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Postdoctoral Research Fellow in Public Law Institutions University of Tuscia
PhD in *Law and Cognitive Neuroscience*
Adjunct Professor in Public Law, Privacy Law, Artificial Intelligence Law, and
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Certifications in *European Funding and Project Design, Coding for Lawyers &
Legal Tech, and Data Protection & Data Governance*
Languages: German (C1), English (C1), Spanish (B2)

1 Research Experience

- 2024 – present Postdoctoral Research Fellow, University of Tuscia. Research on *Algorithms and Predictive Capacity of Judicial Decisions*.
- 2024 *Visiting Scholar*, Instituto de Derechos Humanos Gregorio Peces-Barba, Universidad Carlos III de Madrid. Research: *El equilibrio de los derechos fundamentales en el contexto digital (The balance of fundamental rights in the digital context)*.
- 2023 – 2024 Project Leader, *Neuroprivacy: Constitutional Problems of Cognitive Liberty*, San Pio V Institute.
- 2023 Research Fellow, University of Perugia. Research on privacy issues in labor contract certification commissions.
- 2022 – 2023 Research Grant Winner, San Pio V Institute, on emerging technologies and legality.

2 Teaching Experience

- 2024 – present Adjunct Professor of Public Law, University of Tuscia.
- 2024 – present Adjunct Professor of Artificial Intelligence Law, Unicusano.
- 2021 – present Adjunct Professor of Neuro-Law and Privacy Law, Unicusano.

- 2023 – present Faculty Member, Master’s Program in International Negotiation, Unicusano. Module: Constitutional Law.
- 2022 – present Faculty Member, Master’s Program in Cancel Culture, Unicusano. Module: *Memoria ed oblio nel prisma della protezione dei dati (Memory and Oblivion in the Prism of Data Protection)*.
- 2023 Lecturer, PhD Program in *Law and Cognitive Neuroscience*, Unicusano. Seminar on *Neuroprivacy and Neuro-Rights*.
- 2022 Adjunct Professor, Digital Constitutionalism, Universitas Libertatis.
- 2018 – present Teaching Assistant in Philosophy of Law and Public Law, Unicusano.

3 Professional Experience

- 2020 – present Lawyer, Naples Bar Association. Legal consulting and assistance in civil law, privacy, and data protection.
- 2021 Passed the Rome Municipality Competition for Lawyer Functionary (cat. D1).
- 2016 – 2018 Legal Trainee, Naples Municipality Legal Office.

4 Education

- 2018 – 2022 PhD in *Law and Cognitive Neuroscience*, Niccolò Cusano University, Rome. Curriculum: Constitutional Law (SSD IUS/08-09). Dissertation: *Neuro-privacy: The Foundation of Cognitive Liberty*, XI-224, April 13, 2022. Supervisor: Prof. G. D’Alessandro; Tutor: Prof. F. Girelli.
- 2021 Intensive German Course (80 hours, C2), Goethe-Institut Berlin.
- 2021 Advanced Certification in *Coding for Lawyers and Legal Tech*, University of Milan. Coordinator: Prof. G. Ziccardi.
- 2021 Advanced Certification in *Data Protection and Data Governance*, University of Milan. Coordinator: Prof. P. Perri.
- 2020 Advanced Certification in *European Funding and Project Design*, Roma Tre University. Coordinator: Prof. R. Torino.
- 2010 – 2016 Master’s Degree in Law, Federico II University, Naples. Grade: 110/110 cum laude. Thesis in History of Justice: *Das Recht des Besitzes by F.C. von Savigny: Diffusion of German Legal Culture*, 1-240, July 7, 2016. Supervisor: Prof. C. Vano.

- 2013 – 2014 Erasmus Program, Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität, Munich. Courses taken: *Staatskirchenrecht, Zivilrecht, Strafrecht, Einführung in die Rechtsvergleichung, Topics in Economics, Medien- und Informationsrecht.*
- 2005 – 2010 High School Diploma (Classical Studies), Liceo Classico Sannazaro, Naples. Grade: 100/100.

5 Publications

5.1 Books

- 2023 F. CIRILLO, *Neuroprivacy: Problemi teorici e prospettive costituzionali (Neuroprivacy: Theoretical Problems and Constitutional Perspectives)*, in *Law and Legal Institutions Series*, vol. 10, Giappichelli, Torino, 2023, pp. 1–314.

