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Occupational field **Senior Researcher at the Institute for Studies on the Mediterranean (ISMed),
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Dates 1988-today

Occupation or position held **Researcher**

Main activities and responsibilities In charge for bilateral projects CNR/JSPS (Italy/Japan), participant to bilateral project CNR/CACH (Italy/China), In charge for the CNR interdepartmental agreement "I sottosuoli antropici meridionali" (Southern Italy Underground Built Heritage-UBH), in charge for cooperative agreements with more than 30 municipalities, geo/parks and supervision boards for cultural heritage, in charge for the project "DMS Regione Campania"

CNRName and address of employer Institute for Studies on the Mediterranean (ISMed), National Research Council of Italy (CNR)

Type of business or sector

Education and training

Dates 1988

Title of qualification awarded Bachelor in Economy

Name and type of organisation providing education and training University of Naples, Italy

Personal skills and competences

Mother tongue

Italian

Other languages)

Self-assessment

European level

English

French

Understanding		Speaking		Writing	
Listening	Reading	Spoken interaction	Spoken production		
Fluent C	Fluent C	Fluent C	Fluent C	Fluent C	
Intermediate B	Intermediate B	Intermediate B	Intermediate B	Intermediate B	

(*) Common European Framework of Reference for Languages

Social skills and competences

- Research interests (5 Key words): social and economic growth, cultural heritage, governance, classification of elements of cultural heritage, support to local bodies
- Author of more than 80 publications in scientific journals and books.
- Invited speaker on more than 30 academic and general public conferences and debates.
- Organization and Communication at national and international congresses, specialized session and panels (more than 60 communications).
- Supervisor of trainees for University of Naples Federico II and University "Orientale" of Naples
- Participant as component in commissions of local bodies
- ICOMOS member

Relevant roles and competences

- 2023, Regione Sardegna, Sostegno al saper fare delle donne, Isola di Bom Jesus dos Passos (Salvador de Bahia, Brasile), in charge for CNR
- 2022, Comune di Sperlinga, Comune di Modica, Comune di Sortino, Comune di Lercara Friddi, Comune di Alia, Comune di Calscibetta, Comune di Carbonia, Soprintendenza di Cagliari, Rocca di Cerere UGGp, Madonie UGGp, in charge for memorandum of understanding
- 2020, Regione Campania, Guidelines for planning Campania Region Destination Management System, in charge
- 2020, STM Perù, "Un ponte di ossa da Napoli a Lima", Academia Pontificia, Lima, Peru, in charge.
- 2019-2020, Bilateral project CNR/ JSPS (Japan) "Damage assessment and conservation of underground space as valuable resources for human activities use in Italy and Japan", in charge.
- 2019-2021, Commission of experts for the definition of cultural itineraries within UNESCO Sites, Metropolitan City of Naples, member
- 2019-today, Cost Action CA18110 "Underground for Value", MC member, co-leader WP1
- 2019- 2020, Joint lab project CNR-ICVBC/CSIC-IAM "ARCHAEOTECH" (Technologies and procedures for quality improvement procedures and time saving in the archaeological activities), participant
- 2019-2021 Bilateral project CNR/CACH (China), "Identificare e raccontare un percorso culturale: il caso della Via della Seta Marittima", participant.
- 2018-2019 Bilateral project CNR/ JSPS (Japan) "Damage assessment and conservation of underground space as valuable resources for human activities use in Italy and Japan", in charge
- 2016-2019 Bilateral project CNR/CACH (China), "Valorizzazione, Turismo e Partecipazione sociale. Sviluppo di soluzioni integrate alternative per siti storici meno promossi" participant
- 2015-today "Urban undergrounds in Southern Italy", in charge
- 2015 Novels from Underground Space (NUS). In cooperation with Ministero della Pubblica Istruzione e con il patrocinio di: Regione Campania, Comune di Napoli, Provincia di Napoli, in charge
- 2010-2015 "Urban undergrounds in the Mediterranean", in charge
- 2008, Urban undergrounds in Europe (EAUH), in charge
- 2007-2009 Undergrounds in Naples. In cooperation with Regione Campania, Comune di Napoli, Provincia di Napoli, Polizia di Stato, sponsored by: Provincia di Napoli, Regione Campania, Metropolitana spa, Tecno-in srl, Ansaldo, in charge

Most relevant publications (2022-2017)

