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**CURRICULUM VITAE****Education:**

2006 Royal Institute of Technology, Sweden: **PhD in Architecture**
 1980 Massachusetts Institute of Technology, USA: **Master in Advanced Studies in Environmental Design** (2 years)
 1975 Politecnico di Milano, fac. Architettura, Italy: **Degree in Arch.** (5 years)
 1974 Accademia di Brera, Milano, I, **Diploma in Graphic Design** (3 years)
 1974 Istituto Europeo di Design, Mi., I, **Diploma in Interior design** (3 years)

Research activity and academic employments

Main themes: environmental design, housing and architectural preservation, sustainability in architecture and design

- 2012-18** Professor at **IED**, (International Higher Educational in Design, Fashion, Visual Communication and Management of creative industries), course "The sustainable revolution"
- 2012-16** Lecturer at: **Politecnico di Milano-Polo di Como**: "Master PolisMaking: instruments of urban management for the quality of living"
 Teaching assistant at "Architectural design studio" in the Department of Architecture and Planning of **Politecnico di Milano**
 Lecturer in the course of Architettura ambientale of Politecnico di Milano and at the Master Program of the **Politecnico di Milano-Polismaker Lab**, in Como
 Lecturer at: **Politecnico di Milano-Polismaker Lab-Università dell'Insubria**: Summer School: "New Trends in Tourism: Revenue Management, E-tourism and Sustainability"
- 2012-13** Invited lecturer at "**Sila Officialis**" Ente Parco Nazionale della Sila, Ordine Provinciale dei dottori Agronomi e dottori Forestali di Cosenza, Unical.

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- 2012** Assistance to the study travel to Stockholm of the course of Interior design of **SUPSI**, Lugano, CH
- 2011** Participation to the seminar: Italy and Sweden: relationship in 20th century Architecture, **Università Politecnica delle Marche, Ancona – KTH Royal Institute of Technology**, Stockholm
- 2010** Lectures at the Master courses in Interior design and Product design at **IED, Milano Regione Lombardia, IREER**, participation to the research “Mining for gold” **Triennale Museum** in Milan, Italy: participation to the research and exhibition “Green life. Building sustainable cities”
- 2009** **Università Politecnica delle Marche**: Invited contribution to the conference : « The Work of the Architect. Fragments from the private archives”
General Council of the Forum of Cultures, Naples: invited contribution to “The Second International Workshop of World Cities Management”
- 2008** Research group **Ministero Beni Culturali- Tassullo**: participation to the research “Building materials and techniques for the restoration of contemporary architecture”
École d’Architecture deVersailles, Paris: Invited lecture for the course in History of Architecture and preparation for a study travel to Stockholm
- 2007** **Federal University of Minas Gerais, Belo Horizonte, Br**, Faculty of Landscape Architecture: Visiting professor in the course of Public Architecture.
International Seminar on the Urban Form, Ouro Preto, Br: part of the Scientific Committee:
IREER Regione Lombardia: Selected project in the call for ideas: Idee dal mondo per la Lombardia, “La necessità e il significato del recupero sostenibile”
Fondazione Garzanti Forlì, DARC Emilia Romagna: Invited presentation to the International seminar: “L’architettura di Gio Ponti e il suo tempo”,
Scientific committee for the exhibition: “Gio Ponti a Forlì”
European Commission, DG XII: Expert evaluator of the proposals in the 7th research program, Energy
- 1982-2006** **Royal Institute of Technology, Architecture, Sweden**:
Researcher, project leader and part of a research group:
Actions for a sustainable development of existing built areas, Evaluation of environmentally friendly renovation projects, Housing renovation, European legislation for conservation of town centres.
Presentations at International Conferences and exhibitions
Organisation of International Europolis seminar in Stockholm and International ISUF seminar in Stockholm
Advisor for a number of American, Swiss and Italian Master/PhD students
- 1996-98** **Museum of Architecture, Stockholm**:
Organisation and member of the Scientific Committee for the V International Docomomo conference about Modern Movement architecture and planning
- 1982-83-85** **University of Washington, Seattle, Wa**:
Teacher at the Hill town Program in Italy (1982) with prof. Astra Zarina
Visiting scholar (1983 and 1985) with prof. Anne Vernez Moudon
- 1979-1980** **Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge Mass.:**
Research assistant in Environmental Psychology, prof. Sandra Howell
MIT- ILAUD, (International laboratory of Architecture and Urban Design) Urbino,
Teaching assistant with prof. Chester Sprague

