

# Salvatore Lorenzo — Curriculum Vitae

## Info

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## Current Position

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**(01/2022-Present)** - Associate Professor

Dipartimento di Fisica e Chimica, University of Palermo, Italy

## Education

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**2011: PhD Course in Physics and Quantum Technologies**

**Università della Calabria**

Supervisor: Francesco Plastina

Thesis title: *Quantum State Transfer and Non-Markovian Dynamics*

**2008: Masters degree in Physics**

**Università della Calabria**

Thesis advisors: Giuseppe Nisticó

Thesis title: *Tunnel Effect for nano and sub-nano barriers*

## Honors

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**2021: Italian National Scientific Habilitation (ASN 2017)** - Full Professor in Theoretical Matter Physics (02B2)

**2020: Italian National Scientific Habilitation (ASN 2017)** - Associated Professor in Theoretical Matter Physics (02B2)

**2020: Italian National Scientific Habilitation (ASN 2017)** - Associated Professor in Theoretical Physics of Fundamental Interactions (02A2)

**2015: National Teaching Habilitation of Math and Science for lower secondary school**

**Università degli Studi di Palermo**

## Appointments held

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**(01/2019-01/2022)** - Tenured Assistant Professor at Università degli Studi di Palermo

**(09/2018-12/2018)** - Teacher of math and science at lower secondary school I.C. Pappalardo (Vittoria - RG)

**(09/2017-09/2018)** - Teacher of math and science at lower secondary school S. Biagio (Vittoria - RG)

**(07/2016-06/2017)** - Post Doc at Università degli Studi di Milano

**(07/2015-06/2016)** - Post Doc at Università degli Studi della Calabria

**(09/2013-03/2015)** - Post Doc at Università degli Studi di Palermo

**(05/2012-08/2013)** - Post Doc at Università degli Studi della Calabria

## Teaching

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**A.Y. 2020/present** - "Python Programming and Quantum Physics" - PhD Course - Unipa

**A.Y. 2020/present** - "Gauge Theories" - Graduate course - Unipa

**A.Y. 2019/present** - "Fisica I", Undergraduate course - Unipa

**A.Y. 2019/2020** - "Quantum Mechanics" (one modulus) - Graduate course - Unipa

**A.Y. 2016/2017** - "Fisica II", Undergraduate course - Unipa

## Research

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- Quantum information processing.
- Quantum State Transfer in spin networks
- Open quantum system, Decoherence and Non-Markovianity
- Simulation of quantum many-body systems
- Quantum statistical physics
- Quantum Thermodynamics

*approach:* analytical and/or numerical

## Research Projects

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- PRIN 2022/23 - Quantum Reservoir Computing (QuReCo)
- QuProCS - Quantum Probes for Complex Systems  
FET proactive "quantum simulations", Horizon 2020 Programme of the European Union.
- TherMiQ - Thermodynamics of Mesoscopic Quantum Systems  
Seventh Framework Programme of the European Union 2007-2013
- PRIN 2010/11 - Fenomeni quantistici collettivi: dai sistemi fortemente correlati ai simulatori quantistici

## Organization of International Conferences and Workshops

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- IQIS 2022  
Homepage: <https://iqis2022.unipa.it>  
Palermo, Italy, 12-16 September 2022
- The many facets of non-equilibrium physics 2019  
Homepage: <https://sites.google.com/view/mazaranon-equilibrium2019/home>  
Mazara del Vallo, Italy, 8-12 July 2019
- The many facets of non-equilibrium physics: from many body theory to quantum thermodynamics  
Homepage: <https://sites.google.com/site/nonequilibriummazara17/home>  
Mazara del Vallo, Italy, 18-22 September 2017

## Invited Talks at International Conferences and Workshops

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- NES - 2023  
(Erice, Italy) (09/2023)  
Talk Title: "Quantum properties reconstruction via QELM"
- IQIS - 2019  
(Milano, Italy) (09/2019)  
Talk Title: "Graphs Synchronization through chiral coupling"
- TQN - 2016  
(Mazara del Vallo, Italy) (09/2016)  
Talk Title: "Quantum non-Markovianity induced by Anderson localization"

