



REWARDED IN 2011 WITH MEDAL OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE ITALIAN REPUBLIC

## Cristiano Comelli's biography



Cristiano Comelli was born January 12, 1970 in Milan, he lives in Legnano. He graduated in classical studies and in Political Science, he is employed at Instituto di previdenza scociale. During leisure he cooperates with some newspapers and cultivates various passions including music (he is a tenor of San Giulio chorus of Castellanza and Amadeus chorus of Rescaldina), enigmatography, poetry. He participated in several poetry competitions of national relevance achieving rewards and mentions. Winner of *La più bella lettera d'amore* competition in 2002 (this earned him the publication of his first book *Il respiro del mare* published by *Fiori di Campo*). Again in 2002, second prize at *Francesco Moro - Sartirana Lomellina* and *Il Giunco Città di Brugherio* awards, third at *I fiori* award and fifth at *Angela Storace* 

award in Naples. In 2003, winner of *Angela Storace* award - with silver medal of President of the Italian Republic - and *Carlo del Teglio* award in Lecco; second prize at *Trofeo d'argento* award and fourth prize at *I fiori* award, and a mention at *La Cometa* award. Again in 2003 he published his second book of poems titled *L'onda lunga dei pensieri* published by Montedit. In 2004, ninth at *Maria Leone* award, fourth at *Città di Melegnano* and fifth at *Poeti dell'Adda* awards. Later he published other three books of poems titled *Scorci di poesia, Il sogno del gabbiano* and *Ruscelli di emozioni*, and two novels (*Un sogno lungo un treno* and *Sono innocente*). Winner of *Poeti dell'Adda* award in 2010. Second prize at *Olympia Montegrotto Terme* and *Arturo Giovannitti* (in Oratino, Campobasso) awards in 2011.