

Antonella Sanna Burnett-Stuart

Personal Details

Date/Place of Birth:

Nationality: British/Italian

Teaching Experience

- 2000 - 2020 **Esperta di lingua inglese, Liceo Classico Luigi Galvani, Bologna**
- EFL teacher at Liceo Internazionale scientifico *opzione italo-inglese*
 - *Compresenza* with Italian subject teachers of Biology, Chemistry, Geography, Art & Design courses preparing students for IGCSE examinations
 - Involved in various school projects e.g. CNR, HORIZON, China exchange
 - General English Language & Literature teaching in all classes (1st to 5th year) using a wide range of coursebooks, visual aids and own materials
 - Teaching all levels and preparing students for Cambridge First Certificate, Cambridge Advanced and IGCSE English, Geography, Biology, Photography
 - Accompanying 2nd/3rd/4th/5th year students on study trips to UK & exchange students to China (June '18)
 - School Consultant for students applying to UK/US universities
 - LEND seminar at British Council (2005) '*Using language to learn whilst learning to use language: reflections on a CLIL experience at Liceo Galvani*'
- Feb-June
2015/21 **Esperta di lingua inglese, Liceo Fermi, Bologna**
15 hour after-school courses in preparation for Cambridge First/PET Examinations & Conversation classes
- 2004 - Cambridge Oral examiner for KET/PET/FCE exams & IGCSE English
- 1998/99 **Lettrice at ITIS Majorana, Budrio (BO)**
General English/Conversation to 14-19 year old students
- 1994-96 Freelance **Teacher & Materials Writer**, Bologna
- 1990-94 Part-time **Teacher** at Istituto Orsolini (Liceo Linguistico), Rapallo
Freelance teaching to individuals and small groups
Teacher at Scuola elementare (7-11 year olds)
- 1987-90 **Senior Teacher** at British School of Genoa
- Teaching all age groups and all levels (beginners to 2nd year Proficiency syllabus and design)
 - Organising and setting up of Self-Access Centre
 - Preparing and planning E.S.P (English for Specific Purposes) courses
 - Responsible for setting up, organizing and teaching CEELT (Cambridge Examination in English for language teachers). This course consisted of a series of seminars and workshops based on language improvement and different aspects of methodology (phonology, lexis, listening/speaking/writing skills etc)
 - FCE Oral Examiner
- 1983-87 **Director/Director of Studies, Oxford School of English, Rovigo and**

Adria (small private language school of approx.150 students –children and adults)

- Administration and Publicity
- Organising teachers' schedules and selection of ELT materials
- Course syllabus and design
- In service teacher training and lesson observation
- Attending ELT conferences, seminars and workshops
- Teaching all ages and levels using a wide range of text books and materials

1984-87

Part-time **Lettrice** at *Istituto Professionale Commerciale*, Rovigo
General English/Conversation

July-Sept 87

July-Sept 88

Teacher at Bell College, Saffron Walden, Essex

- General English to multilingual classes
- Use of computer centre, language laboratory and video centre
- Filming sketches and language classes in video centre
- Teaching special subject (Drama)

1980-83

Teacher at Oxford School of English, Rovigo & Adria

- Teaching children and adults of all ages and levels (Beginner to Proficiency)
- Using a wide variety of textbooks and writing own materials
- Preparing students for FCE and Cambridge Proficiency

1978

Adult Literacy Course (Reading, Berks) leading to short period (voluntary) of teaching illiterate Adults and Asian Adults.

Publishing Experience

1993-

Author / Materials Writer

1993- 95

Freelance **Editor** and **Editorial Consultant**

1991- 1995

Editor at CIDEB/Black Cat Publishers, Rapallo (GE)

My general role at CIDEB involved the evaluation of manuscripts, the linguistic revision of all works published, copy editing, content editing, the production management of recorded material and picture research.

I was responsible for the following projects taking them from the manuscript to the ozalid stage.

- *Holiday Detective* (Peter Foreman): an illustrated 4 colour holiday workbook aimed at 14-15 year olds secondary school (biennio). English & Italian editions (pub.May '93). Also involved in publication of *Rock Detective*
- *Schools Out* (Clare Lavery): highly illustrated 4 colour holiday workbook aimed at 11 year olds (1^a media inferiore). English, French & Italian editions (pub.May '93)
- *Reading Classics* : an educational series of English and American works with the addition of an introduction, footnotes, activities and teacher's book. The titles I was responsible for included *Fiesta* by Ernest Hemingway, *The Turn of the Screw* by Henry James and *Look Back in Anger* by John Osborne. I was also involved in most of the teachers' books.
- *Ten Women, Ten Stories* (Antonella Mignani): A selection of ten stories with the addition of footnotes and textual analysis activities – aimed at 3rd/4th year secondary students in licei (pub. July '93)
- *Inglesì* (Beppe Severgini) : An English translation and adaptation of the bestseller with the addition of footnotes, activities and key (pub.1992)

I have also carried out editorial consultancy and evaluation of ELT materials for a number of publishers in Italy and United Kingdom – Cideb, Heinemann, Nelson/Collins, Macmillan, Richmond, Loescher and Cambridge University Press.

Translations

I have translated a wide variety of different text types (commercial, scientific, literary etc) and was involved in the following publications:

London Houses – (24 ore Motta Cultura) pub. 2009

Paris Houses – (2 ore Motta Cultura) pub. 2009

Publications

- *The Big Mistake and other stories* (Black Cat Publishing/De Agostini) pub. 1997

A collection of short stories with activities/CD aimed at students B1/B2 level

- *Zed the Magician* (Black Cat Publishing/De Agostini) pub.2001

Children's story with activities/CD at level 5 of Black Cat Earlyreads

- *The Magic Computer Mouse* (Black Cat Publishing / De Agostini) pub.2001

Children's story with activities/CD at level 4 of Black Cat Earlyreads)

- *Dubliners activity booklet* (Cideb)

- *Relay Beginner* (Cambridge University Press) pub.2002

Italian edition of *Language in Use* in collaboration with Loescher publisher

Relay Pre-Intermediate (Cambridge University Press) pub. 2002

Italian edition of *Language in Use* – biennio coursebook/workbook/test booklet and teacher's book

- *Messages 1* (Cambridge University Press) pub. 2005

Life & Culture sections plus extra activities in Coursebook for Lower Secondary School (scuola media)

Education

- RSA Dip TEFL/DELTA – Diploma in Teaching English as a Foreign Language (Level 7 UK & Credit Framework) – Tutor: Martin Dodman c/o British Institute, Bologna (1987)

- Bulmershe College of Higher Education, (Teacher Training College) Reading, UK (1975-77)
Course: BEd

Key Modules: French Language/Literature, Educational Psychology, Teaching Methodology, Sociology, Teaching Practice

Studies Abroad : 6 months at Caen University, France

- Davies Commercial College, Cardiff – RSA Secretarial (1978-79)

- Heathfield House High School, Cardiff – 3 'A' levels (1975) French, English, Italian

- Lady Mary Secondary School, Cardiff – 7 'O' levels (1973)

Further Skills

Languages

English (Native speaker)

Italian (fluent)

French (working knowledge)

Spanish (B1) & German (A1)

Arabic (beginner)

IT Proficiency

Word, Excel, Powerpoint, Zoom/Google Meet (online teaching)