

## CURRICULUM VITAE

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## CURRENT POSITION

### Fixed-Term Researcher Type A

**ARCH-01/C - Pre-Roman Italian civilisation and Etruscology**

**Department of Humanities and Innovation for the Territory, University of Insubria**

From: 05/2025- ongoing

### Fellowship at the Accademia Nazionale dei Lincei

Scholarships for Europe Humanities 2024-Archaeology

From: 02/2025-05/2025

Project: *The 'Orientalising' as a historical process in Etruscan Society. Tarquinia in the first half of the VII Century B.C. The Unpublished Necropolis of Poggio Pian di Spille*

Tutor Pr. M. Guggisberg, University of Basel (Switzerland).

## EDUCATION

### PhD in Law and Humanities. Cum laude

01/10/2018 – 31/01/2022 (Dissertation, 04/07/2022)

University of Insubria, Supervisors: Pr. Giulio M. Facchetti; Pr. Federica Chiesa (University of Milan, External)

### Postgraduate Diploma in Archaeological Heritage. 108/110

01/01/2016 – 06/03/2018

Alma Mater Studiorum - Università di Bologna

Supervisors: Pr. Annachiara Fariselli; Pr. Federica Chiesa (External University of Milan); Pr. Carla Del Vais (External, University of Cagliari).

### Master of Science in Archaeology. Cum laude

01/01/2013 – 12/05/2015

University of Milan, Supervisors Pr. Federica Chiesa; Pr. Maria Bonghi Jovino (Emeritus, University of Milan)

### Bachelor in Cultural Heritage. Cum laude

01/09/2008 – 02/05/2012

University of Milan, Supervisor Pr. Federica Chiesa

## GRANTS AND PROJECTS

- **PI of Preserving And Narrating – Proposals for the Sustainable Enhancement and Promotion of ARChaeological Heritage in North-Western Lombardy**, FAR Funding, University of Insubria, 20.000 € euro, From February 2026- ongoing.

- **PI of TYRORME Project** *The TYRrhenian ORientalizing as a MEditerranean historical process. Origins, cultural connections and social changes of Etruscan society*, MUR Funding, Young Researchers SoE, 247.950 €. From May 2025- ongoing
- **Post-doc Scholarship**, Scholarships for Europe Humanities 2024-Archaeology, awarded by Accademia Nazionale dei Lincei 12.000 € euro, 8 months. *From 02/2025 – 05/2025 (partially declined)*
- **PhD Scholarship**, 1<sup>st</sup> ranked in Law and Humanities Course, awarded by University of Insubria. 52.410 € euro, 40 months. *From 11/2018 to 01/2022.*

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE AND ONGOING COLLABORATIONS

