Curriculum Vitae

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Gabriella Calvano is an Assistant Professor at Department of Research and Innovation Humanities at the University of Bari Aldo Moro (UNIBA) since February 2019.

She received the master's degree in Educational Sciences at UNIBA in 2005. In May 2014 she got the PhD in Education at UNIBA.

She is Quality Assurance and Control member for the Literature degree courses at the Department of Research and Innovation Humanities and since 2020 she is member of University Committee.

Since 2019, she coordinates the Education Group of the Network of Italian Universities for Sustainable Development, a network of 86 Italian universities, and she is a member of the Knowledge, Education, Training Group of the National Forum for Sustainable Development of the Ministry of the Environment and Energy Security. Since 2021, she collaborates with the Multi-Stakeholder Committee on Global Citizenship Education coordinated by the Italian Agency for Development Cooperation of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

Since 2022, she is the focal point of the Sustainable Development Solutions Network for the University of Bari.

Research activities

Her research interests focus on the relationship between education and sustainable development, the role of Universities for Sustainability, participatory and student-led processes for sustainable development at university level, environmental justice in relation to migration processes from a global citizenship education perspective, climate change education.

She is author and co-author of about 70 papers published in journals, international conferences, and collections.

Teaching activity

Currently, Gabriella Calvano teaches:

- General and Social Education in Bachelor's degree in Literature
- Education for Sustainable Development in Bachelor's degree in Natural Sciences.

She has been supervisor of about 40 bachelor and master thesis, has co-supervised PhD students at the University of Bari, she was external reviewer for a PhD thesis at the University of other Italian Universities.

Activities as PC member of international conferences and reviewer of scientific papers

Gabriella Calvano regularly serves in the Technical and Program Committee of several International Conferences and Workshops, including: IEEE International Conference on Advanced Learning Technologies (ICALT) – Track in Digital Game and Intelligent Toy Enhanced Learning (2019, 2021, 2022, 2024), International Conference on Education, Territories, and Nature (ETN 2021, 2022, 2023), Scientific Committee Member of the Congreso Internacional sobre Innovacion, Didactica y Education para la Sostenibilidad (CIIDES 2024).

Research participation

Since 2017, she has participated in several project.

Since 2017, she has been a member of the Research Group within the Italian Society of Pedagogy, specifically in the "Pedagogy of the Environment" and "Pedagogy of Emergency" sections. Since 2023, she has been a member of the Research Group within the SERICS Security and Rights in the CyberSpace Project, part of the PNRR M4C2 Funding Programme - Investment 1.3 Partnerships extended to Universities, Research Centres, Enterprises and Funding of Research Projects - Spoke 6. From 2020 to 2023, she was part of the research group within the "Leadership 4 Equity" project promoted by the Alma Mater University of Bologna and INDIRE. From 2020 to 2021, she was part of the Research and Innovation Group within the project entitled "Los Objetivos de Desarrollo Sostenible en el aula: género, educación de calidad y reducción de las desigualdades" (Redes I3CE-2020-5219) - Programa Redes-I3CE de investigación en docencia universitaria 2020-21, organized by the Vicerrectorado de Calidad e Innovación Educativa and the Instituto de Ciencias de la Educación at the University of Alicante.

Since 2023, she has been a member of the Scientific Committee for the "Hope – Education for Sustainability" project, funded by the Giacomo Feltrinelli Foundation and the Bolton Hope Foundation. From 2016 to 2019, she was a member of the Scientific Committee for the AFORED Project - a Training, Information, and Awareness-raising initiative focused on the activities of the Government's Extraordinary Commissioner for the Urgent Reclamation, Environmentalisation, and Redevelopment of the City of Taranto.

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