

Curriculum vitae del/la docente a contratto esterno

Nome: Claudio

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Insegnamento di: Niche Tourism Trend and Development

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1. POSIZIONE ATTUALE

Professor of Niche Tourism Trend and Development

2. ALTRE POSIZIONI PROFESSIONALI

Position: Ramón y Cajal Research Fellow

Start Date: 01/12/2022

Institution: University of Barcelona

Department / Centre: Department of Social Anthropology

Country: Spain

Keywords: Anthropology, Tourism, Social Movements, Labour

3. TITOLI DI STUDIO

PhD in Social and Cultural Anthropology | Autonomous University of Barcelona (Spain) | 2015

Master's Degree in Design and Management of Tourism Systems | University of Naples Federico II (Italy) | 2010

Master's Degree in Social and Cultural Anthropology (CREOLE) | Autonomous University of Barcelona (Spain) | 2010

Bachelor's Degree in Tourism Sciences (Management Track) | University of Naples Federico II (Italy) | 2007

4. ALTRI TITOLI

Research, Publications and Contribution to Knowledge:

He has actively participated in the execution of competitively funded research projects supported through institutional agreements and international collaborations with organizations such as the Asian Development Bank, the European Commission (Horizon Europe and Horizon 2020 programmes), the European Parliament (TRAN Committee), and the Spanish Ministry of Science, Innovation and Universities. He has held roles such as Co-Principal Investigator, Institutional Work Package Coordinator, Consortium Partner Leader, and Research Team Member. His responsibilities have included research design, theoretical model development, qualitative data collection and analysis, and the dissemination of results. He was recently appointed as Co-Principal Investigator of the Spanish National R&D project “*Labour and Power Dynamics: Key Explanatory Factors in the Legitimation and Social Contestation of Tourism in Sun-and-Beach Destinations*”, funded by the Ministry of Science, Innovation and Universities. This three-year project brings together a team of 12 researchers from across the country to investigate the relationship between labour regimes and social contestation in mature tourist destinations in Mediterranean Spain. He is the co-author of 45 publications, including 6 edited books, 13 book chapters, and 26 peer-reviewed journal articles. Of these, 13 are published in JCR Q1/Q2 or SJR Q1 journals, 4 in JCR Q3 or SJR Q2, 4 in JCR Q4 or SJR Q3, and 5 in other indexed databases. He has served as guest editor of three special issues in journals such as *Cities*, *Tourism Planning & Development*, and the *International Journal of Tourism Anthropology*. His academic work has received 4,654 citations on Google Scholar (h-index 21, i10-index 30) and 823 citations in Web of Science (h-index 10). He has delivered presentations at academic conferences and events hosted by institutions including the European Parliament, European Commission, United Nations agencies, municipal governments, governmental institutions, and universities across Europe, Asia, Africa, and Latin America. He also serves on editorial boards and acts as reviewer for publishers and journals such as Routledge, Edward Elgar Publishing, CABI, Taylor & Francis, and Emerald Publishing. He is a member of the Editorial Review Board of *Annals of Tourism Research* (Elsevier).

Societal Contributions:

Throughout his academic career, he has consistently worked to transfer and disseminate research findings beyond academic circles and conventional impact metrics. Some of his research has influenced public policy through reports and policy briefs prepared for governmental bodies such as the European Parliament, UN Tourism, and think tanks like CIDOB (Barcelona Centre for International Affairs) and Alba Sud. For example, he contributed to the policy brief “*Overtourism: impact and possible policy responses*”, funded by the European Parliament’s Structural and Cohesion Policies Department (IP/B/TRAN/IC/2018-058). His commitment to public knowledge transfer also includes publishing in media outlets aimed at broader audiences, both international and national, such as *The Guardian*, BBC, Al Jazeera, *The Conversation*, *El País*, *La Vanguardia*, *El Diario*, Betevé, TVE, Cadena SER, RAC1, and *El Salto*, among others. In addition, several of his academic publications are available in open-access formats thanks to European funding. He has also been involved in participatory urban planning processes in cities such as Barcelona, Copenhagen, and Rotterdam, as well as in regional initiatives in Catalonia and Gipuzkoa.

Additionally, he has collaborated with grassroots organizations, sharing research outputs with associations such as the Federació d'Associacions Veïnals de Barcelona (FAVB) through the Taula Veïnal d'Urbanisme de Barcelona.

5. ALTRI INCARICHI DI INSEGNAMENTO

Teaching Contributions and Training of Early-Career Researchers:

He has served as an adjunct professor in the Department of Social and Cultural Anthropology at the Autonomous University of Barcelona and in the Department of Social Anthropology at the University of Barcelona. He has also held a faculty position (PDI) at the Ostelea School of Tourism Management, affiliated with the University of Lleida (Barcelona). Leadership and mentorship have played a central role in his academic career. He directed the IDITUR Research Group at the University of Lleida, coordinating a team of researchers through regular seminars, project design, and research dissemination. He has supervised 21 master's theses and 22 undergraduate dissertations, chaired several master's and eight doctoral thesis defences, and mentored six visiting early-career researchers. Currently, he co-supervises five PhD candidates.

