

After having graduated from the University of Bari (J.D., cum laude), Alessandro Palmieri was admitted to the Italian Bar. He then continued his studies and obtained a Ph.D. in Comparative Private Law from the University of Trento (2001). He served as Associate Professor of Comparative Private Law at the Law Department of the University of Siena (from 1 October 2005 to 31 October 2021). He obtained the National Scientific Qualification to function as Full Professor of Private Law (2013) and Full Professor of Comparative Law (2017). Since 1 November 2022 he is Full Professor of Comparative Private Law at the Law Department of the University of Siena. Other courses imparted were the following: “Law of Digital Technologies”; “Legal Informatics”; “Law of the New Technologies”; “Liability and Torts in European Legal Systems: a Comparative and Multidisciplinary Perspective”, “Comparative Competition and Intellectual Property Law”, “Comparative Intellectual Property”, “Comparative Legal Systems”, “Comparative Law and Economics”, and “Comparative Commercial Law”.

He is member of the *Equipo de trabajo* of the Project “Medidas fiscales y mercantiles para el fomento de las empresas emergentes de base tecnológica”, funded by the Spanish Government, Ministerio de Innovación, Ciencia y Universidades [PID2024-157554NB-I00] (2025-2029).

He is member of the *Equipo de trabajo* of the Project “La transformación digital de los servicios bancarios y financieros: nuevos marcos normativos y modelos de negocio”, funded by the Spanish Government, Ministerio de Ciencia e Innovación [PID2021-127594OB-I00] (2022-2026).

He was Principal Investigator of the Project of Relevant National Interest “Private law aspects of open banking: focus on consumer protection, personal data privacy and competition”, funded by the Italian Ministry for University and Research [PRIN 2022 KYTERZ] (2023-2026).

He was the Academic Coordinator of the Jean Monnet Project “European Legal Strategies for payment systems in the Open Banking Age” (€LSOBA), selected for EU co-funding in the Call for proposals 2020 – AC/A02/2019 [620058-EPP-1-2020-1-IT-EPPJMO-PROJECT].

He was also key staff member of the Jean Monnet Project “Boosting European Security Law and Policy: Focus on flows of migrants, data security and movement of capitals” (BeSEC), selected for EU co-funding in the Call for proposals 2018 – EAC/A05/2017 [599763-EPP-1-2018-1-IT-EPPJMO-PROJECT]; and member of the academic staff (key teaching staff member) of the Jean Monnet Module “European Union Law and Sustainable Development” (EULawSD), selected for EU co-funding in the Call for proposals 2017 – EAC/A03/2016 [586764-EPP-1-2017-1-IT-EPPJMO-MODULE]. Furthermore, from 2011 to 2013 he was member of the Siena research unit of the Project of Relevant National Interest “Trattato di Lisbona e Diritto privato comunitario” (PRIN Call for proposals 2009 – project no. 2009WZKLR_004).

He was member of the Group of evaluation experts (GEV) for the Evaluation of Research Quality 2015-2019 (Scientific Area: Law), appointed by the Italian National Agency for the Evaluation of Universities and Research Institutes (ANVUR).

He was selected by the European Data Protection Board for the Support Pool of Experts reserve list in 2022 (2022-2025), and in 2026 (2026-2030), and he might be assigned a project in the future.

Between 2009 and the present, he has been visiting researcher and guest lecturer in several foreign Universities (among the most recent, there are: Pontificia Universidad Javeriana in Bogotá; Universidad Loyola in Sevilla and Córdoba; Université de Poitiers; Univerisitat de València; Sveučilište Jurja Dobrile u Puli; Universiteti i Tiranës). Moreover, in 2017 he was one of the teachers in charge of the course «Uvod u prouavanje talijanskog prava», organized by the University of Rijeka (Law Faculty).

He was Acting Professor of Private Law at the University of Molise; Acting Professor of European Union Law at the University of Bari; Acting Professor of Information Technology Law at the University of Torino.

