

GIULIO BENELLI

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Sustainability Professional with 6 years' experience supporting companies in turning ESG into a driver of innovation, positioning, and long-term value. Proven track record in shaping sustainability strategies alongside C-level executives, leading cross-functional initiatives, and aligning business goals with stakeholder expectations.

PROFESSIONAL HISTORY

THE EUROPEAN HOUSE AMBROSETTI | Manager – Sustainability

MAR 2021 – PRESENT

I lead projects that support companies in embedding sustainability into their strategic agenda. My work includes the design of ESG strategies and action plans, ESG reporting aligned with frameworks such as (GRI, ESRS) and the EU Taxonomy, and the calculation of Scope 3 emissions. I contribute to the development of high-level studies and summits on sustainability, often working directly with C-level executives and cross-functional teams.

I've been involved in stakeholder engagement processes, risk assessment and mitigation analysis, and ESG due diligence activities. Additionally, I serve as a trainer on ESG topics for companies. In some projects, I also take on the role of outsourced Sustainability Manager in outsourcing, providing ongoing strategic and operational support.

PWC | Associate – Sustainability and Innovation Strategy

JAN 2019 – MAR 2021

Supported strategy development for sustainable business models, focusing on real estate and food service clients. Worked on ESG innovation, market research, and concept design.

FONDAZIONE BRUNO VISENTINI | Research collaborator

JAN 2018 – JUN 2018

Conducted research on youth and sustainability and supported the ASviS Sustainable Development Festival, managing event content and stakeholder coordination.

EDUCATION

HARVARD BUSINESS SCHOOL ONLINE | Sustainable Business Strategy

MAY 2020

LUISS GUIDO CARLI | Master's degree in Government and Policy

SEP 2016 – MAR 2019

110 cum Laude. Thesis in Public Management: "Urbanization and quality of life: a proposal for measuring the Equitable and Sustainable Well-being (BES) of Italian territories". Supervisor: Prof. Enrico Giovannini (former Italian minister of infrastructure, former minister of labor, former chief statistician of the OECD and former president of Istat)

BLANQUERNA – UNIVERSITAT RAMON LLULL, BARCELONA | Erasmus+

SEP 2017 – FEB 2018

EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

- Sommelier for passion – wine enthusiast with certified training, blending personal interest and cultural curiosity.
- Luiss Policy Game – selected participant and organizer of a simulation of Italy's legislative process at the chamber of deputies.
- Harvard World Model UN (Seoul) – delegate at the UN simulation organized by Harvard University.

SKILLS AND LANGUAGES

- Proficiency Office 365
- Power BI
- Basic Alteryx and Tableau
- Italian (Native speaker)
- English (Proficient)
- Spanish (Basic)