Consulting/own practice**Main theme: building maintenance and renovation, environmental design, communication projects**

Own professional activity in Como, Italy and Stockholm, Sweden

- 2018** Co-founder of the associated architects practice **AABdesign Architecture and Planning**
- 2010-18** **Project management** for maintenance and restoration works of the buildings of the Italian Embassy and Italian Consulate in Stockholm, as well as private interior design projects.
- 2011** **Invited participation** to "Ecocentrica", Biennale of sustainability in La Spezia
- 2009 on** **Consulting activity** for projects of environmental design, maintenance, renovation, interior design in Nord Italy
- Consulting** for location of "senior residences" projects for German citizens in Italy
- Contribution to conferences, and different **communication works** about housing renewal and sustainable building
- 2008** Rotating Tower Technology Ltd: **Communication and research manager**
- Italian Ministry of culture and Ministry of Foreign Affairs: **Organisation and realisation of the exhibition** "A performance of spaces: Gio Ponti in Stockholm", -Italian Institute of Culture, Stockholm: **Maintenance and renovation** projects for the building of the Institute designed by Gio Ponti
- 1998-on** Italian Embassy in Sweden: **Design and project leader** for building maintenance/renovation of the Italian Institute of Culture and Italian Embassy
- 2005** Boverket, Swedish Agency for Building and Planning: **Investigation** on the meaning of "Design for Boverket"
- 2000** Italian Institute of culture: **Organisation of the exhibition**: "Como city of water and of silk"
- 1994** Kommunförbundet, Federation of Swedish County Councils: **Investigation** on European legislation for land use control
- 1993 on** SABO, Swedish Association of Municipal Housing Companies and different Swedish housing companies: **Investigation** on Italian housing policy
- Organisation of study travels and meetings** between Italian and Swedish companies
- 1988-1989** Techint Engineering Consulting, Milano: **Environmental analysis** for Malpensa's airport area plan
- 1980-88** Swedish Embassy in Rome: **Organisation of the exhibition** "Projects from Stockholm" (in Rome, Milano, Bari, Verona, Ancona, Assisi, Seattle, Portland, Miami, Boston)
- 1980 on** Architectural magazines (Abitare, Costruire, Casabella, Ville Giardini, Trasporti e Società, Città d'acqua, etc) **Correspondent, freelance journalist**
- Renovation and interior design **consulting**

Scholarships:

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- 1984 Consiglio Nazionale delle Ricerche, Italy (4 months in Seattle, US)
- 1980 Danish Ministry of Education (4 months)
- 1979 Swedish Institute (2 months)
- 1978-80 Fulbright- Hays (2 years)
- 1978 Finnish Ministry of Education (4 months)
- 1977 Swedish Institute (5 months)
- 1977 Hungarian Ministry of Education (3 weeks)
- 1976 Norwegian Ministry of Foreign Affairs (5 months)

Languages:

Italian, Swedish, English, fluent

French, medium, German, elementary,
I understand Norwegian, Danish (written only!) Spanish and some Portuguese

Professional memberships:

Italian Architects Board, Italian Journalists Board

Networks:

DOCOMOMO (documentation and conservation of modern movement architecture),
ISUF (International forum on urban form), Water cities association, Sustainable
building, Sustainable development research.

Publications:

Separate Publication list, available upon request

References:

Available upon request