Arbitration Blog*, January 20, 2016.

Cognitive Failures and the Energy Market Regulation, in *Contratto e impresa*, 2016, p. 253-268.

Changing the Rules of the Game: a Variable That Should Have Been Taken into Account, interview on the newspaper *ItaliaOggi* on the Spalmaincentivi Decree, October 13, 2014.

The Paradoxical Bankruptcy Discharge: Rereading the Common Law-Civil Law Relationship, in *Fordham Journal of Corporate and Financial Law*, 2014, p. 293-341.

Systematic Aspects of Bankruptcy Discharge: From Entrepreneurs’ Limitation of Liability to Consumers’ Social Insurance, in *Rivista di diritto privato*, 2014, p. 261-280.

Risk Allocation and Bankruptcy: Beyond the Distinction Between Trading and Non-Trading Debtors, in *Rivista Critica del Diritto Privato*, 2013, p. 465-492.

Contract Freedom and Debtor Liability: New Perspectives, in *Europa e Diritto Privato*, 2012, p. 813-842.

The Consumer Bankruptcy Discharge: Rereading the Common Law-Civil Law Relationship, in *Banca, Borsa, Titoli di Credito*, 2012, p. 310-350.

Understanding Discovery in International Commercial Arbitration through ‘Behavioral Law and Economics’: A Journey Inside the Minds of Parties and Arbitrators, in *16 Harvard Negotiation Law Review*, 2011, p. 165-191.

Divergences and Convergences of Common Law and Civil Law Traditions on Asset Partitioning: A Functional Analysis, in *12 University of Pennsylvania Journal of Business Law*, 2010, p. 517-554.

Stories of Broken Authors and Literary Failures, in *Materiali per una Storia della Cultura Giuridica*, 2007, p. 289-312 (co-authored with Vincenzo Zeno-Zencovich).

The Relation between Article 2645 ter and Article 2740 of the Italian Civil Code: an Economic Analysis of the New Italian Law of Trust, in *Banca, Borsa e Titoli di Credito*, 2007, p. 185-216 and in *I Quaderni della Fondazione Italiana per il Notariato*, Il Sole24ore, 2007, p. 66-79.

Evolution of Insurance Law and its Relation with Inheritance Law, in *Rivista di Diritto Civile*, 2005, II, p. 413-445.

Marital Property Law and Insurance Contracts, in *Rivista Trimestrale di Diritto e Procedura Civile*, 2005, p. 1267-1284.

Commentaries:

Comment on Article 2468 of the Italian Civil Code, The Community Property of Limited Liability Companies, in *Commentario S.r.l. Dedicato a Giuseppe Portale*, edited by Dolemetta A. and Presti G., Milan, published by Giuffrè, 2011, p. 307-317 (co-authored with Andrea Zoppini).

Comment on Articles 2447 bis-2447 decies of the Italian Civil Code (which regulate Corporate Asset Partitioning), in *Codice Civile Annotato*, edited by Perlingieri P., Naples-Bologna, published by Esi-Zanichelli, 2010, p. 1996-2027 (co-authored with Andrea Zoppini).

Insurance Contract, in *Manuale di Diritto Civile e Commerciale*, edited by Lipari N. and Rescigno P., Milan, published by Giuffrè, 2009.

Comment on Articles 565-580 of the Italian Civil Code (Intestate Succession), in *Codice Civile Commentato*, edited by Alpa G. and Mariconda V., Milan, published by Ipsoa, 2nd ed., 2009, p. 1519-1552.

**All the publications listed here are in Italian except for the articles in the Harvard Negotiation Law Review, the University of Pennsylvania Journal of Business Law, the Fordham Journal of Corporate and Financial Law and the posts on the Kluwer Arbitration Blog.*

CONFERENCES

Invited Speaker. Conference on *The international contract: old and new problems for judges, arbitrators, companies and consultants.* Moderation and final remarks of the Second Session. Organized by Università degli Studi di Bologna, March 16, 2018.

