

CLIZIA GRIMALDI

Profile

Italian qualified lawyer with extensive international experience specializing in Artificial Intelligence, Intellectual Property, and Legal Technology. Proven capability to teach, consult, and manage projects in English, leveraging academic credentials and professional expertise acquired in Italy and the UK.

Professional Experience

ENIA – Entity National for Intelligence Artificial – Italian Coordinator

Rome - Bruxelles

05/2025 - Present

AI Italian Professional Coordinator. Responsible for relationship with European Parliament and EU AI Office.

Women in AI Governance (WiAIG) - Chapter Member

Milano

03/2025 - Present

AI governance frameworks, regulatory compliance, and risk management in evolving AI ecosystems, with particular attention to inclusion, ethics, and international standards.

WST - Manager

Bologna, BO

03/2024 - 03/2025

Intellectual Property, AI-driven contracts, international trade, and legal tech projects in English and French.

Fieldfisher LLP - Senior Associate

Bologna, BO

07/2017 - 03/2024

International commercial law, AI and tech-driven legal services, compliance, and Industrial and Intellectual Property protection. Managed multilingual (English, French, Italian) international teams and projects.

LGA - Senior Associate

Bologna, BO

09/2010 - 06/2017

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📍 Bologna

Education

University College of London (UCL)

Londra

- Master of Laws (LL.M.) in Corporate and Commercial Law - 2010
- Postgraduate Diploma in Industrial and Intellectual Law - 2009
- Postgraduate Certificate in International Business Law M&A - 2008

University of Milan

Postgraduate Certificate Programs

- Cybercrime, Digital Investigations, and Forensic Analysis of Electronic Evidence - 2024
- Coding for Lawyers, Legal Tech and Legal Writing 2024
- Big Data, Artificial Intelligence e Piattaforme - 2024
- Coding, Tech Law, Smart Contracts- 2023
- Big Data e Plataforms - 2023
- Legal Tech, Smart Contracts e Legal Design - 2022
- Legal Tech, Artificial Intelligence and Blockchain - 2021

World Intellectual Property Organization

Geneva, Switzerland

Postgraduate Courses in:

- Trademarks, Industrial Designs and Geographical Indications - 2018
- Intellectual Property Management - 2018
- Copyright and Related Rights - 2019

Industrial and Intellectual Property, e-commerce and related contractual and compliance issues. WIPO Arbitrator on domain names issues.

Beachcroft - Linklaters - Freshfields - Internships

London

10/2008 - 05/2010

International Arbitration, Commercial Law and Industrial and Intellectual Property.

Criscuolo & Associati - Junior Associate

Rome

01/2001 - 06/2008

Corporate Law; Commercial and Corporate Contracts (Italian and international); Intellectual Property Law; Sports Law; Litigation before special and higher courts (Court of Auditors, Administrative Regional Courts, Council of State, Supreme Court of Cassation, Italian National Olympic Committee - CONI).

Bruno & Benfenati - Trainee Lawyer

Bologna, BO

10/1998 - 10/2000

Criminal Corporate Law

Teaching Experience

Negotiation Techniques and Contract Drafting – **Luiss Business School**

International Commercial Contracts – **Eni Corporate University**

Procurement, Purchasing, Logistics and Supply Chain – **Adaci**

International Business Law – **Tuscany Union of Chambers of Commerce**

Published articles in:

Cyberspazio e Diritto;

Quotidiano Più;

StartUp Business

Languages

Italian (Native)

English (C2)

French (C1)

Spanish (B1)

- Software Licensing included Open Source - 2019

Postgraduate Studies in Litigation Strategy

- **Certificate in Arbitration Law and Practice** – *Fondazione Forense Bolognese*, 2018
- **Postgraduate Certification as Corporate Mediator** – *University of Siena*, 2007

Postgraduate Legal and Policy Studies on Labour, Migration and Global Markets

- **Second-Level Master's Degree in Labour Law and Global Market Dynamics**, with a thesis in Economic Policy: *"The Impact of Immigration in Italy"* – *University of Camerino*, 2006
- **Second-Level Master's Degree in Migration Law**, with a thesis on *"Labour Policies in the European Union"* – *University of Tor Vergata*, 2002

Postgraduate Legal Studies in Competition Law

- **Postgraduate Diploma in European Union Law** – *ISPI – Istituto Superiore Europeo di Studi Politici*, Rome, 2004 - *Final Paper on Competition Law: "The Microsoft Case"*

Postgraduate Education in Industrial and Intellectual Property

- **Master in Intellectual Property Law** – *Euroconference Legal*, Bologna, 2019
- **Master in Fashion Law** – *Euroconference Legal*, Bologna, 2017

Master's Degree in Law
University of Bologna, 1998

Classical Studies Diploma (Latin and Ancient Greek) – *Paola*, 1992