

## **Ms Manuela Guggeis - Bio**

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Manuela Guggeis studied law at the University of Padua (Italy) where she graduated with a thesis in comparative administrative law. After several years as a legal adviser in various public administrations in Italy, she worked as a lawyer until 1990. During this time, she also taught law and economics at secondary education level. She then joined the Court of Justice of the European Union as a lawyer-linguist and later transferred to the European Commission to work as a translator. In 1993, she joined the Legal Service of the Council of the European Union as a lawyer-linguist. Since 2006, she is head of the unit "Quality".

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