Curriculum Vitae Marika Arena

General information

Birthplace and Date: December, 9th, 1979 Gallarate, Varese (Italy)
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Academic positions

From November 2007: Assistant Professor (full time) at Politecnico di Milano, Dipartimento di Ingegneria Gestionale.

Teaching experience

Internal control systems (Graduate/ Master level / Advanced Master level)
Management accounting system (Graduate/ Master level/ Advanced Master level)
Advanced Cost Management (Graduate/ Master level/ Advanced Master level)
Business information and processes analysis (Graduate level)
Economic and Business Administration (Graduate/Master level)
Publications on international journals


**Book Chapters**

Congress and conference proceedings


Main publications in Italian journals

• Arena, M., Azzone G. (2009), I sistemi ERM nelle società italiane. Internal Audit, forthcoming


Other research related activities

Member of the Business Game committee.
Member of the Italian association of management engineering (Aiig).

Main Collaborations to Financed Research Projects

2011  Green Move. The project aims at designing an electric vehicle sharing service
2010  “Innova-Giustizia”. The project aimed to re-engineer the administrative processes of Milan City Court and design the performance measurement system to monitor the above processes - DIG, Politecnico di Milano.
2009  “Esercizi di cooperazione”. The project aimed to analyse coordination mechanisms and governance structure that can be implemented to ensure higher efficiency and effectiveness in the public transport sector - Politecnico di Milano.
2009: “Civicum 2008”. The project aimed to analyse and compare financial and non-financial performances of 25 main Italian local entities, with specific attention to public transport policies – DIG, Politecnico di Milano.
2008: “Civicum 2007”. The project aimed to analyse and compare financial and non-financial performances of 20 main Italian local entities – DIG, Politecnico di Milano. (Research report available at: http://blog.civicum.it/)
2007: “Social reporting in the metal industry”. The project aimed to provide detailed
guidelines for supporting companies of the metal industry to report their environmental and social performances – DIG, Politecnico di Milano. (Research report available at: http://www.igq.it/formazione/convegni.html)

2007: “Good Practice 2007”. The project aimed to analyse and compare financial and non-financial performances of 24 Italian universities, based on an ABM system – MIP, Politecnico di Milano.

2006: “Good Practice 2005”. The project aimed to analyse and compare financial and non-financial performances of 21 Italian universities, based on an ABM system – MIP, Politecnico di Milano.

2005: “Le prestazioni dei servizi di supporto nelle Scuole Superiori”. The project aimed to analyse and compare financial and non-financial performances of 3 High Schools, based on an ABM system – DIG, Politecnico di Milano;

2004: “Good Practice: Enti per il Diritto allo Studio Universitario” – MIP, Politecnico di Milano.


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