CURRICULUM VITAE

PERSONAL INFORMATION

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CURRENT POSITION

• From 01/11/2021: PhD student, University of Modena and Reggio Emilia, Course "Models and Methods for Material and Environmental Sciences" – XXXVII Cycle.

Thesis title: "Understanding animal life-histories: highly spatially resolved elemental and isotopic analyses of fossil teeth".

WORK EXPERIENCE

• 25/05/2021 – 31/10/2021: Universal Civil Service at ARCI Ravenna, headquarters of the Department of Cultural Heritage, Laboratory of Osteoarchaeology and Paleoanthropology (Bones Lab) – University of Bologna.

Performed activities:

- Cleaning, restoration and study of human and animal skeletal remains of archaeological origin, as well as their photographic documentation by means of both semi-automatic digital camera and stereomicroscope equipped with a built-in digital camera.
- Support to the activities of students performing their curricular internship.
- Support in the organization and management of the International Dante Conference "Alma Dante 2021" (RA).

EDUCATION

• **2018/2020**: Master's Degree, University of Bologna, Archeologia e Culture del Mondo Antico, 110/110 with honors.

Thesis in Archaeoanthropology: "Uomini e stambecchi nel Paleolitico superiore dell'Italia nord-orientale. Il caso di Riparo Dalmeri (TN): risultati preliminari di un nuovo approccio multidisciplinare per l'analisi archeozoologica".

• 2015/2018: Bachelor's Degree, University of Bologna, Beni Culturali, 110/110 with honors.

Thesis in Paleoanthropology: "Alle origini della Modernità Comportamentale: cultura materiale simbolica in *Homo sapiens* e *Homo neanderthalensis*".

• **2010/2015**: Liceo Classico "M. Minghetti", Bologna, 87/100.

CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS

• Lugli, F., Silvestrini, S., Armaroli, E., Romandini, M., Di Rocco, G., Benazzi, S., 2021. Palaeoproteomics of tooth enamel: new frontiers in sex determination. *Proceedings of the 10th meeting of the Italian Association of Archaeozoology (AIAZ), Siena, November 2021.*

LAB EXPERIENCES

- From November 2021
 - Geochemistry Lab

Performed activities: chromatographic separation of Sr.

- Academic year 2019/2020
 - Drawing laboratory of prehistoric materials in Bologna, Dipartimento di Storia Culture Civiltà (DISCI).

Performed activities: graphic design of ceramic materials from archaeological excavations promoted by DISCI; elaboration of the drawings using the Inkscape software; cataloguing of published ceramic materials from contexts of the Italian Bronze Age.

- Documentation laboratory of prehistoric structures, in distance teaching mode due to the Covid-19 emergency.

Performed activities: use of Agisoft Metashape software (from the upload of the excavation photos to the creation of the mesh; from the mesh to the orthophoto; from the mesh to the digital elevation model DEM); use of AutoCAD software (archaeological drawing on orthophoto).

• Academic year 2018/2019

- Laboratory of experimental archaeology at the Solarolo site - via Ordiere (RA).

Performed activities: study of the weaving activity in the Bronze Age through the experimental realization of a vertical loom and loom weights, successively tested through the weaving activity; cataloguing of published archaeological materials relating to weaving in the Italian Bronze Age.

• October – December 2017

- Curricular internship at the Laboratory of Osteoarchaeology and Paleoanthropology (Bones Lab) of the Department of Cultural Heritage (RA), University of Bologna.

Performed activities: study of the functional anatomy of the human skeleton; cleaning and restoration of human skeletal remains of archaeological origin; analysis of morphological variations and morphometric measurements of bones and teeth; analysis of sexual dimorphism of the skeleton and variation of agerelated characters; application of methods for estimating sex and age at death; reconstruction of stature and constitutional characteristics; detection of discontinuous features, functional stress indicators and pathological, traumatic and deficient lesions of the skeleton.

ARCHAEOLOGICAL EXCAVATIONS

\bullet 19/08/2019 – 30/08/2019

Lucone di Polpenazze del Garda - Site D (BS), Bronze Age pile-dwelling village: promoted by the Archaeological Museum of Valle Sabbia (MAVS).

\bullet 24/06/2019 – 13/07/2019

Mursia (Pantelleria, TP), Bronze Age village: promoted by the University of Bologna.

17/06/2018 – 30/06/2018

Tharros - Capo San Marco (OR), Punic Necropolis: promoted by the University of Bologna.

PERSONAL SKILLS AND COMPETENCES

• Language

- Italian: mother tongue
- English (First Certificate, B2)

Reading ability: excellent Writing ability: very good Speaking ability: very good

• Driving licence B

TECHNICAL SKILLS AND COMPETENCES

- Computer skills
 - Email, Word, Excel, PowerPoint: very good
 - Inkascape, Metashape, AutoCAD: elementary
- Use of stereomicroscope