

## Food Studies and Sociology - Italian Language and Italian Studies



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Sociology: Food and Society (Soc 2545), Italian Language and Culture (IT 1001)

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### **EDUCATION**

Master Post-Laurea in “Alimenti, Nutrizione e Dieta Mediterranea”,  
***Post-Graduate Master’s in “Nutrition and Mediterranean Diet”***,  
**Universita' Degli Studi Di Roma "Tor Vergata"**,  
November 2015

Corso di Aggiornamento Post-Laurea in "Metodologia e Pratica dell'insegnamento", presso il  
Dipartimento di Psicologia dei processi di Sviluppo e socializzazione e Pedagogia,  
***Post-Graduate Master’s in “Methodology and Teaching Practice”***,  
**Department of di Pedagogy, “La Sapienza” University of Rome**, July  
2006

Laurea di Dottore in Lettere  
(Magistrale post-Bologna), con tesi del Corso Sperimentale in Pedagogia,  
***M.A., B.A. in Humanities and Liberal Arts with a major in Pedagogy,***  
***with a final thesis on “The use of non-verbal communication in teaching, how to***  
***prepare teachers”***, ***used for the new professional training and refresher courses for***  
***teachers of Italian schools***,  
**“La Sapienza” University of Rome**,  
April 1994.

## **BOOK PUBLICATION**

B. Parisi Presicce e M. Valtieri, “.it”: Italian Grammar in Use,  
Collana Teke Didattica, Roma, 2008, 255p, ISBN 978-88-903933-2-7.

English Translation: “The Nutrition Revolution - Your Guide to Longevity”, by Frank Laporte-Adamski - Verdechiaro Edizioni, 2015.

English Translation: “Healing Voice - The healing sound of psychic singing”, by Krisztina Nemeth - Verdechiaro Edizioni, 2015.

Italian Translation: “Soluzioni Nascoste”, by Dan Castro –Verdechiaro Edizioni, 2016.

## **LANGUAGE SKILLS**

Native Italian.

Near native fluency English, oral, spoken, written.

Fluent French, oral spoken.

## **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

### **Temple University, online**

Professor of **Food Studies and Sociology**

**“Food for Thought: sociological Thinking About Food” - SOC 2545**

Responsible for designing and teaching a course on Food Studies in the Sociology department, analyzing and researching to create a more equitable, sustainable, healthy, and delicious world.

This course is conducted in English for all students.

August 2020 – present.

### **Temple University, Rome Campus**

Instructor of **Italian Language and Culture - IT 1001**

Responsible for designing and teaching intensive courses for beginners, exposing the students to real Italian life situations, and introducing them to basic grammatical structures and vocabulary.

January 1996 – present.

### **The Pantheon Institute**

formerly **The Pennsylvania State University (Penn State) – Rome Campus**

**Italian Studies - It 099 “Topics in Italian Culture: Food and Society”**

**Italian Studies - It 099 “Topics in Italian Culture: Cinema and Contemporary Narrative”**

These courses are conducted in English for all students.

September 1999 – present.

Instructor of Italian Language and Culture for beginners:

**Italian Language - It 001 Elementary Italian I**

**Italian Language - It 002 Elementary Italian II**

Responsible for teaching intensive courses, designing my own material, introducing the basic grammatical structures used in practical situations of everyday life.

## **Italian Language – It 003 Intermediate Italian**

Responsible for teaching courses for students that already know some Italian.

September 1994 – present.

Instructor of **Advanced Italian Language and Italian Studies:**

### **Italian Language – Isxx 400 Italian Advanced Conversation and Composition in Italian: “Pathways to Fluency and Topics in Italian Culture”**

Instructor of advanced Italian for students that want to be introduced to contemporary Italian literature. Responsible also for teaching small groups of students that don't take a specific course offering and select an independent study course about contemporary Italian literature and culture.

## **Richmond University, Rome Study Center**

Instructor of **Italian Language, Basic Spoken and Intermediate I and II.**

Responsible for organizing and teaching the courses.

Spring 2015 – present.

Instructor of **Italian language and culture** at:

**Florida State University – Rome Program**, Summer semesters 2011-2014

**Woodbury University – Rome Program**, September 2010 – 2015

**University of Arkansas – Rome Program**, Summer semester 2013

**University of Miami – School of Architecture Graduate Program in Rome**, 2006-2009

**Rhode Island School of Design, Rome Campus;**

**Cornell University, Rome Campus;**

**University of Washington, Rome Campus;**

**Iowa State University, Rome Campus;**

and other American Universities with Programs in Rome.

