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EDUCATION:

- Sep 2014 - Apr 2017 **Università Commerciale Luigi Bocconi, Milan**
Master in Economic and Social Sciences (2-year program). **Final Grade: 108/110**
• **Main courses:** *advanced mathematics and statistics, econometrics, political economics, development economics, public economics, innovation and sustainability*
• **Thesis:** Internal and External Financial Constraints for R&D: New Evidences at the EU Level
- Jan 2016 - Feb 2016 **Mumbai International School of Business (MISB Bocconi), Mumbai**
Winter Exchange Program in *Structured and Project Finance*. **Final Grade: 30 with honors**
• Class Representative of a group of 30 Italian and Indian Students
- Sep 2011 - Sep 2014 **Università Commerciale Luigi Bocconi, Milan**
Bachelor in Economics and Finance. **Final grade: 104/110**
• **Main courses:** *financial accounting, corporate finance, monetary economics, business plan*
- Jul 2013 - Aug 2013 **Georgetown University: McDonough School of Business, Washington D.C.**
Summer Exchange Program in *International Project Finance*. **Final Grade: 30 with honors**
- Sep 2006 - Jun 2011 **Liceo Scientifico Alessandro Volta, Lecco**
High School Diploma in Scientific and Humanistic Studies. **Final Grade: 100/100**

WORK EXPERIENCES:

- Aug 2017 - Present **European Commission, Brussels - Economic Analyst for G7/G20 and the IMF at DG ECFIN (Economic and Finance) - Unit D3: International and Financial Relations, and Global Governance**
• policy advice and economic analysis on international economic issues: *the reform of the international monetary system, the changing role of the IMF in the framework of the new international financial architecture, the global economic governance, and the global imbalances;*
• supporting the participation of the EC in the main *International Meetings (G7-G20 and Spring/Annual Meetings)*, and in the main *EU Meetings (EFC, SCIMF)*, by drafting briefing materials, speeches and notes for the *Director-General* or the *Commissioner*;
• managing of institutional relationships with international Institutions and Fora (*IMF, World bank, G7-G20*), and coordinating the EU position with the EU Member States and the ECB
- Apr 2017 - Aug 2017 **European Commission, Brussels - Stagiaire at DG ECFIN (Economic and Finance) - Unit D3: International and Financial Relations, and Global Governance**
- Sep 2015 - Dec 2015 **Embassy of Italy, Washington D.C. - Stagiaire at the Economic Affairs Office**
• economic analysis of the US market and the Federal Reserve policies, participating also to economic and financial conferences at the *US Congress*;
• negotiations on the *Transatlantic Trade and Investment Partnership (T-TIP)*;
• environmental and Climate Change meetings at the *European Union Delegation*, ahead of the *December 2015 Paris Climate Change Summit (COP21)*

OTHER EXPERIENCES and VOLUNTEERING:

- Jun 2014 - Sep 2017 **Università Bocconi, Milan - Student Ambassador at the Student Division**
• welcoming International and Italian students during the *presentation days*, providing information about *Bocconi University*, its services and its facilities
- Jul 2015 **EXPO Milan 2015 - Volunteer at the European Union Pavilion**
• welcoming visitors, introducing them to the key message of the EU Pavilion experience

ACHIEVEMENTS and SKILLS:

- **Languages:** Italian (native speaker), English (Fluent - *BEC Higher Certificate*), Spanish (Fluent), French (Basic)
- **IT skills:** *European Computer Driving License (ECDL 2012) - Data Analysis and Statistical Software (Stata)*

REFERENCES:

- **Heinz Scherrer** (*Economic Advisor for G7, G20 and IMF*): Heinz.Scherrer@ec.europa.eu
- **Professor Nicoletta Corrocher** (*Department of Management and Technology*): nicoletta.corrocher@unibocconi.it