

**CURRICULUM VITAE  
VINCENT DELLA SALA**

**EDUCATION**

D.Phil.	Politics	University of Oxford	1990
M.A.	Political Science	New York University	1984
B.A.	Political Science	McGill University	1982

**EMPLOYMENT EXPERIENCE**

**1. Academic**

2003-	Associate Professor	Political Science	Università di Trento
1996-2002	Associate Professor	Political Science	Carleton University
1994-1996	Assistant Professor	Political Science	Carleton University
1993-1994	Assistant Professor	Political Science	Brock University
1990-1993	Lecturer	Political Science	University of Durham

**2. Other Appointments**

2017-	Director, Jean Monnet Centre of Excellence, University of Trento		
2014-	Jean Monnet Chair, Narratives for a New Europe		
2013-14	European Institutes of Advanced Studies Fellow, Collegium de Lyon		
2007-	Adjunct Professor of Political Science, Johns Hopkins University, School of Advanced International Studies, Bologna Center		
2005-6	Visiting Professor, Istituto Alti Studi, IMT Lucca (PhD course on the EU)		
2000	Jemolo Visiting Fellowship, Nuffield College, University of Oxford		
2001	Visiting Professor, Faculty of Sociology, Università di Trento (Italy)		
1988-1990	Legislative Assistant, House of Commons, Ottawa		
1987-88	CPSA Parliamentary Intern, House of Commons, Ottawa		

**RESEARCH AND PUBLICATIONS**

**(a) Edited Volumes**

- 2010 Guest Editor, Special Issue of the *Journal of Common Market Studies* on “Mythologizing the European Union” 48:1.
- 2007 Vincent Della Sala and Carlo Ruzza. *Governance and Civil Society in the European Union: Exploring Policy Issues*. Manchester: Manchester University Press.
- 2007 Carlo Ruzza and Vincent Della Sala. *Governance and Civil Society in the European Union: Normative Perspectives*. Manchester: Manchester University Press.

- 2004 Vincent Della Sala and Sergio Fabbrini, eds. *Politica in Italia, 2004*. Bologna: Il Mulino. Translated as: *Italy Between Europeanization and Domestic Politics*. New York: Berghahn Press.

**(b) Articles in peer-reviewed journals**

- 2017 “Homeland security: territorial myths and ontological security in the European Union”, *Journal of European Integration*, DOI: 10.1080/07036337.2017.1327528.
- 2016 “Europe’s odyssey?: political myth and the European Union”, *Nations and Nationalism* 22:3, pp. 524-41.
- 2016 “Adesso le cose sono cambiate»: Matteo Renzi e l’Unione Europea”, co-authored with Marco Brunazzo, *Rivista Italiana di Politiche Pubbliche* n. 1/2016, pp. 115-134
- 2016 “Patriot games: the regulation of online gambling in the European Union”, co-authored with Des Laffey and Kathryn Laffey, *Journal of European Public Policy*, 23:10, DOI:10.1080/13501763.2015.1105281
- 2012 “Europe’s Autumn? Popular Sovereignty and Economic Crisis in the European Union”, *The Whitehead Journal of Diplomacy and International Relations*, Vol. 13, No. 1, pp. 26-39.
- 2010 “Stakes and states: gambling and the single market”, *Journal of European Public Policy*, 17:7 (October), 1024-38.
- 2010 “Political Myth, Mythology and the European Union”, *Journal of Common Market Studies*, 48:1, 1-18.
- 2008 “Euroscptics and Europhiles in accord: the creation of the European Ombudsman as an institutional isomorphism”, co-authored with Weiqing Song, *Policy & Politics*, 36: 4: 481-495
- 2006 “The State Beyond Transformation and Adaptation?”, *Rivista Italiana di Scienza Politica* (August): 207-230.
- 2005 “Anti-terrorism and the State: From National to Human Security”, *Quaderni di Sociologia*, 39: 40-54.
- 2004 “The Italian Model of Capitalism: On the Road Between Globalization and Europeanization?”, *Journal of European Public Policy*, 11:6 (December): 1041-1058.
- 1997 Review Article: “Politics without a centre?”, *West European Politics*, 20:3 (July): 212-18.
- 1997 “Constitution-making and Citizenship Practice - Bridging the Democracy Gap in the European Union,” co-authored with Antje Wiener, *Journal of Common Market Studies*, (December 1997): 595-614.
- 1997 “The Italian Parliament: A Bridge Too Far?”, *Parliamentary Affairs*, Special Fiftieth Anniversary Issue on Parliament and the People, 50:3 (July 1997): 396-409.
- 1997 “Hollowing Out and Hardening the Italian State: European Integration and the Italian Economy,” *West European Politics*, 20:1 (January 1997): 14-33.
- 1994 “Capital Blight? The Regulation of Financial Institutions in Italy and Canada,” *Governance*, 7:3 (July ): 244-264.
- 1993 "Committees in the Italian Parliament: Parliament at Work," *Legislative Studies Quarterly*, 18:2 (May): 157-184.
- 1992 David Hine and **Vincent Della Sala**. "The Italian General Election of 5/6 April 1992," *Electoral Studies* 11:4 (December): 362-7.
- 1988 Sabino Cassese, Patrizio Bianchi and **Vincent Della Sala**, "Privatisation in Italy: Aims and Constraints," *West European Politics*, 11:4 (October): 87-100.

