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MARCO BOARIA

Marco Boaria is the CEO of ALDA+ and has over 20 years of experience in international project development, working with various European programmes and Commission Directorates-General. He has extensive experience in project coordination, particularly in democracy, participation, and youth, and provides external supervision for European projects. He regularly conducts training on project cycle management, European funds, participatory methods, non-formal education, and youth, partnering with organisations like SALTO centers.



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CLAUDIA DAL MAS

Claudia joined ALDA in June 2024 as a Project Developer, bringing a strong academic background in human rights and Middle Eastern studies. She has practical experience in project development, particularly in women's empowerment and vulnerable populations, gained through work with NGOs in India, Italy, and Belgium. She also has volunteer experience working with refugees in Jordan and migrants in the UK.



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SILVIA ANSELMINI

Silvia Anselmi joined ALDA+ in September 2024 as a Project Developer, bringing a background in international relations with a focus on Eastern Europe and EU sustainability policies. She has experience managing international students and has worked on European projects in Bucharest (Romania), particularly in sustainable fashion and the circular economy.



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DEBORAH ANZILE

Deborah Anzile joined ALDA+ in 2024 as a Junior Project Developer, with academic qualifications in international affairs, diplomacy, and human rights. She has professional experience from the International Organisation for Migration in Hungary, where she contributed to the Ukrainian crisis response through project development. Her background also includes experience in campaign implementation, non-formal education, and digital marketing within development, youth, and migration sectors.



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LIZZY CATHERINE GALIAZZO

Lizzy works as a project developer at ALDA, focusing on EU and other donor-funded projects in areas like good governance, human rights, and sustainable development. She specialises in drafting projects for indirect funds, including those from the Italian government and regional administrations. With more than five years of experience, she has developed expertise in project writing and management for Italian SMEs.



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ANNA DITTA

Anna Ditta has worked at ALDA since 2011, developing projects for various donors (EU, CoE, UN, etc.) focusing on democracy, human rights, and local governance. Her responsibilities include partner search, project and budget drafting, and stakeholder coordination. She designs and delivers training courses for local authorities and civil society organisations on project cycle management, European funds, and citizen engagement, as well as educational programmes for schools. Her training utilises non-formal education methods and draws from resources like the Council of Europe's Code of Good Practice.



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ALMA BUSTAMANTE

Alma joined ALDA+ in 2023 as a Project Developer, following an internship in the same unit. She is completing a Master's in European and Global Studies and holds a Bachelor's in International Studies. Her professional background includes political analysis for a research and advocacy organization, assistance in educational programme development, and research on development, sustainability, and gender equality.



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MARZIA CESCONE

Marzia is a Project Management Expert with over a decade of experience in international projects, specialising in gender equality, inclusion, and social innovation. With an economics background, she holds a Master's in Global Economics and Social Affairs and is currently pursuing a Master's in Contemplative Studies. As a Project Manager at ALDA, she brings expertise in project management, research, training program development, and collaborative process creation. She also possesses strong financial management skills, particularly with Horizon 2020, Horizon Europe, and Erasmus+ projects.



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NADIA DI IULIO

Nadia has over five years of experience managing European-funded projects across various sectors, including urban resilience, civic participation, culture, and education, utilising programmes like Interreg, Erasmus+, Europe for Citizens, and Creative Europe. Holding double master's degrees in Tourism Economics and European Project Management, she possesses strong skills in project implementation, event organisation, partnership coordination, and financial reporting.



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ELISABETTA PINAMONTI

Elisabetta Pinamonti is the Head of the Admin and Financial Department of ALDA since 2021. She possesses extensive knowledge and experience in financial management and project reporting for both European and non-European projects. Over the past decade, she has successfully navigated audits from the European Commission for numerous ALDA projects funded by various EU programmes, including LIFE, ERASMUS+, Horizon2020, AMIF, and External Actions programmes.



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BEATRICE FRASCATANI

Beatrice joined ALDA in 2022, initially as a Communication Officer and Project Manager, and now serves as Deputy Head of the Communication Department. She holds Bachelor's and Master's degrees in Political Science and International Relations, as well as a Master's in Communication Studies, combining her interests in communication and politics. Prior to ALDA, she completed a traineeship as a Public Policy Communications Consultant in Brussels, Belgium, and contributed to an Italian geopolitics study center, writing articles on migration and EU relations with third parties.

