

**Antonio Dal Borgo**, Programme Manager ed esperto elettorale, Commissione Europea – Direzione Generale Cooperazione Internazionale e Sviluppo (DEVCO-EuropeAid)

### **Education:**

Degree(s) or Diploma(s) obtained:

London School of Economics and Political Science (LSE)

October 1995 - August 1996

Master of Science in International Relations

Institut d'Etudes Politiques de Strasbourg (Sciences Pô) - Université Robert Schuman)

October 1993 - July 1994 Erasmus Certificate

University of Bologna

October 1990 - October 1995 Bachelor of Arts in Political Science and International Relations (cum magna laude)

## **Work Experience**

1. November 2014 – present

DG/Unit: DEVCO/G.2, Regional Programmes Latin America and Caribbean

Job title: Programme Manager

Functions and duties:

In charge of design and implementation of regional programmes in the field of Security Sector Reform (SSR), Rule of Law, Drugs and Migration.

Contribution to briefings and thematic documents on Security Sector Reform and the Rule of Law. Contribution to the implementation of the EU Strategy on Citizen Security in Central America and the Caribbean.

2. September 2006 – October 2014

DG/Unit: DEVCO, EU Delegation in Guatemala

Job title: International Aid/Cooperation Officer

Functions and duties:

In charge of bilateral cooperation projects supporting the reform of the justice system and the security apparatus (Programme to Support the Reform of Justice – PARJ and Programme to Support Security and Justice in Guatemala – SEJUST).

In charge of the support to the UN-sponsored International Commission against Impunity in Guatemala (CICIG).

In charge of implementation of Instrument for Stability-funded project to support to the peaceful settlement of territorial

dispute between Guatemala and Belize.

In 2007-2008, in charge of bilateral project support Public Finance Management (Project to Support Budget Management – AGEP).

Design and implementation of development co-operation projects/programmes in the field of Good Governance with main expertise on Justice/Rule of Law, Democracy/Elections (including electoral assistance and observation), Security Sector Reform, Human Rights.

Policy analysis in the fields of Justice/Rule of Law, Democracy/Elections, Security Sector Reform, Human Rights.

Political analysis and reporting, with active involvement in the Delegation's regular reporting to HQ and participation to EU HoMs meeting with HoD.

Co-ordination with government institutions, diplomatic community and other international donors, with active and regular participation to technical working groups in the justice/security sector and occasional participation to donors meeting at level of Heads of Cooperation.

Focal point for the all election-related matters, including follow-up of EU Election Observation Mission deployed in 2007 and Election Expert Mission deployed in 2011.

Delegation Security Coordinator (DSC).

# 3. June 2003 - September 2006

Employer: Municipality of Modena (Italy), "Progetto Europa" office

Job title: Project Manager

Functions and duties:

Design and management of decentralised cooperation programmes (EU-funded) Co-ordination and liaison with public and private national/international institutions Advisor on political issues related to the Western Balkans Organization of international visits and promotional events

## 4. May 2002 - September 2006

DG/Unit: EU and OSCE/ODIHR

Job title: Election Observer (long-term and short-term)

Functions and duties:

Monitoring of electoral processes

Reporting on political developments and election administration

Main achievements:

Election Observation Missions (EOMs) carried out in the following countries: Montenegro, Kenya, Sierra Leone, Nigeria, Guatemala, Indonesia, Ukraine, West Bank and Gaza, Haiti, Belarus, Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia.

#### 5. October 1999 - November 2001

Employer: OSCE, Mission in Kosovo (seconded by the Italian Ministry of Foreign Affairs)

Job title: Democratization Officer / Election Officer / Election Trainer

## Functions and duties:

Political Party Development and Civil Administration Support Officer

Served as liaison with local Political party leaders, international Intergovernmental agencies and NATO (KFOR)

Implemented various Democratisation/Governance programmes

Co-ordinated Municipal Election Commissions activities

Organised, supervised and carried out elections-related field operations for the Kosovo 2000 Municipal and the 2001 Assembly elections.

