**CURRICULUM VITAE**

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| **PERSONAL****INFORMATION** | * Dr. Palmirotta Francesco, born on 04.05.1955 in Cassano delle Murge (Bari-ITALY);
* Psychologist-Psycotherapist, active in Italy and in the USA since 1980, registration n.383 in the Register of Psychologists-Psychiatrists of Apulia Region, Italy;
* Philosopher rediscoverer of the “Wisdom of Being” (ontosophy) from the roots of Western culture (Parmenides, Pythagoras, Socrates, Plato, Cluaberg, Genovesi, Maslow, Rogers);
* Artist, sculptor, painter, music therapist in concert;
* Passionate horse rider, Chairman of a Horse Society, experienced sailor;
* Founder, alongside psychologists, music therapists and doctors, of the International University of Humanistic Ontosophy , recognized by APA (American Psychological Association) and by Apulia Region as Educational Centre. Base: 22/A Via U. Giordano, I- 70123 Bari (ITALY)cell.phone: +393938041552;
* Director of the Residential Centre of Psychotherapy and Music therapy “Solinio Village, Pandafarm WWF”. Base: 106 Contrada Taverna Nuova,I - 70020 Cassano delle Murge (Ba). Phone: +390802229879;
* Manager of the Energy Center of AHP since January 1998 and AHP’s representative of Italy;
* [www.palmirotta.com](http://www.palmirotta.com/); [www.solinio.com](http://www.solinio.com/); [www.amomusicoterapia.com](http://www.amomusicoterapia.com/)
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| **PROFESSIONAL****EXPERIENCE** | * 2010 Assessor Psychologist-Psychoterapist at Bari Court, expert witness n. 28 on 25.01.2000
* 2009-2010 Lecturer of Psychodynamic Psychotherapy at Bari University  Faculty of Medicine and Surgery based in Taranto
* 2009-2010 Lecturer of Philosophy of Language at Bari University  Faculty of Medicine and Surgery
* 2009-2010 Expert School Psychologist at ‘Morra’ Secondary School in Matera
* 2009-2010 Expert School Psychologist at ‘L. Da Vinci’ Secondary School in Matera
* 2008-2009 Lecturer of Developmental Psychology at Bari University  Faculty of Medicine and Surgery
* 2008-2009 Lecturer of Bioethics at Bari University  Faculty of Medicine and Surgery
* 2009 Teacher training for PON Project (“Programma Operativo Nazionale”: project funded by EU and aimed at improving education in South Italy) at ‘Don Bosco’ Primary School in Bari
* 2009 Music therapist for PON Project at ‘Don Bosco’ Primary School in Bari
* 2008 Teacher training for PON Project at ‘Scuola Mercadante’ Secondary School in Altamura (BA)
* 2008 Psychologist for PON Project at ‘Da Vinci’ College in Cassano delle Murge (BA)
* 2008 Manager of a music therapy project at ‘San Giovanni Bosco’ Primary School in Bari
* 2007/2009 Coordinator teacher and Manager of the Postgraduate Music Therapy course “Operatore Musicoterapista” recognized by Apulia Region and by Bari Province
* 2007/2008 Manager of the professionalizing course “Ontosophy of Fashion” at ‘L. Santarella’ Secondary School in Bari
* 2006/2007 Manager of 2000-2006 POR project for Apulia Region (“Programma operativo regionale”: project funded by EU and aimed at improving education in some Italian regions)
* 2006/2007 Manager of the professionalizing course “Ontosophy of Fashion” at ‘L. Santarella’ Secondary School in Bari
* 2005 Chairman of the XV Congress of Arts and Science at Bari University
* 2005 Conference on Music Therapy at Bari University
* 2005 Conference on ‘Politics and Trust’ alongside USA California Senator Prof John Vasconcellos, Bari University
* 2004 Speaker on Music Therapy for disabled people at Palazzo Barberini, Rome
* 2004 Congress on Psychosomatic Music Therapy organized in his honor by Calabria Region in Crotone. He is celebrated as a scientist proving the theory and praxis of Pitagora School on Music Therapy
* 2004 Supervisor of projects on Music Therapy and Animation in some primary schools in Modugno
* 2004 Supervisor and Manager of a state school teacher training
* 2003 Speaker at the VII International Congress Internazionale on Behaviourism – Cognitivism in co-operation with PhD M. Arons (University of West Georgia, USA) and PhD Scott Churchill (Dallas University, USA)
* 2003 Supervisor and Manager of school projects at nursery and primary schools in Modugno (BA)
* 2003 Manager of a secondary teacher training in Toritto (Ba)
* 2003 Manager of a teacher training in Altamura
* 2002 Speaker at the X World Congress on Musictherapy in Oxford alongside PhD Gabriella Cristiani (1987 Oscar-winner)