Instructor of Italian as a teacher of the school “Italiaidea”, School of Italian language in Rome.

September 1994 – December 1997

## **“Parliamo Italiano” Language School in New York.**

Italian private instructor during my studies of music and languages at NYU in New York (USA).

December 1987 – March 1991.

All of the **Syllabi** for my courses can be supplied upon request.

## **REFERENCES**

**Romolo Martemucci, Director of The Pantheon Institute,**

Email: [rmartemucci@pantheon-institutute.com](mailto:rmartemucci@pantheon-institutute.com)

**Hilary Link, Dean of Temple University Rome,**

Email: [hilary.link@temple.edu](mailto:hilary.link@temple.edu)

**Kim Strommen, ex-Dean of Temple University in Rome,**

Email: [kim.strommen@templerome.it](mailto:kim.strommen@templerome.it)

**Rosanna Graziani, Dean of Richmond University, Rome Study Center,**

Email: [r.graziani@richmondinrome.it](mailto:r.graziani@richmondinrome.it)

Other references can be supplied upon request.

## **Links:**

<http://studyabroad.temple.edu/faculty/barbara-parisi>

<http://www.pantheon-institute.com/academics-courses/pantheon-institute-faculty/barbara-parisi-presicce/>

## **OTHER PROFESSIONAL and PERSONAL EXPERIENCE**

### **Musical and Visual Artist for Albums, Film Soundtracks, and Concerts (Singer-Songwriter and Actress in both English and Italian)**

#### **Album Recordings for CD, Itunes and all the audio and video platforms:**

“Blossom Love” on the CD Mystic Diversions, vol. IV, 2006, produced by Mike Francis.

Barbara Parisi, CD under contract with RAI, October 2014.

“Steps”, by Barbara Parisi, edizioni RAIcom (link on spotify)

#### **Album Recordings for Cinema/Movies:**

“Euclide era un bugiardo”, Rai 3 TV Channel, 2003, director Viviana Di Russo.

“Un caso di coscienza”, Rai 2 TV Channel, 2013, director Luigi Perelli starring Sebastiano Somma.

“Le due leggi”, Rai 1 TV Channel, 2014, director Luciano Manuzzi starring Elena Sofia Ricci.

“Il Giuduce Meschino”, Rai 1 TV Channel, 2014, director Carlo Carlei starring Luca Zingaretti.

#### **Movie Role as Actress:**

Role of a singer in “Il giudice meschino”, by Carlo Carlei for Rai 1 TV Channel in 2014.

#### **Simultaneous Interpreter:**

Interviews of musicians, singers, actors and film directors in Rome and in the USA including Richard Gere, Tom Cruise, Brenda Russell, Carl Anderson, Chris Barron, John Popper, and many others.

April 1998 – present.

#### **Regular Live Performing Artist (Singer):**

Jazz Clubs, VIP Lounges, and Private Events in Rome:

Alexander Platz, Gregory's, The Place, Piper, Supper Club, The Hilton Hotel, Roof Garden Hotel

Eden, Hotel Majestic, Jazz Cafè, Margò, Papa Nero, Four Green Fields, Circolo degli Scacchi, Circolo dei Magistrati, Circolo del Polo, Circolo Sportivo Parioli, Circolo Forum, Hotel Quirinale, Hotel Boscolo, Hotel The First, and many others.

Golf Hotel di Riva dei Tessili (Taranto – Puglia), 2000.

Bar dell'Orso (Poltu Quatu, Costa Smeralda – Sardegna), 2002-2003.

Forte Village (Cagliari – Sardegna), 2004-2005.

Palm Beach (Maldives), 2007.

#### **Live performances and/or recordings with:**

Eric Daniel, Aidan Zammit, Pino Iodice, Riccardo Biseo, Amedeo Ariano, Danilo Riccardi, Steve Cantarano, Paolo Sorrentino, Stefano Di Battista, Mario Puccioni, Mario Castelnuovo and many others.

Since 1998 – present.

<https://www.barbaraparis.com/site/>

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC3Dw59VKk64y5BEcXPOO-3w>

<https://open.spotify.com/user/bparisi-it/playlist/77uOoEe5EcWqnNvw8c97z9?si=riNa6zEXSUGM2-ALW0lxDA>

**Certified teacher of “Pilates” and “Postural gymnastics”  
(with the Federazione Italiana Fitness)**

Formerly teaching courses at the Farnese Fitness Gym (Vicolo delle Grotte 35 – Rome)

Currently teaching courses at the Omega Fitness Gym (Via del Monte della Farina 14 – Roma)

