

Curriculum Vitae

Captain (Navy) Gianmatteo Breda

Captain (Navy) Gianmatteo Breda, a senior officer of the Italian Navy, was commissioned in 1994 and has since played versatile roles within the Supply Corps, primarily focusing on the legal domain, resource policy, and finance. He's held high level appointments at the Italian Navy General Staff – Office of the Legal Affairs and he's currently employed at NATO HQ for his second tour at NATO where is focusing on financial policy and resource planning.

His educational background is noteworthy, having acquired a degree in Political Science, specializing in Public Administration, in 1993 from the University of Urbino, Italy. He furthered his academic journey by completing a Law degree from the same university in 1999. Captain Breda's specialization in Maritime Affairs is underscored by his Master of Laws (LL.M) in International Maritime Law, which he obtained in 2005 from the International Maritime Law Institute (IMLI) of the International Maritime Organization (IMO) in Malta. His expertise in Naval Sciences, particularly in the legal and administrative area, was further developed with a degree in Naval Sciences (part of the Defence and Security Sciences degree class) from the University of Pisa, Italy, in 2008.

In addition to his formal education, Captain (Navy) Breda has attended numerous courses across various disciplines, including Legal, Logistics, Finance, and Military, and is a proud graduate of the Senior Course at the NATO Defence College (NDC) in Rome, completed in 2010. His qualifications extend to being a certified Legal Adviser with a focus on Maritime Law and the Law of the Armed Conflict, and he is also a recognized Instructor within the Italian Armed Forces. Captain Breda's contributions to the field are not confined to service alone; he is an active educator, teaching legal and financial issues in Italy and abroad, and a contributor to International Law publications, reflecting his commitment to the field. He is a member of the Board of Directors of the International Society for Military Law and the Law of War and a member of the International Institute of Humanitarian Law of Sanremo.

