

## Segreteria Sin

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Buongiorno,

Con la presente desidero proporre la mia candidatura come coordinatore regionale SIN Toscana

Allego CV

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# European Curriculum Vitae

## Personal information

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## Work experience

Dates (from-to) **2020-ongoing**  
Occupation or position held Head of Clinical Neurology and Neurometabolic Disease Unit  
Main activities and responsibilities Clinical activity for inpatients and outpatients in general neurology, dementia and other neurodegenerative disorders, migraine, multiple sclerosis and other white matter disorders, neuromuscular, neurometabolic and rare neurological diseases. Leading clinical and research activities as well as clinical trials in these neurological disorders, with particular attention to neuropathology and advanced neuroimaging procedures  
Name and address of employer University-Hospital of Siena, Italy  
Type of business or sector Clinical neurologist

Dates (from-to) **2019-ongoing**  
Occupation or position held Full Professor  
Main activities and responsibilities Teaching, clinical and research activities in neurology at the Faculty of Medicine and Resident School of Neurology of the University of Siena. Since 2008, teaching of Advanced Neurology at degree (in English) of Medical Biotechnology of the University of Siena.  
Name and address of employer University of Siena  
Type of business or sector Teaching

Dates (from-to) **2019-2020**  
Occupation or position held Head of Unit for Neurodegenerative and Demyelinating Disorders  
Main activities and responsibilities Clinical activity for dementia and multiple sclerosis. Leading clinical and research activities as well as clinical trials in several these disorders. Leading clinical and research activity in advanced procedures of neuroimaging for application in neurodegeneration, with particular attention to dementia and multiple sclerosis  
Name and address of employer University-Hospital of Siena, Italy  
Type of business or sector Clinical neurologist

Dates (from-to) **2013-ongoing**  
Occupation or position held Honorary Visiting Professor  
Main activities and responsibilities Neuroimaging research in neurodegenerative disorders, with particular interest to multiple sclerosis.  
Name and address of employer Imperial College of London, London UK  
Type of business or sector Clinical neurologist

Dates (from-to)	<b>2012-2019</b>
Occupation or position held	Head of the Clinical-Experimental Neurology Unit
Main activities and responsibilities	Clinical activity for outpatients in general neurology, migraine and multiple sclerosis. Leading clinical and research activities as well as clinical trials in several neurological disorders, with particular attention to multiple sclerosis and other white matter disorders. Leading clinical and research activity in advanced procedures of neuroimaging for application in several neurological disorders, with particular attention to multiple sclerosis and other white matter disorders.
Name and address of employer	University-Hospital of Siena, Italy
Type of business or sector	Clinical neurologist
Dates (from-to))	<b>2002-2019</b>
Occupation or position held	Associate Professor
Name and address of employer	University of Siena
Main activities and responsibilities	Teaching, clinical and research activities in neurology at the Faculty of Medicine and Resident School of Neurology of the University of Siena. Since 2008, teaching of Advanced Neurology at degree (in English) of Medical Biotechnology of the University of Siena.
Type of business or sector	Teaching
Dates (from-to)	<b>2000- 2012</b>
Occupation or position held	Head of the Multiple Sclerosis Center
Main activities and responsibilities	Clinical and research activity, clinical trials in multiple sclerosis.
Name and address of employer	Department of Neurological and Behavioural Sciences, University of Siena, Italy
Type of business or sector	Clinical neurologist
Dates (from-to)	<b>2000- 2013</b>
Occupation or position held	Adjunct Professor
Main activities and responsibilities	Neuroimaging research in neuromuscular and neurodegenerative disorders, with particular interest to multiple sclerosis
Name and address of employer	Montreal Neurological Institute, McGill University, Montreal, Quebec, Canada
Type of business or sector	Clinical research and teaching
Dates (from-to)	<b>1999- ongoing</b>
Occupation or position held	Head of the Quantitative Neuroimaging Laboratory
Main activities and responsibilities	Clinical application of new neuroimaging techniques in the brain of patients with multiple sclerosis and other neurological diseases involving the cerebral white matter; analysis centre in clinical trials in Multiple Sclerosis.
Name and address of employer	University of Siena, Italy
Type of business or sector	Clinical research
Dates (from-to)	<b>1994-ongoing</b>
Occupation or position held	Neurologist
Main activities and responsibilities	Clinical activity in neurology and neurometabolic wards
Name and address of employer	Neurometabolic Unit, Department of Neurological and Behavioural Sciences, University of Siena, Italy
Type of business or sector	Clinical neurologist

