



ODIN ANTONINO URSO

GOLF COACH

PERSONAL PROFILE

Odin Antonino Urso is a golf professional with a unique Danish-Italian heritage, combining competitive success with advanced teaching skills. Born in Copenhagen and raised in Denmark and Italy, he began playing golf in the summer of 2014, going from beginner to scratch golfer in just three years. Turning professional in 2022, after reaching a handicap of -2.7 as an amateur, during that time he won 5 national tournaments and the 2021 Italian Team Championship, earning the Bronze Medal for Sporting Merit from the International Olympic Committee. A certified Trackman Level 2 and US Kids Level 1 instructor, since March 2024 he has been helping improve player performance as a Golf Professional at Verdura Resort, part of the prestigious Rocco Forte Hotels chain. Fluent in English, with Italian and Danish as his native languages, he brings a multicultural perspective to coaching an elite international clientele.

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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Verdura Resort, Rocco Forte Hotels, Sicily, Italy

Golf Instructor

March 2024 – Present

- Provides personalized coaching to international guests, using Trackman technology to optimize swing analysis and club fitting.
- Designs high-quality, bespoke training programs for amateurs and competitive players in a luxury resort setting.

Le Vigne Golf Club, Villafranca di Verona, Italy

Golf Instructor

June 2022 – February 2024

- Coached beginners, amateurs and competitive players, improving students' average handicaps with on-course technical and strategic instruction.
- Accompanied competitive teams to national competitions as a mentor and supported professional players as a caddie at competitive events.

SKILLS AND EXPERIENCE

- Advanced swing analysis and club fitting with Trackman technology.
- Personalized coaching for all levels: beginners, amateurs, competitive players and professionals.
- Strategic on-course instruction, with mentoring and preparation for competitive competitions.
- Experience teaching high-profile clients and corporate groups in luxury environments.
- In-depth knowledge of golf rules, standards and tournament dynamics.
- Supporting young golfers and professionals as an instructor and caddie in national and competitive events.

EDUCATION & CERTIFICATIONS

● US Kids Level 1 Certification

2025

Qualified to apply US Kids teaching methods, enhancing the golf experience of young athletes.

● Double-Goal Coach Certification: Coaching for Winning and Life Lessons

2025

Trained to integrate winning strategies and life lessons into sports coaching.

● Trackman Level 2 Certification

2024

Qualified for advanced swing analysis and performance optimization with cutting-edge Trackman technology.

● Trackman Level 1 Certification

2023

Certified in basic Trackman methodologies for coaching and club fitting.

● Golf Professional Course, National Golf School (Italian Golf Federation)

February 2022 - February 2025

Intensive three-year training, structured in three phases (intern, assistant, instructor), completed with the qualification of Certified Golf Instructor.

● Diploma in Accounting

Italy, 2016



ADDITIONAL AWARDS

- Preparing to qualify for European Tour events and international Pro-Am tournaments, aiming to expand competitive presence and professional network.
- Praised by Verdura Resort management for engaging teaching style and excellent technical precision.
- Multicultural background that facilitates effective communication with a diverse international clientele.

LANGUAGES

- Italian: Native
- Danish: Native
- English: Fluent

SPORTS RESULTS

● 2024

- National Open Championship (Italian Golf Federation): tied for 44th place.
- PGAI Championship: 6th place.

● 2023

- Abruzzo Alps Open (Alps Tour): tied for 50th place.

● 2021

- Italian Men's Team Championship: 1st place with GC Parco di Roma.
- National Golf School Qualifications (Professional Golf Course): 2nd place out of 90 participants, qualifying among the first 10 admitted to the course.

● 2020

- 3 victories in national tournaments and 2 second places.

● 2019

- 1 victory in a national tournament and 4 second places.

● 2017

- Coppa Piero Negrone (GC Bogliaco): 1st place, first national victory.
- Italian Absolute Match Play Championship: Quarterfinals.
- 6 Top 5 placements in national tournaments.

● 2016

- Tuscan Regional Team Championship: 1st place with GC Argentario

