

Elena Mangili

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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

VILLA AURORA ITALIAN ADVENTIST UNIVERSITY

Administering following courses

2025-26 Academic Year

- ART321 Fashion Design (2qh)
- ART315 The Art of Tailoring (1qh)

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- **2024-Present** – Villa Aurora Italian Adventist University – Teaching for the DiLCAI program, classes referenced above.
- **2024** – Tailoring teacher at S'arte Centro Formazione Moda. Taught pattern making and sewing at a private, multicultural school. Conducted sewing courses for children.
- **2023** – Tailoring teacher/Intern at S'arte Centro Formazione Moda. Support to the teachers during the sewing courses for kids. Processing of student's pattern and papers and creations.
- **2022-2023** – Tailor at Merceria Lola. In charge of clothing alterations and tailoring services.
- **2022** – Herbalist at Serendipity. Involved in customer care. Investigated the health status of the client and suggested the best remedy for every kind of symptom. In charge of organization of products inside the shop and setup of the display window.
- **2021-2022** – Herbalist at Trifoglio. Involved in customer care. Investigated the health status of the client and suggested the best remedy for every kind of symptom. In charge of organization of products inside the shop and setup of the display window.
- **2019-2020** – Herbalist at L'Erbolario. Involved in customer care. Investigated the health status of the client and suggested the best remedy for every kind of symptom. In charge of organization of products inside the shop and setup of the display window.
- **2017-2018** – Community service worker at Celim Onlus. Conducted the promotion of national parks (creation of paths and panels) and the promotion of rural communities' economy (sewing courses, cooking courses, and herbal medicine lessons.). Collaboration with the other NGO working on the rural and economic development of the area.
- **2017-2023** – Herbalist at L'Isola Verde. Involved in customer care. Investigated the health status of the client and suggested the best remedy for every kind of symptom. In charge of organization of products inside the shop and setup of the display window.
- **2016** – Volunteer EVS at Zavod za Turizem in Razjov Lendava. Volunteered in the touristic and cultural center of the village Lendava, creating events (workshops, social bike tours, themed evenings), keeper and curator of the place.

EDUCATION

Advanced Fashion Design, Centro Formazione Moda

01/03/2023 – 01/07/2025

Fashion Design, Centro Formazione Moda

01/11/2021 – 01/02/2023

Professionalizing course in fashion design (first level). Study of fashion sketches, study of textile commodities, and history of customs.

Villa Aurora Italian Adventist University

Professional model designer, Centro Formazione Moda 01/01/2021 – 01/07/2022
Degree (third and fourth module) of professional model designer. This course improved my abilities in sewing and creating paper patterns (more elaborate models).

Cutting and sewing first and second module, Centro Formazione Moda 1/3/19 – 1/1/21
Entry level course of cutting and sewing. Teaching how to make a tailored paper pattern, how to sew, how to use sewing machines and how to hand sew. In this course, students also participated in a fashion show, creating two garments inspired by Klimt's Hygieia painting.

Herbal Medicine, Università di Pisa 01/11/2010 – 01/07/2014
Knowledge of pharmacological properties and utilization of medicinal plants. Usage of extractive instruments (distillers, alembics, clevenegers, etc.) Thesis: "Fenolic compounds in Hypericum perforatum plants stressed by ozone." Supervisor: Professor Cristina Nali.

Degree of linguistic high school, Liceo linguistico Giosuè Carducci 1/09/2003-1/7/2008
Knowledge of humanistics and scientific subjects, mastery of English and French and basic level German. Acquisition of a good method of study and learning. Joined various cultural exchanges and school holidays in these years that broadened viewpoints.

ADDITIONAL SKILLS

Languages

- Italian
- English
- German
- French

Social Skills & Competences

Enthusiastic and enterprising worker, with experience in different fields. Excellent attitude in adaptation and fast learner. Good experience in teamwork and multicultural and dynamic environments. In these last years I have approached, with growing passion to the world of fashion, the world of tailoring, craftsmanship and quality clothing, the upcycling and creative recycling.