CURRICULUM VITAE

MANFREDO ALESSIO MANFREDA

WORK EXPERIENCES

Date

24.06.2025 - now

Occupation or position held

DIVISION MANAGER

Main activities and responsibilities

- Oversight of operational, administrative, and financial processes related to the opening and management of research projects, in coordination with Project Managers and Central Services.
- Management of Division personnel and HR-related activities, including staffing, contracts, attendance, MBO, disciplinary actions, and business travel.
- Support to the Division Director in planning scientific proposals and fundraising strategies, including coordination with the Fundraising Office and oversight of procurement and budgeting.
- Coordination of the Division's three-year scientific planning and systematic monitoring of objectives, along with the implementation of networking and dissemination activities.

Employer's name



CMCC Foundation, SOWAS Divison

05.09.2022 - 23.06.2025

Occupation or position held

PROJECT MANAGER

Main activities and responsibilities

- Responsible for monitoring of tenders, design and drafting of technical bids, preparation of administrative and economic documentation, with regard to institutional events and framework contracts in various sectors
- Budgeting planning and preparation of financial project reports
- Responsible for reception, protocol and ceremonial procedures, organizational secretariat
- Strategic planning developing a comprehensive communication that includes identifying target audiences, determining key messages and establishing communication channels to reach those audiences effectively
- On-site event coordination: site inspections, briefings/debriefings with staff/suppliers, day-to-day handling and monitoring of all operational activities, liaising with public authorities and other stakeholders involved

Employer's name



Next Group

Date

18.03.2021 - 30.11.2021

Occupation or position held

LIAISON OFFICERS COORDINATOR

Main activities and responsibilities

- Screening, training and coordination of the Liaison Officers' Team (up to 70 units). Organization of working days and shifts. Supervising and certifying the accuracy of timesheets
- Serving as first point of contact for logistic and organizational matters with Foreign and National Institutions, Embassies and International Organizations. Welcoming and supporting Advance teams during their site inspections
- Performing functions of representation, protocol, reception, assistance and follow up of the Delegations participating in the G20 Meetings (15 main events, 11 cities involved)
- Ensuring logistic and operational cooperation with public security and airport authorities for the arrival\departure and the stay of the Foreign Delegations

Employer's name



Presidency of the Council of Ministers, Task Force G20

Date

26.01.2019 - 24.12.2019

Occupation or position held

PROGRAM ASSISTANT

Main activities and responsibilities

- Managing the relations with the Visa Application Centres (VACs) and the related flows of documents and information
- Providing information and assistance to external clients to facilitate their understanding of application processes
- Entering and validating information in departmental on-line systems; reviews applications and documents

Employer's name

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Embassy of Canada in Italy, Migration Department

Date

26.08.2015 - 01.07.2018

Occupation or position held

EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT OF THE STATE SECRETARY FOR EUROPEAN AFFAIRS

Main activities and responsibilities

- *Program* Planning and scheduling official functions, appointments, board meetings, events. Establishing contact and corresponding with national and international institutions, organisations and personalities. Agenda management
- Meetings and events Organizing internal and external meetings and events. Preparing high-quality briefing materials, position papers and responses, taking notes and providing assistance
- Support Services Serving as first point of contact for visitors to the State Secretary office, welcoming guests, coordinating with security and carrying out reception duties. Managing phone calls, messages and transfer calls. Handling accommodation bookings and travel arrangements both local and internationally
- Correspondence and Records Handling and prioritizing all correspondence. Maintaining office records and filing systems

Employer's name



Presidency of the Council of Ministers

Date

2013 - 2015

Occupation or position held

EU PROJECT MANAGER ASSISTANT

Main activities and responsibilities

- Maintaining and monitoring project plan implementation, ensuring conformance with deliverables and milestones
- Preparing budget and financial project reports, according to the program requirements
- Ensuring coordination with partners and an efficient communication flow within and outside the project

Employer's name



University of Bologne



Bid Committee "European Capital of Culture 2019"



Aforisma Business School

EDUCATION

Date

04.10.2010__16.06.2012

Qualification awarded

MASTER IN EUROPEAN STUDIES

Education organization's name LUISS

LUISS TO School of Government

Luiss School of Government



European College of Parma

Joint Master Degree Program

Date

04.10.2010__16.06.2012

Qualification awarded

DEGREE IN INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

Education organization's name

University of Bologne

TRAINING

Date

April-August 2013

Training Program

LEONARDO DA VINCI LLP IN EUROPEAN PROJECT MANAGEMENT

Training organization's name

Bursa Craftsman and Tradesman Chambers' Union

Date

March-July 2012

Training Program

INTERNSHIP

Training organization's name

European Parliament

PERSONAL SKILLS

FOREIGN LANGUAGE SKILLS

Mother tongue(s)

Italian

Other language (s)

English

French

Spanish

European Level (*)

UNDERSTANDING				SPEAKING				WRITING		
	Listening		Reading		Spoken interaction		Spoken production		Writing	
C1	Proficient user	C2	Proficient user	C1	Proficient user	C1	Proficient user	C2	Proficient user	
B2	Independent user	B2	Independent user	B1	Independent user	B1	Independent user	B2	Independent user	
B1	Independent user	B1	Independent user	B1	Independent user	B1	Independent user	A2	Basic user	

^(*) Common European Framework of Reference for Languages

ORGANISATIONAL AND SOCIAL SKILLS

Strategic and analytical thinking. Strong detail orientation and prioritization skills, with the ability to manage multiple projects and to work well under tight deadlines. Ability to process large amounts of data and information; turning this it into concise and accurate reports. Flexible approach to work (including occasional travel at short notice, weekends and public holidays).

Strong interpersonal and communication skills, diplomacy and confidence in dealing with senior level people. Experience of working in an area with a high level of personal responsibility. Ability to respect the confidentiality of work issues. Self-reliance and autonomy, but also skills needed for teamwork. Ability to work very well with a global and intercultural environment.

Staff Management: Specialized in training and coordination of large staff (including international and multilingual units, up to 70 workers), human resource management, team building.

DIGITAL COMPETENCES

Solid knowledge of Office applications (Word, Power Point, Excel, Outlook) and Microsoft operating systems. Proficiency in using various browsers and in managing social networks [last certificate earned: MS Excel 2021]