* 2001 Chairman at the IV Congress on Cosmos, Dream, Eros and Psyche hosting 1987 Oscar-winner PhD Gabriella Cristiani (UCLA University, USA)
* 2001 He gives lectures at Bari University alongside PhD Emeritus Mike Arons (West Georgia University, USA )
* 2001Speaker and special guest at the I International Congress on Music therapy at Moscow University
* 2000 He hosts Natalie Rogers (C. Rogers’s daughter) in his Residential Centre of music therapy, and organizes art therapy workshops
* 2000 He gives lectures at West Georgia University (USA) on art therapy, psychotherapy, musitherapy, psycology, and creates one of his best works “Maestro e allievi a lezione di sfera” in clay
* 2000 Primary school training Seminary in Corato (Ba)
* 2000 Teacher of an art therapy course at Tor Vergata University, Rome
* 2000 Specialized consulting service on health education at a professional secondary school in Altamura
* 2000 Manager of a project on Psychosomatic Music therapy at a primary school in Adelfia (Ba)
* 2000 Manager of school projects catered for ‘at risk’ students in Bari (Quartiere S. Girolamo)1999 Manager of school projects catered for nursery and primary school disabled children in Adelfia (BA): Music therapy for the promotion of educational processes in compulsory school
* 1998 Teacher of courses on health education and prevention of drug addiction in some professional secondary school in Altamura (BA)
* 1997 Teacher of the refresher course and music therapy workshop “Il corpo e il movimento” (for nursery school teachers), Trani
* 1996/97 Supervisor of school projects
* 1995 Supervisor and manager of a would-be psychologists and psychotherapists training (in conformità with the law 56/89 and in co-operation with Rome University Faculty of Psychology)
* 1994 Teacher-trainer of the seminary organized by ACETA (Asociacion de Comerciantes del Estado del Tachira), San Cristobal, Venezuela.
* 1994 Teacher-trainer of the International seminary “Music therapy, Creativity and Art” organized by GAPSIDE (Gabinete de Asistencia Psicopedagogica), Università de Los Andes, Nucleo Universitario del Tachira, San Cristobal, Venezuela.
* 1994 Teacher-trainer of the International seminary “Psychosomatic Ontosophy and Music therapy” organized by Tandil University (Educacion Inicial, Facultad de Ciencias Humanas), Buenos Aires, Argentina.
* 1994 Coordinator with WFMT (World Federation of Music Therapy) Chairwoman PhD Prof. Cheryl Dileo Maranto of the seminary “International Music Therapy Techniques”, Bari.
* 1994 Teacher of vocational training courses on “Psychology of Communication” organized by Apulia Region for employees of state and private companies
* 1993/-- Director and supervisor-teacher of the School of Psychosomatic Ontosophy in Bari
* 1993/-- Chairman of the school “Scuola College F. Palmirotta” recognized by UNESCO, founded and named after him by parents aware of the educational validity of his “Psychopedagogical Maieutics”
* 1993/-- Chairman of the Association of Psychosomatic in Bari
* 1991/2 Teacher of vocational training courses on “Psychology of Communication” organized by Apulia Region for employees of state and private companies
* 1991/-- Psychotherapist, registration n. 383 in the Register of Apulia Region
* 1990 Teacher of training courses for managers organized by Elea-Olivetti in Napoli
* 1986/-- Director and supervisor-teacher of the centre of Music therapy and Psychotherapy in Cassano delle Murge (BA)
* 1986 Teacher of training courses for managers organized by Elea-Olivetti in Bari
* 1985/-- Chairman of the Association “Arte e Vita”, which in 1987 changes its name in “Associazione Maieutica Ontico esistenziale”, Bari
* 1985/-- Chairman and teacher of the school “Scuola di Musicoterapia Psicosomatica” in Bari
* 1984/-- Director and supervisor-teacher of the centre of Music therapy and Psychotherapy in Cassano delle Murge (BA)
* 1982/1999: He organizes and is in charge of four-year psychotherapy courses at the school he had founded (the first graduated would be the first registered in the National Register of Psychologists)
* 1980/-- Chairman of the “Centro di Musicoterapia e Psicoterapia” in Bari
* 1979/1981 Psychologist in schools and formation centres for rehabilitation therapists
* 1978 Military service as military officer, executive company officer, instructor of heavy lorries.
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