

CURRICULUM VITAE ET STUDIORUM
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Current activities

- Chair of the Course in Political Science, University Federico II of Napoli.
- Director of the Department for the Analysis of Territorial and Environmental dynamics of the same university
- Professor of Political and Economic Geography
- Professor of Political and Economic Geography at the Air Force Academy

1. Academic career

- In 1986 he graduated in Political Science from the University of Naples "Federico II" with a thesis on "technological innovation and regional development." 110 vote and praise.
- In 1987 he won a scholarship to attend the Master in Economic Development at Unioncamere in Rome.
- From 1988 to 1990 he worked at FORMEZ with the rank of Assistant Project Manager in the project PMA Molise (Project of development of small and medium enterprises in the Molise Region).
- From 1989 to 1992 he worked as a researcher at the National Research Council (CNR Institute IROSS) on the theme of relationships between territorial development and environment in the Mezzogiorno of Italy.
- From 1993 to 2001 is a researcher at the Department for the Analysis of Territorial and Environmental Dynamics, University of Naples where he worked on problems of territorial and environmental development and socio-economic planning.

- In February 2000 he became Associate Professor of "Economic and Political Geography."
- From a.y. 02/03 to date is Professor of "Economic and Political Geography" at the Air Force Academy in Pozzuoli.
- In November 2008 he became Full Professor at the Faculty of Political Science, University of Napoli Federico II.

2. Activities in research groups.

- He was part of the research group AGEI-CNR For a map of risk and environmental degrade in Italy. Within the group's activities has developed analysis tools for interpretation of local environmental issues and has developed a survey methodology based on the use of indicators to quantify the "environmental pressure" of the investigated territorial entities. It 'been a spokesman of the experience of research group at the Annual Conference of the Association of British Geographers held in Nottingham.
- He was part of the research team, on use of local resources in the context of territorial settlement of FIAT in Melfi. As part of the research activities of this group, as well as take part in the planning stage, he was occupied in particular by turning the parties responsible for the planning and the consistency of the instruments of the plan with the new territorial reality CREATED further to locate the FIAT plant.
- He took part in the research group CNR-AGEI on settlement of the residences and Trends of Production in the metropolitan area of Naples. In the research carried out in the section on spatial-direction and causes of change in the localization patterns of the residential function.
- He took part in the research by Curella Foundation on economic and territorial integration of the southern regions of Italy in which has played the part devoted to examination of the flows and networks (Population , goods, communications) between the southern regions.
- He has been a member of the AGEI research team on Geography and geopolitics in the Far East in which was responsible for the dynamics of the economic development of China and the consequences for environmental sustainability;
- He has been a member of the MURST research team on dismissed industries and urban regeneration in which he dealt with the phenomena of de-industrialization in the metropolitan area of Napoli
- It 'been a member of the MURST research team on disused sites and urban green areas in Italy in which dealt with the phenomenon of deterritorialization and reterritorialization in the coastal Neapolitan towns.
- He joined the Regional Centre of Expertise on the Analysis and Monitoring of Environmental Risk CRC-AMRA (<http://www.amra.unina.it>) and especially to the "anthropic risk" section
- Recently has coordinate a research group on the competitiveness of southern Italy metropolis for the "Associazione studi e ricerche per il Mezzogiorno" published in the review "Rassegna Economica"

3. Institutional activities

- Since a.y. 10/11 Chair of the Course in Political Science, University Federico II of Napoli.
- Since a.y.10/11 Director of the Department for the Analysis of Territorial and Environmental dynamics of the same university
- From a.y. 02/03 to a.y. 05/06 was an elected member of the Academic Senate of the University of Naples Federico II
- From 2002 to 2004, as delegated by the Rector of Federico II and its representation, was a member of the Executive Council of the Interuniversity Consortium for the Italian Development Cooperation (CONICS) operating in the fields of higher education and training research conducted at the international and in particular, in collaboration with the MFA as part of its purpose and cultural cooperation and social-economic-with the countries in the developing world.
- From 2002 to 2005 he was a consultant in Brussels of the European Commission's General Research Directorate with the role of evaluator for the Framework Programmes on Scientific and Technological Research of the European Union (Framework Projects).