1988 "The Italian Budgetary Process: Political and Institutional Constraints," *West European Politics*, 11:3 (July): 110-125.

**(c) Chapters in Edited Books**

- 2016 "Italy Between *Trasformismo* And Transformative Europe" in José M. Magone, Brigid Laffan, Christian Schweiger, eds. *Core-periphery Relations in the European Union: Power and Conflict in a Dualist Political Economy*. London: Routledge.
- 2015 "Gli Esami Non Finiscono Mai: Italy and the European Union", in E. Jones and G. Pasquino, eds. *The Oxford Handbook of Italian Politics*. Oxford: Oxford University Press.
- 2014 "The EU and the Eurasian Union: Between Partnership and Threat?" in P. Dutkiewicz and Richard Sakwa, eds. *The Eurasian Union*. London: Routledge.
- 2013 "Re-create the social state: Zygmunt Bauman in Conversation with Vincent Della Sala", in Piotr Dutkiewicz and Richard Sakwa, eds., *Twenty Ways to Fix the World: Interviews with the World's Foremost Thinkers* (New York: New York University Press).
- 2013 "Myth and the Post-national Polity: The Case of the European Union", in Gérard Bouchard, ed., *Whither National Myths? Reflections on the Present and Future of National Myths* (London: Routledge).
- 2012 "Leaders and Followers: Leadership Amongst Member States in a Differentiated Europe", in Erik Jones, Anand Menon and Stephen Weatherill, *Handbook on the European Union* (Oxford: Oxford University Press).
- 2012 With Marco Brunazzo. "A Good Idea That Lost Its Way: Cohesion Policy in the EU", in By Hubert Zimmermann and Andreas Dür, eds. *Key Controversies in European Integration*. London: Palgrave Macmillan.
- 2011 "A Less Close Union? The European Union's Search for Unity amid Crisis". In Craig Calhoun and Georgi Derlugian, eds, *The Deepening Crisis: Governance Challenges After Neoliberalism*. New York: New York University Press.
- 2011 With Marco Brunazzo. "From Salvation to Pragmatic Indifference?: Europe in Italian Political Discourse", in Robert Harmsen and Joachim Schild, eds. *Debating Europe: The 2009 European Parliament Elections and Beyond*. Baden-Baden: Nomos.
- 2007 "From Resource to Constraint? Italy and the Stability and Growth Pact". In Luca Verzichelli and Grant Amyot, eds., *The End of the Berlusconi Era*. New York, N.Y.: Berghahn Books.
- 2007 "Italy and Macroeconomic Policy". In Sergio Fabbrini and Simona Piattoni, eds. : *Italy in the European Union: Redefining National Interest in a Compound Polity* Lanham, Md.: Rowman & Littlefield.
- 2007 "Birth of a Union: Lessons for North America from the European Union", in Yasmeen Abu-Laban, Radha Jhappan and François Rocher, eds., *Politics in North America :Redefining Continental Relations*. Toronto: Broadview Press.
- 2007 "The unequal sides of a triangle: democracy, civil society and governance" in C. Ruzza and V. Della Sala, eds. *Governance and Civil Society in the European Union: Normative Perspectives*. Manchester: Manchester University Press.
- 2005 "Democracy, Civil Society and Governance", in Piotr Dutkiewicz and Dejan Guzina, eds. *Theory and Practice of Civil Society in Russia*. St. Petersburg: University of St. Petersburg Press.