## International Conferences and Schools

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- IQIS2023 - 2023  
(Trieste) (09/2023)  
Talk Title: "On the potential and limitations of quantum extreme learning machines"
- QIM2023 - 2023  
(Malta) (06/2023)  
Talk Title: "Quantum Collision models"  
Talk Title: "State estimation via QELM"
- FISMAT - 2015  
(Palermo, Italy) (10/2015)  
Talk Title: "Landauer's Principle in multipartite open quantum system dynamics"
- IQIS - 2015  
(Bari, Italy) (09/2015)  
Talk Title: "Landauer's Principle in multipartite open quantum system dynamics"
- IQIS - 2014  
(Salerno, Italy) (09/2014)  
Poster Title: "How much does it cost to 'Erase' correlations?"
- CEWQO - 2014  
(Brussels, Belgium) (06/2014)  
Poster Title: "Heat flux dynamics in dissipative cascaded systems"
- School on new trends of quantum dynamics and entanglement  
(The Abdus Salam ITCP, Italy) (02/2011)
- DPG Physics School 2010 "Nanophotonics Meets Quantum Optics"  
(Bad Honnef, Germany) (09/2010)  
Poster Title: "Information transmission via local modulation in spin chain"
- International School and Conference on Spintronics and Quantum Information  
(Cracow, Poland) (07/2009)

## Publications

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- [1] Claudio Pellitteri, G Massimo Palma, and **SL**. Temperature gradient and asymmetric steady state correlations in dissipatively coupled cascaded optomechanical systems. *Physica Scripta*, 99(1):015108, dec 2023. DOI: 10.1088/1402-4896/ad1238.
- [2] Luca Innocenti, **SL**, Ivan Palmisano, Francesco Albarelli, Alessandro Ferraro, Mauro Paternostro, and G. Massimo Palma. Shadow tomography on general measurement frames. *PRX Quantum*, 4:040328, Nov 2023. DOI: 10.1103/PRXQuantum.4.040328.
- [3] Alessia Suprano, Danilo Zia, Luca Innocenti, **SL**, Valeria Cimini, Taira Giordani, Ivan Palmisano, Emanuele Polino, Nicolò Spagnolo, Fabio Sciarrino, G. Massimo Palma, Alessandro Ferraro, and Mauro Paternostro. Experimental property-reconstruction in a photonic quantum extreme learning machine, August 2023. DOI: 10.48550/arXiv.2308.04543.
- [4] Gabriele Lo Monaco, Luca Innocenti, Dario Cilluffo, Dario A. Chisholm, **SL**, and G. Massimo Palma. Quantum scrambling via accessible tripartite information. *Quantum Science and Technology*, 8(3):035006, July 2023. DOI: 10.1088/2058-9565/accd92.
- [5] Luca Innocenti, **SL**, Ivan Palmisano, Alessandro Ferraro, Mauro Paternostro, and G. Massimo Palma. Potential and limitations of quantum extreme learning machines. *Communications Physics*, 6(1):118, May 2023. DOI: 10.1038/s42005-023-01233-w.
- [6] Federico Amato, Claudio Pellitteri, G. Massimo Palma, **SL**, and Rosario Lo Franco. Heating and cooling processes via phaseonium-driven dynamics of cascade systems, 2023.
- [7] Mirko Consiglio, Jacopo Settino, Andrea Giordano, Carlo Mastroianni, Francesco Plastina, **SL**, Sabrina Maniscalco, John Gould, and Tony J. G. Apollaro. Variational gibbs state preparation on nisq devices, 2023.
- [8] Gabriele Lo Monaco, Luca Innocenti, Dario Cilluffo, Diana A. Chisholm, **SL**, and G. Massimo Palma. An operational definition of quantum information scrambling, 2023.
- [9] Tony J. G. Apollaro, **SL**, Francesco Plastina, Mirko Consiglio, and Karol Życzkowski. Entangled States are Harder to Transfer than Product States. *Entropy. An International and Interdisciplinary Journal of Entropy and Information Studies*, 25(1):46, December 2022. DOI: 10.3390/e25010046.
- [10] T.J.G. Apollaro, **SL**, F. Plastina, M. Consiglio, and K. Życzkowski. Quantum transfer of interacting qubits. *New Journal of Physics*, 24(8), 2022. DOI: 10.1088/1367-2630/ac86e7.