Invited Speaker. Executive Master on *Business Contracts and Arbitration.* Lecture on *The Formation of the Arbitral Tribunal.* Organized by Business School24 (Sole 24 Ore), Rome, Italy, March 15, 2018.

Invited Speaker. Conference on *Private Autonomy and Debtor-Creditor Relations.* Presentation on *Debt Restructuring in Consumer Bankruptcy.* Organized by Università degli Studi di Padova, Padova, Italy, January 18, 2018.

Invited Speaker. Conference on *Procedural and Technical Aspects of the Enforcement of Legal Rights.* Presentation on *Public Law and Legal Protection of Rights.* Organized by Università di Roma Tre, Rome, Italy, November 18, 2017.

Invited Speaker. Course on *Domestic Arbitration.* Lectures on *The Rules of the Proceedings: Evidence, Parties Testimony and Witness Testimony* and *The Expert Witness Testimony.* Organized by Italian Association for Arbitration and Milan Chamber of Arbitration, Rome, Italy, November 14, 2017.

Invited Speaker. CEA-40/ArbIt/ICC YAF Joint Seminar. Presentation on *Suspicion of Corruption in International Arbitration: Eyes Shut Approach vs. Zero Tolerance.* Organized by Club Español del Arbitraje, ArbIt and ICC Young Arbitrators Forum, Naples, Italy, October 6, 2017.

Speaker and Co-organizer. Conference on *Selected Issues of Sport Arbitration.* Moderator of the panel *The Law Applicable to Sports Arbitration Proceedings.* Organized by CONI and ArbIt, Rome, Italy, September 22, 2017.

Speaker and Co-organizer. Conference on *The 2016 UNIDROIT Principles: a New Era of International Commercial Law.* Presentation on *The Use of UNIDROIT Principles and Model Clauses.* Organized by UNIDROIT and Milan Chamber of Arbitration, Milan, Italy, July 11, 2017.

Invited Speaker. Course on *Foundations of Arbitration.* Lectures on *The Rules of the Proceedings* and *The Expert Witness Testimony.* Organized by Milan Chamber of Arbitration, Agrigento, Italy, June 16, 2017.

Invited Speaker. Presentation of the book *Expert Witness Testimony and Arbitration*, together with the co-editors Azzali, S., Zoppini A.. Organized by Milan Chamber of Arbitration, Milan, Italy, May 10, 2017.

Invited Speaker. *VIIIth Energy Law Conference (Waste Management's Regulation Between Environment and Market).* Presentation on *Waste Management in the Behavioral Law and Economics' Perspective.* Organized by Gestore dei Servizi Energetici and Università di Roma Tre, Rome, Italy, April 5, 2017.

Invited Speaker. Co-moderator at the *Young Practitioners' Symposium* held within the *20th Annual IBA International Arbitration Day.* Organized by the International Bar Association, Milan, Italy, March 30, 2017.

Invited Speaker. Conference on *Currency Risk and Security for Costs in International Arbitration.* Presentation on *The Allocation of Currency Risk in Case of an Incomplete Contract.* Organized by ArbIt, Milan Chamber of Arbitration, Milan, Italy, February 23, 2017.

Invited Speaker. Conference on *Developments and Challenges in International Commercial & Investment Treaty Arbitration.* Presentation on *Institutional as Opposed to Ad Hoc Arbitration.* Organized by Jafa & Javali Advocates, New Delhi, India, January 21, 2017.

Invited Speaker. Conference on *Non Possessory Security Interests.* Presentation on *Regulation and Problems of Non Possessory Security Interests from a Comparative Perspective.* Organized by Italian Banks Association, Rome, Italy, November 22, 2016.

Invited Speaker. Conference on *Debt Restructuring Proceedings*. Presentation on *The Consumer Overindebtedness*. Organized by Rome Bar, Rome, Italy, November 14, 2016.