## 6. May 1999 - August 1999

Employer: InterSos (Organisation for Humanitarian Emergency)

Job title: Logistician / Administrator

### Functions and duties:

Logistics and administrative manager of humanitarian activities in Montenegro Implementation of humanitarian aid programmes during the Kosovo crisis for IDPs and refugees from the region

# 7. June 1997- June 1998

Employer: Arma dei Carabinieri, Emilia-Romagna Regional HQ

Job title: Police Officer

Functions and duties:

Accomplished compulsory military service duties

Tasked with patrolling of sensitive locations, investigations and classified data processing

# 8. January 1997- June 1997

Employer: Institute for Central-Eastern Europe and the Balkans (University of Bologna, Italy)

Job title: Junior Researcher

Functions and duties:

Scientific research on Slovenian-Croatian diplomatic relations

Organised educational and scientific events

Wrote and dispersed press releases and promotional information

Main achievements:

Publication of two Occasional Papers (see section "Additional Information")

## 9. November 1993 - July 1994

Employer: Mr. Luciano Vecchi, Member of the European Parliament

Job title: Parliamentary Assistant

Functions and duties:

Wrote articles for local and international press on EU parliamentary activities

Research on various dossiers with special focus on CFSP

Acted as Italian representative at various meetings at (plenary sessions)

Wrote and dispersed press releases and promotional information

# PERSONAL SKILLS AND COMPETENCES

#### PERSONAL SKILLS

Drafting skills

Negotiation skills

Public speaking

Ability to work in multinational teams

Diplomacy and sound judgement

Dedicated and result-oriented

Ability to work under pressure and extreme circumstances

Used to meet tight deadlines

Aptitude to provide training and presentations

## **COMPETENCES**

Design and management of international aid programmes in the field of Good Governance with main expertise on Justice/Rule of Law, Democracy/Elections (including electoral assistance and observation), Security Sector Reform, Human Rights.

Political analysis and reporting Internationally qualified expert for EU/OSCE-ODIHR Election Observation

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Relevant trainings and seminars:

ωEuropean Commission – DG DEVCO/Dutch Ministry of Foreign Affairs in cooperation with ISSAT Advanced training course on Security Sector Reform (SSR),1-5 December 2014, The Hague, The Nethrlands.

ωEuropean Commission – DG DEVCO in cooperation with European Security and Defence College (ESDC) Training course on Fragility, Security and Development in a changing world,14-16 April 2014, Brussels, Belgium.

o European External Action Service − EEAS in cooperation with Folke Bernadotte Academy Training course on Conflict Analysis and Transformation, 22-26 April 2013, Managua, Nicaragua.

ωEuropean External Action Service – EEAS in cooperation with Federal Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Belgium Training course on Foreign Affairs Crisis Team (FACT), 18-22 March 2013, Marche-en-Famenne, Belgium.

⊚European Security and Defence College – ESDC
 Training course on Peacebuilding, 12-19 October 2012, Stadtschlaining, Austria.

ωEuropean External Action Service – EEAS
Regional Seminar for Political Counsellors (Latin America), 26-27 April 2012, Montevideo, Uruguay.

regional definital for Folitical doubschors (Eath America), 20-27 April 2012, Montevideo, Oraguay.

ωEuropean External Action Service – EEAS/ European Commission – DG DEVCO Regional Seminar on Coca, drugs production and trafficking in Latin America, 22-25 April 2012, La Paz, Bolivia.

ωEuropean External Action Service – EEAS (implemented by German Army)
Training course on Hostile Environment Awareness Training (HEAT), 10-14 October 2011, Hemmelburg military base, Germany.

ωEuropean Commission – DG DEVCO

Training course on Justice and Security Sector Reform in EU external aid, 16-20 May 2011, Brussels, Belgium.