




# Roberto Cornelli


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## WORK EXPERIENCE

**2008 – 2015**

### Assistant Professor in Criminology

University of Milano-Bicocca

**2015 – CURRENT**

### Associate Professor in Criminology

University of Milano-Bicocca

Main fields of research and teaching: fear of crime, urban safety, policing, criminal policies and transitional justice.

March 2021 – National habilitation as Full Professor in Criminal Law (12/G1)

Since 2018 – President of CUG (Comitato Unico di Garanza), the Milano-Bicocca University Committee that promotes gender equality and anti-discrimination policies.

Since 2018 – Responsible at the University of Milano-Bicocca for the IOM (International Organization for Migration) - Ministry of the Interior project "Mentorship nelle Università italiane. Supporto Youth-to-Youth per l'integrazione di studenti con background migratorio".

Since 2019 – Responsible at the University of Milano- Bicocca for the Network of Italian Universities for Peace.

Since 2020 – Member of the Academic Board of the PhD program in Legal Studies at the University of Milano- Bicocca.

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**CURRENT**

### Member of the Executive Board

Italian Society of Criminology

**CURRENT**

### Member of Editorial Boards

Criminalia-Annuario di Scienze Penalistiche

Italian Journal of Criminology

Sistema Penale

Diritto Penale Contemporaneo-Rivista Trimestrale,

Milano Law Review,

Governare la paura: Journal of interdisciplinary studies

**CURRENT**

### Member of the Advisory Committee

Avviso Pubblico – Enti locali e Regioni contro le Mafie

**2000 – CURRENT**

### Expert in Victim-Offender Mediation, Social Mediation and Restorative Justice

## 2003 – CURRENT

### Academic Teaching

a.y. 2003/2004, 2004/2005 and 2006/2007: “Criminology” at the Faculty of Psychology - University of Milano-Bicocca;

a.y. 2007/2008 and 2008/2009: “Criminology” at the Faculty of Law - University Luigi Bocconi of Milan;

a.y. 2007/2008 and 2008/2009: “Introduction to Criminology” at the Faculty of Sociology - University of Milano-Bicocca;

a.y. 2008/2009: “Seminar on Fear and Order in Modern Societies” at the Faculty of Law - University of Milano-Bicocca;

a.y. 2009/2010 and 2010/2011: “Workshop on Criminology and Urban Safety” at the Faculty of Sociology – University of Milano-Bicocca;

a.y. 2009/2010: “Seminar on Police and Democracy” at the Faculty of Law - University of Milano-Bicocca;

a.y. 2010/2011: “Seminar on Fear, Victimization and Crime” at the Faculty of Law - University of Milano-Bicocca;

a.y. 2011/2012: “Seminar on Criminological Lens on Homicide” at the Faculty of Law - University of Milano-Bicocca;

a.y. 2011/2012 and 2012/2013: “Workshop on Criminology and Urban Safety” at the Faculty of Sociology – University of Milano-Bicocca;

a.y. 2013/2014, 2014-2015, 2015-2016, 2016-2017, 2017-2018, 2018-2019, 2019-2020 and 2020-2021: “Criminology and Urban Safety” at the Department of Sociology – University of Milano-Bicocca;

a.y. 2014/2015, 2015-2016, 2016-2017, 2017-2018, 2018-2019, 2019-2020: “Criminal Law” at the School of Law – University of Milano-Bicocca;

a.y. 2014/2015 and 2015/2016: “Criminology” at the School of Law and at the Department of Psychology – University of Milano-Bicocca;

a.y. 2014/2015, 2015-2016, 2016-2017 and 2017-2018: “Transitional Justice” at the School of Law – University of Milano-Bicocca;

a.y. 2020-2021 “Juvenile Criminal Law” at the School of Law – University of Milano-Bicocca.

Teacher in PhD programmes and masters, including: “Deviance, justice systems and social services” (responsible of the Legal area) and “Foreigners law and migration Policies” at the University of Milano-Bicocca; “Clinical Criminology, Legal Psychology and Forensic Psychiatry” at the Sapienza University of Rome.

Lecturer at several national and international seminars, conferences and training sessions organized by Universities, National High School for the Judiciary, National High School for the Police, ICTJ (International Centre for Transitional Justice), ICONS Italy, Italian Ministry of Justice.

## 2000 – CURRENT

### Relevant research activities

2000-2002: researcher at Transcrime (Transnational Crime Research Centre). Specifically, tasks included:

- managing and supervising all phases of two CATI (Computer-Assisted Telephone Interviewing) studies on the perception of insecurity (in 2001) and on trust in the police (in 2002);

- statistical processing of the data and drafting the relevant research reports, which are included in the annual reports.

