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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

4 World Titles, 5 Italian Titles, 20 World Championships, 11 European Championships participations in the following different classes:

Optimist- 420 - 470- Vaurien- Formula 18- Match Race- Melges 32- Melges 20- Swan 45- IC37 - ORC - IRC - J70- J24- Maxi Yacht- Flying Phantom- Waszp- 69F- ClubSwan50- ClubSwan36- Offshore Sailing- RS21- IC37- Maxi72



2025:

- Mainsail Trimmer aboard Lisa, KER46
- Mainsail developer for Lisa, KER46
- Coaching in the Maxi72 Class, Django
- Coaching 69F Team Dubai
- Tactician aboard Manticore Mylius60
- Sailing in the Switch Class
- Waszp Coach

2024:

- Campaigning for Waszp Worlds in Norway
- Mainsail Trimmer aboard Lisa, KER46
- Coach and Sail developer Django ClubSwan50
- Maxi Yacht Campaign onboard Django HF (Wally82)
- MiniMaxi Yacht sailing, mainsail trimmer aboard Swan60
- Waszp performance Coach
- Tactician Rs21, Spirit of Nerina

2023:

- Tactician of Milyus65, Oscar 3, in the Mediterranean Season
- Coach or Runner onboard Django ClubSwan50
- Mainsail Trimmer onboard the Ker46 Lisa r, Sailing in the best IRC/ORC competitions around Europe
- Campaigning for Waszp Worlds in Australia
- Coaching 69F Swiss Team Okalys
- Helmsman onboard the new Carkeek 570 Carbonita

2022:

- Racing on Waszp, 4th place in the World Championships
- Mainsail trimmer on the Swiss 69F Team SDS
- Tactician of a Vismara62 participating in the Caribbean racing season - Maxi Yacht category
- Mainsail trimmer and helmsman on Ker46 (Lisa R) for the Offshore Season
- Mainsail trimmer in charge of upwind performance and mast tuning on Swan45 (Ulika)
- Tactician on Mini-Maxi class (Yoru)
- Tactician on Melges20

2021:

- Skipper and Team Principal for Team Young Azzurra, leader in the 69F Grand Prix circuit (won all stages)
- Tactician on Melges20 – B.Lex

2020:

- Skipper and Team Principal for Team Young Azzurra (only Italian team racing in the Youth America's Cup, later cancelled)
- Tactician on Melges20 – Russian team

2019:

- Started exploring foiling classes, training on Waszp

- Tactician on J70 (Gspottino). 4th place at the Bacardi Cup in Miami,
- 2nd place at the European Match Race Championships in Šibenik
- Tactician on Melges20 – Russian team

2018:

- Trained on TP52 following an invitation from Luna Rossa to take part in the February sessions
- Coached and mast tuned on Melges32 (DonIno), worked alongside Sebastian Col and Christian Kamp
- Match Racing skipper, 1st place in the Youth World Match Race
- 2nd place in the Match Racing World Sailing ranking list
- Helmsman on SouthernWind 72, crossing the Atlantic Ocean as part of ARC regatta (from Canary Island to St Lucia) and achieving 3rd place overall
- Tactician on Melges20 – Russian team

2017:

- Match Racing skipper, 2nd place at the Youth World Championships Match Race in the US, 2nd place at the European Championships in Poland, 1st place at the Italian Championships
- Tactician on Melges32 (Vitamina). Won the World Title in the Corinthian division
- Mainsail trimmer on Swan45. 3rd place at the World Championships in Palma de Mallorca
- Tactician on Melges20 – Russian team

2016:

- Helmsman and Team Leader of my Team, starting my Match Race experience. For the next 3 years, I would be called by the Italian Sailing Federation to be part of the national team, competing against the best Teams in the World Ranking

2015:

- Raced on Flying Phantoms catamarans following an invitation from Red Bull, achieving 2nd place
- Started my engagements as helmsman, mainsail trimmer and tactician onboard offshore boats
- Tactician on Swan45 and Grand Soleil46, winning the World Title in the Corinthian ORC A class

EDUCATION

Universita' degli Studi di Genova, IT	BEng Nautical Engineering	2015 – 2020
Shipbuilding (A+B+C), Naval systems, Naval architecture, Yacht Stability, 3D industrial design, Physics, Hydrodynamics		
Final Project: "Project design of a 48 ft sailing boat"		
Istituto Tecnico Navale, IT	Nautical Technical Institute	2010 – 2015

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Tech Skills: I got myself familiar with ways to scan and analyze sails' shape. I actually developed a way to analyze sails by just using my tools, I don't need any sailmaker software. I really enjoy testing and developing better rigging setup.