6. TITOLI SCIENTIFICI

Key Publications:

- Mantecón, A., Milano, C., Huete, R. 2025. Precarious work and tourism labour regimes: Insights from Benidorm. *Tourist Studies*, 25 (2), 164-184.
- Milano, C., Novelli, M., & Russo, A. P. 2024. Anti-tourism activism and the inconvenient truths about mass tourism, touristification and overtourism. *Tourism Geographies*, 26(8), 1313-1337.
- Bianchi, R. V., & Milano, C. 2024. Polycrisis and the metamorphosis of tourism capitalism. *Annals of Tourism Research*, 104, 103731.
- Milano, C., Koens, K., Russo, A. P. 2024. The politics of urban tourism (im)mobilities: Critical perspectives on inequalities and social justice. *Cities*, 152, 105148.
- Milano, C., Gonzalez-Reverté., F., & Benet Modico, A. 2023. The social construction of touristification. Residents' perspectives on mobilities and moorings. *Tourism Geographies*, 25(4), 1273-1291.
- Milano, C.; Koens, K. 2022. The paradox of tourism extremes. Excesses and restraints in times of COVID-19. *Current Issues in Tourism*, 25(2), 219-231.
- Walmsley, A.; Koens, K.; Milano, C. 2021. Overtourism and employment outcomes for the tourism worker: Impacts to labour markets. *Tourism Review*, 77(1), 1-15.
- Milano, C.; Cheer, J.M.; Novelli, M. 2021. *Travel and Tourism in the Age of Overtourism*. London: Routledge.

- Milano, C.; Cheer, J.M.; Novelli, M. 2019. *Overtourism: Excesses, Discontents and Measures in Travel and Tourism*. Wallingford: CABI.
- Milano, C.; Novelli, M.; Cheer, J.M. 2019. Overtourism and tourismphobia: A journey through four decades of tourism development, planning and local concerns. *Tourism Planning and Development*, 16(4), 353-357.
- Milano, C.; Novelli, M.; Cheer, J.M. 2019. Overtourism and degrowth: a social movements perspective. *Journal of Sustainable Tourism*, 27(12), 1857-1875.
- Milano, C. 2018. Overtourism, malestar social y turismofobia. Un debate controvertido. *PASOS Revista de Turismo y Patrimonio Cultural*, 16(3), 551-564.
- Milano, C.; Mansilla, J. 2018. *Ciudad de Vacaciones. Conflictos urbanos en espacios turísticos*. Barcelona: Pol.len.

Key Projects:

- Desarrollo de un caso de estudio en turismo urbano sostenible para Medellín. UN Tourism. Role: PI, Líder de Equipo y Experto en Planificación y Gestión Sostenible de Destinos Turísticos Urbanos (Internacional) – 2025/2026.
- Trabajo y dinámicas de poder: claves explicativas de la legitimación y la contestación social al turismo en los destinos de sol y playa (TURYCONTEST). ID: PID2024-159363NB-I00. Proyectos de Generación de Conocimiento 2024. Plan Estatal de Investigación Científica y Técnica y de Innovación 2024–2027. Co-PIs: Claudio Milano and Alejandro Mantecón Terán. Budget: €86,600. Role: Co-Principal Investigator (Co-PI).
- HORIZON INCA – “Increase corporate political responsibility and accountability”. HORIZON-CL2-2021-DEMOCRACY-01-02. ID: 101061653. PI: Edoardo Mollona. 10/2022–03/2026. Budget: €2,999,991.25. Role: Institutional Work Package Coordinator.
- Towards resilient leisure, tourism and hospitality ecosystems in Europe. Nationaal Regieorgaan Praktijkgericht Onderzoek SIA (Taskforce for Applied Research SIA). 2024–2026. Grant agreement ID: EUR.NETW.01.019. PI: Jos van der Sterren. Budget: €98,700. Role: Consortium Partner Leader.
- Southeast Asia Sustainable Tourism Facility. TA 6899-REG. Asian Development Bank (ADB). Sovereign Project. ID: 55249-001. PI (Spanish Cooperation Fund for Technical Assistance): Claudio Milano. 2021–2024. Budget: US\$500,000. Role: Lead Research Consultant for the Spanish Knowledge Partner.
- ONDEMANDCITY: Capitalismo de plataforma, trabajadores digitales y tecnificación de la vida cotidiana en la ciudad contemporánea. Ministerio de Ciencia e Innovación. Proyectos de Generación de Conocimiento 2021. ID: 122482OB-I00. PI: Jorge Sequera. 2022–2025. Budget: €60,500. Role: Research Team Member.
- Estrategias de adaptación y alternativas a partir de los destinos de turismo de interior en tiempos de cambio. Ministerio de Ciencia e Innovación (Proyectos de I+D+i Retos Investigación). ID: 114186RB-C21. PI: Gemma Canoves Valiente. 09/2021–09/2025. Budget: €53,510. Role: Research Team Member.

- HORIZON 2020 SMARTDEST – Cities as mobility hubs: tackling social exclusion through ‘smart’ citizen engagement. H2020-EU.3.6.1.4. PI: Antonio Paolo Russo. 01/2020–12/2022. Budget: €3,097,867.50. Role: Research Team Member.
- Dirección IDITUR, Centro de Investigación, Divulgación e Innovación Turística. Universidad de Lleida – Ostelea School of Tourism Management. PI: Claudio Milano. 11/2019–04/2021. Budget: €20,000 per year. Role: Project Coordinator and Principal Investigator (PI).
- HAR2017-83005-R, Turismo y performatividad de la identidad local: Nación y región desde una perspectiva postcolonial y de género. Ministerio de Economía y Competitividad. 01/2018–01/2020. Budget: €38,720. Role: Research Team Member.
- IP/B/TRAN/IC/2018-058, Overtourism: impact and possible policy responses. European Parliament (TRAN Committee). PI: Paul Peeters. 07/2018–10/2019. Budget: €98,883. Role: Research Team Member.

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