

Stefania Gialdroni

Curriculum vitae

PERSONAL INFORMATION

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EDUCATION

2009: PhD in Legal History (11 February 2009). Joint PhD program between: Faculty of Law, Univ. of Milano-Bicocca, IT (Legal Sciences: Private Law and History of Jurisprudence) and *Centre d'Etudes des Normes Juridiques* (CENJ), *École des Hautes Études en Sciences Sociales* (EHESS), Paris, FR (History and Civilizations). PhD “en-cotutelle” obtained within the framework of the Doctorate in “History, Sociology and Anthropology of Legal Cultures in Europe” (Marie Curie “Early Stage Training”, 6th Framework Programme of the EC). **2007 – 2009** (two years): PhD visiting student at the CENJ of the EHESS, Paris; **2006 – 2007** (one year): PhD visiting student at the London School of Economics (UK). Supervisors: Prof. Laura Moscati (IT) and Prof. Philippe Minard (FR). Title of the thesis: *Per una storia giuridica della East India Company. Responsabilità limitata e principio maggioritario nel XVII secolo* (“For a legal history of the East India Company. Limited liability and majority principle in the 17th century”).

2003: *Laurea in giurisprudenza v.o.* (J.D. equivalent), Law Faculty, Roma Tre Univ. (IT). Supervisor: Prof. Emanuele Conte. Title of the thesis: *Verso la razionalizzazione del processo tra alto e basso Medioevo (secoli VIII-XII)* (“Towards the rationalization of trials between early and late Middle Ages (8th – 12th century)”). Grade: 110/110 *cum laude*.

CURRENT POSITION

Since August 2021: Full Professor of Medieval and Modern Legal History (SSD IUS/19), Department of Private Law and Critique of Law (*Dipartimento di Diritto privato e critica del diritto*), DPCD, University of Padova (IT).

PREVIOUS POSITIONS

2018 – 2021: Research fellow in Medieval and Modern Legal History (RTDA), Law Department, Roma Tre Univ.

2016 – 2017: Postdoctoral Researcher: Law Faculty, Univ. of Helsinki (FI). Project: “The Making of Commercial Law. Common Practices and National Legal Rules from the Early Modern to the Modern Period”. Director: Prof. Heikki Pihlajamäki.

2015 – 2016: Postdoctoral Researcher: Law Department, Univ. of Palermo (IT) and Law Department, Roma Tre Univ. Project: “BookAlive” on the digitization of medieval legal manuscripts. Director: Prof. Beatrice Pasciuta.

2009 – 2013: Postdoctoral Researcher: Law Faculty, Roma Tre Univ. Project: “FIRB-MOSAICO. Piecing Together a Mosaic: Describing Digitalizing and Using Medieval Legal Manuscripts”. Director: Prof. Enrico Pattaro.

FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS

2022: Grant for establishing a partnership between the University of Padua and the University of St. Andrews (UK) – prof. John Hudson. Two workshops foreseen: one in Padua (May 2023) and one in St.

Andrews (August 2023) on the topic: “Legal Knowledge: Transmission, Translation, Migration (12th-18 th Century)”.

2022: Grant “Shaping a World Class University” (University of Padua) for inviting Luisa Brunori (Directrice de Recherches au CNRS, Ecole Normale supérieure, Paris) as short-term visiting professor within the course “Storia del diritto” at the DPCD of the University of Padua (27-29 March 2023).

2022-2027: Grant FARE 2020 (Italian Ministry of University and Research): Iustitia Mercatoria. Places, Spaces, and Iconographies of Mercantile Justice in Europe (11th-17th Centuries) – IUSTITIAM. Project Code: R20XAEXX5X.

2021-2026: ERC Consolidator Grant: “Migrating Commercial Law and Language. Rethinking Lex Mercatoria (11th-17th Century) – MICOLL. Grant Agreement N. 101002084. <https://www.micoll-erc.eu>.