He was member of the scientific committee responsible for organizing the following conferences: “Quo vadis EU? Between Norms and Power” (Tiranë, 21-22 November 2025); “VIII. Banskobystrické zámocké dni práva (Víglaš, 13-14 November 2025); “Siena-Tirana Comparative Law Day. Legal Issues in the Digital Age” (Siena, 16 May 2025); “Challenges and Cooperation of Albania’s Integration in the European Union” (Tiranë, 13-14 December 2024); KNOWCON 2024: Knowledge on Economics and Management. Soft Skills for the 21st Century (Olomouc, 5 December 2024); “XXXIX Incontro del Coordinamento dei Dottorati di ricerca in Diritto privato” (Siena, 2-3 February 2024); “5th Warsaw Money-Macro-Finance Conference” (Warszawa, 21-22 September 2023); “European Legal Strategies for payment systems in the Open Banking Age” (Siena-Certosa di Pontignano, 12-15 October 2022); “Gli aiuti di stato alle banche in crisi: prospettive dopo il caso Tercas – State aid to banks in crisis: outlook following the Tercas case (Siena, 29-30 June 2022); “Bank Crisis Management and State Aids: Towards a New Institutional Set-Up” (Siena, 10 September, 2021); “Contracts and Payments in the Digital Era (Uniwersytet SWPS, Warszawa and Uniwersytet Łódzki, online, 27-28 May 2021); “Boosting European Security Law and Policy” (FBK-Trento and University of Siena, online, 18-20 June 2020); “V. Banskobystrické zámocké dni práva” (Víglaš, 14-15 November 2019); “Alla volta dei primi 150 anni. La parte prima del Foro italiano” (Siena, 11-12 October 2019); “9th Annual International Conference on Comparative Law: «Morality, Technology, Law»” (Warszawa, 20 September 2019); “International Scientific Conference «Inštitúty rodinného práva v historických reflexiách»” (Banská Bystrica, 28-29 March 2019; “L’evoluzione del diritto europeo dei contratti e le sfide dell’era digitale – The evolution of contract law in Europe and the challenges of the digital age” (Siena, 29-30 November 2018); “IV. Banskobystrické zámocké dni práva” (Víglaš, 22-23 November 2018).

He gave speeches at several international and national conferences, among which: “Intelligenza artificiale, data governance, equità digitale tra etica, diritti e innovazione” (Roma, 26 March 2026); “Quo vadis EU? Between Norms and Power” (Tiranë, 21-22 November 2025); “VIII. Banskobystrické zámocké dni práva (Víglaš, 13-14 November 2025); “50 anni dalla riforma di diritto di famiglia. Un dialogo multidisciplinare per affrontare le sfide future” (Siena, 28 October 2025); “10th Coimbra International Conference on Human Rights (Ius Gentium Conimbrigae - Centro de Direitos Humanos, online, 16 October 2025); “ICON•S Italy * VI Conferenza annuale. Lo Stato vis à vis i poteri economici e privati nell’era digitale” (Cagliari, 3-4 October 2025); “Siena-Tirana Comparative Law Day. Legal Issues in the Digital Age” (Siena, 16 May 2025); “Il turismo fra cultura e digitalizzazione” (Siena, 6 May 2025); “Challenges and Cooperation of Albania’s Integration in the European Union” (Tiranë, 13-14 December 2024); KNOWCON 2024: Knowledge on Economics and Management. Soft Skills for the 21st Century (Olomouc, 5 December 2024); “VII. Banskobystrické zámocké dni práva” (Víglaš, 13-14 November 2024); “Il contenzioso climatico nazionale e internazionale. Questioni aperte e nuove tendenze” (Siena, 11 November 2024); 11th International Conference - New Frontiers in Economics and Tourism – FET2024” (Pula, 10-11 October 2024); “El Euro Digital. Nuevos marcos del dinero y la banca. Una visión desde los países del sur de Europa” (Alcalá de Henares, 27 September 2024); “Law and Society Association Annual Meeting” (Denver, 6-9 June 2024); “DSSH XI / 2024 Ditët e Studimeve Shqiptare. Living in a Technological Era” (Tirana, 11-12 April 2024); “VI. Banskobystrické zámocké dni práva” (Víglaš, 14-15 November 2023) “Marco Comporti: L’Uomo tra Accademia, Professione ed Istituzioni” (Siena, 10 November 2023); “I trent’anni della direttiva 93/13” (Siena, 24-25, March 2023); Giornata di studio del Nord Adriatico - Temi giuridici di attualità (Rijeka, 29 September 2022); Digital Law & Policy - Proportionality Principle in IT Regulation (Warszawa, 10-11 September 2022); Congreso Internacional Derecho Digital - Digital Law International Congress (online, 13-14 June 2022); XXVI Biennial Colloquium of the Italian Association of Comparative Law – AIDC “Comparative Law in

