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I am an affiliated researcher at the DIRPOLIS Institute of Scuola Superiore Sant'Anna (Italy) within the research cluster on social rights and disability, and a fellow at the Burton Blatt Institute of Syracuse University (USA), a member of the Royal Irish Academy Ethical, Political, Legal and Philosophical Studies Committee. I am also a senior expert of the European Disability Expertise network. Among other experiences, I was Visiting Professor at the Academia Interamericana de Derechos Humanos of the Autonomous University of Coahuila (Mexico). I conduct policy-oriented and academic research within fields of EU Law and International and Comparative Public Law, with a focus on the rights of persons with disabilities, cultural diversity and cultural rights. I have also distinct experience in interdisciplinary research, particularly qualitative and participatory methods. I have participated in several EU-funded studies on the UN Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities. Among other grants, I am the recipient of a European Research Council Consolidator Grant for the project DANCING on the right to participate in cultural life of persons with disabilities. I have taught and

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