- **Expert report** on the seizure of Etruscan-Italic artefacts for SABAP of the Metropolitan City of Milan. February 2026.
- **Study assignment:** contract for comparison of findings between Nora and Monte Zara. Typological study of Archaic, Punic and Roman Republican ceramic finds. Scientific direction: Pr. F. Chiesa, University of Milan. *October 2024*
- **Selection and study of Etruscan artefacts** from private collections and seizures at the Superintendence for the Metropolitan City of Milan - SABAP MI as part of the preparation of the catalogue for the book *“Ri-scoperte. Reperti archeologici da raccolte private milanesi”*. *From February 2024 - to September 2024*
- **Study assignment:** contract for study of the Sector Beta of Monte Zara Is Obias - typological and contextual study of the materials and stratigraphical reading of the context. Scientific direction: Pr. F. Chiesa, University of Milan. *From December 2023 - to January 2024*
- **Archaeometric study** of a group of bucchero vases from the Fornaci necropolis in Capua (**Johannowsky excavations**). During the PhD (University of Insubria) scientific collaboration with Pr Silvia Bruni, Department of Chemistry, University of Milan. *From December 2020 – to January 2021.*
- **Site manager** of the Monte Zara-Is Obias mission (Monastir SU). Contracts for field work management, student coordination and excavation documentation management. Scientific direction: Pr. F. Chiesa, University of Milan. *From 2019 - to present.*
- **Member** of the project *“Pre-Roman Capua. The study of the necropolis and sanctuaries of the ancient city”* concerning studies on the main necropolis and sanctuaries of the Etruscan city. Scientific direction: Pr. M. Bonghi Jovino; Pr. F. Chiesa, University of Milan. *From 2015 - to present.*
- **Member** of the project *“Archaeological investigations at the Is Obias - Monte Zara site (Monastir, SU)”* concerning studies on the Is Obias- Monte Zara multi-layered archaeological site. Scientific direction: Pr. F. Chiesa, University of Milan. *From 2015 - to present.*
- **Teaching assistant** (lessons held in Italian) and member of the examination committee for the course of Archaeology of Pre-Roman Italy, Pr. F. Chiesa, Master of Science in Archaeology. University of Milan. *From 2018 - to present.*
- **Teaching assistant** (lessons held in Italian) and member of the examination committee for the course of Methodology of Archaeological Research, Pr. F. Chiesa, for Bachelor in Cultural Heritage. University of Milan. *From 2018 - to present.*
- **Excavation area manager** of the Monte Zara-Is Obias mission (Monastir, SU). Scientific direction: Pr. F. Chiesa, University of Milan. *From 2015 - to 2018.*
- **Excavation area manager** at the Sant’Imbenia mission (Alghero, SS), Pr. M. Rendeli, University of Sassari. *From 2013 - to 2015*

## DIDACTIC ACTIVITIES AND ORAL COMMUNICATIONS

- **14 Seminal Lectures** for the course of Archaeology of Pre-Roman Italy, Pr. F. Chiesa, Master of Science in Archaeology. University of Milan (*between 2019-2024, tot. 28 hours*).
- **14 Seminal Lectures** for the course of Archaeological Research, Pr. F. Chiesa, Bachelor in Cultural Heritage. University of Milan (*between 2019-2024, tot. 28 hours*).

- **3 Laboratories** of archaeological excavation documentation. Preparation of documentation for the regional superintendency in relation to the Is Obias excavation (Dir. Pr. F. Chiesa), University of Milan (*between October and December, 2021-2024, tot. 30 hours,*).
- **1 Webinar**, title: *Between Nora and Monte Zara. The University of Milan's research in South Sardinia*, University of Milan. (July 21-23, 25-26, 2021)
- **3 Public conference** on the results dissemination of the Is Obias-Monte Zara mission (Monastir, SU) (*October 12, 2019; September 26, 2021; October 5, 2024*).

## PUBLICATIONS

### Book:

- Maturo M. in press: L'Orientalizzante a Capua. Contesti e materiali dagli scavi di Werner Johannowsky nella necropoli di Fornaci, Quasar, in press.
- Marazzi E., - Maturo M. 2022: Capua. Tombe orientalizzanti. Necropoli Fornaci, Co-author with E. Marazzi (Capua Preromana XI), Giorgio Bretschneider Editore, 2022. ISBN: 9788876893384.