2003-2004: research project on “Local Police in Emilia-Romagna Region: current situation and development perspectives” (Emilia-Romagna Region. Principal Investigator: Professor Amadeu Recasens I Brunet, University of Barcelona) - member of the research team.

2004-2005: coordinator of the DIKE Association research unit, partner of the project “CROMLECH- models of juvenile criminal mediation”, financed by the European Project AGIS 2004 (Promoter of the project JAI/2004/AGIS/099: Associazione Centro Studi Opera Don Calabria), the

results of which have been published in the final research report " 'CROMLECH' Models of Juvenile Penal Mediation. Final Report", Justice Ministry, Juvenile Justice Department, AGIS 2004/2005.

1/2/2005-31/12/2005: national research program "Criminal Code Reform" (co-financed by MIUR - PRIN 2003, coordinated by Professor Massimo Donini of the University of Modena): member of the research team as criminology expert of the University of Milano-Bicocca research unit.

2005-2006: coordinator of the University of Milano-Bicocca research unit in the context of the international research project ISDR 2 (International Self-Reported Delinquency Study 2).

2014-2015: two-year European project "ILLBuster- buster of illegal contents spread by malicious computer networks" financed by the European Commission under the programme "Prevention of and fights against crime 2001- 2013 (CIPS/ISEC)" - member of the research team.

01-10-2015 to 21-02-2016: "international expert" in the research project "Western Criminal Policy Evolution in A World of Increasing Social Exclusion" (Institute of Criminology, University of Malaga).

2016-2017: principal investigator in the research project "ProbACTION- Promoting the cultural change in the field of justice" (CNPDS Foundation- National Centre of Prevention and Social Defence, Cariplo Foundation) about the application of adult probation in the Milan area.

01-09-2015 to 30-11-2017: member of the Commission on Probation, Alternatives and Community, Ministry of Justice programme on prison ("Stati Generali dell'esecuzione penale").

01-02-2021 to 31-01-2021: scientific coordinator of the survey on prison officers in Lombardia "PolPen XXI", University of Milano-Bicocca - Ministry of Justice (Amministrazione penitenziaria per la Lombardia).

01-02-2020 to 31-01-2022: expert in restorative procedures and trainer in the ICTJ (International Centre for Transitional Justice) project on Restorative Justice and Victim-Offender Mediation in Colombia's Special Jurisdiction for Peace.

## Author - books

A. Ceretti, R. Cornelli, *Proprietà e sicurezza. La centralità del furto per la comprensione del sistema penale tardo-moderno*, Giappichelli, Turin, 2007.

R. Cornelli, *Paura e ordine nella modernità*, Giuffrè, Milan, 2008.

A. Ceretti, A. Casella, R. Cornelli (eds.), *Salute mentale e controllo sociale tra ricerca scientifica e decisioni politiche*, Giuffrè, Milan, 2009.

R. Cornelli, *Miedo, Criminalidad y orden en la modernidad*, BdeF, Buenos Aires-Montevideo, 2012.

A. Ceretti, R. Cornelli, *Oltre la paura. Cinque riflessioni su criminalità, società e politica*, Feltrinelli, Milan, 2013.

A. Ceretti, R. Cornelli, *Oltre la paura. Affrontare il tema della sicurezza in modo democratico*, Universale Economica Feltrinelli, Milan, 2018 (2 ed.).

R. Cornelli, *L'altra faccia del benessere. Questione criminale e cambiamento sociale nella provincia di Rimini*, Bellaria Igea Marina, 2019.

B. Biscotti, R. Cornelli, P. Rondini, C. Ruga Riva, A. Squazzoni (eds.), *Città, cittadini, conflitti. Il diritto alla prova della dimensione urbana*, Giappichelli, Turin, 2020.

A. Ceretti, R. Cornelli (eds.), *MILANO-BOGOTÁ. Percorsi di giustizia nella Colombia dopo l'Accordo di pace*, Giappichelli, Turin, 2020.

R. Cornelli, *La forza di polizia. Uno studio criminologico sulla violenza*, Giappichelli, Turin, 2020.

## Author - chapters in books (selection)

Gatti U., Fossa G., Gualco B., Caccavale F., Ceretti A., Ciliberti R., Ciotti Galletti S., Ciraso G., Coluccia A., Cornelli R., Focardi M., Greco O., Mazzeo E., Romano C.A., Russo G., Traverso G.B., "Italy", in Junger-Tas J, Marshall I. H., Enzmann D., Killias M., Steketee M., Gruszczynska B. (eds.), *Juvenile Delinquency in Europe and Beyond: Results of the Second International Self-Report Delinquency Study*, Dordrecht, Springer, 2010, pp. 227-244.