Languages: Italian (Native), English (Fluent)

Achievements and Interests:

- Rotaract Club Argentario (Rotary Club's young division), Italy
 - Patent attorney in Italy
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GENERAL PALMARES

2024:

- 7° ClubSwan50 World Championship, Django (Coach)
- 2° Les Voiles de St Tropez, IRC-B, LISAr (Mainsail Trimmer)
- 1° Rolex Swan Cup, Mini-Maxi division, Port Cervo, Sea Quill (Mainsail Trimmer)
- 2° Maxi Yacht World Championship, Porto Cervo, Django (Coach/Trimmer)
- 10° Waszp World Championship, Sandefjord (NOR)
- 3° Waszp Italia Cup, Dongo
- 1° Trofeo de la Reina, Valencia, ORC 0 (Tactician)
- 3° Foiling Week, Waszp Class
- 2° Giraglia Inshore IRC Overall, Lisa (Mainsail Trimmer)

2° Mediterranean Championship, Lisa (Mainsail Trimmer)
2° ClubSwan50 Warm-up, Django (Coach)
1° Waszp EuroCup, Imperia
1° SNIM Marseille, Lisa Ker46 (Mainsail Trimmer)
1° Barcelona Waszp Winter Series

2023:

9° Waszp World Championship, Melbourne
2° Sail Melbourne, Waszp Class
2° Rolex Middle Sea Race, IRC 3, Lisa Ker46 (Helmsman)
1° Coastal Rolex Middle Sea Race, IRC overall, Lisa Ker46
3° Copa del Rey MAPFRE, ORC1, Lisa Ker46 (Mainsail Trimmer)
3° Waszp European Championship, Quiberon FRA
3° Aegean Race, ORC overall, Carbonita Carkeek57 (Helmsman)
1° Foiling Week, Waszp Class
2° Rolex Giraglia IRC Overall, Lisa Ker46 (Helmsman)
3° Inshore Rolex Giraglia, IRC1, Lisa Ker46 (Mainsail Trimmer)
4° IRC European Championship, Cannes, Lisa Ker46 (Mainsail trimmer)
1° Waszp Italian Cup, Act 2, Bracciano
3° Trofeo Punta Stendardo, Gaeta, Lisa Ker46 (Mainsail trimmer)
3° Waszp Italia Cup, Act 1
1° Waszp EuroCup Imperia
1° Argentario Foil, Waszp Class

2022:

1° 69F Grand Prix in Puerto Portals (Helmsman)
4° Waszp World Championship
1° Foiling Week, Waszp Class
2° Grand Prix 2 69F, SDS Racing (Mainsail trimmer & Tactician)
1° Rolex Giraglia Overall, Lisa Ker46 (Mainsail and Helmsman)
3° Melges20 World League Gaeta, Kindako (Tactician)
2° Swan45 Sardinia Challenge, Villasimius (Mainsail Trimmer)
3° Tre Golfi Offshore ORC Overall, Lisa Ker46 (Helmsman/Mainsail)
3° Les Voiles de St. Barth, Yoru Vismara 62, CSA division (Tactician)
1° Italian Waszp leg1, Cala Galera

2021:

1° Grand Prix 4.1 69F, Puntaldia (Skipper Young Azzurra)
2° Melges20 Corinthian European Championship (Tactician, B.Lex)
7° Rolex Invitational Cup, Newport Rhode Island (Tactician, YCCS Team)
3° Youth Foiling Gold Cup 69F, Limone (Skipper Young Azzurra)
1° Grand Prix 2.2 69F, Porto Cervo (Skipper Young Azzurra)
1° Grand Prix 2.1 69F, Porto Cervo (Skipper Young Azzurra)
1° Sardinia Swan Challenge, Swan45 Class (Mainsail trimmer, Ulika)
1° Melges20 Garda Rally Corinthian, Malcesine (Tactician, B.Lex)
4° 151 miglia ORC Overall (Tactician, GS48)
3° Maxi Yacht, Portofino (Tactician, Vismara62)
1° Grand Prix 1.1 69F, Malcesine (Skipper, Young Azzurra)
2° Youth Foiling Gold Cup, Gaeta (Skipper, Young Azzurra)

2020:

2° Grand Prix #3 69F, Malcesine (Skipper Young Azzurra)
1° Grand Prix #2 69F, Malcesine (Skipper Young Azzurra)
1° Italian Waszp Championship
2° Revolution Cup Open, 69F Gargnano (Helmsman)
2° Revolution Cup U25, 69F Gargnano (Helmsman)

2019:

2° European Match Race Championship, Sibenik Gr1 (Helmsman)
2° Italian Match Race Championship (Helmsman)
3° Russian Cup Melges20, preEuropeans (Tactician)
-Gold fleet J70 European Championship (Tactician)
7° Argo Gold Cup Gr1, Bermuda (Helmsman)
1° Regina dei Paesi Bassi, Offshore ORC, GS48(Tactician)
7° Nations Cup Gr1, San Francisco (Helmsman)