- 2004 "European Polity Building: Searching for legitimacy between economic and social Europe" in Sergio Fabbrini, ed., *Democracy and Federalism in the European Union and the United States Exploring Post-National Governance*. London: Routledge.
- 2004 "From Maastricht to modernization: EMU and the Italian social state" in Andrew Martin and George Ross, eds., *Euros and Europeans: Monetary Integration and the European Model of Society*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.
- 2002 "D'Alema's dilemmas: third way, Italian style", in Oliver Schmidtke, ed., *The Third Way Transformation of Social Democracy: Normative Claims and Policy Initiatives in the 21st Century*. Aldershot: Ashgate Publishers.
- 2002 "Citizens and the Italian Parliament", in Philip Norton, ed., *Parliaments and Citizens in Western Europe*. London: Frank Cass Publishers.
- 2002 "Modernization and Welfare State Restructuring in Italy: The Case of Child care", in Sonya Michel and Rianne Mahon, eds. *Child Care at the Crossroads: Gender and Welfare State Restructuring*. London: Routledge.
- 2001 "Governance of Politics Without a Centre", in Gordon Smith, ed. *Who is Afraid of the State? The State and Multi-level Governance*. Toronto: University of Toronto Press.
- 2001 "Policies without Representation?: Women and the Care of Children in Italy", co-authored with Franca Bimbi, in Jane Jenson and Mariette Sineau, eds. *Who Cares? Women's Work, Childcare and Welfare State Redesign*. Toronto: University of Toronto Press.
- 2000 "Il Nuovo Sud nel Nuovo Europa: Il Caso di Sviluppo Italia," in Gianfranco Pasquino and Mark Gilbert, eds., *Politica in Italia*. Bologna: Il Mulino, 2000.
- 1998 "Parliaments and Pressure Groups in Italy", in Philip Norton, ed., *Parliaments and Pressure Groups in Western Europe*. London: Frank Cass, 1998.
- 1998 "The Italian Parliament: Chambers in a Crumbling House?", in Philip Norton, ed. *Parliaments and Governments in Western Europe*. London: Frank Cass, 1998.
- 1998 "Dancing Without a Lead: Legislative Decrees in Italy", co-authored with Amie Kreppel in Matthew Shugart and John Carey, eds. *Executive Decree Authority*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press: 175-196.
- 1996 "European Integration and the Transformation of the Italian State", in Carlo Mongardini e Giorgio de Finis, eds., *Le trasformazioni del politico*. Roma, Bulzoni.
- 1993 "The Scalfaro Election: In the Shadow of Presidentialism?" in S. Hellman and G. Pasquino, eds., *Italian Politics - A Review* Vol.8. London: Pinter.
- 1991 "Breaking Up is Hard to Do: Canadian Lessons for European Federalism." in Preston King and Andrea Bosco, eds. *A Constitution for Europe*. London: Lothian Press.
- 1988 "Governing by Decree: The Use of Decree Legislation in the Italian Parliament," in Robert Leonardi and Raffaella Nanetti eds. *Italian Politics - A Review* Vol.II. London: Frances Pinter.

#### (d) Other Publications

- 2002 *Instructor's Manual and Test Item Book* for Robert Jackson and Doreen Jackson. *An Introduction to Political Science*. 4<sup>th</sup> Edition. Toronto: Pearson Educational.
- 1998 *Test Item Book* for Robert Jackson and Doreen Jackson. *An Introduction to Political Science*. 3<sup>rd</sup> Edition. Toronto: Prentice-Hall.
- 1999 *Instructor's Manual* for Robert Jackson and Doreen Jackson. *An Introduction to Political Science*. 3<sup>rd</sup> Edition. Toronto: Prentice-Hall.

