

CURRICULUM VITAE

Personal Details

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Scholarship

1977 – 1982 Elementary School, Massagno (TI)
1982 – 1984 Secondary School, Massagno
1984 – 1987 Preparatory School, Savosa
1987 – 1990 School of Physician's Assistant, Lugano
1992 – 1993 Baccalaureate Professional, Milano (I)
1993 – 1996 Course of mathematics, physics and natural science, University of Varese (I)
1996 University of Brescia, faculty of medicine and surgery
A.A. 2003/2004 Doctor in Medicine thesis: Study of cardiac autonomic function by **“Heart Rate Variability Analysis” in patients with liver cirrhosis**
07.2005 State exam of Medicine and Surgery
2011 (June) Swiss Board Examination in General Internal Medicine
2012 (June) FMH médecine interne générale, Bern
2014 (Juni) Weiterbildungformation Sonographie SGUM, Bern

Professional experience

1987 – 1990 Training Physician's Assistant, Dr. De Luigi Johnny, Caslano (TI)
1990 – 1992 Physicians's Assistant, Prof. Dott. Tiziano Moccetti, ORL (TI)

2005 (Aug-Sept) Doctor Candidate, ORL, Prof. Cérny

2006 (Oct-March) Fellowship Internal Medicine, Ospedale di Acquarossa, Dr. med. G. Allegranza

2006 (Apr-Dec) Fellowship Internal Medicine, ORL, Dr.ssa S. Chimchila Chevili

2007 (Jan-June) Fellowship Internal Medicine, ORL, Dr. med. Marco Pons

2008 (July-June) Fellowship Internal Medicine, ORL, Dr.ssa S. Chimchila-Chevili

2008 (July-Dec) Fellowship Surgery, ORL, Dr. med. A. Kuhrmeier

2009- 2010 (April) Fellowship Nephrology and Haemodialysis, ORL, Dr. med. C. Schoenholzer

2010- 2011 (June) Clinical Research Fellowship, Service of Cardiovascular Research, Internal Medicine Department, ORBV, Bellinzona, Prof. Dr. med. A. Gallino

2011 (July-Dez) Fellowship Internal Medicine, ORBV, Prof. Dr.med. A. Gallino

2012 (Jan-Dez) Fellowship Angiology, University of Basel, Prof. Dr.med. K.Jäger

2012 (Feb) Grundkurs Duplexsonographie der Gefässe,SGUM, Basel, Prof. Dr. med.K. Jäger

2012 (March) Abschlusskurs Duplexsonographie periphäre Arterien und periphäre Venen, SGUM, Basel,Prof. Dr. med. K. Jäger

2012 (April) Abschlusskurs supraaortale Gefässe, SGUM, Basel, Prof. Dr. med. P. Lyrer

2012 (Oct) Grundkurs Abdomen, Module Urgences, SSUM, Cully, Dr. B. Lehmann

2013 (Jan-) Ambulatory of Hepatology, Hospital Moncucco, Prof. A. Cerny

2013 (Oct-) Fellowship Hepatology and Liver Transplants, Hôpital Universitaire Genève, Prof Dr. P.Majno/Dr. E. Giostra

2013 (June) Aufbaukurs Abdomen, Walenstadt, Dr.med. D. Schmidt

2013 (Nov-) Abschlusskurs Abdomen, Lugano, Dr. H. R. Schwarzenbach

2014 (Feb) Iron Academy, Prof. Dr. med. M. Pons

2014 (Feb) EASL Hepatocellular Carcinoma Summit, Geneva

2014 (April) The International Liver Congress, London

2014 (Juni) Fähigkeitsausweis Sonographie Modul Abdomen

2014 (Juni) Managing Patients with advanced chronic Liver Disease, Inselspital Bern

2014 (Nov) Liver Meeting, Boston

2015 (Jan) Course of Abdominal Ultrasound III, SGUM, Tutor, Lugano

2015 (Apr) 13th Zurich Course on Vascular Ultrasound - TIPPS, Tricks und Pitfalls in der vaskulären Untrashalldiagnostik.

2015 (Apr) The International Liver Congress, Vienna

2015 (May) Annual Congress of Internal Medicine, Basel

2015 (Nov)	Swiss Hepatology Postgraduate Course, Hepatic Cholestasis, Ermatingen
2016 (Mar)	Course of Abdominal Ultrasound I,II,III SGUM, Tutor, Lugano
2016 (Jun)	HEP Preceptorship, Bern
2016 (Nov)	Liver Meeting, Boston
2017-	Course of Abdominal Ultrasound I,II,III SGUM. Tutor, Lugano
2019 (Jun)	HEP Preceptorship, Bern
2019 (Nov)	Liver Meeting, Boston
2021 (Nov)	Course of Abdominal Ultrasound SGUM, Tutor, Lugano
2022 (July)	Ultraschallkongress 2022
2022 (Sep)	Cours de base sur l'échographie de l'abdomen et l'échographie d'urgence de base Ecole d'officiers des médecins militaires (EO mil 22-2) Place d'armes de Moudon, Tutor

Main Areas of experience and Interest

Management of patients with viral hepatitis, autoimmune hepatitis, NASH/ASH

Management of Drug-induced cholestatic liver disease; Genetic cholestatic liver disease; Cholestatic liver diseases in pregnancy; Intrahepatic cholestasis of pregnancy

Management of patients with liver cirrhosis and end-stage liver disease

Management of liver transplant patients

Management of patients with hepatocellular carcinoma, cholangiocarcinoma and pancreatic tumor

Management of patients with liver disease associated with sonography of the liver

Management of patients with liver disease once a month at the University Hospital of Geneva.

Performing diagnostic Paracentesis

Medical Associations

Federazione dei Medici Svizzeri (FMH)

Ordine dei Medici del Canton Ticino (OMCT)

Ordine dei Medici Internisti del Cantone Ticino (AMITI)

Società Svizzera di Medicina Interna (SSMI)

European Association for the Study of the Liver (EASL)
Group Romand d'échographie Clinique (GREC)
Società Ultrasonografia Medica Svizzera Italiana (SUMSI)

Vice-Presidente Commissione Deontologica OMCT
Membro CD ATIMEF
Membro CD Circolo Medico Lugano CML
Medico Accreditato Unità di Epatologia Clinica Moncucco Lugano
Medico Accreditato Epatocentro Ticino

Languages

Italian	mother tongue
French	written and oral skills school
German	written and oral skills school
English	written and oral skills school

Computer skills

Windows programs

Hobby's

Reading and study of issues related to my profession
Cooking

Lugano, 20.09.2022