2006-2009: Marie Curie “Early Stage Training”, 6th Framework Programme of the European Commission (three years Doctorate in “History, Sociology and Anthropology of Legal Cultures in Europe”, directed by Prof. Yan Thomas). Partners: EHESS, Paris (FR); LSE, London (UK); MPIER, Frankfurt a.M (D); SUM (Istituto Italiano di Scienze Umane), Florence (IT).

2005-2006: One-year scholarship from the Research School of the Max-Planck Institute for European Legal History (MPIER), Frankfurt a.M. (D).

2005: Three-months scholarship from MPIER, Frankfurt a.M.

2004: One-month scholarship from the MPIER, Frankfurt a.M.

(MAIN) TEACHING ACTIVITIES

2021 - present: Course “Italian Legal History” (*Storia del diritto italiano*) (96h), Department of Law and Critique of Law, Univ. of Padova.

2018–2021: Courses: “Medieval and Modern Legal History” (*Storia del diritto medievale e moderno*) (2 courses: ca. 25 students, 48h and ca. 50 students, 48h each year) and “The Legal Protection of Cultural Heritage” (in English, ca. 35 students, 56h each year), Law Department, Roma Tre Univ.

2008–2021: Lectures on “Law and Language”, “Law and Literature”, “Law and Iconography” within the framework of the course “Law and the Humanities” (in English), ca. 30 students, 6-12h depending on the year, Law Department, Roma Tre Univ. Co-organizer of the course (invitation of guest lecturers, development of the program, etc.).

2019: Lectures on “Introduction to EU Law” (in English), ca. 10 students, 8h, visiting professor at Shepard Broad College of Law, Nova Southeastern University (Florida, USA).

2018: Course: “Legal and Economic Italian History” (*Storia giuridica e storia economica italiana*), 23h, Law Faculty, International Telematic University Uninettuno, Rome (IT).

2016: Lectures on the history of migrations (in English) within the framework of the Summer Program “A European Human Rights Crisis”, ca. 10 students, 9h + one-week field study, Arcadia University, The College of Global Studies (Philadelphia, USA), Siracusa Center (IT).

2012-2016: Course: “Human Rights in Historical Perspective: Life Liberty and the Pursuit of Happiness” (in English), ca. 25 students, 60h each year, Arcadia University, The College of Global Studies (Philadelphia, USA), Rome Center (IT). Guest lecturer at the Siracusa Center (IT).

ORGANIZATION OF SCIENTIFIC MEETINGS

2023: June: “Rileggere i classici della storia della lingua italiana e della storia del diritto commerciale”, Bressanone; August: “Legal Knowledge: Transmission, Translation, Migration”, University of St. Andrews (partnership); December: “ ‘Scienze dello spirito’ e intelligenza artificiale”, Padua, DPCD and DEI (Department of information engineering); 2nd Workshop of the ERC CoG MICOLL: “Law, Language, and Geography: Charting the History of Commercial terms”, Goethe-University Frankfurt a.M; **2022:** 1st Workshop of the ERC CoG MICOLL: “Towards a Lexicon of Medieval and Early Modern Commercial Law”, DPCD, University of Padua; Co-organizer of the webinar *Gius-pentameron 2022. Lost & Found: inventario giuridico della pandemia* (ISEB), online; **2021:** Co-organizer of the webinar *Gius-pentameron 2021. L’Istituto Betti discute del diritto (e) del futuro*, ISEB; online **2021:** Co-organizer of the webinar *Ius commune at Borders: Borders of ius commune*, in collaboration with: University of Padova, University of Naples Federico II, University of Helsinki, online; **2018-2019:** Co-organizer of the series of lectures *I Maestri del Novecento*, Law Dep., Roma Tre Univ. **2019:** Co-organizer, *The Roman Army and the Dawn*

of Europe, Law Dep. and Humanities Dep., Roma Tre Univ.; co-organizer, *Law and the Humanities Spring School* 2019, Law Dep., Roma Tre Univ. **2016:** Co-organizer, *Migrating Words, Migrating Merchants: Migrating Law*, Law Faculty, Goethe-University Frankfurt a.M., Development of the topic and organization of the meeting, publisher of the conference proceedings. **2010:** Co-organizer, *Undoing Law, Framing Contexts: Normativity Across the Disciplines*, Catholic University of Leuven (BE).