- 2023, Varriale, R. Oral History as a Source for the Interpretation of UBH: The World War II Shelters in Naples Case Study. *Societies* 2023, 13, 130. <https://doi.org/10.3390/soc13050130>
- 2023, Varriale, R.; Aldighieri, B.; Genovese, L. Dismissed Mines: From the Past to the Future. *Heritage*, 6, 2152-2185. <https://doi.org/10.3390/heritage6020115>
- 2022, Varriale R., Genovese L., Aldighieri B., "Diffused Geoparks": Territorial Integration as Solution for a Shared Sustainable Growth Based on Geotourism in Italy, Japan and Tunisia. *Heritage*, 5, 2083-2105. <https://doi.org/10.3390/heritage5030109>
- 2022, Varriale R., Ciaravino R., Underground Built Heritage and Food Production: From the Theoretical Approach to a Case/Study of Traditional Italian "Cave Cheeses". *Heritage*, 5, 1865-1882. <https://doi.org/10.3390/heritage5030097>
- 2022, Varriale R., Parise M., Genovese L., Leo M., Valesse S., Underground Built Heritage in Naples: From Knowledge to Monitoring and Enhancement S. D'Amico, V. Venuti (eds.), *Handbook of Cultural Heritage Analysis*, Springer Nature Switzerland AG 2022, pp. 2001-2035, https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-030-60016-7_70
- 2021, Genovese L., Luvidi L., Varriale R., Fratini F., Earthen walled villages in the Shanxi Province: Laoniawan (老牛湾) case, in: L. Luvidi, F. Fratini, S. Rescic and J. Zhang (edited by), *Past and Present of Earthen Architectures in China and Italy*, CNR Edizione, Roma, pp. 229-238..
- 2021, Varriale R., Genovese L., Underground Built Heritage (UBH) as Valuable Resource in China, Japan and Italy. *Heritage*, 4, 3208-3237. <https://doi.org/10.3390/heritage4040180>
- 2021, Varriale R., "Underground Built Heritage": A Theoretical Approach for the Definition of an International Class. *Heritage*, 4, 1092-1118. <https://doi.org/10.3390/heritage4030061>
- 2021, Varriale R., "A Methodological Framework for UBH Classification", in: Pace G., Salvarani R. (edited by), *Underground Built Heritage Valorisation. A Handbook*, CNR edizioni, pp. 31-41
- 2020, Varriale R., "Underground Built Heritage in Italy and Japan. From the methodological approach to the comparative analysis of Pizzofalcone and Yoshimi Hyakuana hills case-studies", in: R.Varriale, C.Oguki, M. Parise (edited by), "Damage assessment and conservation of underground space as valuable resources for human activities use in Italy and Japan", *Opera Ipogea*, Special Issue, pp. 13-28.
- 2019, Genovese L., Varriale, R., Luvidi, L., Fratini, F. "Italy and China Sharing Best Practices on the Sustainable Development of Small Underground Settlements", *Heritage* 2019, 2, 813-825.
- 2019, Varriale R., "Re-Inventing Underground Space in Matera", *Heritage* 2019, 2, 1070-1084; doi:10.3390/heritage2020070
- 2019, Luvidi L., Fratini F., Resic S., Genovese L., Varriale R., "Earthen Walled Villages in the Shanxi Province: an Heritage at Risk of Disappearing", in: *Vernacular and Earthen architecture toward local development*, Tongji University Press, 2019, pp.163-170. ISBN 978-7-5608-8656-5
- 2019, Varriale R., Genovese L., Luvidi L., Fratini F., "Identification and Interpretation of a Cultural Route: Developing Integrated Solutions of Enhancing the Vernacular Historic Settlements", in: *Vernacular and Earthen architecture toward local development*, Tongji University Press, 2019, pp.601-608. ISBN 978-7-5608-8656-5
- 2018, Varriale R., "Underground archeological sites as drivers for social regeneration: The catacombs of San Gennaro in Naples", in: L. Genovese, H. Yan, A. Quattrocchi (edited by), *Preserving, managing and enhancing the archaeological sites: comparative perspectives between China and Italy*, CNR edizioni, Roma, pp. 133-144. ISBN 978 88 8080 291 4
- 2017, Varriale R., "Southern underground space: from the history to the future" in: M. Parise, C. Galeazzi, R. Bixio, A. Yamac (edited by), *Hypogea 2017, Proceedings of international conference of speleology in artificial cavities, Cappadocia March 6/10, 2017*, Dijital Düşler, Istanbul, pp. 548-555, ISBN 978-605-9690-37-0
- 2017, Lapenna V., Leucci G., Parise M., Porfyriou H., Genovese L., Varriale R., "A project to promote the natural and cultural heritage of the underground environment in Southern Italy" in: M. Parise, C. Galeazzi, R. Bixio, A. Yamac (edited by), *Hypogea 2017, Proceedings of international conference of speleology in artificial cavities, Cappadocia March 6/10, 2017*, Dijital Düşler, Istanbul, pp. 129-133d. ISBN 978-605-9690-37-0

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