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TEACHING AND ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

Academic qualifications:

- 2013: Italian Academic Qualification as Associate Professor of *Linguistics* (10/G1)
- 2013: Italian Academic Qualification as Associate Professor of *Logic and Philosophy of science* (11/C2)

Teaching and Academic Appointments

- January 2014 – present
Universidade Nova de Lisboa – Instituto de Filosofia da Linguagem
Research fellow (Investigador FCT). Field of investigation: Argumentation theory and science education.

- September-December 2012
Teachers College at Columbia University
Visiting Scholar: Research under the supervision of Prof. Deanna Kuhn on dialectical strategies in education.

- September 2010 – December 2013
Universidade Nova de Lisboa – Instituto de Filosofia da Linguagem
Post-doc researcher. Field of investigation: Argumentation theory and pragmatics.

- September 2011 - present
Universidade Nova de Lisboa – FCSH
Professor Auxiliar: Course: *Estratégias Argumentativas* (MA in Strategic communication).

- July 2012.
Universidade Nova de Lisboa – FCSH
Estratégias *discursivas de persuasão*. Escola de Verão (24 hours)

- January 2012
Universitat de Barcelona
Visiting Professor: Seminars and conferences on argumentation in in Science Education.

- 2009 - 2010

Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore – Milano

Teacher. Course: Italian as a Foreign language (first language: English). Alta Scuola in Media Comunicazione e Spettacolo (Almed)

- 2006 – 2010

Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore – Milano

Teacher. Seminars and Laboratories for the course of Rhetoric (prof. Silvia Gilardoni) – Department of Foreign Languages.

- 2007-2010

Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore – Milano

Teacher. Courses: Applied Linguistics; General Linguistics. Post-Graduate program: Italian as a Foreign Language.

- 2005 -2010

Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore - Milano

Teacher Assistant. Courses: General Linguistics (prof. Maria Cristina Gatti; prof. Sara Cigada; prof. Giovanni Gobber). – Department of Foreign Languages. Jobs: Instructor for seminars and labs; Member of the examination committee for thesis defence; Supervisor of theses.

- 2008-2009

Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore - Cremona

Teacher. Course: Italian as a Foreign language (first language: English). Master in International Agribusiness

- 2006

University of Winnipeg – Manitoba – Canada. Department of Philosophy

Teacher. Course: "Introduction to Logical Reasoning". Department of Philosophy.

- September – December 2004

University of Dundee – Dundee – Scotland. Department of Computing

Research fellow. Development and implementation of a corpus of argumentation. Collection, analysis, and diagramming of arguments (language: English). Research coordinator: prof. Chistropher Reed.

- January - August 2004

University of Winnipeg – Manitoba – Canada. Department of Philosophy

Instructor (labs and seminars). Courses: Informal Logic and Argumentation (prof. Douglas Walton - Department of Philosophy).
Teacher assistant. Course: Argumentation (prof. Douglas Walton - Department of Philosophy).
Research fellow: Legal Argumentation and Critical Thinking.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCES	**Professional Experiences** • From October 2010 **Expert witness at the court of Milan (Translator)** • From September 2008 **International Law firm Martinez & Novebaci - Milano** *Consultant and translator.* Translation of contracts, deeds, briefs, opinions (Italian – English; English - Italian); linguistic consulting for legal opinions; liaison with foreign clients; paralegal work (consulting, document drafting). • From September 2007 **International Law firm Martinez & Novebaci - Milano** *Teacher: Professional training courses.* Courses: English (Elementary – Pre-Intermediate) and Legal English. Courses certified by the Bar Association of Milan. Length of each course: 20 hours per month (November – July; September – July) • July - August 2009 **University of Windor, Ontario, Canada** *Research fellow.* Research in legal communication and argumentation. Drafting of papers submitted to international peer reviewed journals • 2008 **Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore – Milan** *Responsible for language self-learning programs.* Development and implementation of materials for on-line self-learning courses. Languages: English, French, German.
EDUCATION	**Education** • 2008 **Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore - Milano** *PhD in Applied Linguistics* – Faculty of Foreign Languages. Dissertation: *The argumentative uses of definition.* • 2003 **Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore - Milano** *Master Degree in Arts*: 110/110 cum laude. Dissertation (in Linguistics): The conditions of meaning: the presupposition • 1998 **Liceo Scientifico "G. Peano"** High school diploma: Scientific Lyceum (final mark: 60/60)