INSTITUTIONAL RESPONSIBILITIES

2024 – present: Representative for Human Resources Strategy for Researchers (HRS4R), Department of Private Law and Critique of Law, University of Padua.

2023 – present: Member of the Board of the PhD Program in Law (*Collegio docenti del Dottorato in Giurisprudenza*) of the University of Padua since November 2023.

2020 – 2021: Deputy for international relations at RomaTrE-Press.

2019 – 2021: Representative of the Law Department at the Language Center of the Roma Tre Univ. (*Centro Linguistico di Ateneo*).

REVIEWING ACTIVITIES

2024 – present: Peer reviewer for the Journal “*Historia et Ius*”; **2021 - present:** Editorial Board Member of “*Storia, metodo, cultura nella scienza giuridica*”; Peer reviewer for the Italian university and research evaluation agency (ANVUR), VQR 2021; Peer reviewer for “*Edizioni Ca’ Foscari. Digital Publishing*”; **2021-present:** Grant proposals reviewer on behalf of the National Science Centre Poland (NCN); **2020-present:** Peer reviewer for “*De Europa. European and Global Studies Journal*”; **2020 – present:** Editorial Board Member of the *Roma Tre Law Review*; **2019:** Selected by the Romanian Executive Agency for Research Funding (UEFISCDI) as Reviewer for the Norway Grants Call for proposals 2019 - Collaborative Research Projects, part of Research Programme funded under Norwegian Financial Mechanism 2014 - 2021 (EEA GRANTS).

MEMBER OF PHD JURY

Marta Lupi, (Tilburg University, NL), *Insolvent merchants and royal jurisdiction in Early Modern Lyon 1600-1660: the role of royal notaries and the Conservation des privilèges royaux des foires*, 29 November 2023.

Cornelis Marinus (Marco) in 't Veld, (VUB/CORE-Tilburg University, NL), *Commerce and customs in the courts. A comparison of mercantile customs, jurisdictions and institutions in Amsterdam and Lyon (early 18th century)*, Vrije Universiteit Brussel (VUB) (BE), 29 August 2022.

MEMBERSHIPS OF SCIENTIFIC SOCIETIES

2022-present: Member, *Associazione degli storici del diritto medievale e moderno* (ASDIMM: Association of medieval and modern legal historians); **2022– present:** Member, ERC in Italy, IT; **2018 – present:** Member, *Società Italiana di Storia del Diritto* (SISD: Italian Society of Legal History), IT; **2014 – present:** Member, *Istituto Emilio Betti di scienza e teoria del diritto nella storia e nella società* (ISEB: Emilio Betti Institute of Science and Theory of Law in History and Society), IT; secretary of the ISEB since 2018; **2010 – present:** Associate member, CENJ, EHESS, Paris (FR).

MAJOR COLLABORATIONS

2020-2021: Specialist consultant for the legal protection of cultural heritage at United Nations; **2016-present:** Collaboration with the team of the “*The Making of Commercial Law*” project, led by Heikki Pihlajamäki (Univ. of Helsinki, FI).

REPRESENTATIVE PUBLICATIONS (last 6 years, selection)

1. S. Gialdroni, *Benvenuto Stracca: l'uomo e il giurista*, in M. Cian (ed.), “*Benvenuto Stracca. Tractatus de mercatura sev mercatore*”, Torino: Giappichelli, 2023, pp. 35-53.
2. S. Gialdroni, *Obliteration? Cross-cultural relationships and hidden foreign influences in 12th – century Pisan art and law*, in “*La dynamique juridique des réseaux marchands : hanses, nations,*

agences, filiales et comptoirs”, EHDIP n. 33, CTHDIP, sous la direction de L. Brunori, 2023, pp. 13-30.