5.2 Scientific Articles

- 2024 F. CIRILLO, *Equilibrando la Inteligencia Artificial: ¿Perspectivas Armónicas o Conflictos de Derechos? (Balancing Artificial Intelligence: Harmonious Perspectives or Conflicts of Rights?)*, in A. CERRILLO I MARTÍNEZ, F. DI LASCIO, I. M. DELGADO, C. I. VELASCO RICO (eds.), *Inteligencia artificial y administraciones públicas: una triple visión en clave comparada*, Iustel, Madrid 2024, pp. 71–80.
- 2024 F. CIRILLO, *Enrico Ferri y Giuseppe Criscenti. Alla ricerca della laicità perduta (In Search of Lost Secularism)*, in *Derechos y Libertades*, 51, 2024.
- 2023 F. CIRILLO, *Neurodiritti: ambiguità della “libertà cognitiva” e prospettive di tutela (Neuro-Rights: Ambiguities of Cognitive Liberty and Protection Perspectives)*, in *Consulta Online*, II, 2023, pp. 666–704.
- 2023 F. CIRILLO, *L’interesse delle future generazioni: ragionamenti fallaci e interpretazioni sostenibili (Future Generations’ Interest: Fallacious Reasoning and Sustainable Interpretations)*, in *Ambienteditto.it*, 2, 2023, pp. 1–16.
- 2023 F. CIRILLO, *”Anche nell’interesse delle future generazioni”?* (*Also in the Interest of Future Generations?*), in *DPCE Online*, Sp-2, 2023, pp. 641–668.
- 2022 F. CIRILLO, *La rotta è già tracciata. Quadro normativo e proposte di legge sul fine vita (The Path is Already Charted: Regulatory Framework and Legislative Proposals on End-of-Life)*, in *Osservatorio costituzionale AIC*, 5, 2022, pp. 21–40.
- 2022 F. CIRILLO, F. GIRELLI, *Immuni e green pass: Prospettive di bilanciamento nella pandemia (Immuni and Green Pass: Balancing Perspectives During the Pandemic)*, in *Consulta Online*, 1, 2022, pp. 254–265.

- 2022 F. CIRILLO, *Il referendum ammissibile con risultato disarmonico (The Admissible Referendum with Disharmonious Outcome)*, in *Forum di Quaderni Costituzionali Rassegna*, 1, 2022, pp. 71–76.
- 2021 F. CIRILLO, *La nozione di dato personale (The Concept of Personal Data)*, in *Cyberspazio e diritto*, 1, 2021, pp. 23–39.
- 2021 F. CIRILLO, *Il diritto di non morire? Nuove tecnologie e nuovi scenari del fine vita (The Right Not to Die? New Technologies and End-of-Life Scenarios)*, in *Rivista internazionale di filosofia del diritto*, 3, 2021, pp. 411–434.
- 2021 F. CIRILLO, *Sull'inutilità del mito dell'occidente (On the Uselessness of the Myth of the West)*, in *Diritto e Religioni*, 1, 2021, pp. 835–842.
- 2021 F. CIRILLO, *Il fondamento costituzionale dei neurodiritti (The Constitutional Foundation of Neuro-Rights)*, in *Gruppo di Pisa*, f. s. 3, 2021, pp. 107–123.
- 2020 F. CIRILLO, *Nuovi diritti e nuovi doveri nelle questioni di fine-vita? (New Rights and Duties in End-of-Life Issues?)*, in *Osservatorio costituzionale AIC*, 3, 2020, pp. 548–573.
- 2019 F. CIRILLO, *Privacy e salute nel panorama dell'e-health (Privacy and Health in the E-Health Landscape)*, in *I-Lex*, 1, 2019, pp. 224–244.
- 2019 F. CIRILLO, *The Impact of the E-Health on Privacy and Fundamental Rights*, in *European Journal of Privacy Law & Technologies*, 2, 2019, pp. 1–7.
- 2018 F. CIRILLO, *Le sette vite del possesso di Savigny (The Seven Lives of Savigny's Possession)*, in *Iura & Legal Systems*, 1, 2018, pp. 128–138.

