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Education

Degree in Economics, University of Bologna (1983)

Chartered Accountant & Legal Auditor

Diploma in Professional Psychotherapy

Background

Andrea Cesaretti is a pioneer in DeFi and blockchain-based legal-tech solutions. With a background in economics, corporate consulting, and strategic governance, he is the founder of EmpowerX—an ecosystem that combines decentralized venture capital with DAO-driven incubation models.

He formerly taught Tech Finance at the Catholic University of Milan and is the author of several books and scientific papers on tokenization, DeFi, and regulatory frameworks such as MiCAR. His latest book is "Bitcoin: The Money That Does Not Obey" (2025).

Professional Experience

Founder & CEO, Slenos Srl (2020-present)

President, Empowerment Laboratory (2017-present)

CEO, Fondamenta Srl & Digital Force Srl (2024-present)

Former Managing Director, Alviero Martini Spa (1992-2004)

Former CEO, Alviero Martini USA & Hosp-Italia Industries Inc (2000-2004)

Author & Lecturer

Former professor in Business Economics, Catholic University of Milan (1999–2000)

Former professor in Tech Finance, Catholic University of Milan (2022-2023)

Author of several books and scientific papers on DeFi, blockchain, NFTs, and the tokenization of creative works

Latest book: "Bitcoin: The Money That Does Not Obey" (2025)

Focus Areas

DAO Governance – Decentralized Finance – Tokenomics – Blockchain Compliance (MiCAR) – Startup Incubation

Available for KYC & ID Verification