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Personal information

First name(s) / Surname(s) **Antonino Costa**

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Nationality **Italian – but ENGLISH MOTHER TONGUE, having completed all three levels of education - primary, secondary and tertiary - in Sydney (Australia).**

Date of birth

Occupational field **Education - English Teacher**
Finance - Accountant, Tax Consultant, Auditor

Work experience

Name and address of employer **University of Messina**

Dates **Academic Year 2017/18 - Department of Economics**

Occupation or position held **Substitute professor of “English” in the Undergraduate Degree Course in Business Administration - L18 and of “English for Tourism” in the Postgraduate Degree Course in Management of Tourism and the Environment - LM77**

Dates **Academic Years 2016/17 and 2015/16 – Department of Economics**

Occupation or position held **Substitute professor of “English” in the Undergraduate Degree Course in Business Administration - L18 and of “English (B2)” in the Postgraduate Degree Course in Economics and Finance – LM56**

Dates **Academic Year 2014/15 - Department of Economics, Business, Environment and Quantitative Methods**

Occupation or position held **Substitute professor of “English (B2)” in the Postgraduate Degree Course in Economics and Finance - LM56**

Dates **Academic Years 2013/14 and 2012/13 - Department of Economics, Business, Environment and Quantitative Methods**

Occupation or position held **Substitute professor of “English” in the Undergraduate Degree Course in Business Administration - L18**

Dates **Academic Years 2011/12, 2010/11 and 2009/10 – Faculty of Economics**

Occupation or position held **Substitute professor of “English” in the Undergraduate Degree Course in Business Administration - L18**

Dates **Academic Years 2008/09 and 2007/08 – Faculty of Economics**

Occupation or position held **Substitute professor of “English” in the Degree Course in Banking, Finance and Insurance**

Dates **From the Academic Year 1993/94 to the Academic Year 2006/07 – Faculty of Economics**

Occupation or position held **Collaborator and Expert of “English” in the Degree Course in Banking and Insurance Sciences (later redenominated “Banking, Finance and Insurance”**

Dates **From the Academic Year 1986/87 to the Academic Year 1992/93 – Faculty of Economics**

Occupation or position held **English lecturer, initially in the Degree Course in Economics and Commerce (M/Z) and then in the Degree Course in Banking and Insurance Sciences**

Main duties and responsibilities	On the 16.04.1997 I was nominated "Cultore della materia" (Expert in the subject of English) and from June 1997 onwards I became a permanent member of the examining board (for both written and oral exams) in the Degree Course in Banking, Finance and Insurance as well as other degree courses. Duties have always included teaching both general English grammar and pronunciation as well as Business English; preparing and correcting exam papers, assessing students in oral exams; preparing teaching and study material and giving individual assistance to students with particular difficulties in the language.
Name and address of employer	<u>"Inlingua" School of Languages – Messina (Italy)</u>
Dates	1993 - 2003
Occupation or position held	Mother tongue English language teacher
Main duties and responsibilities	Teaching English to students of all ages with the "inlingua" method, entirely in English
Name and address of employer	<u>State Commercial and Technical Institute – Furci Siculo (Messina)</u>
Dates	1988 - 1992
Occupation or position held	English lecturer
Main duties and responsibilities	Drilling, conversation, reading and pronunciation.
Name and address of employer	<u>P. M. Ginman & Co. - Chartered Accountants – Sydney (Australia)</u>
Dates	1980 -1985 (simultaneously with part-time degree course in Business Studies)
Occupation or position held	Accountant
Main duties and responsibilities	Accountancy, audit, tax consultancy and tax returns.

Education and training

Dates	1985
Title of qualification awarded	Bachelor of Business Degree
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	New South Wales Institute of Technology – Sydney (Australia)
Dates	1985
Title of qualification awarded	Registration as a Tax Agent
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	Tax Practitioners Board of N.S.W.
Dates	1976
Title of qualification awarded	Higher School Certificate
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	Kingsgrove High School – Sydney (Australia)
Dates	1997
Title of qualification awarded	Nomination as "Cultore" (Expert in the subject of English)
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	Università degli Studi di Messina

Personal skills and competences

Mother tongue(s)

English and Italian

Other language(s)

Self-assessment

European level (*)

French

Understanding				Speaking				Writing	
Listening		Reading		Spoken interaction		Spoken production			
B1	Intermediary Level	B2	Intermediary Level	B1	Intermediary Level	B1	Intermediary Level	Intermediary Level	

(*) *Common European Framework of Reference for Languages*

Computer skills and competences

Excellent knowledge of Microsoft applications and the Office Suite, especially Excel and Powerpoint. Excellent ability to navigate on the Internet.

Other skills and competences

Translation of numerous academic papers in various fields such as commerce, banking and finance, medicine and law as well as tourist guide books.