

# University Academic Curriculum Vitae

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## PERSONAL INFORMATION

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## EDUCATION SINCE LEAVING SCHOOL

2002  
**BA Social Work** (Laurea in Servizio Sociale)  
University of Trento (Italy)

2008  
Universitätslehrgang Coaching  
University of Innsbruck (Austria)

## CURRENT APPOINTMENT

**Teaching Staff**  
Contract Lecturer for  
Critical reflection on placement experiences (BA Social Work and BA Social Education, Faculty of Education)  
Introduction to critical reflection (BA Social Work, Faculty of Education)  
Moderation and Participation (MA Eco-Social Design, Faculty of Design)  
**Free University of Bozen-Bolzano**

**Freelancer**  
Since 2010  
Coach (individuals and teams), Moderator/Facilitator, Designer of participatory processes in communities, private organizations and public administrations, Lecturer in upgrade training courses for social and health care workers.

## PREVIOUS PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

From / to	Job title	Name of academic Institution	Academic level	responsibilities
2015	Junior research fellow (collaboratrice scientifica a progetto)	Free University of Bolzano Bozen	Comissioned junior researcher	Collaboration in the research project: Sozialbericht Südtirol – Relazione Sociale Alto Adige 2015
2012-2014	Research Assistant (assegnista di ricerca)	Free University of Bolzano Bozen	Research Assistant	Collaboration in a research project on Quality in Social Professions
2011 - 2012	Junior research fellow (collaboratrice scientifica a progetto)	Free University of Bolzano Bozen	Comissioned junior researcher	Collaboration in a research project on Quality in Social Professions

<b>Non academic professional experience in social work practice and leadership</b>			
<b>From / to</b>	<b>Job title</b>	<b>Name of employer</b>	<b>Responsibilities</b>
2009-2010	Area Manager	Stiftung Vital Onlus – Bozen (BZ)	Development and Coordination of Community-Based Health Promotion projects
2004-2009	Area Manager	Südtiroler Kinderdorf – Brixen (BZ)	Management of the Foster Care and Family Support area
2003-2004	Social Worker	BZG Überetsch-Unterland	Professional Social Worker in a local welfare agency (child and family social work)
2002-2003	Researcher and Teacher	Chiron OHG	Collaboration in Research Projects and teaching in training courses

## EXPERIENCE IN ACADEMIC TEACHING

### Academic teaching at the free University of Bozen-Bolzano during the last 5 years:

Since AY 2013/2014 until now

**Critical reflection on placement experiences** (Kritische Reflexion der eigenen Praktikumserfahrungen/Riflessione Critica delle proprie esperienze di tirocinio), 30 hours, BA Social Work and BA Social Education, teaching languages: German and Italian

**Introduction to critical reflection** (Einführung in die Kritische Reflexion/Introduzione alla riflessione critica), 30 hours, BA Social Work, teaching languages: German and Italian

Since AY 2015/2016 until now

**Moderation and Participation**, 20 hours, MA in Eco-Social Design, teaching language: English

## OTHER ACADEMIC RESPONSIBILITIES

**Member of the Practice Placement Commission for the BA programme in Social Work** at the Faculty of Education of the Free University of Bozen-Bolzano since 2011

## MEMBERSHIPS

**Registered in the professional register of qualified social workers** of the Region Trentino – Südtirol, Section B, since 2002

**Board member of the Professional Social Work Order of the Region Trentino – Südtirol** (Consiglio Regionale degli Assistenti Sociali della Regione Trentino-Alto Adige) from 2010 to 2013

## RESEARCH

In 2015 collaboration in the following research project:

**“Sozialbericht Südtirol – Relazione Sociale 2015”**

(Project Leader: Prof. Susanne Elsen, project financed by the Autonomous Province of Bozen/Bolzano-Südtirol)

From 2011 to 2014 collaboration in the following research project:

**“Quality criteria for professional competence in social services”**

(Project Leaders: Prof. Walter Lorenz and Prof. Silvia Fargion, project financed by the Autonomous Province of Bozen/Bolzano-Südtirol)

## PUBLICATIONS

### Article

Lorenz, W. A., Fargion, S., Nothdurfter, U., Nagy, A., Berger, E., Rainer, S., & Frei, S. (2020). Negotiating Quality for Social Work: A Participatory Research Project in South Tyrol. *Research on Social Work Practice*.

<https://doi.org/10.1177/1049731519897309>

**Co-editor**

Fargion, S.; Frei, S.; Lorenz, W. (2015) L'intervento sociale tra gestione del rischio e partecipazione, Roma: Carocci Editore.

**Book chapter**

Frei, S. and Fargion, S. (2015) Le sfide della ricerca partecipata. In: L'intervento sociale tra gestione del rischio e partecipazione, Roma: Carocci Editore, 67-78.

**LANGUAGE  
COMPETENCE**

**GERMAN** (first language)  
**ITALIAN** (second language, CEFR C2 certificate)  
**ENGLISH** (fluent, CEFR B2)  
**FRENCH** (CEFR B1)

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