3. S. Gialdroni, *Il mare liberum prima e dopo il “Mare liberum”. La libertà di commercio e navigazione in Gentili, Grozio e Selden*, in L. Lacché, V. Lavenia (a cura di), “Alberico Gentili e il diritto del mare. Spazi, potere sovrano e diritto internazionale tra gli Hispanica advocacionis libri duo e l’età contemporanea”, Atti del convegno della XIX Giornata Gentiliana, San Ginesio, 10-11 settembre 2021, Macerata: EUM, 2022, 45-65 .
4. S. Gialdroni, *Perugino’s Justice. The Frescoes for the Collegio del Cambio between Legal History, Iconography, and Iconology*, in “LawArt”, 3 (2022), 251-292. https://www.lawart.it/Article/Archive/index_html?ida=54&idn=3&idi=-1&idu=-1.
5. S. Gialdroni, *Roman Law, Commercial Law and Levin Goldschmidt’s Legacy*, in K. Verboven and P. Erdkamp (eds.), “Law and Economic Performance in the Roman World. Impact of Empire”, Leiden/Boston: Brill, 2022, 248-264.
6. S. Gialdroni, *Was the East India Company a “Democratic” Organization? Majority principle and Power Relations in 17th Century England*, in “RomaTre Law Review”, 1 (2020), 37-54.
7. S. Gialdroni, *Sweden and Finland: A Lively Laboratory for Commercial Laws and Practices*, in K. Tikka (ed.), “The Development of Commercial Law in Sweden and Finland (Early Modern Period-Nineteenth Century)”, Leiden: Brill, 2020, 221-230.
8. S. Gialdroni, *(H)istories of Roman Law. Cesare Maccheri’s Frescoes in the Aula Massima of the Italian Supreme Court*, in “Forum Historiae Iuris”, 19 March 2019. <https://forhistiur.de/2019-03-gialdroni/>
9. S. Gialdroni, *Propter Conversationem Diversarum Gentium: Migrating Words and Merchants in Medieval Pisa*, in S. Gialdroni, A. Cordes, S. Dauchy, H. Pihlajamäki, and D. De ruysscher (eds.), “Migrating Words, Migrating Merchants, Migrating Law: Trading Routes and the Development of Commercial Law”, Leiden/Boston: Brill, 2019, 28-53.
10. S. Gialdroni, *Gestire la ricchezza, arginare il sovrano: la lunga parabola della British East India Company*, in V. Mastroiacovo (ed.), “Le sovranità nell’era della post globalizzazione”, Pisa: Pacini, 2019, 143-164.

PRESENTATIONS - INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES AND LECTURES (last 6 years, selection)

- **2024: January, 31:** invited speaker to the “Frankfurter Rechtshistorische Abendgespräche” (Max Planck Institute for Legal History and Legal Theory and Institute for Legal History at the Goethe-Universität Frankfurt), title of the paper: *Hansische Handelsstrassen 2.0: Eine Rechtshistorische Perspektive*, Frankfurt a.M (D); **February, 29:** invited speaker to the doctoral seminar of the Ecole française de Rome (IT), “L’intenzione nella cultura telogico-giuridica occidentale”, presentation of the book: M. Cerrito, F. Di Chiara (eds.), “Tra diritto e religione. Dialoghi e influenze nella storia giuridica”, Rome, 2023 and of the paper *God as creditor. The case of the Fuggerei in Augsburg*; **April, 4:** invited speaker (with Chiara Lo Giudice) to the “Tagung des Arbeitskreises Rechtsikonographie „Rechtsikonographie und Rechtssprache“ – In memoriam Clausdieter Schott (1936-2023)” – 4. - 6. April 2024, Akademie der Wissenschaften, Heidelberg (D), title: *Places, Spaces and Iconographies of Commercial Justice in the Hanseatic Cities*; **April, 20:** invited speaker to the workshop “Early-modern Commercial Documents in Foreign Jurisdictions”, 19-20 April 2024, University of Palermo (IT), title: *Language barriers and how to overcome them: The case of the Mercantile Magistrate of Bolzano (1635-1851)*.
- **2023: March, 7:** invited speaker (with F. Fusco and D. Basaldella) to the doctoral seminar “Saverio Bellomo” of the “Dottorato di ricerca in italianistica” of the University Ca’ Foscari (Venice, IT), title: *Per un lessico del diritto commerciale medievale: il progetto MICOLL*; **May, 26:** invited speaker to the ASDIMM (Italian Association of Medieval and Modern Legal Historians) Conference: “Storia del diritto medievale e moderno: un’identità in trasformazione?”, University of Bologna (IT), title: *Il diritto medievale e moderno alla prova degli ERC grants: istruzioni per l’uso*; **June, 8:** invited speaker to the workshop of the project Phedra directed by Luisa Brunori: “Merchants, Arts, Luxury and Beauty”, Centro Tedesco di Studi Veneziani (Venice, IT), title: *Giorgione, Tiziano, Duerer: grandi artisti “al servizio” dei mercanti tedeschi nella Venezia del primo Cinquecento*; **September, 14:** coordinator of the panel 3.7

