

# Curriculum Vitae

## Personal information Niko Costantino

## Work experience

EURORDIS (November 2022-current)

Member of the HTA Task Force - EURORDIS Task Force on Health Technology Assessment (HTA): the HTA Task Force is EURORDIS' brain on HTA. Its goal is to collaborate closely with EURORDIS and European Medicines Agency (EMA) on HTA work and advocacy, with a strong focus on the participation of patients.

Cometa ASMME, Association for the Study of Inborn Metabolic Diseases, Padua, Italy (September 2021-current)

- Head Of Public Affairs liaising with institutions and organisations towards the realisation of the Organisation's mission
- European Parliament Liaison for Italy to Cross-Party Alliance on Phenylketonuria (PKU) (April 2020present)

University of Malta (September 2021 - December 2021)

Peer reviewer - Peer-reviewed research papers about the Free Territory of Trieste for the "Small Territories and States" journal of the University of Malta.

Portland (January 2019-current)

• Campaign Consultant - Provided advice for disease awareness and advocacy campaign.

UNESCO (february 2018-current)

- Regional Supervisor International Dance Council President's office, Athens, Greece
- President of Section International Dance Council CID Venice, Italy

KEDISA -Center for International Strategic Analyses (november 2016-current)

• Senior Research Associate (diplomacy, conflict theory, foreign policy)

HuffPost (Greek edition)

Writing Contributor - march 2018-present, Wrote articles around Italian politics.

### Education and training

• EURORDIS Open Academy (June 2022)

Summer School on Medicines Research and Development

• ISPI School (May 2017)

Certificate in Fundraising and International Cooperation

Brussels School of International Studies (BSIS) - University of Kent (January 2015-November 2016)

Master of Arts (MA), International Relations with Political Strategy and Communication

• Ca' Foscari University of Venice (October 2010 - October 2013)

Bachelor's degree, International Relations, Languages and Modern Civilisations

# Additional information

**Publications** 

- Are non-state actors still good predictors of foreign policy making? 6 dic 2017 KEDISA Center for International Strategic Analyses)

- 2. Migration, integration and Jihadism: can low politics determine high politics?

  3. Europe's Identity Problem: Tsipras, Greece and the Undesired Agreement

  4. Migración, Integración y yihadismo: ¿Puede una Pequeña Comunidad Islámica Determinar Políticas de Sequridad Internacional? (Katoikos.eu, 2017)
- A solution for Cyprus: on the need for track-two transformative mediation (KEDISA Center for International Strategic Analyses · 3 July 2017)
   Trieste, an Occupied Country? (KEDISA, 2019)
- 7. The challenges for the new Italian government (Greek) (The Huffington Post, 12 September 2018)

  8. Elections, the Italian way (The Huffington Post, 2018)

  9. Cultural Diplomacy: The dancing diplomat behind the scenes (KEDISA, 2018)

- 10. Trump's first UN address: a discourse analysis (KEDISA, 2017)
  11. Trump, polarisation of immigration and political marketing in the US (KEDISA, 2017)
- 12. Poor administration, lack of trust: The end of Five Star Movement? Poor administration, lack of trust: The end of Five Star Movement? Katoikos.eu · 13 feb 2017
- 13. My Greek grandmother broke her leg, but the health system needed more help, Katoikos.eu (13 jul 2017)

#### **Projects**

- participated as speaker to events and reports on: lysosomal storage disorder, phenylketonuria and amino acid metabolism disorder, newborn screening, home monitoring devices for rare metabolic disorders, advocacy.

#### Memberships

Other Relevant Information

I am a patient representative