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| PUBLICATIONS | **Publications** |

Publications

H-Index: 8   G-Index: 22

Most cited works (*Publish or Perish*):

Citations	Title
378	*Argumentation schemes*
47	*Argument Diagramming in Logic, Artificial Intelligence, an Law*
28	*Araucaria as a Tool for Diagramming Arguments in Teaching and Studying Philosophy*
16	*Argument from Analogy in law, the classic tradition and recent theories*
14	*What we hide in words. Emotive words and persuasive definitions*
11	*Common Knowledge in Argumentation*
10	*The Argumentative Structure of Persuasive Definitions*
9	*Argumentative Reasoning Patterns*
7	*The Fallaciousness of Threats*

Books

- Macagno, F. Walton, D. (2014). *Emotive language in argumentation*. Cambridge University Press, New York.

- Walton, D., C. Reed, F. Macagno (2008). *Argumentation Schemes.* Cambridge University Press, New York.

Articles (peer-reviewed journals)

- Macagno, F. & Puppo, F. (2013). Il ragionamento per dicotomie nella strategia difensiva. *Cultura e diritti* 3: 63-73.

- Macagno, F. & Damele. G. (2013). The Dialogical Force of Implicit Premises: Presumptions in Enthymemes. *Informal Logic* 33 (3): 365-393.

- Macagno, F. (2013). Strategies of character attack. *Argumentation* 27(4): 369-401.

- Konstantinidou, K. & Macagno, F. (2013) Understanding Students' Reasoning: Argumentation Schemes as an Interpretation Method in Science Education. *Science and Education* 22(5): 1069-1087.

- Macagno, F. & Konstantinidou, K (2013). What students' arguments can tell us. Using argumentation schemes in science education. *Argumentation* 27(3): 225-243.

- Macagno, F. & Puppo, F. (2013). Argomentare in processo. Il "ragionamento per dicotomie" nella strategia difensiva. *Cultura e*

*diritt*i 2: 47-59.

- Macagno, F. (2012). Gli usi argomentativi del linguaggio emotivo. *Sistemi intelligenti* 24 (3): 433-454.

- Macagno, F. & Walton, D. (2012). Character Attacks as Complex Strategies of Legal Argumentation. *International Journal of Law, Language & Discourse* 2 (3): 1-58.

- Macagno, F. & Walton, D. (2012). Presumptions in legal argumentation. *Ratio Juris* 25 (3): 271–300.

- Macagno, F. (2012). Presumptive Reasoning in Interpretation. Implicatures and Conflicts of Presumptions. *Argumentation* 26 (2): 233-265.

- Macagno, F. (2012). Classifying the Properties of Life *Journal of Biomolecular Structure and Dynamics* 29(4): 627-629.

- Macagno, F. (2011). The presumptions of meaning. Hamblin and equivocation. *Informal Logic* 31 (4): 367-393.

- Macagno, F. & Walton, D. (2011). Reasoning from Paradigms and Negative Evidence. *Pragmatics and Cognition* 19 (1): 92-116.

- Macagno, F. & Walton, D. (2011). Quotations and Presumptions - Dialogical Effects of Misquotations. *Informal Logic* 31 (1): 27-55.

- Macagno, F. & Walton, D. (2010). Ragionare Per Dicotomie - Struttura Argomentativa e Usi nel Common Law. *Ars Interpretandi* 15: 167-187.

- Macagno, F. & Walton, D. (2010). The Argumentative Uses of Emotive Language. *Revista Iberoamericana de Argumentación* 1: 1-37.