Speaker and Co-organizer. Conference on *Cognitive Mistakes and Arbitration*. Presentation on *Bounded Rationality and Arbitration Proceedings' Efficiency*. Organized by Università di Roma Tre, Milan Chamber of Arbitration and UNIDROIT, Rome, Italy, October 27, 2016.

Invited Speaker. Lecture within the Executive Master *Business Contracts and International Law* on *The Challenge of the Arbitrator*. Organized by Sole24Ore Business School, Rome, Italy, October 20, 2016.

Invited Speaker. Conference on *The Restructuring of Consumers' Overindebtedness. A Way-out From Debts? Discharge and Creditors' Protection: A Difficult Combination*. Organized by Lecce Bar, Lecce, Italy, October 14, 2016.

Invited Speaker. Opening remarks to the conference on *Emergency Arbitration: Theory and Practice*. Organized by ASLA, Milan Chamber of Arbitration, International Chamber of Commerce, Italian Association for Arbitration and ArbIt, Rome, Italy, September 29, 2016.

Invited Speaker. Conference on *The System of Bankruptcy Law. New Rules, Market's Expectations and Creditors' Protection*. Presentation on *The Consumers' Overindebtedness*. Organized by University Ca' Foscari Venezia, Venice, Italy, June 10, 2016.

Invited Speaker. Opening and closing remarks to the Guest Lecture held by Prof. Charles Mooney on *Modernizing Secured Transactions Law: The UNCITRAL Draft Model Law*. Organized by Università di Roma Tre, Rome, Italy, March 10, 2016.

Invited Speaker. Closing remarks to the conference on *Party Autonomy: Use It Wisely, Use It Efficiently*. Organized by ArbIt and ASA Below 40, Rome, Italy, February 12, 2016.

Invited Speaker. Presentation on *The Legal Consequences of a Finding or Admission of Corruption* in occasion of the Guest Lecture held by Prof. Richard Kreindler on *Allegations and Suspicions of Corruption – Challenges for the International Arbitral Tribunal*. Organized by Università di Roma Tre, Rome, Italy, December 3, 2015.

Invited Speaker. Conference on *Evidence in International Arbitration*. Presentation on *Documentary Evidence: Cognitive and Behavioral Aspects*. Organized by Milan Chamber of Arbitration, Università di Tor Vergata and AIA, Rome, Italy, June 5, 2015.

Invited Speaker. Lecture within the *International Comparative Business Law Course* held by Prof. Matteo Erede on *International Law Issues: Jurisdiction and Arbitration*, Università Bocconi, Milan, Italy, May 13, 2015.

Invited Speaker. Presentation on *Non Possessory Security Interests*. Organized by Italian Banks Association (Palazzo Altieri), Rome, Italy, December 4, 2014.

Invited Speaker. Presentation on *Consumers Overindebtedness*. Organized by Ordine degli Avvocati di Roma (Corte di Cassazione), Rome, Italy, June 30, 2014.

Invited Speaker. *Vth Energy Law Conference (Consumers' Protection in the Energy Markets)*. Presentation on *Market's Correction and Consumers' Protection in the Behavioral Perspective*. Organized by Gestore dei Servizi Energetici and Università di Roma Tre, Rome, Italy, May 14, 2014.

Invited Speaker. *Closing Lecture of the Corporate Law Course* held by Prof. Francesco Barachini. Lecture on *Consumers' Financial Crisis in the new Italian Overindebtedness Regulation*. Università degli Studi di Pisa, Pisa, Italy, December 13, 2013.

Invited Speaker. Conference on *Consumers Overindebtedness: Opportunities and Criticalities of the New Reorganization Procedures*. Presentation on *Introduction to the New Regulation*. Organized by Accountants Association of Rome, Rome, Italy, December 12, 2013.

