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Curriculum Vitae of Lia Quartapelle

Nationality: Italian

Date of birth: 15th of August 1982

Birthplace: Varese, Italy

Schools and university attended

November 2007 – present. **PhD candidate** at the PhD Economics Program, University of Pavia.

Sept. 2005/June 2007. **Laurea Specialistica in Economia dello Sviluppo Avanzata**, at the University of Florence, Department of Economics, 110/110 cum laude. Dissertation title "How does aid through Budget Support contributes to growth? A SAM-based analysis of the Mozambican case".

Sept. 2004-Sept. 2005. **Master in Economics with reference to Africa**, School of Oriental and African Studies, London, obtained with distinction. Dissertation title "General Budget Support as Conditional Aid. The Case of Mozambique".

Sept. 2001-June 2004 **Diploma di Laurea in Scienze Sociali per la Cooperazione e lo Sviluppo** (Bachelor in Social Sciences for Development and Cooperation) at the University of Pavia, Italy, 110/110 cum laude. Dissertation title "Structural Adjustment and Political Reforms. The case of Ghana".

Sept. 1999-May 2001 **International Baccalaureate** at the United World College of the Atlantic, Llantwit Major, Wales. Scholarship. Diploma score 45/45.

Sept. 1996-June 1999 Liceo Classico e di Ricerca San Raffaele, Milano, Italy.

July 2004. Corso di Alta Formazione (Workshop), 160 hrs, on "Tropical Agrosilvopastoralist Systems and Rural Development" Scuola Superiore Sant'Anna, Pisa, Italy.

May 2004. Workshop, three days, "Africa: Conflicts, reforms, development", International Political Studies Institute, Milan, Italy.

July 2002. Two workshops, one week each, "NGO and development", "Famine and development". Tutoring the first one. International Political Studies Institute, Milan, Italy.

Job experience

January 2007 to November 2007. Economist at the Italian Cooperation Office in Maputo, Mozambique. Policy advising and monitoring for the Budget Support Programme to the Mozambican Government, in the area of public financial management and good governance.

February 2006 to July 2006. Junior researcher for the joint United Nations Staff System College-Institute for the Relations with Latin America, Africa, Asia and the Middle East (IPALMO) project on "Accelerating the actions for MDGs achievement in Middle East and North Africa".

July-Oct. 2003. Internship at the Italian Cooperation in Maputo, Mozambique in the role of coordinator of the network of the Italian NGOs in Mozambique.

Languages and IT skills.

English: fluent. Spanish: fluent. Portuguese: fluent.
European Computer Driving Licence and proficient in Microfit.

Publications

Giampaolo Calchi Novati e Lia Quartapelle (2006), "Perché l'aiuto pubblico allo sviluppo: quale cooperazione", *Politica internazionale*, n. 1/2-3, gennaio-giugno 2006.

Giampaolo Calchi Novati e Lia Quartapelle (eds), *Terzo Mondo, addio. La conferenza afro-asiatica di Bandung in una prospettiva storica*, Carocci, Roma, under press.