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Matteo Gomirato has been a European Union official since March 2001. He holds a degree in Political Sciences from Trieste University (Italy), a Master of Arts in European Studies from the University of Leuven (Belgium) and a Master of Philosophy in International Relations from Cambridge University (United Kingdom).

Since September 2017, he has been serving in the European External Action Service's Division for Multilateral Affairs, covering United Nations-related matters. He is the liaison officer with the EU Delegation in New York, and the contact point for the United Nations reform process (in particular the management system, and the peace and security architecture reform), peacekeeping and peacekeeping reform, United Nations Security Council related matters, and UN budgetary and administrative issues. He also ensures the monitoring of the work of the United Nations General Assembly's Fourth (Special Political and Decolonization) and Fifth (Administrative and Budgetary matters) Committees and follows UN-related matters concerning Brazil, China, the Holy See, the G-77, and the BRICS group of countries.

In March 2001, he joined the European Commission Directorate for External Relations working on EU financial cooperation with the countries of the Western Balkans.

In May 2005, he moved to the Latin America Directorate as Desk Officer for Argentina. In February 2009, he was appointed Desk Officer for Brazil, a position he continued to cover in the newly-established European External Action Service from January 2011 to August 2013.

In September 2013, he took up the position of Policy Officer for European Parliament Affairs which he held until August 2017, covering *inter alia* the EP Committee on Development (DEVE), the Committee on Security and Defence (SEDE), the Committee on Budgets (BUDG) and the Committee on Budgetary Control (CONT).

An Italian national, in addition to his Italian mother tongue Matteo speaks English, French, Spanish and Portuguese.