- [11] F. Ciccarello, **SL**, V. Giovannetti, and G.M. Palma. Quantum collision models: Open system dynamics from repeated interactions. *Physics Reports*, 954, 2022. DOI: 10.1016/j.physrep.2022.01.001.
- [12] F. Roccati, **SL**, G. Calajò, G. Massimo Palma, A. Carollo, and F. Ciccarello. Exotic interactions mediated by a non-Hermitian photonic bath. *Optica*, 9(5), 2022. DOI: 10.1364/OPTICA.443955.
- [13] **SL**, B. Militello, A. Napoli, R. Zambrini, and G.M. Palma. Quantum synchronisation and clustering in chiral networks. *New Journal of Physics*, 24(2), 2022. DOI: 10.1088/1367-2630/ac51a9.
- [14] D. Cilluffo, G. Buonaiuto, I. Lesanovsky, A. Carollo, **SL**, G. Palma, F. Ciccarello, and F. Carollo. Microscopic biasing of discrete-time quantum trajectories. *Quantum Science and Technology*, 6(4), 2021. DOI: 10.1088/2058-9565/ac15e2.
- [15] F. Roccati, **SL**, G.M. Palma, G.T. Landi, M. Brunelli, and F. Ciccarello. Quantum correlations in PT-symmetric systems. *Quantum Science and Technology*, 6(2), 2021. DOI: 10.1088/2058-9565/abcfcc.
- [16] **SL**, S. Longhi, A. Cabot, R. Zambrini, and G.L. Giorgi. Intermittent decoherence blockade in a chiral ring environment. *Scientific Reports*, 11(1), 2021. DOI: 10.1038/s41598-021-92288-8.
- [17] T.J.G. Apollaro, C. Sanavio, W.J. Chetcuti, and **SL**. Multipartite entanglement transfer in spin chains. *Physics Letters, Section A: General, Atomic and Solid State Physics*, 384(15), 2020. DOI: 10.1016/j.physleta.2020.126306.
- [18] W.J. Chetcuti, C. Sanavio, **SL**, and T.J.G. Apollaro. Perturbative many-body transfer. *New Journal of Physics*, 22(3), 2020. DOI: 10.1088/1367-2630/ab7a33.
- [19] D. Cilluffo, G. Buonaiuto, **SL**, G.M. Palma, F. Ciccarello, F. Carollo, and I. Lesanovsky. Witnessing nonclassicality through large deviations in quantum optics. *Physical Review Research*, 2(2), 2020. DOI: 10.1103/PhysRevResearch.2.023078.
- [20] D. Cilluffo, A. Carollo, **SL**, J.A. Gross, G.M. Palma, and F. Ciccarello. Collisional picture of quantum optics with giant emitters. *Physical Review Research*, 2(4), 2020. DOI: 10.1103/PhysRevResearch.2.043070.
- [21] G.L. Giorgi, **SL**, and S. Longhi. Topological protection and control of quantum Markovianity. *Photonics*, 7(1), 2020. DOI: 10.3390/photonics7010018.
- [22] **SL**, M. Paternostro, and G.M. Palma. Anti-Zeno-based dynamical control of the unfolding of quantum Darwinism. *Physical Review Research*, 2(1), 2020. DOI: 10.1103/PhysRevResearch.2.013164.
- [23] T.J.G. Apollaro, G.M.A. Almeida, **SL**, A. Ferraro, and S. Paganelli. Spin chains for two-qubit teleportation. *Physical Review A*, 100(5), 2019. DOI: 10.1103/PhysRevA.100.052308.
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- [25] N. Milazzo, **SL**, M. Paternostro, and G.M. Palma. Role of information backflow in the emergence of quantum Darwinism. *Physical Review A*, 100(1), 2019. DOI: 10.1103/PhysRevA.100.012101.
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## Editorial Board Membership for International Journals

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## Referral Activity for International Journals

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- NPJ Quantum Information
- Physical Review A
- Physical Review B
- Physical Review E
- Physics Letter A
- Physical Review Letters
- Physical Review Research
- New Journal of Physics
- Quantum Information Processing

## Computer Skills

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- **Operating systems:** Advanced experience with the most flavors of Linux.  
Experienced Microsoft Windows and Mac OSX
- **Programming and scripting:** Mathematica, Matlab, Python,  $\LaTeX$ (daily), HTML (often), C++, Fortran, Bash (seldom).

## Languages

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- **Italian:** Native tongue
- **English**

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