

Curriculum Vitae

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CURRENT POSITION:

2023 – present

PhD Candidate in Sociology of Culture and Communication, Department of Political Science, University of Perugia

Supervisor prof. Marco Mazzoni – University of Perugia; co-supervisor prof. Anna Sergi – University of Bologna

EDUCATION AND TRAINING:

Feb – Mar 2025

Intern – visiting at the University Jean Moulin Lyon III – Department of Italian studies

Oct 2024 – Dec 2024

Intern – visiting at the University of Essex – Department of Sociology and Criminology

Sep 2020 – Nov 2022

Master's double degree in Historical and Oriental Sciences (LM-84) – University of Bologna and University Paris Cité

Final grade: 110 cum laude. Thesis in “History and media”: “*Rappresentazione e percezione del fenomeno mafioso in Francia: costruzione di un immaginario*”, supervisor prof. Patrizia Dogliani (07/11/2022)

Sep 2020 – Jun 2021

Double degree, University Paris Cité

Sep 2017 – Nov 2020

Bachelor's degree in Literature (L-10) – University of Bologna

Final grade: 108. Thesis in “Geography”: “*Rom e Sinti in Italia: Stato d'emergenza permanente*”, supervisor prof. Claudio Minca (14/11/2020)

Secondary school double diploma at the Liceo classico europeo, Convitto Nazionale Vittorio Emanuele II, Cagliari (04/07/2017)

Final grade: 100

Esabac double diploma, at the Liceo classico europeo, Convitto Nazionale Vittorio Emanuele II, Cagliari (04/07/2017)

Final grade: 14

LANGUAGE SKILLS:

Mother tongue: Italian

Excellent knowledge: French (C2)

Advanced knowledge: English (C1)

SUMMER AND WINTER SCHOOLS:

Sep 04, 2025 – Crash Course *Visual Analysis for Political Scientists* (SISP), Naples

Aug 21 – 22; 26 – 28, 2025: *Political Ethnography: Method, Sensibility, Writing* (ECPR), Thessaloniki

Jun 12 – 25, 2024, UNODC “*Transnational Organized Crime*” (ECPR), Vienna

VISITING PERIOD ABROAD:

Feb 2025 – Mar 2025: Traineeship University Jean Moulin Lyon III – Department of Italian studies

Oct 2024 – Dec 2024: Traineeship University of Essex – Department of Sociology and Criminology

INVITED SPEAKER:

Mar 13 – 14, 2025: Two-day international study conference (“*Il racconto della ‘ndrangheta sui quotidiani italiani: un unicum rispetto a Cosa nostra e camorra*”), University of Salerno

Mar 04, 2025

Lecture titled “*Rappresentazioni mediali e costruzione sociale della ‘ndrangheta : un’analisi quantitativa di confronto con Cosa nostra e camorre*”, within the course “*Enjeux socio-économiques de l’Italie contemporaine*”, University Jean Moulin Lyon III – Department of Italian studies

OTHER EXPERIENCES:

2025 – present

Teaching Assistant in Sociology of Cultural and Communication Processes, University of Perugia

2023 – 2025

Delegate of PhD on the Doctoral Council

Lectures:

Nov 11, 2025

Lecture titled “*Narrazioni giornalistiche della ‘ndrangheta*”, within the course “*Lobbying and media relations*”, University of Perugia – Digital Communication

Nov 09, 2025

Lecture titled “*La scuola di Toronto: Innis e McLuhan*”, within the course “*Teoria e tecnica delle comunicazioni di massa*”, University of Perugia – Department of Political Science

Seminar:

Mar 27 – 28, 2024

Interdisciplinary Seminar on Corruption and Anti-Corruption Studies, Assisi

Tutoring activity:

2024 – 2025

Tutor support of the Communication Section, Department of Political Science, University of Perugia

Impact activities:

2025 – present

Tutor for University Orientation Project, Department of Political Science, University of Perugia (Lecture “*Mafie e senso comune*” in the School Mazzantini, Gubbio – 16 Dec 2025)

2024 – present

Member of the “Education” and “Research” working groups of Italian Scientific Society for Studies on Mafias and Anti-Mafia (SISMA)

MEMBERSHIP:

2025 – present: Association for the Study of Modern Italy (ASMI)

2025 – present: Member of the Italian Sociology Association (AIS), section PIC–AIS (Cultural Processes and Institutions – AIS Sociology)

2024 – present: Member of the Italian Political Science Association (SISP)

2024 – present: Member of the European Consortium for Political Research (ECPR)

2024 – present: Member of Italian Scientific Society for Studies on Mafias and Anti–Mafia (SISMA)

2025: Member of International Political Science Association (IPSA)

RESEARCH ACTIVITY:

2025 – present

External Collaborator on the cross-national, theory-driven Journalistic Role Performance Project (JRP).

