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Education

2006-2010 - PhD in Biomedical Sciences and Oncology, University of Turin, Italy

2001-2006 – Residency in Neurology, University of Turin, Italy

1995-2001 – Medical degree, University of Turin, Italy

1989-1994 – High school degree, Liceo Scientifico G.B. Vasco, Mondovì (CN), Italy

Professional experiences and current position

2019-today – Neurology Unit chief, head of SSD Specialistic Neurological Pathologies, University Hospital San Luigi Gonzaga, Orbassano (TO), Italy

2018-today – Associate Professor of Neurology (MED/26), Department of Clinical and Biological Sciences, University of Turin, Italy

2012- 2018 – Assistant Professor of Neurology (MED/26), Department of Clinical and Biological Sciences, University of Turin, Italy

2010-2012 - Post-Doctoral Fellowship, Department of Clinical and Biological Sciences, University of Turin, Italy. University Scholarship aimed at the development of a specific project entitled “Serial evaluation of patients suffering from a clinical episode suggestive of multiple sclerosis. one year follow-up ”

2010 – Hospital scholarship aimed at the development of a specific research project entitled "Management of patients suffering from complicated Parkinson's disease". University Division of Neurology of the San Luigi Gonzaga University Hospital of Orbassano (TO), Italy

2009 - Freelance consultant in Neurologist within the Project "PSYCHO-PEDAGOGICAL SUPPORT PATH IN MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS", aimed at supporting families with children in one parent has multiple sclerosis. University of Turin, Department of Clinical and Biological Sciences, Italy.

2005 - Visiting Fellow at the Multiple Sclerosis Center at UCSF, University of California - San Francisco. Supervisor: Prof. Douglas Goodin

Participation to Directive Boards of Scientific Societies and/or Institutions

2021 - today - President of the scientific committee of the Biobank of the Regional Reference Center for Multiple Sclerosis (BB CRESM) of the A.O.U. San Luigi Gonzaga, for the purposes of: managing the collection, cryopreservation, use and distribution of biological samples and associated data from healthy subjects and from subjects affected by Multiple Sclerosis or other neurological or autoimmune diseases, in scope of carrying out Current and Finalized Research programs

2021 – today - Referent for the Department of Clinical and Biological Sciences for the elaboration of the agreement between UniTO and the Telefono Rosa Piemonte Association.

2020 – today - Participation as a member of the scientific committee of MEDIMAY COMMUNICATION S.R.L. and member of the editorial board of the quarterly "SMile: Multiple Sclerosis - Information Literature and evidence"

2020 – today - Member of the Editorial Board of "Frontiers in Neurology" as guest editor

2020 – today - Referent for the Department of Clinical and Biological Sciences for the inclusion of students with disabilities.

2020 – today – Member of the scientific board of the Digital Academy of MS - DAMS Project

2020 – 2022 - Member of the "PE Lab - Public Engagement Laboratory"

2020 – to date – Member of the awareness campaign towards Multiple Sclerosis "Scacco Matto". National campaign with organizer Novartis S.p.A. in collaboration with Weber Shandwick S.r.l. and the Italian Multiple Sclerosis Association (AISM).

2020 - Realization of the 2020 MS Campaign - Workshop - During the workshop the main steps of the MS Stories project were retraced, a communication campaign aimed at telling real stories of people with MS, whose extraordinary nature is linked to the spirit with which they faced the disease.

2019 – 2022 - Member of the board of “third mission” of the Department Department of Clinical and Biological Sciences, University of Turin, Orbassano (TO)

2019 – today – Member of the scientific board of Raising Italian Researchers in MS (RIRe.MS)"

2019 – 2021 - Member of the research commission of the Department of Clinical and Biological Sciences, University of Turin.

2018 – today - Referent of the "Task force against all discrimination" established within the Department of Clinical and Biological Sciences, which undertakes to monitor gender inequalities and racism within the Department of Clinical and Biological Sciences of the University of Turin.

2016 – today - Member of the Scientific Committee of the Master in "Autisms: pathways, diagnostic-therapeutic and intervention strategies. The purpose of the Master is represented by the training of professionals of different initial training, who in a multidisciplinary perspective learn knowledge and methodological and operational skills in this regard to the tools of therapeutic intervention with autistic subjects, according to national and international guidelines and according to national and regional legislation

2012 - Participation in the editorial board of the SMart magazine

2010 – today - Participation in the editorial board of the Serono Foundation website (<https://www.fondazione-serono.org/>) as "Content Editor" and "Editorial Manager" of the "Psychological Aspects in MS" area for the section of the site " The specialist's corner "

2010 – today - Referee in the process for the allocation of funding of the annual FISM Research Call, evaluating the validity and scientific relevance of some projects, as well as their translatability into concrete benefits for people with multiple sclerosis.