- 2° PMYC Match Race Gr. 2, Montenegro (Helmsman)
- 3° Monaco Melges20 Winter Series (Tactician, RUS184)
- 5° Bacardi Cup Winter Series J70, Miami (Tactician, Gspottino)

2018:

- 3° ARC2018, Atlantic Crossing div.A (SouthernWind72, Helmsman)
- 2° Team Race Italian Championship, Campione del Garda (Helmsman)
- 4° Russian Open Melges20, Cagliari (Tactician)
- 2° Melges32 World League, Cagliari (Coach, DonIno)
- 4° Sopot Match Race Grade1
- 6° Open European Match Racing Championship, Tallinn Grade1
- 5° Melges20 World League, Riva del Garda
- 15° Italian J70 Championship, Malcesine 72 boats (Tactician, Gspottino)
- 1° Youth Match Racing World Championship, Ledro lake
- 3° OM Match Race, Gr.2
- 8° Melges20 World League, Lerici
- 1° Gavitello d'Argento IRC, Swan45
- 7° Argo Group Gold Cup, Bermuda, Gr1
- 2° Szczecin Match Race, Gr2
- 1° Pasquavela IRC, GS46
- 1° Monte Argentario Winter Series IRC
- 1° Monte Argentario Winter Series ORC
- 2° February Match Race, Scarlino Gr3
- Training session on TP52 Luna Rossa as Runner
- 3° Melges20 Primo Cup, Monaco

2017:

- 1° Christmas Match Race, Trieste, Grade2
- 1° November Match Race, Scarlino Grade 3
- 3° CNVA Match Race, Grade 2
- 3° Swan45 World Championship
- 1° Italian Match Race U23 Championship
- 1° Melges32 World Championship Corinthian
- 2° Youth European Match Racing, Swinoujscie POL
- 2° Youth Match Racing World Championship, California USA
- 3° Italian Sailing League, Trieste
- 11° Open European Match Racing Championship
- 4° IRC Overall Trofeo Gavitello d'Argento
- 1° ORC 0 151 Miglia-Trofeo Cetilar
- 1° Grand Soleil Cup ORC & IRC Overall
- 1° Trofeo Regina dei Paesi Bassi
- 3° Warm Up, Polish Match Tour, grade 3
- 3° Lunga Bolina ORC Overall
- 2° Pasquavela ORC
- 1° Pasquavela IRC
- 1° Spring Match Race Trasimeno, grade 4
- 1° March Match Race Scarlino, grade 3
- 1° Argentario Winter Series ORC overall
- 1° Argentario Winter Series IRC overall
- 5° Trophée LVDH Antibes, grade 3

2016:

- 3° Argentarola's Cup
- 1° Qualifiers Italian Sailing League
- 2° October Match Race Scarlino, Match Race grade 3
- 4° Swan45 World Championship
- 3° European Open Match Racing Championship, DEN
- 3° European Youth Match Race Championship
- 1° Gamla Stans Team Racing Stockholm (Team YCCS)
- 1° Trofeo Gavitello d'Argento IRC overall
- 1° Trofeo Gavitello d'Argento ORC overall
- 1° Trofeo Punta Stendardo (Swan45, Mainsail Trimmer)
- 3° Scarlino 2K Team Racing (YCCS, Helmsman)
- 1° Licata Match Race, grade 3
- 1° Trofeo Reali Presidi di Spagna ORC
- 2° Italian Qualifiers ORC

2° Pasquavela IRC1, GS46 (Tactician)
2° Pasquavela ORC1, GS46 (Tactician)
3° Spring Match Race Ravenna, grade 4
2° March Match Race Scarlino, grade 3
2° February Match Race Scarlino, grade 3

2015:

1° Argentarola's Cup 2015 (Tactician, GS 46)
3° Monaco 2K Team Racing (Helmsman YCCS)
4° October Match Race Scarlino, grado3 (Helmsman)
6° European Youth Match Race (Mainsail and Tactician,)
12° Copa del Rey 2015 (Randista, Swan45)
4° RYS Bicentenary Regatta 2015 Team Racing, Cowes (Helmsman YCCS)
2° RedBull Foiling Generation (Malcesine, Helmsman)
1° Mondiale ORC A (cat. Corinthian, Mainsail Trimmer)
1° Gavitello d'Argento ORC (Swan45, Mainsail Trimmer)
2° Campionato italiano J24 (Helmsman)
1° European 2K Team Racing (Helmsman YCCS)
1° Grand Soleil cup IRC (Mainsail Trimmer)
2° Roma X Tutti Overall (Mainsail/Helm)
5° SNIM 2015 IRC2 (Marsiglia, Swan45, Tactician)
1° Edmiston Trophy Team Racing Gran Canaria (Tactician/Mainsail)
1° Winter series Riva di Traiano ORC1 (Swan45, Tactician)
2° Winter series Riva di Traiano IRC1 (Swan45, Tactician)

