

Curriculum Vitae Europass	
Personal information	
Name(s) / Surname(s)	Elena Cecchini
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Citizenship	
Date of birth	
Sex	
Work experience	
Dates	From 03/20 to Present
Occupation or position held	UNOV
Main activities and responsibilities	Drafting of a regional report on analysis and review of legal and policy frameworks in relation to migration and health in selected countries in the East and Horn of Africa (EHOA). Analysis to be conducted at the international, regional and national level. Focus on Tanzania and South Sudan. Coordination with other UNOVs and IOM personnel.
Name and address of employer	IOM Migration Health Division and IOM Kenya, but remote working
Type of business or sector	Inter-governmental organization on migration - legal and policy research
Dates	From 02/20 to 03/20
Occupation or position held	Collaborator
Main activities and responsibilities	Contribution and assistance to EU PCM and H2020 proposal drafting. Subject matters: radicalization and violent extremism (religiously and politically inspired), terrorism, exit strategies, social inclusion, community development, active participation and empowerment.
Name and address of employer	RiSSC – Research Centre on Security and Crime, Turin (Italy)
Type of business or sector	Nonprofit organization – Research, Transnational criminal phenomena, EU project management, law enforcement training
Dates	From 10/19 to 11/19

Occupation or position held	Short term consultant
Main activities and responsibilities	Engaged with European Commission funded H2020 projects on facilitating law enforcement agencies' investigative forensic work on cybercrime and on illegal trafficking of drugs and NPS. Participated to the preparation and running of law enforcement and judiciary institutions' and professionals' training activities and project dissemination events in France, Italy and Portugal. Assigned to the drafting of a project research deliverable to be submitted to the European Commission in the concluding phase of the project cycle, namely a compilation of guidelines and best practices; assisted in the review process of RiSSC's and project partners' deliverables, ensuring appropriate communication and timely information and feedback sharing, with consequent implementation of the inputs received.
Name and address of employer	RiSSC – Research Centre on Security and Crime, Turin (Italy)
Type of business or sector	Nonprofit organization – Research, Transnational criminal phenomena, EU project management, law enforcement training
Dates	From 01/19 to 06/19
Occupation or position held	Field-based intern
Main activities and responsibilities	Field-based intern for the Office of the International Co-Investigating Judge at the ECCC, Extraordinary Chambers in the Courts of Cambodia, and UNAKRT, United Nations Assistance to the Khmer Rouge Trials. Provided legal, factual and historical research assistance in the context of Case 004; conducted extensive analysis of evidence material and written testimonies concerning mass-scale crimes taking place within a context of collective violence; assisted in the assessment of Civil Parties' applications.
Name and address of employer	ECCC – Extraordinary Chambers in the Courts of Cambodia, Phnom Pen (Cambodia) UNAKRT – UN Assistance to the Khmer Rouge, Phnom Pen (Cambodia)
Type of business or sector	Hybrid Tribunal – Research and evidence evaluation, international crimes, war crimes, crimes against humanity, genocide
Dates	From 10/18 to 12/18
Occupation or position held	Short term consultant
Main activities and responsibilities	Engaged with a European Commission funded H2020 project on detecting and analyzing terrorism-related online contents and financing activities, which aimed at providing a set of innovative technologies and services to support law enforcement authorities in their investigative work. Participated in the preparation and running of training activities in Italy and Portugal for European law enforcement agencies working within the counter-terrorism context. Provided assistance in the preparation of the project activities' supporting material, training toolkit and dissemination strategy, in the communication with project partners as well as external interested entities. Tasked with assisting in the drafting of a deliverable to be submitted to the European Commission. Introduced to the realm of transnational cooperation and strengthened own experience in liaising with national and international authorities.