Times of Emergencies” (Bologna, 21-23 October 2021); 6th Coimbra International Conference on Human Rights (Ius Gentium Conimbrigae - Centro de Direitos Humanos, online, 12 October 2021); “Open banking outside the Eurozone: Are we there yet?” (University of Pula, online, 21 September 2021); “Competition Law (in Pandemic Times): Challenges and Reforms” (Faculty of Law and Faculty of Economics - Josip Juraj Strossmayer University of Osijek, online, 13 May 2021); 11th Polish-Spanish Conference on the European Legal Tradition “Women, Society and Law: from Roman Law to Digital Age” (University SWPS, Warszawa; University Jaume I de Castellón; University of Lodz; University of Las Palmas, online, 30 April 2021); International Conference “Law & Privacy” (University of València, online, 13 April 2021); “I Congreso Internacional ICT 2020 «El Derecho y la Criminología ante la nueva era digital»” (Sevilla, 20-21 January 2020); “V. Banskobystrické zámocké dni práva” (Víglaš, 14-15 November 2019); “Alla volta dei primi 150 anni. La parte prima del Foro italiano” (Siena, 11-12 October 2019); “Ascarelli civilista” (Siena, 3-4 October 2019); “Jornada internacional «Los servicios financieros en la nueva era tecnológica. Repercusiones legales y nuevos desarrollos normativos»” (Alcalá de Henares, 27 September 2019); “9th Annual International Conference on Comparative Law: «Morality, Technology, Law»” (Warszawa, 20 September 2019); “XXV Biennial Colloquium of the Italian Association of Comparative Law - AIDC «Food Law – A comparative perspective»” (Parma, 23-25 May 2019); “L’evoluzione del diritto europeo dei contratti e le sfide dell’era digitale – The evolution of contract law in Europe and the challenges of the digital age” (Siena, 29-30 November 2018); “IV. Banskobystrické zámocké dni práva” (Víglaš, 22-23 November 2018); “International Scientific Conference «Public Law and the Challenges of New Technologies and Digital Markets»” (Bergamo, 26 September 2018); “5th Annual Fordham International & Comparative Urban Law Conference” (São Paulo, 21-22 June 2018); III. Banskobystrické zámocké dni práva” (Víglaš, 23-24 November 2017); “8th Annual International Conference on Comparative Law «Law and Technology - a Comparative Perspective»” (Warszawa, 15 June 2018); “Guido Tedeschi between Italy and Israel. 110 after his birth” (Siena-Milano, 10-12 July 2017); “XXIV Biennial Colloquium of the Italian Association of Comparative Law - AIDC «Ius dicere in a Globalized World»” (Napoli, 15-17 June 2017); “7th Annual International Conference on Comparative Law «Evolution of Law (?!)»” (Warszawa, 9 June 2017); “3rd International scientific conference - Banská Bystrica’s School of Legal History «Ludské práva včera a dnes. Pôvod a význam udských práv a ich ochrana v právnej teórii i praxi»” (Banská Bystrica, 15-16 March 2017); “Le nuove frontiere del risarcimento del danno” (Italian Supreme Court, Roma, 1-2 February 2017); “12th Annual Conference of the Italian Society of Law and Economics – SIDE/ISLE” (Torino, 16-17 December 2016); “IV WPSC – World Planning School Congress «Global Crisis, Planning & Challenges to Spatial Justice in the North and in the South»” (Rio de Janeiro, 3-8 July 2016); “10th Annual Conference of PLPR - International Academic Association on Planning, Law, and Property Rights” (Bern, 16-19 February 2016); “3rd Annual Conference of the Association «Il trust in Italia»” (San Marino, 24 May 2015); “9th Annual Conference of PLPR - International Academic Association on Planning, Law, and Property Rights” (Volos, 25-27 February 2015); “XLVIII Convegno – Associazione internazionale di diritto delle assicurazioni – Sezione Piemonte-Valle d’Aosta «Tra vita e morte: il problema della risarcibilità del danno tanatologico»” (Torino, 12 December 2014); “4th Annual International Conference on Comparative Law «Dominium and Imperium of the State versus property rights»” (Olsztyn, 4 April 2014); “2nd Pázmány Unfair Commercial Practices Conference” (Budapest, 13 March 2014); “XXII Biennial Colloquium of the Italian Association of Comparative Law – AIDC” (Salerno-Vietri sul Mare, 30 May-1 June 2013); “Novità UE di diritto d’autore” (Milano, 19 April 2013); “XXI Biennial Colloquium of the Italian Association of Comparative Law – AIDC” (Venezia, 9-11 June 2011); “6th Annual Conference of the Italian Society of Law and Economics – SIDE/ISLE” (Bolzano, 9-11 December 2010); “L’Europa dopo Lisbona: il Programma di Stoccolma. Uno spazio di libertà, sicurezza e giustizia al servizio dei cittadini” (Firenze 4-5 June 2010); “La riforma del contratto in Francia: progettualità e prospettive” (Foggia, 9-10 October 2009); “La class action all’italiana (spunti comparati e peculiarità applicative)” (Siena, 13-14 June 2008); “L’attuazione della direttiva MIFID” (Montepulciano, 17-19 April 2008); “Asian Constitutionalism in Transition. A

