

## 4.2 Centre for Labour Studies Staff

### 4.2.1 Lecturing and Research Staff



Ms Anna Borg M.Sc (Manchester Metropolitan), Dip. Soc. Studies (Gender and Dev.), joined the Centre's academic staff in 2008. She coordinates the Diploma in Social Studies (Gender and Development) and the Bachelor in Work and Human Resources (Honours) 2012-2017. She lectures in the area of equality and diversity in the labour market, gender and tourism, qualitative research methods and HR topics. Ms Borg is the national correspondent of the European Working Conditions Observatory and the European Restructuring Monitor of the European Foundation for the Improvement of Living and Working Conditions (Dublin). Ms Borg is currently reading for a PhD with Middlesex University, UK.



Prof. Godfrey Baldacchino, Ph.D. (Warwick), B.A.(Gen.), PGCE (Malta), M.A. (The Hague) is Professor of Sociology at the University of Malta and the Chair of the Board of Centre (as Rector's Delegate) since 2010. He spent ten years (2003-2013) as Canada Research Chair (Island Studies) at the University of Prince Edward Island, Canada. He lectures in globalisation, work and development; the workplace; people, work and industrial relations.



Dr Manwel Debono, B.Psy.(Hons), M.Sc.(Hull), Ph.D. (Malta), CPsychol, AFBPsS joined the Centre in 2003 and became the Director of the Centre in 2009. Dr Debono coordinates the Postgraduate Diploma in Lifelong Career Guidance and Development and the Bachelor in Work and Human Resources (Honours) 2010-2015. He lectures in organisational psychology, human resource management and career guidance, and oversees the Centre's research projects.



Ms Christine Farrugia B.Psy (Hons), MSc (Leicester), CeFA, joined the Centre for Labour Studies in 2006 as a graduate trainee. In 2011, she started working as a part-time research support officer. She coordinates and is the national correspondent of the European Industrial Relations Observatory.



Mr Luke Fiorini B.Sc (Hons), P.G.Dip., M.Sc. (Derby), S.R.P., joined the Centre's academic staff in 2012. He coordinates the Diploma in Social Studies (Occupational Health and Safety) and lectures in areas related to Occupational Health and Safety, work performance and ergonomics. He has been involved in a number of the Centre's projects and is currently reading for a PhD with the University of Nottingham, UK.



Dr Francis La Ferla, MOM, FFOM (Lond), MSc Occ Med (Lond), MB. BCh., DIC (Lond), MSc Env Scs (Lond), DSM (Lond), FFOM (Dub), FIOSH, FRSA, FRIPH, is an internationally recognised expert in the field of Occupational Medicine, Health and Safety. He is the academic consultant and an examiner and lecturer in the Diploma in Social Studies (Occupational Health and Safety).



Mr Saviour Rizzo, B.A. (Gen.), M.Ed. (Malta), has been associated with the Centre since its establishment in 1981. He served as the Director of the Centre between 2003 and 2009. He lectures in Industrial Sociology and Sociology of Education and is a part-time research support officer with the Centre.



Mr Charles Tabone B.Psy. PGCE (PSD) (Malta) works as a PSD teacher in the public sector. He has contributed to the Centre's research projects since 2005 and is currently appointed as a part-time research support officer with the Centre.



Prof. Edward L. Zammit, D.Phil. (Oxon.), M.Litt., B.A. (Chicago), Ph.L., is the founding Director of the Centre for Labour Studies (1981-2002). He served as the Chairman of the Centre (as Rector's Delegate) between 2002 and 2009. He lectures in industrial sociology, organisational participation and industrial relations.

The following persons served as visiting lecturers for our academic programmes between 2011 and 2012:

- **Bachelor in Work and Human Resources (Honours)**  
Mr Peter J. Baldacchino, Dr Romina Bartolo, Mr Clyde Caruana, Mr Robert Delia, Ms Jana Farrugia, Ms Rebecca Gatt, Dr Cory Greenland, Mr David Parnis.
- **Diploma in Social Studies (Gender and Development)**  
Dr Jacqueline Azzopardi, Dr Rose Marie Azzopardi, Dr JosAnn Cutajar, Dr Ruth Farrugia, Dr Brenda Murphy, Dr Marceline Naudi, Prof. Godfrey A. Pirota, Dr Suzanne Piscopo.
- **Diploma in Social Studies (Occupational Health and Safety)**  
Mr John Agius, Mr Joseph C. Agius, Dr David Attard, Mr John Attard Kingswell, Mr Raymond Barbara, Dr Simone Borg, Ing. Henriette Busuttill,

Mr Lawrence Cachia, Mr Reno Camilleri, Mr Joseph Cremona, Mr Silvio Farrugia, Ms Michelle Galea, Dr Julian Mamo, Ms Marianne Massa, Mr Charles Micallef, Mr David Parnis, Mr David Saliba, Mr Joseph Saliba, Mr John Schembri, Mr Joe Schiavone, Dr Louise Spiteri, Ing. Ray Spiteri, Dr Antoine Vella, Mr Louis Vella.

- **Postgraduate Diploma in Lifelong Career Guidance and Development**  
Mr John Bartolo, Ms Pauline Bartolo, Mr Reno Camilleri, Mr Stephen Camilleri, Ms Nicola Cini, Mr Joseph Cutajar, Dr Suzanne Gatt, Ms Dorianne Gravina, Mr Pekka Harkonen, Mr Mauri Kantola, Dr Dione Mifsud, Prof. Ronald G. Sultana, Ms Jeanine Vassallo.

Apart from the full-time and part-time staff of the Centre, the following persons contributed to the Centre's research projects during 2011 and 2012:

Mr Clyde Caruana, Ms Christine Garzia, Ms Rebecca Gatt, Mr Louis Grech, Ms Jeannine Vassallo.

#### 4.2.2 Administrative Staff



Ms Josephine Agius has been employed at the University of Malta since 1995 and joined the Centre's staff in January 2000. She works as an Executive Officer and supports the administrative work of the Centre. Ms Agius is in charge of the administrative work relating to the Diploma in Social Studies (Gender and Development) and the Diploma in Social Studies (Occupational Health and Safety).



Ms Stephanie Muscat has been employed at the University of Malta since 1995. She worked for almost nine years at the Mediterranean Academy of Diplomatic Studies. As an Executive Officer, she used to co-ordinate all activities regarding conferences, summer schools and educational visits. After stopping from work for six years on parental leave, Ms Muscat joined the Centre for Labour Studies in March 2011. She is in charge of the administrative work related to the Bachelor in Work and Human Resources (Honours) and the Postgraduate Diploma in Lifelong Career Guidance and Development.