“Cities within cities. Merchants and urban space between integration and marginalization (11th-17th centuries)” within the framework of the 11th conference of the Italian Association of Urban History (AISU), “Beyond the Gaze. Interpreting and understanding the city”, 13-16 September, Ferrara (IT) with J. Dyble and C. Lo Giudice and presentation of the paper “The mercantile magistrate of Bolzano and his Palace. Merchants and strategies of self-representation in a borderland”, with J. Dyble and C. Lo Giudice.

- **2022: January**, invited speaker of the Winter Program “Architectural Studies in Europe”, title: “From the object to the subject: A historical overview on the legal protection of CH” (Carleton College, Minnesota USA, Rome Center); **March**, Invited speaker at the conference “Le sfide per una sharing economy sostenibile. Un dialogo tra Italia e Francia”, title: *Un approccio storico-giuridico al fenomeno della sharing economy è possibile? Primi spunti di riflessione* (Univ. of Padua); **April**, Invited speaker at the seminar series “Down by the Water. Global conversations in maritime archaeology”, title: *Merchants, overland routes and waterways. The case of medieval Venice* (University of Helsinki, FI, webinar); Invited speaker at the LawArt Seminar “The visual turn in legal studies”, title: *Iustitia Mercatoria. Places, Spaces, and Iconographies of Mercantile Justice in Europe* (Erasmus University Rotterdam, NL); **May**, Invited discussant at the Seminar on “Looted Artworks, Between Law and History” about the presentation “From Murder to Museum” by prof. Raymond J. Dowd (Univ. of Padua); Invited speaker at the Webinar “Seminari di Storia del diritto e del pensiero giuridico 2022”, title: *Dalla forza del numero alla legge del più forte. Sistemi di votazione nella General Assembly della East India Company (sec. XVII)* (Univ. of Padua, webinar); Guest speaker of the Course “Etica e diritto dei beni comuni”, title: *L’esproprio del bacino esagonale del Porto di Traiano: proprietà privata, utilità pubblica e lo strano caso dello zoo safari* (Univ. of Padua); **June**, Invited discussant at the workshop of the ERC Advanced Grant CLCLCL (PI prof. John Hudson) on “Legal Literature and Practice. Canon Law and Roman Law Perspectives” (Verona, IT); Invited discussant at the course on “Canon Law, Theology, and the Formation of a European Law of Economy: From the Models of Ancien Régime to the Modern Social Doctrine of the Church” by prof. Wim Decock (Univ. of Catania, IT, webinar); **September**, Keynote speaker at the conference “Narrating Europe’s Pluralities: Unity, Diversity and Exceptionality”, title: *Unity, Diversity, or Exceptionality? The Enigma of the Lex Mercatoria*, Käte Hamburger Kolleg “Einheit und Vielfalt im Recht” (EViR), Muenster (DE); Invited speaker at the “Tavola ovale di storia moderna”, title: *Diritto e linguaggio migranti. Come ripensare la lex mercatoria (secc. XI-XVII)*, Istituto storico italo-germanico, Fondazione Bruno Kessler, Trent (IT); **October**, Invited speaker at the course “Teoria e pratica del diritto”, title: *Ma noi poveri merchatanti remagniamo chol capo pelato. Quando la storia del diritto commerciale incontra la linguistica storica*, University of Zuerich (CH); **November**, Invited speaker at the 5th Workshop of the ERC AveTransRisk “Expertise”, title: *Legal History Meets Historical Linguistics. New Perspectives on the Lex Mercatoria* (Univ. of Pisa, IT); Guest lecturer at the permanent seminar “Cdlm in Governance Euromediterranea delle Politiche Migratorie”, title: *Un mostro politico dalla doppia natura. Alcune considerazioni sulla Compagnia delle Indie Orientali Inglese* (UniSalento, IT); **December**, Guest lecturer at the “Seminari di cultura giuridica”, title: *Un mostro politico dalla doppia natura. Considerazioni sulla Compagnia delle Indie Orientali Inglese* (Univ. of Naples Federico II, IT).

