Activities undertaken by Dr. Federica Farneti (15/01/2013 – 15/02/2013) as Visiting Research Fellow at the School of Commerce - University of South Australia and at the Centre for Accounting, Governance and Sustainability, within the SMOG Mobility Project

During her visit Dr. Federica Farneti has worked with the staff and postgraduate students on research projects and SMOG Mobility Project. She has completed a number of research papers and has engaged with the SMOG Mobility Project.

In terms of research undertaken, the following research papers have been started, or developed or completed.

Completed:

Developed:
- Del Sordo C., Farneti, F., Pazzi S., Siboni, B., Voluntary reporting and stakeholder engagement in Italian universities, working paper.

Started:
- Rammal, H., Farneti, F., and Burritt, R., Knowledge transfer: a comparison among MNCs and NGOs, working paper.
- Ragazzini, G., e Farneti, F., La Rendicontazione di Sostenibilità di due Organizzazioni non Profit: contenuti e riflessioni per il futuro, (social reporting in not-for profit organisations: analysis from two organisations and future directions) working paper.

Planned papers for late 2013 and 2014
- Farneti, F. and Rowe, A., Education for Sustainability through SMOG Joint Mobility Project between Australian & the EU.
- Rammal, H., Farneti, F., Global or Regional: The Internationalization of Italian Manufacturing Firms.
- Lodhia, S and Farneti, F., Trend in Australian and Italian public sector sustainability reporting.
- Dina Wahyuni and Farneti, F., Carbon management and accounting in public sector organisations.
- Thorne, K., and Farneti, F., Evidence from Italian case studies on follow up Porter’s research.

Worked on the international SMOG Mobility Project and related research:
ICI Education in higher education and training between the EU and Australia, Sustainable Management for Organisations, Business and Government.
A number of meetings were held in order to develop and prompt the project during this period. In particularly:
- 16 January 2013, 15.00 pm meeting with Prof Roger Burritt with reference to the overall Smog Project;
- 17 January 2013 1.00-1.30pm Meeting with Dr. Hussain Rammal with reference the research Sustainability Reporting in the Italian Public Sector: motives and Influences;
- 18 January 2013 15.00-15.30pm Meeting with Prof. James Guthrie with reference the research Sustainability reports of an Italian local government: a longitudinal analysis;
- 18 January 2013 10.30-11.00pm Meeting with Dr. Sumit. K. Lodhia with reference the overall Smog Project and his visit to Bologna University during 2013;
- 22 January 2013 15.00-16.00pm Meeting with Prof. James Guthrie with reference the research Stand Alone Sustainability Reporting and the use of GRI in Italian Vodafone 2006 – 2011;
- 22 January 2013 16.00-17.30pm Meeting with Dr. Sumit. K. Lodhia and Prof. Kym Thorne with reference the overall Smog Project, students exchange and their visits, as well as seminars, over to Bologna University during 2013;
- 23 January 2013, 15.30-17.00 pm meeting with Prof Roger Burritt with reference to the overall Smog Project and research;
- 24 January 2013 15.00-16.00pm Meeting with Prof. James Guthrie with reference the research Voluntary reporting and stakeholder engagement in Italian universities;
- 23 January 2013, 15.30-17.00 pm meeting with Prof Roger Burritt with reference to the overall Smog Project and research;
- 30 January 15.00-16.00pm Meeting with Dr. Hussain Rammal with reference the research Sustainability Reporting in the Italian Public Sector: Motives and Influences;
- 1 February 2013, 11.00 am meeting with Prof. Kym Thorne with reference to the overall Smog Project;
- 1 February 2013 15.00-16.00pm Meeting with Prof. James Guthrie with reference the research Travel CO2 reduction: managing and accounting in a global company;
- 4 February 2013, 11.00-12.00 am meeting with Dr. Amanda Carter with reference research and future potential visit to Bologna University;
- 4 February 2013 11.00-15.30pm Meeting with Prof. Kym Thorne and Dr. John Dumay with reference the overall Smog Project, students exchange and their visits to Bologna University during 2013;
- 5 February 9.30-11.30pm Meeting with Dr. Hussain Rammal with reference the research Sustainability Reporting in the Italian Public Sector: Motives and Influences;
- 5 February 2013 1.00-4.00pm Meeting with Dina Wahyuni with reference future potential research on carbon accounting in public sector organisations;
- 7 February 2013 16.00-17.00pm Meeting with Prof. Lee Parker, with reference research undertaken at UniSA;
- 11 February 2013 9.00-10.00am Meeting with Dr. Hussain Rammal with reference the research into Sustainability Reporting in the Italian Public Sector: Motives and Influences;
- 11 February 2013 15.00-16.00pm Meeting with Prof. Kym Thorne with reference the overall Smog Project, students exchange and their visits over to Bologna University during 2013 and potential agreement between Bologna and South Australia university to enhance academic visit, research in view of an internationalisation process;
- 12 February 2013 10.00-11.00am Meeting with Dr. Elvia Elvia Shauki with reference mining research project;
- 13 February 2013 14.00-16.00am Meeting with Dr. Hussain Rammal with reference the research Sustainability Reporting in the Italian Public Sector: Motives and Influences;
- 14 February 2013 12.30-14.00pm Meeting with Prof. Susan Lambert;
- 15 February 2013 2013, 8.00-10.00pm pm Meeting with Prof Roger Burritt, Prof. Kym Thorne, Dr. Sumit Lodhia with reference the overall Smog Project and research activities and the future.
15 February 2013 10.30-11.00pm Meeting with Prof Roger Burritt with reference the overall Smog Project and research activities.

Further academics met at UniSA:
- 30 January 2013, 18.00 pm meeting with Prof. Garry Carnegie – head of RMIT Melbourne;
- 4 February 2013, 10.30-11.00 pm meeting with Dr. John Dumay – The University of Sydney with reference the SMOG mobility project.
- 8 February 2013, 12.00 pm meeting with Simon Linacre - Emerald Publisher;
- 6 February 2013, 8.30-9.30 pm meeting with Dr. John Dumay – The University of Sydney with reference the SMOG mobility project.

Attended the following seminars:

Staff met at University of South Australia University, with whom I have spoken about research, potential seminars at Bologna Uni, conferences to participate in and SMOG Mobility project:
- Dr Kym Thorne;
- Dr Joanne Tingey-Holyoak;
- Professor Roger Burritt;
- Dina Wahyuni;
- Professor Lee Parker;
- Dr Sumit Lodhia;
- Dr Hussain Rammal;
- Amanpreet Kaur;
- Dr Amanda Carter;
- Professor Christine Helliar;
- Associate Professor Susan Lambert;
- Vandana Arya;
- Dr Elvia Shauki.

Preparatory work for seminars presentations organised within the SMOG Mobility project for the AA 2013:
- Seminar at Bologna University by Prof. Kym Thorne, SMOG topic, University of Bologna, July 2013.
- Seminar at Bologna University by Dr. Sumit. K. Lodhia, SMOG topic, University of Bologna, October 2013 on the topic Integrated reporting in Australia.

Adelaide, 15 February 2013

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