#### (e) Conference papers

- 2017 “Eros and Pluto in (the) Union: Narrating Europe in Times of Crisis, Paper presented to tyhe Workshop on Symbols and Myths in European Integration, University of Copenhagen, 13-14 June.
- 2017 “The European Union and Eurasia: Europe on the Edge”, Paper presented at the Conference on Eurasia on the Edge: Managing Complexity, Trento, University of Trento, 14-15 May.
- 2017 “Ontological security and narratives of European integration”, Paper presented to the Workshop on Political Psychology and European Integration: Foreign Policy and Ontological Security, Aleksanteri-Institute, University of Helsinki, 31 May-2 June.
- 2017 “Narratives of Power in a Wider Europe” (with Viktoria Akchurina), Paper presented to the annual conference of the International Studies Association, Baltimore, 22-25 February.
- 2017 “Ontological security and the narration of energy in the European Union”, Paper presented to the symposium on Energy Transformations Perspectives from the Humanities, Max Planck Institute for the History of Science, Berlin, 17-18 January.
- 2016 “Homeland Security?: Territorial Myths and Ontological Security in the European Union”. Paper presented to the workshop on European Boundaries in Nationalist Times, University of Oxford, 21-22 October.
- 2016 "Italy. From the Heart of Europe to the Good European", Paper presented to the Conference on National Narratives and the European Union: Towards Union or Disunion?", Trento, University of Trento, 30 September-1 October.
- 2015 “Narration and Crisis in the European Union”, Paper presented at the European Consortium for Political Research General Conference, Montreal, 26-29 August.
- 2015 “Narrative Form and Content in Post-national Governance: The Case of Political Mythology”. Paper presented to Centre for Globalisation and Governance University of Hamburg 15 July.
- 2015 “Birth of a Union?: The EU’s Search for a Foundational Myth”, Paper presented to the conference on, “The EU Politics of Memory”, European University Institute, Florence, 18-20 June.
- 2015 “Not So Different After All?: The EU and Myths of Exceptionalism”, Paper presented to the European Union Studies Association Conference, Boston, 4-6 March.
- 2013 “Political Myth and Legitimacy in the European Union”, Paper presented to the Annual Meeting of the International Studies Association Meeting, San Francisco, 2-6 April.
- 2012 “Understanding the Crisis: Did EU Studies Get It Wrong?”, ” Paper presented to ECPR Standing Group on the European Union Conference, Tampere, 13-15 September.
- 2012 “Searching for a Political Mythology of the European Union”, Paper presented to ECPR Standing Group on the European Union Conference, Tampere, 13-15 September.
- 2012 “Searching for the Real Italy in Europe: Italy Between Modernization and Resistance”, Paper presented with Marco Brunazzo to the European Community Studies Association-Canada Conference, Ottawa, 26-28 April 2012.
- 2012 “Narrating Crisis and Decline in the EU”, Paper presented to the European Community Studies Association-Canada Conference, Ottawa, 26-28 April 2012.
- 2010 “Crisis, What Crisis? Narrating Crisis and Decline in the European Union” Paper presented to ECPR Standing Group on the European Union Conference, Porto, 24-26 June.

- 2010 “Promoting Risky Business: Legalized Gambling and the Governing of Risk”, Paper presented to the Annual Conference of the Canadian Political Science Association, Concordia University, Montreal 1-3 June.
- 2009 “Saints, Sinners and Agnostics: Europe in Italian Political Discourse” with Marco Brunazzo- Paper presented to the conference on "National European Debates and the 2009 European Parliament Elections - lessons learned for the future", European Academy Otzenhausen (Saarland, Germany), 15-16 October.
- 2009 “Myth and the Post-national Polity: The Case of the European Union” Paper presented to conference on “Whither National Myths? Reflections on the Present and Future of National Myths”, Weatherhead Center for International Affairs, Harvard University, 7-8 May.
- 2008 “Political Mythology and the European Union”, Paper presented to ECPR Standing Group on the European Union Conference, Riga, 25-27 September.
- 2007 “Still Saved by Europe? The Treaty of Rome and European Integration in the Italian Imagination” with Marco Brunazzo. Paper presented to the UACES Annual Conference, Portsmouth 4-6 September.
- 2007 “The Variable Geometry of Policy Styles: Italy from weak to stronger state?” with Marco Brunazzo, Paper presented to the European Union Studies Association Conference, Montreal, 17-19 May.
- 2005 “Governance and Constitutionalism Beyond the State” Paper presented to the annual meeting of the Italian Political Science Association, Cagliari, 21-24 September 2005.
- 2004 “Beyond Empire and the New Medievalism: Bounded Hegemony in the EU and NAFTA”, Paper presented with Sergio Fabbrini at the 2nd Pan-European Conference on EU Politics, 24-26 June, 2004, Bologna, Italy.