- **2021: February**, Invited speaker at the 17th IRCDL Conference 2021 (Univ. of Padua), title: *Digital Libraries: The Point of View of a Legal Historian*; **March**, Guest speaker of the course “European Contract Law” (Univ. of Padua): *From the Medieval lex mercatoria to the New New lex mercatoria*; **May**, Guest speaker of the Course “Museologia e Museografia” (Accademia di Belle Arti di Macerata, IT), title: *Diritto internazionale e patrimonio culturale*; Guest speaker of the “Master di Primo Livello in Lingue, Comunicazione Interculturale e Management del Turismo” (RomaTre University), title: *Il patrimonio culturale tra tutela e valorizzazione*; Invited speaker at the Webinar “Ius commune at Borders. Borders of ius commune” (in collaboration between the Universities of Padua, Neaples Federico II, IT and Helsinki, FI.), title: *Gerard Malynes, Lex mercatoria and the High Court of Admiralty*; **September**, Invited speaker at the conference “XIX – 2020 Giornata gentiliana: Alberico Gentili e il diritto del mare” (Auditorium Sant’Agostino, San Ginesio, IT), title: *Il mare liberum prima e dopo il “Mare Liberum”. La libertà di commercio e navigazione in Gentili, Grozio e Selden*; **November**, Guest lecturer on “Law and Architecture”, Law and the Humanities Course (RomaTre University); Invited speaker at the PHEDRA Conference “The legal dynamics of merchant networks: hansas, nations, agencies, branch and trading offices” (Univ. of Lille, FR), title: *Obliteration? Cross-cultural relationships and hidden foreign influences in 12th century Pisan art and law*; **December**, Invited speaker to the workshop series “Law and Diversity - Non-state self-regulation

in the field of commercial law - a manifestation of diversity?", title: Italy (Max-Planck Institute for Legal History and Legal Theory, Frankfurt a.M., D, webinar).

- **2020: October**, Guest lecturer of the course "Anglo-American Company Law" (Roma Tre Univ.) on the history of the EIC. **November**, Invited speaker at "GiD Lab: Capitalism in Motion. Imagining, Transforming, and Inventing Economic Forms over Time", with Ron Harris and Carlo Taviani within the Berlin Science Week 2020 – Falling Walls: <https://gid.hypotheses.org/%202514>.

- **2019: March**, Invited speaker at the conference "Le sovranità nell'era della post globalizzazione" (Univ. of Foggia, IT), title: *Gestire la ricchezza, arginare il sovrano. La lunga parabola della British East India Company* (on the relationship between power and profit in the British EIC). **October**, guest lecturer of the course "Anglo-American Company Law" (Roma Tre Univ.) on the history of the EIC. **November**, Workshop "Commerce, Identity and Citizenship in Legal History" (Vrije Universiteit Brussel, BE) - invited discussant. **December**, Seminar "Seminari storico-giuridici" (Roma Tre Univ.), title: *Mercanti, lingua e diritto. Per un nuovo approccio alla storia del diritto commerciale (secc. XII-XVI)* on the relationship between commercial law history and language.

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