5.3 Contributions in Edited Volumes

- 2024 F. CIRILLO, *La tutela dei dati personali (The Protection of Personal Data)*, in M.E. BUCALO, M. CAPORALE, A. STERPA (eds.), *Diritto pubblico di Internet*, Editoriale Scientifica, Naples, 2024, pp. 357–381.
- 2023 F. CIRILLO, G. D'ALESSANDRO, *Neurodiritti: prospettive critiche e questioni dogmatiche (Neuro-Rights: Critical Perspectives and Dogmatic Issues)*, in R. TORINO, S. ZORZETTO (eds.), *La trasformazione digitale in Europa. Diritti e principi (Digital Transformation in Europe: Rights and Principles)*, *Law and Legal Institutions Series*, Giappichelli, Turin, 2024, pp. 93–130.
- 2023 F. CIRILLO, *La disarticolazione delle fonti del diritto nell'ambiente digitale (The Disarticulation of Legal Sources in the Digital Environment)*, in G. ACOCELLA (ed.), *Materiali per una cultura della legalità (Materials for a Culture of Legality)*, Giappichelli, Turin, 2023, pp. 145–168.

- 2023 F. CIRILLO, *Il paradigma della crisi tra nuove Antigoni e nuovi Creonti (The Paradigm of Crisis Between New Antigones and New Creons)*, in G. ACOCELLA (ed.), *Materiali per una cultura della legalità (Materials for a Culture of Legality)*, Giappichelli, Turin, 2023, pp. 218–221.
- 2023 F. CIRILLO, *Le forme della legalità nella “costellazione digitale” (Forms of Legality in the “Digital Constellation”)*, in G. ACOCELLA (ed.), *Materiali per una cultura della legalità (Materials for a Culture of Legality)*, Giappichelli, Turin, 2023, pp. 211–213.
- 2023 F. CIRILLO, G. D’ALESSANDRO, *Il bilanciamento tra libertà d’espressione e protezione del sentimento religioso (The Balance Between Freedom of Expression and Protection of Religious Sentiment)*, in A. FUCCILLO, P. PALUMBO (eds.), *Pluralismo confessionale e dinamiche interculturali (Confessional Pluralism and Intercultural Dynamics)*, *Agonalis Series*, vol. 18, Editoriale Scientifica, Naples, 2023, pp. 903–922.
- 2022 F. CIRILLO, F. GIRELLI, *Bilanciamenti emergenziali e obblighi eccezionali (Emergency Balancing and Exceptional Obligations)*, in G. GIANNONE CODIGLIONE, L. PIERDOMINICI (eds.), *Comparative Law in Time of Emergencies*, RomaTre-Press, Rome, 2022, pp. 81–88.
- 2022 F. CIRILLO, *La sostenibilità come diritto delle generazioni presenti? (Sustainability as a Right of Present Generations?)*, in S. LANNI (ed.), *Sostenibilità globale e culture giuridiche comparate (Global Sustainability and Comparative Legal Cultures)*, Giappichelli, Turin, 2022, pp. 139–156.
- 2021 F. CIRILLO, *Corpo e riservatezza (Body and Privacy)*, in C. MORONI, A. STERPA (eds.), *Corpo e Società (Body and Society)*, *Contemporary Issues Series*, Editoriale Scientifica, Naples, 2021, pp. 61–69.
- 2020 F. CIRILLO, *To Copy or to Learn from the Past? A Research Path for a Critique of the Neo-Medieval Approach to the Regulation of New Technologies*, in *EU 2020 - Lessons from the Past and Solutions for the Future*, ECLIC Paper, Osijek, 4, 2020, pp. 1252–1270.

6 Conference Presentations

- 31.05.2024 *Workshop of the Research Group on Constitutional Responses to Terrorism of the International Association of Constitutional Law (IACL)*, Centro de Estudios Políticos y Constitucionales, Madrid. Presentation: *The Rigidity of Regulation and the Flexibility of Counter-Technology: A Theoretical Framework*.
- 22–23.05.2024 Final lectures in the course *Diritto privato delle nuove tecnologie (Private Law of New Technologies)* (Prof. B. Agostinelli), RomaTre University: AI

Act: protezione dei dati o protezionismo digitale? (AI Act: Data Protection or Digital Protectionism?) and Libert  cognitiva, neurodiritti e neuroprivacy (Cognitive Liberty, Neuro-Rights, and Neuro-Privacy).