- Walton, D. & Macagno, F. (2010). Defeasible Classifications and Inferences from Definitions. *Informal Logic* 30: 34-61.

- Macagno F., Walton D. (2010). Wrenching from Context: The Manipulation of Commitments. *Argumentation* 24, 3: 283-317*.*

- Macagno F., Walton D. (2010). Dichotomies and Oppositions in Legal Argumentation. *Ratio Juris* 23: 229-257.

- Macagno F., (2010). Definitions in law. *Bulletin suisse de linguistique appliquée* 2: 199-217.

- Macagno F., Walton D. (2010). What we hide in words: emotive words and persuasive definitions. *Journal of Pragmatics* 42: 1997-2013.

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- Macagno F. (2009). The Dialectical-Dialogical Definition. *L'analisi linguistica e letteraria XVI Special Issue* 1: 443-461.

- Macagno F., Walton D. (2009). Argument from Analogy in Law, the Classical Tradition, and Recent Theories. *Philosophy and Rhetoric* 42 (2): 154-182.

- Macagno F., Walton D. (2009). Reasoning from Classification and Definition. *Argumentation* 23: 81-107.

- Walton D., Macagno F. (2009). Enthymemes, Argumentation Schemes, and Topics. *Logique et Analyse* 205: 39-56.

- Walton D., Macagno F. (2009). Classification and Ambiguity: the Role of Definition in a Conceptual System. *Studies in Logic, Grammar and Rhetoric* 16 (29): 1-20.

- Macagno F., Walton, D. (2008). The argumentative structure of persuasive definitions. *Ethical Theory and Moral Practice* 11(5): 525-549.

- Macagno, F., Walton, D. (2008). Persuasive Definitions: Values, Meanings and Implicit Disagreements. *Informal Logic* 28(3): 203-228.

- Macagno F. (2008). Dialectical Relevance and Dialogical Context in Walton's Pragmatic Theory. *Informal Logic* 28 (2): 102-128.

- Macagno F., Walton D. (2007). Types of Dialogue, Dialectical Relevance, and Textual Congruity. *Anthropology & Philosophy* 8 (1-2): 101-121.

- Macagno F., Walton D., Reed C. (2007). Argument Diagramming in Logic, Artificial Intelligence, and Law. *Knowledge Engineering Review* 22 (1): 87-109.

- Macagno F., Walton D. (2007). The Fallaciousness of Threats: Character and Ad Baculum. *Argumentation* 28(3): 203-228.

- Rowe G., Macagno F., Walton D., Reed C., (2006). Araucaria as a Tool for Diagramming Arguments in Teaching and Studying Philosophy. *Teaching Philosophy* 29 (2): 111-124.

- Macagno F, Walton D. (2005) Common Knowledge and Argumentation Schemes. *Studies in Communication Sciences* 5/2: 1-22.

- Macagno F, Walton D. (2005). Common Knowledge in Legal Reasoning about Evidence. *International Commentary on Evidence* 3/1: 1-42.

Book chapters

- Macagno, F. & Walton, D. (2013). Implicatures as Forms of Argument. In A. Capone et al. (eds.), Perspectives on Pragmatics and Philosophy (pp. 203-224). Berlin/New York: Springer.

- Macagno, F. (2013). The acts and strategies of defining. In G. Kišiček and I. Ž. Žagar (eds.), What do We Know about the World? Rhetorical and Argumentative Perspectives (pp. 63-78). Windsor (ON): Windsor studies in argumentation.

- Macagno F (2012). Reconstructing and assessing the conditions of meaningfulness. An argumentative approach to presupposition. In H. Ribeiro (ed.), *Inside Arguments: Logic and the Study of Argumentation* (pp. 247-268). Newcastle upon Tyne: Cambridge Scholars Publishing.

- Macagno F (2010). Dialectical and heuristic arguments: presumptions and burden of proof. In C. Reed and C. W. Tindale (Eds.), *Dialectics, Dialogue and Argumentation: An Examination of Douglas Walton's Theories of Reasoning and Argument.* London: College Publications.