Invited Speaker. Conference on *International Investment Law: Recent Developments in Times of Economic Crises*. Presentation on *Risk Allocation in Investor-State Arbitration: A Contract Theory Approach*. Organized by Università di Roma Tre, Rome, Italy, November 29, 2013.

Invited Speaker. Conference on *Usury and Overindebtedness*. Presentation on *The Role of the Crisis Reorganization's Bodies*. Organized by Accountants Association of Lucca, Lucca, November 23, 2013.

Invited Speaker. Presentation on *The Paradoxical Bankruptcy Discharge: Rereading the Common Law-Civil Law Relationship*. Italian Association of Comparative Law - Biennial Meeting, Salerno/Vietri sul Mare, Italy, May 30-June 1, 2013.

Invited Speaker. Conference on *The New Reorganization Procedure of Overindebtedness*. Università LUISS Guido Carli, Rome, Italy, May 16, 2013.

Invited Speaker. Conference on *Overindebtedness and the Reorganization Plans*. Rome Bar Association, Rome, Italy, May 13, 2013.

Invited Speaker. Conference on *Consumer Overindebtedness and Reorganization Plan. The Italian Regulation in the European Context*. Accountants Association of Rome, Rome, Italy, July 12, 2012.

Invited Speaker. Presentation on *The Consumer Bankruptcy Discharge: Rereading the Common Law-Civil Law Relationship*. 7th Annual Conference organized by Italian Society of Law and Economics, Turin, Italy, December 16-17, 2011.

Invited Speaker. Conference on *Personal Liability and Contract Freedom – Problems and Perspectives of Asset Protection*. Organized by Università di Foggia, Lucera, Italy, February 4, 2011.

Invited Speaker. Presentation on *Asset Partitioning: An Economic and Comparative Analysis between the Common Law and the Civil Law Systems*. Italian Association of Comparative Law - Biennial Meeting of Young Comparatists, Catania/Enna, Italy, May 28-29, 2010.

Invited Speaker. Presentation on *Loans' Security Interests and Risk Management*. Paradigma Association, Milan, Italy, March 22-24, 2010.

Invited Speaker. Presentation on *Consumer Bankruptcy*. Milan Chamber of Commerce, Milan, Italy, December 14, 2009.

Invited Speaker. Presentation on *Asset Partitioning: An Economic and Comparative Analysis between the Common Law and the Civil Law Systems*. Canadian Law and Economics Association Annual Conference, Toronto, Canada, October 2-3, 2009.

Invited Speaker. Presentation on *Understanding Discovery in International Commercial Arbitration through 'Behavioral Law and Economics': A Journey Inside the Minds of Parties and Arbitrators*. 26th Annual Conference organized by the European Association of Law and Economics, Rome, Italy, September 17-19, 2009.

Invited Speaker. Presentation on *Asset Partitioning: An Economic and Comparative Analysis between the Common Law and the Civil Law Systems*. Roma, Siena, Tel Aviv, Toronto Law & Economics International Workshop. Rome, Italy, July 22-23, 2009.

Invited Speaker. Presentation on *Asset Partitioning: An Economic and Comparative Analysis between the Common Law and the Civil Law Systems*. 4th Annual Conference organized by Italian Society of Law and Economics, Bologna, Italy, November 7-8, 2008.

Invited Speaker. Conference on *Systematic Profiles and Cost-Benefit Analysis of Asset Partitioning*. Organized by Università di Sassari, Sassari, Italy, July 12, 2007.

Invited Speaker. Conference on *Bankruptcy and Literature - William Shakespeare, Daniel Defoe and the Historical Evolution of the English Bankruptcy*. Organized by Università di Roma Tre, Rome, Italy, November 30, 2006.

Invited Speaker. Conference on the *Italian Law of Trust*. Organized by the Italian National Association of Notaries, Rimini, Italy, July 1, 2006.

Invited Speaker. Conference on *Corporate Asset Partitioning and Limitations on Debtor Liability*. Organized by Università di Roma Tre, Rome, Italy, January 25, 2006.