R. Cornelli, "L'agire violento tra i giovani adolescenti. I risultati di una ricerca nelle scuole di Milano", in U. Gatti, B. Gualco, S. Traverso (eds.), *La delinquenza giovanile in Italia. I risultati di una ricerca multicentrica*, Pensa Multimedia Editore, 2010, pp. 145-159 (with A. Ceretti, F. Brunelli, L. Natali).

R. Cornelli, "Società insicure: la paura al centro del dibattito criminologico e politico", in R. Sgalla, A.M. Giannini (eds.), *Conversazioni sulla legalità*, Piccin, Padua, 2011, pp. 95-105.

R. Cornelli, "Policing and the Problem of Trust", in S. Caneppele, F. Calderoni (eds.), *Organized Crime, Corruption and Crime Prevention. Essays in Honor of Ernesto U. Savona*, Springer, 2013, pp. 51-60.

R. Cornelli, "La trama del miedo, la violencia y la penalidad", in S. Sánchez Rodríguez (ed.), *La Criminología como crítica social*, Santiago de Chile, Editorial Metropolitana, 2014, pp. 287-313.

A. Ceretti, R. Cornelli, "Hacia una fraternidad inclusiva. Derechos y capacidades desde el punto de vista de la criminología política", in F. Tenorio Tagle (ed.), *El sistema de justicia penal y nuevas formas de observar la cuestión criminal. Ensayos en honor a Massimo Pavarini*, Tlalpan, Instituto Nacional de Ciencias Penales, 2015, pp. 75-103.

R. Cornelli, "Il disciplinamento della vita urbana tra diritti e sicurezza", in M. Borrello, G. Ruggiero (eds.), *La città si-cura*, Editoriale Scientifica, Naples, 2017.

R. Cornelli, "Violenza organizzata e appartenenza religiosa. Il caso dell'Isis", in Ninatti S. (ed.), *Pluralismo religioso e integrazione europea*, Giappichelli, Turin, 2019.

R. Cornelli, "La paura nel campo penale: una storia del presente", in *La paura. Riflessioni interdisciplinari per un dibattito contemporaneo su violenza, ordine, sicurezza e diritto di punire*, Edm, Macerata, 2019.

R. Cornelli, "Quale polizia per quale ordine? Una proposta di lettura della (breve) storia della Regia Guardia", in R. Camposano (ed.), *Il Corpo della Regia Guardia per la Pubblica Sicurezza (1919-1922)*, Ufficio storico della Polizia di Stato, 2020, pp. 9-14.

C. Quartararo, A. Asti, R. Cornelli, "La parità di genere nelle Università italiane. L'esperienza del Comitato Unico di Garanzia dell'Università di Milano Bicocca", in C. Buzzacchi, R. Provasi (eds.), *Dalle gender alle diversity quotas. Un impegno per società e istituzioni*, Giappichelli, Turin, 2021, pp. 129-150.

## Author - articles in journals (selection)

R. Cornelli, "Paura della violenza e crisi del sistema penale moderno", in *Filosofia Politica*, XXIV, 1, 2010, pp. 71-83.

R. Cornelli, "Procedural Justice e campo emotivo: uno studio sulla fiducia dei giovani nelle forze dell'ordine in base ai dati italiani della ISRD3", *Italian Journal of Criminology*, 3, 2015, pp. 234-243.

S. Terzoni, P. Ferrara, R. Cornelli, C. Ricci, C. Oggioni, A. Destrebecq, "Violence and unsafety in a major Italian hospital: experience and perceptions of health care workers", *Medicina del Lavoro*, 106, 6, 2015, 403-411.

R. Cornelli, "Polizie e democrazia. Argomenti per un'agenda di ricerca", *Criminalia*, 2016, pp. 139-163.

A. Ceretti, R. Cornelli, "Homicides and Violent Deaths in the world/ Homicidios y muertes violentas en el mundo", *Cahiers de Défense Sociale* 2016, 2017, pp. 16-87.

O. Binik, R. Cornelli, M. Dova, A. Zamburlini, "La messa alla prova per adulti nel territorio di Milano. Analisi dell'applicazione di una misura innovativa nel panorama sanzionatorio italiano", *Italian Journal of Criminology*, 1, 2018, pp. 16-31.

R. Cornelli, "La politica della paura tra insicurezza urbana e terrorismo globale", *Criminalia* 2017, 2018, pp. 233-274.

O. Binik, A. Ceretti, R. Cornelli, H. Schadee, A. Verde, U. Gatti, "Neighborhood Social Capital, Juvenile Delinquency, and Victimization: Results from the International Self-Report Delinquency Study - 3 in 23 Countries", *European Journal on Criminal Policy and Research*, 2019, pp. 1-18.