Book reviews

- Macagno F. (2006). Book Review. Edward Schiappa. Defining Reality. Definitions and the Politics of Meaning. Carbondale/Edwardsville, 2003: Southern Illinois University Press: 207 pp. *Studies in Communications Sciences*: 251-254
- Macagno F. (2006). Book Review. Frans H. Van Eemeren and Rob Grootendorst, A systematic theory of Argumentation, Cambridge University Press, Cambridge 2004, 216 pp. *Studies in Communications Sciences*: 258-262
- 32 recensioni di libri ed articoli di argomentazione e linguistica per la rassegna di Linguistica Generale de «L'analisi linguistica e letteraria», anni 2005-2007.

Conferences

With peer review

- May 2013. What We Hide in Words: Value-Based Reasoning and Emotive Language. *OSSA Conference – The virtues of argumentation* (University of Windsor, May 22-25, 2013).

- May 2013. Commentary on CRITICISM IN NEED OF CLARIFICATION. *OSSA Conference – The virtues of argumentation* (University of Windsor, May 22-25, 2013).

- Invited Speaker. May 2013. Analogy and (re)definitions. *The role of analogy in argumentative discourse* (University of Coimbra, May 3-

CONFERENCES

4, 2013)

- April 2013. Personal attacks: Strategies and emotive reasoning. *III International Workshop on Argumentation: Beyond Current Paradigms* (UNED, Madrid 24-25 April 2013).

- January 2013. *Strategies of character attack*. Rhetoric in Society (Copenhagen, 15-18 January 2013).

- October 2012. With D. Walton and G. Sartor. Argumentation Schemes for Statutory Interpretation. In Araszkiewicz, M., Myska, M., Smejkalova, T., Savelka, J., & Skop, M. (eds.) International Conference on Alternative Methods of Argumentation in Law (Brno 25 October 2012) (pp. 63-75). Brno: Masarykova Univ.

- October 2012. With G. Damele. *The dialogical force of implicit premises. Presumptions in legal enthymemes.* In Araszkiewicz, M., Myska, M., Smejkalova, T., Savelka, J., & Skop, M. (eds.) International Conference on Alternative Methods of Argumentation in Law (Brno 25 October 2012) (pp. 41-53). Brno: Masarykova Univ.

- July 2012. With G. Damele. *Legal Argumentation in Constitutional Courts Decisions: A Rhetorical Analysis.* CADAAD (Braga, 4-7 July 2012).

- <u>Keynote speaker</u>. Giugno 2012. *The arguments of Interpretation.* alle Giornate tridentine di Retorica (Trento 7-8 June 2012)

- April 2012. The Rhetoric of Definitions. International Conference on Rhetoric (Postira, Croatia, 19-22 April 2012).

- November 2011. *The dialectical force of missing premises. Enthymemes as dialogical strategies.* ILCLI International Workshop on Semantics, Pragmatics and Rhetoric (Donostia, 9-11 November 2011).

- May 2011. *Implicatures and hierarchies of presumption.* Argument Cultures: Proceedings of the 8th International Conference of the Ontario Society for the Study of Argumentation (OSSA) (University of Windsor, ON 18-21 May 2011).

- March 2011. *Reconstructing and assessing the conditions of meaningfulness. An argumentative approach to presupposition.* International Colloquium: "INSIDE ARGUMENTS – LOGIC VS ARGUMENTATION THEORY" (Faculty of Letters of the University of Coimbra, Portugal, 24-26 March 2011).

- January 2011. *Presupposing redefinitions: Implicit strategies for persuasively defining.* International Conference "Communication and Cognition 2011: Manipulation, Persuasion and Deception in Language" (University of Neuchâtel, Switzerland, January 26-28).

- July 2010. With D. Walton (2010). *Burdens of Proof and Persuasion in Everyday Argumentation.* In: Proceedings of the International Society for the Study of Argumentation. (ISSA), June 2010.