### Papers: (First Author/Corresponding Author)

- Maturo M. 2025: Etruria, in Bacchetta A., Fedeli A.M., Giacobello F. (Eds), *Ri-scoperte. Reperti archeologici da raccolte private milanesi*, Milano, 2025.
- Maturo M. 2025, Origini e sviluppo dell'iconografia del centauro. Alcuni motivi insoliti nell'Italia preromana, in Castoldi M., Tecchiati U. (Eds), *Il Cane Argo e altre storie, gli animali e l'archeologia*, Milano, 2025.
- Maturo M., 2025: Gli scavi dell'Università degli Studi di Milano nel complesso fortificato di Monte Zara-Is Obias, (Monastir-SU), Corresponding Author with Chiesa F., Marazzi E., Bormetti M., in *X International Congress of Phoenician and Punic Studies*, Eivissa-Ibiza, October 17-21, 2022, 2025.
- Maturo M., 2024: Nuovi dati dalla necropoli di Fornaci di Capua. Continuità e innovazione nelle sepolture di epoca orientalizzante, in *BABESCH - Annual Papers on Mediterranean Archaeology*, 99 (2024), 1-16. Anvur A-Class
- Maturo M. 2023, L'Orientalizzante a Capua. I contatti con il mondo levantino e fenicio d'Occidente: alcuni spunti dalle necropoli, in *Byrsa. Scritti sull'antico Oriente mediterraneo* 41 (2022), 2023, 107-128. Anvur A-Class
- Maturo M., 2023: Il complesso archeologico di Monte Zara - Is Obias (Monastir, SU). Le campagne di scavo 2015-2019, Corresponding Author with Chiesa F., Marazzi E., Bormetti M., in *Byrsa. Scritti sull'antico Oriente mediterraneo* 41 (2022), 2023, 27-61. Anvur A-Class
- Maturo M., 2022: Dinamiche di occupazione dello spazio funerario a Capua tra l'età del Ferro e l'Orientalizzante, in *Prehistory and Protohistory of Etruria*. Proceedings of the 15th Study Conference (Valentano - Manciano, September 11-13, 2020), 2022, 309-313.
- Maturo M., 2022, L'Età del Ferro nella Sardegna centro-meridionale. Le indagini dell'Università degli Studi di Milano nel complesso pluristratificato di Monte Zara-Is Obias (Monastir-SU), Corresponding Author with F. Chiesa, E. Marazzi, M. Bormetti, in *Prehistory and Protohistory of Etruria*. Proceedings of the 15th Study Conference (Valentano-Manciano, September 11-13, 2020), 2022, 315-319.
- Maturo M, 2021: Capua: necropoli di Fornaci (Santa Maria Capua Vetere): schede nn. 16-18, in *Rivista di Epigrafia Etrusca* 84 (2021), 2022, 302-305.
- Maturo M, 2020: La necropoli di Fornaci a Capua. Alcuni contesti inediti dell'Orientalizzante Antico e Medio, in *Acme. Annali della Facoltà di Studi Umanistici dell'Università degli Studi di Milano* 73.1, (2020), 23-42. <https://doi.org/10.13130/2282-0035/15233> Anvur A-Class
- Maturo M, 2020: Capua: necropoli di Fornaci (Santa Maria Capua Vetere): schede nn. 21-22, in *Rivista di Epigrafia Etrusca* 83 (2020), 2021, 250-252.
- Maturo M, 2019: Monte Zara: una testa di spillone dall'area Alpha, in *Lanx, Rivista della Scuola di Specializzazione in Archeologia dell'Università degli Studi di Milano* 27 (2019), 2020, 323-334. <https://doi.org/10.13130/2035-4797/13504>.

- Maturo M., 2018: L'Orientalizzante a Capua. Sepolture di rango dal settore Q della necropoli di Fornaci: le tombe infantili e di subadulti, in *Prehistory and Protohistory of Etruria*, Proceedings of the 13th Study Conference (Pitigliano-Valentano, September 9-11, 2016), 2018, 887-890.
- Maturo M., 2018: Capua in età Orientalizzante. Tombe di Rango dall'Area Occidentale della necropoli di Fornaci, in Herring E., O'Donoghue E. (Eds), *The Archaeology of Death*. Proceedings of the Seventh Conference of Italian Archaeology held at the National University of Ireland, (Galway, April 16-18, 2016) 2018, 309-315.
- Maturo M., 2016: "Uomini cavallo": genesi, elaborazione e memoria iconografica della figura del centauro, alcuni esempi, in *Acme. Annali della Facoltà di Studi Umanistici dell'Università degli Studi di Milano* 67.2, 2014, 7-40. <https://doi.org/10.13130/2282-0035/4570>.

