

## CLS Executive Staff (Academic & Administrative)

### Full-time Staff:



Prof. Edward L. Zammit, D.Phil. (Oxon.), M.Litt., B.A. (Chicago), Ph.L., founding Director of the Centre (1981 – 2002). Installed as the Chairman of the Centre as Rector's Delegate in 2002.



Prof. Godfrey Baldacchino, Ph.D. (Warwick), B.A.(Gen.), PGCE, M.A. (The Hague) is the Director of the Centre and Professor in the Department of Sociology at the University of Malta. (Currently on leave of absence as Canada Research Chair in Island Studies at the University of Prince Edward Island, Canada.)



Saviour Rizzo, B.A.(Gen.), M.Ed. has been associated with the Centre since its establishment in 1981. In 2003 he was appointed Acting Director of the Centre. He lectures in Industrial Sociology and Sociology of Education



Dr Manwel Debono, B.Psy.(Hons) M.Sc.(Hull) C.Psychol, Ph.D. Lecturer. He is in charge of various projects of the Centre. He also lectures in organisational psychology, human resource management and career guidance.



Anna Borg M.Sc (Manchester), Dip. Soc. Studies (Gender and Dev.), joined the Centre's academic staff in October 2008. She coordinates the Diploma in Social Studies (Gender and Development) and lectures in the area of equality and the labour market. She is also involved in the various research projects of the Centre.



Christine Farrugia B.Psy. (Hons) was employed as a full time post graduate trainee with the Centre. She terminated her employment in October 2007. Her responsibilities consisted of carrying out research and writing reports about the Maltese labour market.



Josephine Agius has been employed at the University of Malta since November 1995 and has joined the Centre's staff in January 2000. As the Executive Officer of the Centre she supports the administrative, documentation and clerical work of the Centre.

### **Part-time Staff:**



Dr Frances Camilleri-Cassar, B.A. (Hons.) (Econ.), M.A. (Soc. Studies), Ph.D. (Nottingham) is a Part-time Lecturer at the Centre.



Dr Martin Fenech, LL.D, is a practising lawyer and an Assistant Lecturer on a permanent part-time appointment with the Centre.



Charmaine Pace has been employed at the University of Malta since August 2002 and has joined the Centre's staff as a part-time clerk in October 2003. She is now a full-time University employee as an Executive Officer. She performs half of her working day at the Centre.



Charles Tabone B.Psy. P.G.C.E. (PSD). He serves as a part-time research assistant with the Centre.

### **Visiting Staff:**



Dr Francis La Ferla, MOM, FFOM (Lond), MScOccMed (Lond), DIC (Lond), MScEnvScs (Lond), DSM (Lond), FFOM (Dub), FIOSH, FRSA is an internationally recognised expert in the field of Occupational Health and Safety. He is the academic consultant, examiner and lecturer in the Diploma in Social Studies (Occupational Health and Safety).



Joseph Montebello, Dip (Labour Studies), MBA (Leicester) is the secretary of Malta Council for Economics and Social Development (MCESD). He has conducted research work for the Centre on *ad hoc* basis.



William Powney, Dip (Labour Studies), Dip (Occupational Health & Safety), is an Administration Coordinator with a private firm. He has supported the CLS's research effort since 2003 in connection an EU funded Project on Repetitive Strain Injuries (RSI). He has conducted other research work for the Centre on *ad hoc* basis.



### Ebba von Fersen Balzan

The Centre for Labour Studies, with whose staff Ebba had collaborated generously for the past two decades in the organization of various educational activities, would like to pay tribute to Ebba von Fersen Balzana who passed away on 16 March 2008. The staff at the Centre for Labour Studies who collaborated in the organization of these activities can vouch for Ebba's considerable passion and enthusiasm, having spent many hours discussing with her innovative ways to make the structure of these programmes more appealing and effective.



### George Agius

The Centre for Labour Studies also pays tribute to George Agius who passed away on 6 March 2009. George Agius, together with the late Salvinu Spiteri, played a highly instrumental role in the setting up of the Centre at the University of Malta. As one of the founding members of the Centre, he served as a Member on its board from the year of its inception in 1981 until his retirement as Secretary-General of the General Workers' Union (GWU) in 1985. As an appreciation of his work in setting up of the Centre, he was made Honorary Member of the board. His support to the ideals and activities of the Centre was unwavering.