R. Cornelli, "Argomenti criminologici sulla legittima difesa", *Diritto penale e processo*, 7, 2019, pp. 986-994.

L. Natali, R. Cornelli, "Cambiamento climatico e green criminology", *Italian Journal of Criminology*, 2, 2019, pp. 156-166.

R. Cornelli, "Pregiudizi, stereotipi e potere. Alle origini delle pratiche di disumanizzazione e delle politiche dell'odio", *Italian Journal of Criminology*, 3, 2019, pp. 206-216.

A. Ceretti, R. Cornelli, "Del diritto a non avere paura. Note su sicurezza, populismo penale e questione democratica", *Diritto penale e processo*, 11, 2019, pp. 1481-1491.

R. Cornelli, "Contro il panpopulismo. Una proposta di definizione del populismo penale", *Diritto Penale Contemporaneo*, 2019, pp. 128-142.

R. Cornelli, "Note sulla *police brutality* a partire dai fatti di Minneapolis", *Diritto Penale Contemporaneo*, 2020, pp. 1-15.

R. Cornelli, O. Binik, L. Natali, "When 'message laws' create perpetual panic. The case of sex offender registries", *Italian Journal of Criminology*, 3, 2020, pp. 220-228.

R. Cornelli, "Rischi per la sicurezza, rischi della sicurezza", *SINAPPSI*, X, 2, 2020, pp. 3-17.

O Binik, R Cornelli, B Gualco, E Orlandi, L Natali, R. Rensi, G. Rocca, A. Verde, U. Gatti, "Differenze di genere e delinquenza giovanile: risultati dall'International Self-Report Delinquency Study", *Italian Journal of Criminology*, 1, 2021, pp. 18-29.

R. Cornelli, "Spunti dalla storia per una teoria della polizia", *Società e Storia*, 173, 2021, pp. 565-574.

## Public speaker (last year)

(online event) 7-12/3/2021: *speaker* (Committee I: Workshop a: "Evidence-based crime prevention: statistics, indicators and evaluation in support of successful practices") at the 14th United Nations Congress on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice, Kyoto (Japan).

(webinar) 19/3/2021: Italian Society of Criminology seminar "La Human Criminology in tempo di pandemia".

(webinar) 29/3/2021: book presentation, "La forza di polizia. Uno studio criminologico sulla violenza", Italian Forum on Urban Security.

(webinar) 12/4/2021: book presentation, "La forza di polizia. Uno studio criminologico sulla violenza", Cisp-University of Pisa.

(webinar) 28/4/2021: book presentation, "La forza di polizia. Uno studio criminologico sulla violenza", Casa della Cultura of Milan.

(webinar) 14-15/5/2021: seminar on "Il dubbio", University of Macerata.

Bologna, 1/10/2021: conference on "Polizia e uso della forza tra diritto, criminologia e sociologia", Franco Bricola Association with University of Bologna.

Milano, 8-9/10/2021: XXXIV congress of the Italian Society of Criminology on "La Criminologia tra emergenze, diritti umani e giustizia".

Pesaro-Urbino, 22-24/10/2021: conference on "Insicurezza. Giustizia, diritti, informazione", University of Urbino, Giuseppe Borrè Association with Magistratura Democratica.

(webinar) 18/11/2021: seminar on "La mente ostile. Forme dell'odio contemporaneo", University of Milano-Bicocca.

(webinar) 25/11/2021: conference on "40 anni dopo. Ricordando l'abolizione del delitto d'onore in Italia (1981)", University of Milano-Bicocca.

(webinar) 17/1/2022 Seminar on "Public Order During COVID-19: A Challenge to Democracy" University of Milano-Bicocca with International Center for Transitional Justice di New York.

## EDUCATION AND TRAINING

**1993**

### ● **High School Diploma**

Liceo Ginnasio Statale "Omero" of Milan

**27/11/1998**

### ● **Degree in Law**

University of Milano-Bicocca

Sicurezza urbana e questione criminale. Una ricerca empirica (Urban Safety and Criminal Issue. An Empirical Research).

**13/02/2003**

### ● **International Ph.D. in Criminology**

University of Trento

Why People Trust the Police? An Empirical Study

## LANGUAGE SKILLS

**MOTHER TONGUE(S):** Italian

**OTHER LANGUAGE(S):** English

## DIGITAL SKILLS

Limesurvey / SPSS SOFTWARE / Qualitative and quantitative analysis

## USE OF MY PERSONAL DATA

● **According to law 679/2016 of the Regulation of the European Parliament of 27th April 2016, I hereby express my consent to process and use my data provided in this CV**