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Work experience

Dates **FROM 2016 TO TODAY**
Occupation or position held Associate Professor
Main activities and responsibilities Chief of Obstetric and Gynecological Anesthesia and pain medicine
Name and address of employer Catholic University of Sacred Hearth, "A. Gemelli" Hospital, Rome, Italy
Type of business or sector Anesthesiology, Post Operatory ICU, Pain Medicine

Dates **FROM 2003 TO 2016**
Occupation or position held Assistant Professor
Main activities and responsibilities Chief of Obstetric Analgesia Service – Pain Medicine Service
Name and address of employer Catholic University of Sacred Hearth, "A. Gemelli" Hospital, Rome, Italy
Type of business or sector Anesthesiology, Post Operatory ICU, Pain Medicine

Dates **FROM 1988 TO 2003**
Occupation or position held Confirmed Clinical Physician
Main activities and responsibilities Staff of Anesthesia, Obstetric Analgesia, Pain Medicine
Name and address of employer Catholic University of Sacred Hearth, "A. Gemelli" Hospital, Rome, Italy
Type of business or sector Anesthesiology, Post Operatory ICU, Pain Medicine

Dates **FROM 1985 TO 1988**
Occupation or position held Non Confirmed Clinical Physician
Main activities and responsibilities Staff of Anesthesia, Obstetric Analgesia, Pain Medicine
Name and address of employer Catholic University of Sacred Hearth, "A. Gemelli" Hospital, Rome, Italy

Type of business or sector	Anesthesiology, Post Operatory ICU, Pain Medicine
Dates	From 1982 to 1985
Occupation or position held	Clinical physician (MIUCA)
Main activities and responsibilities	Staff of Anesthesia, Obstetric Analgesia, Pain Medicine
Name and address of employer	Catholic University of Sacred Hearth, "A. Gemelli" Hospital, Rome, Italy
Type of business or sector	Anesthesiology, Post Operatory ICU, Pain Medicine
Education and training	
Dates	From 08/90 to 09/1990
Title of qualification awarded	Guest worker
Principal subjects/occupational skills covered	Neurobiology of Pain
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	Neurobiology and Anesthesiology Branch, National Institute of Dental Research, NIH, Bethesda, USA.
Dates	From 08/1989 to 09/1989
Title of qualification awarded	Visiting Scholar,
Principal subjects/occupational skills covered	Obstetric analgesia and Pain Therapy
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	Multidisciplinary Pain Clinic, University of Washington Medical Center, Seattle, USA.
Dates	From 08/1988 to 07/1989
Title of qualification awarded	Visiting Associate
Principal subjects/occupational skills covered	Pathophysiology of pain
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	Anesthesiology and Neurobiology Branch, National Institute of Dental Research, NIH, Bethesda USA.
Dates	From 07/1987 to 07/1988
Title of qualification awarded	Guest Researcher
Principal subjects/occupational skills covered	Pathophysiology of Pain
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	Anesthesiology and Neurobiology Branch, National Institute of Dental Research, NIH, Bethesda, USA.
Dates	From 1984 to 1987

Title of qualification awarded Respiratory Pathophysiology Residency
 Principal subjects/occupational skills covered Respiratory Pathophysiology
 Name and type of organisation providing education and training "La Sapienza" University, Rome, Italy.
 Level in national or international classification 110/110

Dates **From 1980 to 1983**

Title of qualification awarded Anesthesiology, Pain Medicine and ICU Residency
 Principal subjects/occupational skills covered Anesthesiology, Pain Medicine and ICU
 Name and type of organisation providing education and training Catholic University of Sacred Hearth, "A. Gemelli" Hospital, Rome, Italy
 Level in national or international classification Magna cum laude

Dates **From 1974 to 1980**

Title of qualification awarded Medical Doctor
 Principal subjects/occupational skills covered
 Name and type of organisation providing education and training "La Sapienza" University, Rome, Italy
 Level in national or international classification Magna cum laude

Dates **From 1969 to 1974**

Title of qualification awarded College Degree
 Principal subjects/occupational skills covered
 Name and type of organisation providing education and training Istituto San Giuseppe de Merode, Rome, Italy
 Level in national or international classification

Personal skills and competences

Mother tongue(s) **Italian**

Other language(s)

Self-assessment
 European level (*)

English

Understanding				Speaking				Writing	
Listening		Reading		Spoken interaction		Spoken production			
C1	Proficient user	C1	Proficient user	C1	Proficient user	C1	Proficient user	C1	Proficient user

(*) [Common European Framework of Reference for Languages](#)

Social skills and competences	Good ability to working with other people where communication is important and situations where teamwork is essential.
Computer skills and competences	Good command of Microsoft Office™ tools (Word™, Exel™ and Power Point™)
Driving licence	Driving licence for cars and motorbikes
Signature	

Contributions

1. Lung ultrasonography for early management of patients with respiratory symptoms during COVID-19 pandemic. Smargiassi A, Soldati G, Borghetti A, Scoppettuolo G, Tamburrini E, Testa AC, Moro F, Natale L, Larici AR, Buonsenso D, Valentini P, Draisci G, Zanfini BA, Pompili M, Scambia G, Lanzzone A, Franceschi F, Rapaccini GL, Gasbarrini A, Giorgini P, Richeldi L, Demi L, Inchingolo R. *J Ultrasound*. 2020 Jul 7:1-8. doi: 10.1007/s40477-020-00501-7. Online ahead of print. PMID: 32638333 Free PMC article. Review.
2. [In reply to "Anesthesia for cesarean delivery in a patient with Klippel-Trenaunay Syndrome": a mini case series in our institution]. Gonnella GL, Giuri PP, De Martino S, Frassanito L, Draisci G. *Rev Bras Anesthesiol*. 2020 Jan-Feb;70(1):72-73. doi: 10.1016/j.bjan.2019.08.003. Epub 2019 Dec 3. PMID: 31810525 Free article. Portuguese. No abstract available.
3. Anesthetic management of a parturient with Behcet's disease and suspected arrhythmogenic right ventricular dysplasia. Giuri PP, Gonnella GL, Catarci S, Ciancia M, Draisci G. *Korean J Anesthesiol*. 2020 Feb;73(1):75-76. doi: 10.4097/kja.19213. Epub 2019 Jun 20. PMID: 31216845 Free PMC article. No abstract available.
4. Hyperthermic intraperitoneal chemotherapy in interval debulking surgery for advanced epithelial ovarian cancer: A single-center, real-life experience. Ghirardi V, Ronsini C, Trozzi R, Di Ilio C, Di Giorgio A, Cianci S, Draisci G, Scambia G, Fagotti A. *Cancer*. 2020 Sep 15. doi: 10.1002/cncr.33167. Online ahead of print. PMID: 32931024
5. Erector spinae plane block for postoperative analgesia after total laparoscopic hysterectomy: case series and review of the literature. Frassanito L, Zanfini BA, Catarci S, Sonnino C, Giuri PP, Draisci G. *Eur Rev Med Pharmacol Sci*. 2020 Apr;24(7):3892-3897. doi: 10.26355/eurrev_202004_20855. PMID: 32329864 Free article.
6. "Please mind the gap": successful use of ultrasound-assisted spinal anesthesia for urgent cesarean section in a patient with implanted spinal cord stimulation system for giant chest wall arteriovenous malformation - a case report. Zanfini BA, De Martino S, Frassanito L, Catarci S, Vitale di Maio F, Giuri PP, Gonnella GL, Draisci G. *BMC Anesthesiol*. 2020 May 23;20(1):122. doi: 10.1186/s12871-020-01042-6.
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Other contributions

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