## CONFERENCES

- *Contatti interculturali nel distretto tirrenico durante il periodo orientalizzante. Alcuni esempi dalle necropoli di Capua e Tarquinia*, Fluid Spaces: Mobility, Networks, and Encounters in Pre-Roman Italy, 24. Treffen der dArV-Arbeitsgemeinschaft Etrusker und Italiker, Wien, 13.-15. February 2026.
- *Maschile e femminile nell'Orientalizzante tirrenio. Nuovi dati dalle necropoli di Capua e Tarquinia*, DiSUIT Teaching and Research Day, 7 November 2025.
- *Gli scavi dell'Università degli Studi di Milano nel complesso fortificato di Monte Zara-Is Obias*, (Monastir-SU), with Chiesa F., Marazzi E., Bormetti M., in X International Congress of Phoenician and Punic Studies, Eivissa-Ibiza, October 17-21, 2022.
- *L'Età del Ferro nella Sardegna centro-meridionale. Le indagini dell'Università degli Studi di Milano nel complesso pluristratificato di Monte Zara-Is Obias (Monastir-SU)*, with Chiesa F., Marazzi E., Bormetti M., in *Prehistory and Protohistory of Etruria*, 15th Study Conference held in Valentano, September 11-13 2020.
- *Dinamiche di occupazione dello spazio funerario a Capua tra l'età del Ferro e l'Orientalizzante*, in *Prehistory and Protohistory of Etruria*, 15th Study Conference held in Valentano, September 11-13, 2020.
- *Monte Zara: una testa di spillone dall'area Alpha*, in *Monte Zara: una testa di spillone dall'area Alpha*, in Small Finds. Conference held at the University of Milan, Milan, January 30, 2019.
- *L'Orientalizzante a Capua. Sepolture di rango dal settore Q della necropoli di Fornaci: le tombe infantili e di subadulti*, in *Prehistory and Protohistory of Etruria*, 13th Study Conference held in Pitigliano, September 9-11, 2016.
- *Capua in età Orientalizzante. Tombe di Rango dall'Area Occidentale della necropoli di Fornaci*, in *The Archaeology of Death*. Seventh Conference of Italian Archaeology held at the National University of Ireland, Galway, April 16-18, 2016.

## ARCHAEOLOGICAL EXCAVATIONS

- **Monte Zara-Is Obias**, (Monastir, SU): Pr. Federica Chiesa, Chair of Archaeology of Pre-Roman Italy, University of Milan (2015-2019, 2021-2025).
- **Tharros**, loc. Capo San Marco, (Cabras, OR): Pr. Annachiara Fariselli, Chair of Phoenician-Punic Archaeology, University of Bologna (July 2017).
- **Burnum**, (Chistagne, Croatia): Pr. Enrico Giorgi, Chair of Archaeological Research Methodologies, University of Bologna (December 2016).
- **Bologna-via Gobetti/Quartiere Navile**, (Bologna, BO): Pr. Giuseppe Sassatelli, Chair of Etruscology and Italic Antiquities, University of Bologna (November 2016).
- **Duna Feniglia**, (Orbetello, GR): Pr. Nuccia Negroni Catacchio, CSP - Centro studi di Preistoria e Archeologia ONLUS; (Participation in excavation campaigns: 2012-2014).
- **Sant'Imbenia**, (Alghero, SS): Pr. Marco Rendeli Chair of Etruscology and Italic Antiquities, University of Sassari (Participation in excavation campaigns: 2012-2014).
- **Pian di Civita**, (Tarquinia, VT): Pr. Giovanna Bagnasco Gianni, Chair of Etruscology and Italic Antiquities, University of Milan (Participation in excavation campaigns: 2010-2012).