#### **(f) Grants (€)**

2014-16	Jean Monnet EU project on Europe and Eurasia	€41,800
2012	Jean Monnet (EU) project on teaching the EU in school	€77.000
2008	Canada-EU Transatlantic Exchange Partnership Grants	€134.000
2007	German Marshall Fund of the United States – project on energy security in Europe and North America	€18.000
2005	Jean Monnet (EU) project on Europe and Democracy	€20.000
1996	SSHRC Research Grant	\$21.000

#### **(g) Doctoral supervision**

- Viktoria Akchurina. State-building in Central Asia. (Defended successfully January 2016).
- Serdar Altay. Institutionalisation of Neo-Liberal Hegemony and the World Trade Organisation: a Neo-Gramscian analysis . (Defended successfully April 2011)
- Sevgi Balkan. The Impact of the Economic Liberalization on the Role of the State: The Case of Turkey (Defended successfully February 2010)
- Doina Cajvaneanu. A Genealogy of Government. On Governance, Partnership and Transparency in the European Union. (Defended successfully March 2011)
- Andrea Ciambra. The ‘policisation’ of an EU energy community: ideas, market, and national interest. (Defended successfully April 2013).
- Benedikt Erforth. France’s African Policy. (Defended successfully May 2015)

- Gert Guri. Understanding failed states: Lessons learned from Albania. (Defended successfully April 2009).
- Elitza Katarova. The Emergence of an International Anti-Corruption Regime: The Hidden Hand of Domestic Politics. (Defended successfully April 2015).
- Davit Sahakyan. North-South Preferential Trade Agreements (Defended successfully February 2016)
- Fabio Zuccheri - Beyond Conditionality: Levels of Domestic Compliance and the Role of Legitimacy in the Impact of the EU on the Protection of Minorities and Gender Equality in Central-East Europe (Defended successfully May 2008).

### ***SERVICE TO THE UNIVERSITY***

- 2012-2013 Associate Dean (Research), Faculty of Sociology, University of Trento
- 2008-2011 Coordinator, EU-Canada Exchange (CELAB)
- 2004-2011 Coordinator, PhD in International Studies (Trento)
- 1996-2001 Director, Centre for European Politics and Society (Carleton University)
- 1999-2000 Associate Chair, Department of Political Science (Carleton University)
- 1997-1998 Supervisor of Graduate Studies, Department of Political Science (Carleton University)
- 1997-1998 Chair, Inter-faculty Committee on European Studies (Carleton University)
- 1996-1998 Joint Committee on Admissions and Standing (Carleton University)
- 1995-1997 Associate Chair, Department of Political Science (Carleton University)

### ***SERVICE TO THE ACADEMIC COMMUNITY***

- 2015 Coordinator, Summer School of the Standing Group on the European Union of the ECPR on “Understanding Crisis and Change in the European Union”, University of Trento, 18-29 May.
- 2009-2012 Member, Editorial Board of the Rivista Italiana di Scienza Politica
- 1998-2003 Editor, Newsletter of the Conference Group on Italian Politics and Society
- 1999-2002 Treasurer, European Community Studies Association-Canada
- 1997 Organising Committee for the annual meeting of the Canadian Political Science Association
- 1996-2002 Editorial Board, Studies in Political Economy
- 1996- Manuscript reviewer for University of Toronto Press, Routledge, Palgrave, Oxford University Press.
- 1990- Manuscript reviewer for *Studies in Political Economy*, *West European Politics*, *Canadian Political Science Review*, *Legislative Studies Quarterly*, *Comparative European Politics*, *Journal of Common Market Studies*, *Journal of European Integration*

## **Courses Taught**

### **Università di Trento – 2003-2016**

Qualitative Research Methods (PhD in International Studies)  
International Relations (Core course, PhD in International Studies)  
International Political Economy (Graduate course)  
International Politics (Undergraduate and Graduate courses)  
Comparative Regional Integration (Graduate)  
Democracy and Democratization (Undergraduate)  
Public Policy in Europe (Undergraduate)  
Comparative Social Policy (Graduate)  
Global Governance (Graduate course)  
*Comparative Politics (Undergraduate)*

### **Carleton University – 1994-2002**

Introduction to Political Science (Undergraduate)  
Comparative Politics (PhD. Core Course)  
Federalism and Public Policy (Undergraduate)  
Global Political Issues (Undergraduate)  
Governing in the Global Economy (Undergraduate)  
Government and Politics in Western Europe (Undergraduate and MA course)  
Government and Politics of the European Union (Undergraduate)  
The State in Industrialised Democracies (Undergraduate seminar)

### **SAIS, Johns Hopkins University – Bologna Center – 2007-16**

Politics and Society in the European Union (Graduate Course)