2004 – today - Affiliation to the group and editorial member of "Cochrane Multiple Sclerosis and Rare Diseases of the CNS"

2002 – today - Affiliation to the Italian Society of Neurology

Honors

2022 - Attendant to the "International Women's Day" on the official invitation of the President of the Italian Republic Sergio Mattarella, Palazzo del Quirinale, Rome, Italy

2021 - Winner of the 2021 “Talented women” Award assigned by the “Cenacle of Culture and Sciences”; Locri, Italy

2020 - Winner of the 2020 call of the Italian Society of Neurology Foundation (SIN) with the REHABILITATION

NEURO project: home telerehabilitation of the subject with Multiple Sclerosis

2017 - Winner of the "call for creative community" of the Turin innovation center "Open Incet" which operates in the field of technology transfer

Teaching activity

Professor at Medicine and Surgery, School of Medicine, University of Turin, pole of the San Luigi Gonzaga University Hospital of Orbassano (TO) San Luigi:

Academic Year 2013-2014: 8 hours (1 CFU) within the integrated course of NEUROLOGICAL AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES; A.A. 2014-2015: 14 hours within the integrated course of NEUROLOGICAL AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES; A.A. 2015-2016: 8 hours (1 CFU) within the integrated course NEUROLOGICAL AND PSYCHIATRIC SCIENCES - NEUROLOGY module; A.A. 2016-2017: 8 hours (1 CFU) in the course of NEUROLOGICAL AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES-NEUROLOGY module; A.A. 2017-2018: 8 hours (1 CFU) within the course of NEUROLOGICAL AND PSYCHIATRIC SCIENCES-NEUROLOGY module; Academic year: 2018-2019/ 2019-2020: 16 hours (2 CFU) in the course of NEUROLOGICAL SCIENCES - NEUROLOGY module; AY 2020-2023 (-in progress): 16 hours (2 CFU) in the Neurology course;

Professor at the Nursing of the School of Medicine of the University of Turin, pole of the San Luigi Gonzaga University Hospital of Orbassano (TO) San Luigi: 20 hours (1.2 CFU) as part of the integrated course Clinical Nursing in the area of chronicity and disability (Module of Neurology and Neurorehabilitation) from the A.Y. 2013-2014 to the 2016-2017 academic year; 30 hours (2 CFU) within the integrated course Clinical Nursing in the area of chronicity and disability from A.Y. 2017-2018 to date;

Professor at Psychiatric Rehabilitation Techniques of the School of Medicine of the University of Turin, pole of the San Luigi Gonzaga University Hospital in Orbassano (TO) San Luigi: 12 hours (1 CFU) in the context of the Introduction to Rehabilitation Sciences course for the A.Y. 2016-2017 and from A.Y. 2018-2019 to date;

Professor at Rehabilitation Sciences of the Health Professions of the School of Medicine of the University of Turin, pole of the San Luigi Gonzaga University Hospital of Orbassano (TO) San Luigi: 10 hours (1CFU) in the context the teaching of NEUROLOGY (CLINICAL AND ORGANIZATIONAL PROCESSES IN REHABILITATION) from the 2018-2019 academic year to date;

Professor at Motor Education Sciences and adapted activities of the University of Turin: 16 hours (2 CFU) within the course Medical disciplines for adapted activities II from the A.Y. 2014-2015 to date;

Professor at yhe School of Specialization in Neurology of the University of Turin for the teaching of Neuroimmune Diseases: 14 hours (2CFU) for the 2017-2018/2018-2019 academic years: 7 hours (1 CFU) from the 2019- 2020 to date;

Professor at the School of Specialization in Medical Oncology of the University of Turin for the teaching of Neurology in Oncology: 7 hours (1 CFU) from the 2018-2019 academic year to date;

Professor at Psychiatric Rehabilitation Techniques of the School of Medicine of the University of Turin, pole of the San Luigi Gonzaga University Hospital in Orbassano (TO) San Luigi: 12 hours (4 credits) in the context of the Psychiatrist and Neuromotor Rehabilitation course AA 2021-2022;