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- **Freelancer archaeologist. Band I Archaeologist** in the list of Cultural Heritage professionals (ID n. 10312): licensed to work on cultural heritage and for the Preventive Archaeological Interest Assessment (VPIA). *From March 2022- to present.*
- **Site Manager Archaeologist:** Corbetta (MI), via Manzoni-Via Baracca. *March-April 2024;* Archaeological assistance for the *Evergreen Uno S.R.L.* building site.
- **Professional Assignment:** 3 Preventive Archaeological Interest Assessment (VPIA) reports.
- Collaboration with: *Pandora Archeologia S.R.L. December 2023-August 2024*
  - **Archaeologist:** Milano (MI), Via Montenapoleone. Archaeological assistance for the building site and excavation of modern, medieval and Roman settlement.
  - **Site Manager Archaeologist:** Pavia (PV), Castello Visconteo. Preventive archaeology surveys and stratigraphical investigations.
  - **Site Manager Archaeologist:** Abbiategrasso (MI). Preventive archaeology surveys for the building site.
  - **Archaeologist:** Milano (MI), Largo Brasilia. Excavation of modern-age rural settlement.
- Collaboration with: *CAL S.R.L. June 2023-February 2024*
  - **Site Manager Archaeologist:** Castelletto di Branduzzo (PV). Preventive archaeology surveys
  - **Site Manager Archaeologist:** Pandino (CR), Castello Visconteo. Archaeological assistance and stratigraphical investigations.
  - **Archaeologist:** Milano (MI), Caserma Garibaldi. Medieval and Roman site excavation.
- Collaboration with: *Lo Studio S.R.L. May 2023*
  - **Archaeologist:** Carbonate (CO). Archaeological assistance and excavation of a protohistoric site.
- Collaboration with: *Archeosfera S.R.L.S. November 2022 - June 2023*
  - **Site Manager Archaeologist:** Milan (MI), Via Ausonio. Archaeological assistance and stratigraphical investigations of Roman age site.
  - **Archaeologist:** Alzano Lombardo (BG), Olera. Archaeological assistance and stratigraphical investigations of Late Medieval and Modern Necropolis.
- Collaboration with: *Ar.Tech. S.R.L. August-November 2022,*
  - **Archaeologist:** Ghisalba (BG). Excavation of Roman settlement and Roman and Medieval Necropolis.
- Collaboration with: *Studio Ar.Te. Archeologia e Territorio. March-April 2022*
  - **Archaeologist:** Milan (MI), Via Zecca Vecchia. Excavation of Pre-Roman and Roman settlement.
- **Archaeologist** for *Interras Cooperative. From June - to August 2018.*  
Stratigraphical investigations: Loc. Bubano, Mordano (BO). Pre-Roman and Roman settlement. Minerbio (BO). Roman Rustic Villa. Archaeological assistance: Castel San Pietro (BO), via Cappellaccio; Imola (BO), Loc. Zello, via Zoppa. Imola (BO), Piazzale vittime dei lager nazisti; San Giovanni in Persiceto (BO), via Bergnana; Sorbolo (PR). Via d'Enza.

## SOFT AND TECHNICAL SKILLS

- **Field-work autonomy:** expertise developed as Site Manager in several excavations.
- **Team Working:** built in numerous excavations and work experiences.
- **Expert** in AutoCad, GIS (Course QGis *Una Quantum inc.*) and Adobe Illustrator software.
- **Expert** in Archaeological Finds Drawing, documentation, and field survey.
- **Expert** in Pre-Roman Material Culture (especially Etruria, Sardinia, and Campania contexts).
- **Expert** in Preventive Archaeology
- **Good knowledge** in Phoenician Material Culture (West-Mediterranean contexts).
- **Good knowledge** in Hellenistic Material Culture (Sardinia contexts)

## LANGUAGES

- **Italian:** Mother Tongue.
- **English:** B2. **Cambridge First Certification**
- **Spanish:** Intermediate.

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