Amsterdam, June 29 - July 2, 2010, p. 1940-1950, AMSTERDAM:SIc Sat.

- May 2008. *The Dialectical/Dialogical Definition* IADA Workshop (Milan, 10-14 May 2008).

- February 2008. *Definitions in Law* VALS-ASLA (Lugano, 7-9 February 2008).

- August 2006. With D. Walton: *Argumentative Reasoning Patterns.* ECAI 2006 (Riva del Garda, 28 August – 2 September 2006).

Invited talks

- 12 December 2013. Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore di Milano. *Che cosa nascondiamo nelle parole? Linguaggio emotivo e strutture argomentative.*

- 6 November 2013. Hunters College – City University of New York. *Emotive Language and Persuasive Definitions.*

- 27 November 2012 – 1 December 2012. Università della Svizzera Italiana. *Practical reasoning and hierarchies of values.* International Ph.D. Course on Practical reasoning – Argupolis.

- October 2012. Universidade de Coimbra. *Argumentação e emoções.*

- October 2012. Universidade Nova de Lisboa. *Enthymemes and implicit premises.* International Colloquium "Meaning and Arguments".

- January 2012. Universitat de Barcelona. *Argumentation schemes as a teaching instrument.*

- November 2010. IFL Universidade Nova de Lisboa. *Presumptive approach to implicatures.*

- July 2010. IFL Universidade Nova de Lisboa. *Redefinitions and emotive language.*

- August 2009: CRRAR, University of Windsor. *What Words Hide. The Persuasive Definition.*

- October 2007: TAR Meeting – Amsterdam. *Persuasive Definition.*

- January 2007: Colloquium Lugano – Amsterdam. Title: *Argumentative uses of definition.*

- January 2006: Colloquium Lugano – Amsterdam. Title: *Definition as a predicable.*

- January 2005: Colloquium Lugano – Amsterdam. Title: *Definitions in Argumentation.*

GRANTS AND AWARDS	## Grants and awards
	- 2013. *Starting grant*. 5-year research grant.
	- 2013. *Exploratory project*. Total award: 50.000 Euros.
	- 2011-2014. Nominated in the Marquis' Who is who in the world.
	- 2012. *Santander award for the scientific production. 1st prize*. Universitade Nova de Lisboa.
	- 2011. Fundação para a Ciência e a Tecnologia. Post Doctoral Research Fellowship.
	- 2010. Universidade Nova de Lisboa. Post Doctoral Research Fellowship.
	- 2005-2008. Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore di Milano. Ph.D. Grant.
	- 2006. University of Winnipeg. Pre-Doctoral Fellowship.
	- 2004. University of Dundee. Pre-Doctoral Research Fellowship.
	- 2004. University of Winnipeg. Research Fellowship.
	- 2004. Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore di Milano. Investigation grant – Ministry for the Foreign Affairs.
SUPERVISION	## Thesis supervision
	- 2014. Master thesis of Catarina Alameida. *O impacto do programa Argue With Me no processo de ensino-aprendizagem na disciplina de Religião*.
	- 2013. Master thesis of Filipe Fontes. *As estratégias argumentativas no discurso político eleitoral*.
	- 2008. Master thesis of Fabrizio Bozzetti. *Il dialogo information seeking nella comunicazione terra-luna*.
REVIEWER AND BOARD OF EDITORS	## Services to the field
	- From 2012. Member of the editorial board of *Argumentation* and *Topoi*.
	- 2013. Reviewer for *Argumentation, Informal Logic, Synthese, Philosophy and Rhetoric, Cognitive Development,*
	- 2012. Reviewer for *Argumentation, Informal Logic, AI and Society, Philosophy and Rhetoric*
	- 2011. Reviewer for *Pragmatics and Cognition, Informal Logic, Argumentation in Context, Topoi, Nature Climate Change, Education Research Journal*
LANGUAGES	## Languages
	- Italian – Native speaker
	- English – C2 (Legal English)
	- Portuguese B2
	- German – B1
	- French - B1