2014:

2° Argentarola's Cup 2014 (Tactician)
2° Trophy Regina dei Paesi Bassi 2014 (Helmsman)
1° Vaurien World Championship
1° U23 Vaurien World Championship
2° Vaurien European Championship
2° Invitational Team Racing Porto Cervo
3° "Gavitello d'Argento" 2014 (First40, Mainsail Trimmer)
2° Pasquavela 2014 IRC (Helmsman)

Best Results before 2014:

2° Youth World Championship, FRA Brest 2012 (Vaurien Class)
4° World Championship Overall, FRA Brest 2012 (Vaurien Class)
1° Vaurien Italian Championship 2012
1° Vaurien Italian Championship 2013
1° Student Italian Championship 2012
8° World Championship Overall, GER (Vaurien Class)
2° Youth World Championship, GER (Vaurien Class)
3° BMW European Team Racing, Berlin (Optimist)
1° Optimist Italian Championship 2010
1° Team Race Ledro Lake 2010 Italian National Team
7° Optimist Team Racing World Championship, Langkawi Malaysia
F18 Worlds 2013, gold Fleet (bowman)
2010 Optimist World Championship, Langkawi, Malaysia
2009 Optimist World Championship, Rio de Janeiro, Brasil
2013 U19 Youth Italian Match Race Championship
2012 Olympic Classes Italian Championship, 470

Detailed Palmares 2010:

2° Marcello Campobasso Trophy, Naples RYCCS
1° D.Lupidi Trophy, Livorno
12° V Kaab Trophy Palamos (Spain)
2° Optimist Qualifiers district Civitavecchia
1° Accademia Navale Livorno Trophy (third year in a row)
2° Italian Qualifiers to represent Italy in the World Championship
1° Team Racing Ledro (Italian Team)
Named revelation athlete of the year 2010 by the municipality of Monte Argentario
1° Optimist Italian Championship
4° St. Nikolas Trophy, Pula, CRO
Qualified inside the Italian Team for the Opti Worlds 2010 in Malaysia
7° Optimist Team Racing World Championship, Langkawi Malaysia

1° Faccenda Trophy

Detailed Palmares 2009:

4° Marcello Campobasso Trophy

1° Silvestri Trophy, Livorno

23° Ciudad di Palamos Trophy (Barcelona) 4° italian (400 competitors)

3° District Qualifiers, Porto Rotondo

19° Meeting del Garda Optimist

2° Volvo Cup third step, Punta Ala

1° Qualifiers, M. Carrara

1° Accademia Navale Trophy, Livorno

3° National Qualifiers to become part of the Italian Team for the Opti Worlds in Rio de Janeiro

Qualified for 2009 Opti Worlds in Rio De Janeiro

6° Optimist d'Argento International Trophy, Torbole

3° Italian Team Racing Championship, Trani

First Italian in the 2009 Opti Worlds

3° Optimist Italian Championship, Reggio Calabria

1° Città di Follonica Trophy

1° Zuccherò a Vela Trophy, Castiglione del Lago

1° Coppa delle Coppe FIV National league, Follonica

3° BMW Team Racing, Berlin

1° Meeting 2009 Livorno

1° District Championship Optimist

Detailed Palmares 2008

1° Accademia Navale Trophy, Livorno

1° Qualifiers for the Italian Championship, Follonica

2° Bracciano Trophy

1° Vatteroni Trophy

9° Optimist Italian Championship

2° Aico Cup National

2° Classified District Meeting, Marina di Campo

2° Classified District championship

Call to join the Italian Team to take part to the XXIV International Mediterranean Cup, Reggio Calabria

1° XXIV International Mediterranean Cup a Reggio Calabria

Detailed Palmares 2007:

1° Vatteroni Trophy, Carrara

1° District regatta, Pietrabianca

2° International Meeting del Garda

2° Accademia Navale Livorno Trophy

1° Spring Cup National regatta, Cervia

1° Qualifiers, Livorno

1° Third step Volvo Cup, Bracciano

1° Optimist d'Argento, Torbole

1° Qualifiers, Follonica

1° Atlantica Trophy, Cervia

1° Ora Cup International, Lake Garda

1° Touring Cup, Ancona

1° Follonica Trophy

1° Tirreno Trophy, Talamone

1° Meeting, La Spezia

1° District Championship

1° Volvo Cup Final ranking 2007