4. Consultancy

During his research and professional activity was involved, as well as more specific issues, in the fields of: environmental policy, planning and spatial analysis, regional economic development and local industrial location, marketing and regional marketing, tourism promotion, international economic relations, aid cooperation. From 1988 he worked as a researcher / consultant / trainer on behalf of:



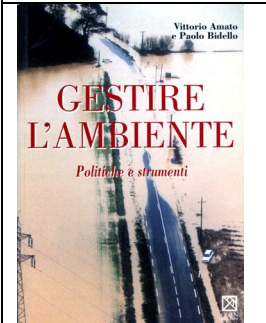


Sannitica Bank, former Ministry of Mezzogiorno, CESVITEC, Chamber of Commerce of Naples, Snibeg-CocaCola, Consortium of municipalities of Valle Telesina, ISFID, Committee For The New Entrepreneurship In the Mezzogiorno, Datitalia Processing, Formez, CSST (Fiat) , Ferrovie Calabro Lucane, Infrasad Progetti, Campania Region, Q8 Petroleum, Assefor, Banca Popolare S. Angelo, Town of Apice, Fopri, Metafor, Is.Fo.R, Conform, Confartigianform, Golden Mile Territorial Pact, Agro Nocerino-Sarnese Territorial Pact, Province of Naples, Ministry of Foreign Affairs and many others including NGOs

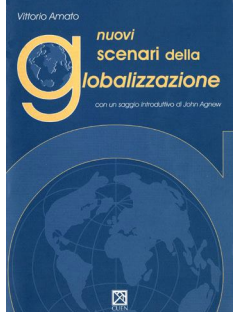
He has a 20 years experience in local development and territorial cohesion programs as a designer and as a coordinator and researcher.

He has a similar experience in the field of vocational training through classroom activities and through the design and coordination of training projects on behalf of public and private entities to rely on national and EU funds.

5. Publications

a) Volumes

	<p>Issues of environment politics. A scenario approach to the Mezzogiorno, Naples, 1991</p>
	<p>Technological Risk, Environment and Territory, Napoli, 1995.</p>
	<p>Managing the environment. Policies, strategies and tools, Napoli, 1998 (with P. Bidello)</p>
	<p>The possible enhancement. The Torre-Stabia area between resignation and new projects, Napoli, 2002 (con F. Pollice)</p>
	<p>Scenarios of globalization, Napoli, 2004</p>

	<p>The identity of Southern Italy. For a critical approach to the geography of the gap (editor). Roma, 2004</p>
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b) Essays and Articles

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- The problem of areas at high risk of environmental crisis, in " Ambiente Risorse Salute " n ° 53, 1997
- Situation and prospects of world fisheries, in " Studi Marittimi ", No. 49, 1996.
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- Green occupation, "Orizzonte Sicilia", No. 51, 1996
- The problems of "food security", in " Ambiente Risorse Salute", No. 49 a.XV, 1996
- Current situation and prospects of world fisheries, in " Studi Marittimi", No. 49, a.XIX, 1996
- Food Security in Developing Countries, Communication presented at the XXVII Italian Geographical Congress, Trieste University, 21-25 May, 1996.
- The sustainability of development on a regional scale: an approach to the Italian case, in G. Dematteis (Ed.), Regions and networks in the unified European space, Florence, Society for Geographical Studies, 1996
- Industrial location and exploitation of local resources: the FIAT plant in Melfi, in Bencardino F. (Ed.) Supply and demand of territorial development policies for the Mezzogiorno, Naples, Edizioni Scientifiche Italiane, 1996.
- Naples and Palermo: two compared spatial dynamics, in "Orizzonte Sicilia", n. 48, 1995.
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