Name and address of employer	RiSSC – Research Centre on Security and Crime, Turin (Italy)
Type of business or sector	Nonprofit organization – Research, Transnational criminal phenomena, EU project management, law enforcement training
Dates	From 11/17 to 12/17
Occupation or position held	Volunteer
Main activities and responsibilities	The organization is located in the south-east of Cambodia. It provides for a safe environment for the children of a rural community affected by a number of socio-economic issues such as lack of infrastructures, health care and basic standards of hygiene, poverty and child labour, difficulty in attending formal means of education and absence of any informal system of support, lack of clean and running water, domestic violence and abuse, etc. Involved in childcare, ludic and teaching activities and the facilities' daily management.
Name and address of employer	Happyland – Charity Association Helping Cambodia's Children, Takeo Province (Cambodia)
Type of business or sector	Nonprofit organization - childcare and language teaching, community capacity development
Dates	From 02/17 to 09/17
Occupation or position held	Legal intern
Main activities and responsibilities	Conducted media monitoring and research with consequent drafting of daily digests as well as documents for internal and external use on criminal justice developments. Focus on the phenomenon of foreign fighters and the interconnection with migratory flows towards/from Europe. Updated on a daily basis the International Crimes Database and its related social media accounts (project maintained by the Institute and supported by the Dutch Ministry of Security and Justice and the International Centre for Counter-Terrorism). Assisted in the preparation and running of seminars, roundtables, themed conferences. Tasked with minutes-taking and subsequent drafting of brief reports on events attended (also for online publication).
Name and address of employer	T.M.C. Asser Institute, The Hague (The Netherlands)
Type of business or sector	Research institute on law – public international law, international criminal law, international humanitarian law, terrorism
Dates	From 06/16 to 06/16
Occupation or position held	Legal intern
Main activities and responsibilities	Conducted legal research and media monitoring on issues of international justice and humanitarian situations. Especially focused on monitoring criminal justice developments in target countries as well as on policy and legal issues linked to the phenomenon of mass migratory flows towards Europe from the MENA, Sahel and Sub-Saharan regions. Assisted in the preparation of field missions and participated to roundtables, EP sessions and various events, including the 15th Session of the International Criminal Court's Assembly of

	State Parties. Tasked with minutes-taking, drafting of internal memos and reports, daily digests, timely updates following events, etc. Assisted the African Division and other units' officers and carried out administrative and filing tasks.
Name and address of employer	Human Rights Watch, International Justice Program, Brussels (Belgium)
Type of business or sector	NGO – Research, reporting and advocacy on international criminal and humanitarian law, criminal justice, human rights violation and migration
Dates	From 07/15 to 08/15
Occupation or position held	Volunteer
Main activities and responsibilities	Volunteered in a center for unaccompanied minors, project “Senza Confini”, SPRAR and Labirinto Cooperativa Sociale. The center welcomes an average of ten young men in their teenage. Involved on a daily basis in the beneficiaries' staying, their academic and professional development as well as their health checks and integration process. Confronted with the fundamental importance of active listening skills, timely and effective communication within the équipe and with the rotating staff; learned to develop an initiative-taking attitude and to actively seek guidance whenever needed.
Name and address of employer	SPRAR, Labirinto Cooperativa Sociale, Lunano (Italy)
Type of business or sector	Unaccompanied minors' community – Reception of asylum seekers and vulnerable groups, i.e, minors without care
Education and training	
Dates	From 02/18 to 07/18
Title of qualification awarded	LL.M. in Transnational Crime and Justice
Main subjects / occupational skills covered	Criminal justice, rule of law, human rights, peace and development, post conflict situations, international criminal law, international humanitarian law, transnational crimes, migration and refugee law
Organisation providing education and training	UPEACE - UN mandated University for Peace (Costa Rica) UNICRI – United Nations Interregional Crime and Justice Research Institute (Turin, Italy)
Level in EQF or national classification	Master of Laws
Dates	From 09/13 to 07/17
Title of qualification awarded	LL.B. in International and European Law, specialization in International Humanitarian and International Criminal Law
Main subjects / occupational skills covered	International criminal law, international humanitarian law, criminal justice, human rights, refugee law, migration law, international and European law, rule

	of law						
Organisation providing education and training	The Hague University of Applied Sciences (The Hague, The Netherlands)						
Level in EQF or national classification	Bachelor of Laws						
Personal skills							
Mother tongue(s)	Italian						
Foreign language(s)	English, French, Khmer						
Self-assessment	Understanding		Speaking			Writing	
<i>European level (*)</i>	Listening		Reading		Spoken interaction	Spoken production	
English	C2	C2	C2		C2	C2	
French	B1	B1	B1		B1	A2	
Khmer	A1	-	A1		A1	-	
	(*) Common European Framework of Reference for Languages						
Communication skills	Excellent communication and active listening skills, strengthened by the engagement with vulnerable categories and through clown-therapy volunteering, as well as by working seasonally in the hospitality sector.						
Organisational / managerial skills	Good organisational skills under limited supervision, good communication and engagement with different units and supervisors simultaneously, prioritization of tasks and self-management of assignments and deadlines.						

Job-related skills	<p>Familiar with working within a multicultural environment and under pressure, in team, under limited guidance as well as with remotely located colleagues. Culture sensitive.</p> <p>Excellent drafting and legal and policy research skills, incl. comparative research.</p> <p>Excellent factual and historical research skills, improved by engaging in the monitoring of media and online and offline platforms, and by the recent work conducted at the ECCC analysing and assessing evidence material and assisting in the drafting of factual and legal findings.</p> <p>Problem solving and initiative taking. Facing daily challenges with a positive attitude and adapting easily to situations out of my comfort zone.</p> <p>Flexible, curious and self-critic.</p>
Other skills	
Driving licence	B
Additional information	-
Attachments	-