- 05.12.2023 *X Congreso de la Red Internacional de Derecho Europeo (RIDE), Universitat Oberta de Catalunya. Presentation: Balancing AI: Harmonious Perspectives or Conflicts of Rights?.*
- 14.10.2023 *International Conference, University of Milan, I-cons Italian Chapter – Politica e istituzioni tra trasformazioni e riforme (Politics and Institutions Amidst Transformations and Reforms), panel: Tra bios e physis: itinerari di trasformazione del diritto pubblico (Between Bios and Physis: Transformation Paths in Public Law), presentation: Bios e physis tra dogmatica costituzionale e teoria generale (Bios and Physis Between Constitutional Dogmatics and General Theory).*
- 28.09.2023 *Undicesima Giornata annuale dei Dottorati del Gruppo di Pisa (Eleventh Annual PhD Day of the Gruppo di Pisa). Presentation of doctoral thesis: Neuroprivacy: La fondazione della libert  cognitiva (Neuroprivacy: The Foundation of Cognitive Liberty).*
- 16.09.2023 *DPCE International Conference, University of Milan, Giurisdizioni costituzionali e poteri politici (Constitutional Jurisdictions and Political Powers), presentation: Il principio di proporzionalit  nell’ambiente digitale (The Principle of Proportionality in the Digital Environment).*
- 07.09.2023 *Scuola Estiva Arpinate, XI Edizione, Arpino, La guerra nell’Europa del XXI° secolo (War in 21st-Century Europe), presentation: Hans Kelsen e la guerra giusta (Hans Kelsen and Just War).*
- 08.06.2023 *Conference at Niccol  Cusano University, Sguardo sulla cancel culture (A Look at Cancel Culture), presentation: Memoria ed oblio nel prisma dei valori costituzionali (Memory and Oblivion in the Prism of Constitutional Values).*
- 01.12.2022 *International Conference, University of Salerno, Ambiente, Sostenibilit  e Principi costituzionali (Environment, Sustainability, and Constitutional Principles), scheduled intervention.*
- 27.10.2022 *First International Colloquium on Bioethics and Law, Niccol  Cusano University, Discorsi sulla vita (Discourses on Life), presentation: Quadro normativo e proposte sul fine vita (Regulatory Framework and Proposals on End-of-Life).*
- 10.09.2022 *DPCE International Conference, University of Campania L. Vanvitelli, Il costituzionalismo ambientale tra antropocentrismo e biocentrismo (Environmental Constitutionalism Between Anthropocentrism and Biocentrism), presentation: ”Anche nell’interesse delle future generazioni”? (Also in the Interest of Future Generations?).*

- 01.09.2022 Scuola Estiva Arpinate, X Edizione, *Lavoro e insegnamento universitario nell'era della rivoluzione telematica (Work and University Teaching in the Era of the Telematic Revolution)*, presentation: *Lavoro, istruzione e protezione dei dati (Work, Education, and Data Protection)*.
- 24.06.2022 International Conference, University Giustino Fortunato, Benevento, *Pluralismo confessionale e dinamiche interculturali (Confessional Pluralism and Intercultural Dynamics)*, presentation: *Il bilanciamento tra libertà d'espressione e protezione del sentimento religioso (Balancing Freedom of Expression and Protection of Religious Sentiment)*.
- 22.04.2022 International Conference, University of Milan, *SIRD Younger Comparatists*, presentation: *La sostenibilità come diritto delle generazioni presenti? (Sustainability as a Right of Present Generations?)*.
- 26.11.2021 *Amicus Curiae – Nuovi Seminari Preventivi Ferraresi*, presentation: *Il referendum ammissibile con risultato disarmonico (The Admissible Referendum with Disharmonious Outcome)*.
- 22.10.2021 *XXVI Biennial Colloquium of the Italian Association of Comparative Law (AIDC)*, University of Bologna, presentation: *Bilanciamenti emergenziali e obblighi eccezionali (Emergency Balancing and Exceptional Obligations)*.
- 07.07.2021 Icon-S Mundo Conference, *The Future of Public Law*, presentation: *Algorithmic Censorship of Blasphemy and Religious Hate Speech*.
- 13.06.2021 *Roundtable of the International Association of Constitutional Law (IACL)*, presentation: *Innovative Disruption and Constitutional Identities*.
- 21.05.2021 International Conference, Josip Jurač Strossmayer University of Osijek, *EU 2021*, presentation: *The European Challenges of Privacy in the Context of the Pandemic*.