

# Giorgia Salvadori and Fabrizio Serra

## Centro Paideia

Paideia is a private foundation created in 1993 by a group of entrepreneurial families based in Turin, intending to improve the lives of disadvantaged children, to promote projects and models of social intervention, and to give concrete support in the disability and family support areas.

The Paideia Center was opened in 2018 (after 3 years of work) as an integrated place, based on a systemic multidisciplinary, and inclusive approach where people can find rehabilitation services together with social, cultural, sport, and recreational initiatives directed to all family members.



For Giorgia and Fabrizio it is important how one's wellbeing is connected with the wellbeing of everybody, how other people's experiences are enriching lives of the others, and what we can learn from each other by exchanging perspectives.

They can share their experience in building peer approach and peer support, the model and guidance on supporting families and how to build inclusive approach, look beyond the disability and connect citizens via different joint initiatives.

## Values and expertise

## Governance team

Paideia Foundation has 3 social enterprises: Paideia Center, Paideia Sport, and Paideia farm, with 85 employees altogether.

Every Thursday morning there is a meeting to verify the goals presented by the families and to exchange interactions.

There are also several training opportunities for employees, on how to build a project with a family and to exchange and share the vision of Paideia among everyone, not only among the practitioners.

## Secretary General Project Manager



- How Paideia's model can be better defined and developed elsewhere (scaled up)?
- How to connect the practice and theory?
- How to create a community of practice, where everyone can experiment and share experiences?

## Questions to the Forum