2023 – present

External Collaborator on the PRIN SOMMOSSA Project – social media and civic Mobilization as Monitoring tools in the Social construction of corruption

RESEARCH SKILLS:

Very good knowledge of WORDSTAT and QDA

Good knowledge of NVivo

Basic knowledge of SPSS

Very good knowledge of MS Office

PARTICIPATION TO CONFERENCES:**Paper giver:**

Nov 28 – 29, 2025: ASMI Conference 2025 (*Rinascita-Scott: media representation and comparison to Palermo “Maxi-trial”*, with PhD candidate Francesco Donnici, University of Milan), London University

Sep 04 – 06, 2025: SISP 38th Annual Conference (*Framing the ‘Ndrangheta’s Infiltration: The Role of Media Narratives in Social Construction*), Naples

Aug 26 – 29, 2025: ECPR General Conference (*The ‘Ndrangheta in the News: A Political Issue or a Sporadic Emergency?*), Thessaloniki

Aug 26 – 29, 2025: ECPR General Conference (*The ‘Ndrangheta’s Infiltration into the Grey Area: Media Narratives and the Social Construction*), Thessaloniki

July 12 – 16, 2025: IPSA, 28th World Congress (*‘Ndrangheta Narratives Between Legacy Media and Social Networks: Continuities and Disruptions in the Case of Rinascita-Scott*, with Prof. Marco Mazzoni) Seoul, South Korea (5 CFU)

Oct 17 – 18, 2024: V National Seminar for PhD Students in Political Science (*La notiziabilità di Cosa nostra, camorra, e ‘ndrangheta nella stampa italiana dal 2000 al 2023*), Pisa

Sep 12 – 14, 2024, SISP 37th Annual Conference (*The Newsworthiness of the Three Traditional Mafias in the Italian Press from 2000 to 2023*), Trieste

Speaker:

Dec 04 – 05, 2025: SISMA National Conference (*I protagonisti del racconto giornalistico della ‘ndrangheta: la caratterizzazione dei personaggi nell’eterna dicotomia tra “buoni” e “cattivi”*), Cosenza

Oct 24 – 25, 2025: PIC – AIS Conference (*Eroe vs cattivi: la narrazione giornalistica del maxiprocesso alla 'ndrangheta*), Noto

Oct 10 – 11, 2025: Libera Conference (*Testimoni di giustizia e vittime innocenti di 'ndrangheta: Lea Garofalo e Maria Concetta Cacciola nella narrazione giornalistica italiana*), Rome

Sep 25 – 27, 2025: SSQC Conference (*I 'buoni' e i 'cattivi' nel racconto giornalistico della 'ndrangheta*), Bologna

Jun 19 – 20, 2025: SISCC Conference (*Attori e luoghi del racconto giornalistico della 'ndrangheta*), Cagliari

Nov 29 – 30, 2024: SISMA National Conference (*La notiziabilità della 'ndrangheta nella stampa italiana dal 2000 al 2023*), Naples

May 30 – 31, 2024: STAI – AIS Conference (*Rappresentazioni medialì delle ecomafie*), Bari

May 06, 2023: Seminar at the at the Institute of Contemporary History of the province of Pesaro and Urbino (*Rappresentazione e percezione dell'opposizione Stato-Mafia*), Pesaro

Discussant:

Aug 26 – 29, 2025: ECPR General Conference Thessaloniki, in the panel “*Political Communication, Political Discourse and Anticipation*”

Jul 12 – 16, 2025: 28th IPSA World Congress, Seoul, South Korea, in the panel “*Exit Polls Have Become a Significant Feature of India's Electoral Landscape, Shaping Public Perception and Influencing Voter Behavior*”

Auditor:

Dec 13, 2025

Conference “*Territori accoglienti - Comunità, patrimonio e turismo sostenibile nelle aree interne*”, Isola del Gran Sasso d'Italia (PLUG APS of Teramo, Wide Open, ITACA Sviluppo Locale and University of Teramo)

PUBLICATIONS:

Papers:

Pisano, G.E. (2023). *La rappresentazione del fenomeno mafioso nei media italiani e francesi dopo le stragi di mafia del 1992*, in *Bibliomanie. Letterature, storiografie, semiotiche*, 55, no.8, doi:10.48276/issn.2280-8833.10481.

Book chapters:

Pisano, G.E. (2026). *Notizie e rappresentazioni sociali delle mafie* in Mangone, E. (a cura di). *Cultura critica, discorso pubblico e politica. Ambiti, pratiche e prospettive*. Napoli: Paolo Loffredo.

Pisano, G.E. (2025). *La notiziabilità di Cosa nostra, camorre e 'ndrangheta nella stampa italiana dal 2000 al 2023: un'analisi quantitativa* in Bernardini J., Castellani, C., Cerutti, T. e Kerma, D. (eds.). *Orizzonti democratici. Crisi della rappresentanza e nuove forme di partecipazione*, Roma: Carocci, pp. 203-211.

Cerutti, T. & Pisano, G.E. (2025). *Storia e corruzione* in Mazzoni M., Vannucci, A. (eds.), *Il Glossario della Corruzione*, Soveria: Mannelli, Rubbettino, pp. 33-35.

Mazzoni M., Consonni S. & Pisano G.E. (2025), *Il nuovo ecosistema mediale contemporaneo: crisi, fine o semplicemente un futuro diverso per il dibattito pubblico?*. in Calvieri C. (a cura di), *La riforma della par condicio, pluralismo sui nuovi media, le garanzie per il cittadino*. Conference proceedings, Perugia, 15th december 2023, Torino: Giappichelli, pp. 15-25.

Reviews:

Pisano, G.E. (2025). *Guerre culturali e società frammentata. Dalla cancel culture al woke capitalism* (Mangone, E. and Picarella L, 2024), in *Comunicazione Politica*, 2/2025, pp. 319-324.

Perugia, 02/02/2026

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Gaetano Picarella', with a stylized flourish at the end.