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## EDUCATION

- **MSc in Interpreting and specialized translation**, Cà Foscari University of Venice, Italy
- **BA Degree in Linguistic and cultural mediation**, Sapienza University of Rome, Italy

## AREA OF EXPERTISE

- Foreign languages (English, Chinese, Spanish), Interpreting and Translation
- Student Exchange Programs

## BRIEF BIO

Francesca Giannotta is a collaborator at the University of Salento (Lecce, Italy) in the field of relations with foreign partner institutions, specifically supporting exchange students to/from and handling contact with Chinese colleagues EU and Extra-EU countries, with particular reference to China. Her expertise and research fields include specialized translation and interpreting, teaching Italian as a foreign language in the framework of international culture exchange programs. In this regard, she has collaborated in recent years with Sichuan University and Sichuan Normal University (Chengdu, China). She also completed a short-term research project on Chinese Pharmacology at Chengdu University of Traditional Chinese Medicine with scholarship funded by China Scholarship Council.

## KITFEM WORK PACKAGE

- **WORK PACKAGE no. 1:** International Technology Transfer, Knowledge Networks and Innovation Capabilities Upgrading

