INES CALOISI

European Project Strategist | Evaluator | Organisational Leader | Researcher

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EXECUTIVE PROFILE

Senior European project strategist, evaluator, organisational leader and researcher with more than 15 years of international experience in the design, coordination, evaluation and strategic management of EU-funded initiatives. She has extensive experience in the preparation, submission and implementation of European projects and in the independent evaluation of project proposals across European and national programmes.

Founder and leader of organisations in Spain, Belgium and Italy, she combines European cooperation, governance and programme delivery with academic research on Responsibility Culture, gender equality and human agency in AI-mediated societies. She is a PhD Candidate in Equality and Gender at the Universidad de Málaga, founder of the Responsibility Culture (RESC) framework, and Co-Editor-in-Chief of ENCATC Scholar.

STRATEGIC PROFILE AT A GLANCE

15+ years in EU cooperation | European project design and coordination | Independent proposal evaluation | Leadership across 3 European organisations | Editorial leadership and international scholarly service

CURRENT LEADERSHIP ROLES

- Founder and CEO - Horizon Málaga S.L. (Spain), 2025-Present. European project consultancy, ethical AI, social innovation, international cooperation and professional training.
- Founder and Director - TIA Formazione APS (Italy), 2011-Present. EU programme coordination, organisational governance, adult education and international partnerships.
- Founder and President - Projects for Europe ASBL (Belgium), 2020-Present. European cooperation, entrepreneurship, education, social inclusion and partnership development.

EUROPEAN PROJECT DESIGN, MANAGEMENT AND EVALUATION

Extensive experience across Erasmus+, Horizon Europe, CERV, Creative Europe and related European cooperation programmes, covering concept development, consortium building, proposal design, coordination, quality assurance, impact, dissemination and sustainability.

- Extensive experience in the preparation and submission of European project proposals.
- Extensive experience in the implementation and coordination of approved EU-funded projects.
- Extensive experience in the evaluation of project proposals as an independent expert/evaluator.
- Evaluation expertise: relevance and needs analysis; European added value; coherence and quality of design; impact and sustainability; partnership and governance; risk management; budget coherence and cost-effectiveness.

THEMATIC EXPERTISE

- Responsible and ethical artificial intelligence
- Responsibility Culture and human agency in AI-mediated societies
- Gender equality, female leadership and women-led entrepreneurship
- Social innovation, civic participation and cultural heritage
- Organisational learning, impact assessment and cognitive sustainability

RESEARCH AND ACADEMIC PROFILE

PhD Candidate - Universidad de Málaga (Spain), Doctoral Programme in Equality and Gender. Doctoral research developed with academic supervision involving the University of Salerno (Italy) and the Universidad Nacional de Mar del Plata (Argentina), within the international dimension of the doctorate.

Research focus: Responsibility Culture, gender equality and human agency in AI-mediated societies, with attention to cognitive sustainability, authentic leadership, women-led enterprises and the formative dimensions of responsibility.

RESEARCH FRAMEWORK

Founder - Responsibility Culture (RESC), 2026-Present. RESC is a conceptual and applied framework examining responsibility not only as accountability or compliance, but as a human, organisational and socio-cultural capacity shaped through awareness, knowledge, agency, reflexivity and transformation.

EDUCATION

- PhD Candidate, Equality and Gender - Universidad de Málaga, Spain (ongoing)
- Inter-University Master's Degree in Sociology: Theory, Methodology and Research (ongoing)
- Master's Degree in Ethics and Artificial Intelligence - University of Turin, 110/110
- OTHM Level 7 Certificate in Research Methods - United Kingdom, RQF Level 7
- Second-Level Master's Degree in Peace Education, International Cooperation and European Policies - Roma Tre University
- Second-Level Master's Degree in Geopolitics and Global Security - Sapienza University of Rome
- Degree in Foreign Languages and Literatures - Sapienza University of Rome

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS AND RESEARCH OUTPUTS

- Beyond Productivity: Cognitive Sustainability, Creative Freedom, and the Social Role of Artificial Intelligence. Journal of Artificial Intelligence and Data Analytics, 2026.
- Scholarly contribution published in The European Sociologist, European Sociological Association, 2026.
- Culture and Democracy: What Makes Culture a Democratic Force? b.creative, Visions from Our Network, 2026. https://www.bcreativetracks.com/community/visions/culture-democracy/ines-caloisi/
- Working papers (SSRN, 2026): Beyond Productivity; Beyond Compliance; Authentic Leadership as Inner Development; Authentic Female Leadership and Social Legitimacy; Beyond Transparency: The RESC Framework and Article 50 of the EU AI Act.
- Other preprint: The Wrong Tools (SocArXiv, 2026).

SELECTED SCHOLARLY AND EDITORIAL ENGAGEMENT

- Board Member, Research Network 25 - Social Movements, European Sociological Association (ESA), 2026-Present.
- Co-Editor-in-Chief, ENCATC Scholar - European Network on Cultural Management and Policy (ENCATC), 2026-Present. Shared responsibility for editorial development and positioning, with a leading role in operational management, review-process coordination, international stakeholder engagement, digital dissemination and the responsible use of emerging digital tools.
- Program Committee Member / Reviewer, EAAI-27 - 17th Symposium on Educational Advances in Artificial Intelligence, AI Education in K-12 Track, co-located with AAAI-27 (2026-2027).
- Certified completion of the Elsevier Peer Reviewer Course (2026).
- Member of the European Association of Science Editors (EASE) and the Council of Science Editors (CSE); author of scientific papers and contributions presented or accepted at international academic conferences in Europe, Australia and the Americas.

SELECTED INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- 13th International Conference on Gender and Women's Studies - Melbourne, Australia, September 2026.

- XI Congreso Internacional de Jóvenes Investigadorxs con Perspectiva de Género - Burgos, Spain, September 2026.
- ISA RC14 Conference - Tecnológico de Monterrey, Cuernavaca, Mexico, October 2026.
- CNDSS - Bari, Italy, December 2026.
- 12th Global Congress on Gender and Sexuality Studies - Barcelona, Spain, May 2027.
- 9th Global Conference on Women's Studies - Copenhagen, Denmark, July 2027.

PROFESSIONAL RECOGNITION AND MEMBERSHIPS

- New European Bauhaus Coach (2026-2028)
- European Sociological Association (ESA)
- European Academy of Management (EURAM)
- European Educational Research Association (EERA)
- ATGENDER, ENCATC and Culture Action Europe
- Rome Call for AI Ethics
- European Association of Science Editors (EASE)
- Council of Science Editors (CSE)

PROFESSIONAL APPROACH

Her work connects European policy priorities, organisational leadership, project evaluation and academic inquiry through a consistent commitment to ethical, inclusive and human-centred innovation.