Professor at Medicine and Surgery of the School of Medicine of the University of Turin, pole of the San Luigi Gonzaga University Hospital of Orbassano (TO) San Luigi: 5 hours (0.5 CFU) in the scope of the ADE course Paraneoplastic Neurological Diseases; AY 2013-2014;

Professor at Medicine and Surgery of the School of Medicine of the University of Turin, pole of the San Luigi Gonzaga University Hospital of Orbassano (TO) San Luigi: AY 2013-2014: 5 hours (0, 5 credits) within the ADE course Neurological Complications of Internal Medicine; 10 hours (1 CFU) within the ADE Neurological Complications of Internal Medicine course; AY 2015-2016 to date

Professor at Medicine and Surgery of the School of Medicine of the University of Turin, pole of the San Luigi

Gonzaga University Hospital of Orbassano (TO) San Luigi: 10 hours (1 CFU) within the ADE course The Neuroimmunology of Neurological Diseases; AY 2018-2019 and AY 2019-2020

2017-2018 - Member of the Academic Board of the PhD School "Doctorate in Biomedical Sciences and Oncology", University of Turin

2010 - Teaching and research assignment at the Iranian University of "Isphahan University of Medical Sciences" in the context of the twinning between the University of Turin and Isphahan University. from

Research main topics

Multiple Sclerosis, digital health, Family Functioning, gut microbiota, Parkinson, Alzheimer

Main projects as PI:

2022 – today – PI of the non-profit observational study: “Impact of environmental pollution on the onset and alterations of the immune system in subjects with multiple sclerosis”.

2020 – today - PI of the non-profit observational study: "Family Functioning Multiple Sclerosis"

2019 – today - PI of the non-profit observational study: "Multiple sclerosis: multidisciplinary and integrated approach to treatment". from 11-02-2019 to today

2019 – today - PI of the non-profit observational study: "Implication of the intestinal microbiota and alterations of the immune system during therapy with dimethyl fumarate in multiple sclerosis"

2019 – today - PI of the non-profit observational study: “Reconstitution of the immune system after treatment with cladribine: any implication of the intestinal microbiota”.

2019 – today - PI of the non-profit observational study: "Clinical quantitative, immunological and intestinal microbiota evaluation in patients with multiple sclerosis and who perform adapted physical activity.

2018 – 2019 – "Immuno-suppression and reconstitution of the immune system after treatment with alemtuzumab - Follow-up study at the 5th and 6th year, protocol version n. GZ-2015-11394 of 2015".

2018 – 2019 - Non-pharmacological spontaneous observational retrospective study: "Project for the evaluation of the use of information on the previous type and duration of anti-Parkinson therapy for the differential diagnosis between Parkinson's disease and parkinsonism".

2017 – today - "Benefit 15 long-term follow-up study of the BENEFIT and BENEFIT follow-up studies.

2017 – 2019 - "24-month placebo-controlled, double-blind, parallel group study to evaluate the efficacy and safety of E2609 in subjects with early stage Alzheimer's disease"

2016 – 2018 - Clinical coordinator in "Intestinal microbiota and metagenomic diversity in the development of Multiple Sclerosis" presented by Dr. Simona Rolla, funded by the Italian Multiple Sclerosis Federation - FISM 2016 Call (project code 2016 / R / 24).

2016 – 2018 - "BIIT0315 Observational study, multicentre, comparison arm, phase IV, lasting 48 weeks, to evaluate the longitudinal improvement of sleep quality in patients diagnosed with RRMS".

2016 – today – Coordinator of the "ITALIAN SCLEROSIS MULTIPLE REGISTER - SM001 REGISTER AND SM002 REGISTER".

2016 – 2020 – PI of the multicenter clinical study "Longitudinal observational study in patients with relapsing-remitting multiple sclerosis (RRMS) after 24 administrations of Natalizumab.

Bibliometry (www.scopus.com)

Total number of publications in peer-review journals 95 (Scopus)

Total number of citations 2.751 (Scopus) H index 30 (Scopus)

publications

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10. Miele G, Lavorgna L, De Mercanti SF, Iudicello M, Abbadessa G, Matta M, et al. Source of medical information and behavioral seeking patterns in patients affected with Friedreich's ataxia and their caregivers: a survey study. *Neurological Sciences* 2022;43:3223–9. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s10072-021-05738-6>.
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