Comparative Perspective” (Siena, 14-15 December 2007); “Digital Rights Management: problemi teorici e prospettive applicative” (Trento, 21-22 March 2007); “XIII Incontro di diritto industriale «Open source, software proprietario e concorrenza»” (Pavia, 24-25 September 2004). Furthermore, he was Chair of the session “Women Competitiveness and Sorting”, at the “Gender Inequality Conference” (International Centre for Economic Analysis, online, 9-10 December 2021).

He gave lectures and seminars at various universities and other institutions. He currently represents the University of Siena in the Latin America Working Group of the Coimbra Group of Universities, and in the Law Exchange Network.

He is Co-Director of the scientific journal “Il Foro Italiano”, and member of the Scientific Committee of the scientific journal “Study Senesi”. He is the author of more than 400 scientific publications, including 6 books (Profili giuridici dei servizi bancari aperti. Strategie europee e statunitensi. Giappichelli, Torino, 2026; Profili giuridici delle piattaforme digitali. La tutela degli utenti commerciali e dei titolari di siti web aziendali, Giappichelli, Torino, 2019; L. n. 31/2019: la riforma della class action, Wolters Kluwer Italia, Milano, 2019; La tutela collettiva dei consumatori Profili soggettivi, Giappichelli, Torino, 2011; Autonomia contrattuale e disciplina della proprietà intellettuale. Pregi e misfatti della dimensione digitale, Giuffré, Milano, 2009; I contratti di accesso, Giuffré, Milano, 2002).

He is member of the Association Henri Capitant des amis de la culture juridique française, the Law and Society Association, the International Academic Association on Planning, Law and Property Rights, the International Association for the Advancement of Teaching and Research in Intellectual Property – ATRIP, the UK Environmental Law Association – UKELA, the Academic Association for Contemporary European Studies - UACES, Association des Alumni & Amis de l'Institut suisse de droit compare, and of the Italian Association of Comparative Law; senior research fellow at International Center for Economic Analysis; fellow of the European Law Institute. Moreover, he is member of Grupo de Estudos e Pesquisas de Direito de Bioética, Biodireito e Biotecnologia (GEP_BBB), and of Grupo de Estudos e Pesquisas de Direito de Família e Sucessões (GEP_DFS), both based at the Universidade Presbiteriana Mackenzie (São Paulo), and member of the Research Group for European and Comparative Public Law (DIPEC), based at the University of Siena. He has been a research partner and consultant for the Criminological and Criminalistic Research Center (CCRC), based at the Faculty of Law of the Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica,

Among his assignments at the University of Siena, he is currently Coordinator of the Ph.D. Programme in Law: Formerly, he was Chair of the Teaching Committee for the Single Cycle Degree in Law (Laurea magistrale in Giurisprudenza), and Chair of the Teaching Committee for the Second Cycle Degree in Law.