Dates (from-to)	<b>1996-1999</b>
Occupation or position held	Research Associate
Main activities and responsibilities	Research activity: application of emerging non-conventional MR techniques in the muscle and brain of patients with neurological disorders, with particular interest on white matter disorders and multiple sclerosis.
Name and address of employer	Magnetic Resonance Spectroscopy Unit, Montreal Neurological Institute, McGill University, Montreal, Quebec, Canada
Type of business or sector	Research in neuroimaging

**Education and training**

Dates (from-to)	<b>2014-2010</b>
Title of qualification awarded	<b>National Scientific Habilitation</b>
Principal subjects/occupational skills covered	National Scientific Habilitation for the role of Full Professor of Neurology
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	Italian Ministry of Education University and Research

Dates (from-to)	<b>1993-1996</b>
Title of qualification awarded	<b>Post Doc</b>
Principal subjects/occupational skills covered	Magnetic Resonance Techniques
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	Magnetic Resonance Spectroscopy Unit, Montreal Neurological Institute, McGill University, Montreal, Quebec, Canada

Dates (from-to)	<b>1992-1997</b>
Title of qualification awarded	<b>PhD</b>
Principal subjects/occupational skills covered	Magnetic Resonance Spectroscopy: Clinical Application in Neurological Disorders
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	Neuroscience, University of Siena, Italy

Dates (from-to)	<b>1987-1991</b>
Title of qualification awarded	<b>Neurologist</b>
Principal subjects/occupational skills covered	Residency program in Neurology
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	Neurology school, University of Siena, Italy
Level in national or international classification	Summa cum laude

Dates (from-to)	<b>1981-1987</b>
Title of qualification awarded	<b>MD</b>
Principal subjects/occupational skills covered	School of Medicine and Surgery
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	University of Siena, Italy
Level in national or international classification	Summa cum laude

**Personal skills and competences**

Mother tongue

**Italian**

Other language(s)

**English****French**

Understanding		Speaking		Writing
Listening	Reading	Spoken interaction	Spoken production	
C2	C2	C2	C2	C2
B2	B2	B2	B2	B2

Levels: A1/A2: Basic user - B1/B2: Independent user - C1/C2: Proficient user  
Common European Framework of Reference for Languages

Organisational skills and competences

Excellent ability in coordinating research projects. Great experience in the coordination of large, multi-centre groups.

Computer skills and competences

Excellent use of Linux, Windows and MacOS.

Other skills and competences

Excellent ability in working in a multidisciplinary setting. Large experience in speaking in public.

Driving licence

Driving licence A

**Additional information**

Enrolled in the Professional Register of Physicians Surgeons and Dentists of Reggio Calabria, Italy, with registration number 5590 from 30/12/1987.

Principal Investigator of many research projects and clinical trials in Multiple Sclerosis and other white matter diseases (1996-ongoing).

Head of the Quantitative Neuroimaging Laboratory of the University of Siena, which operates as analysis centre for MRI endpoints in clinical trials in Multiple Sclerosis (1999-ongoing).

Member of the steering committees of many national and international clinical trials in Multiple Sclerosis (2003-ongoing).

**Activities and Elective Charges in Scientific Societies**

Member of Italian Society of Neurology (1990-ongoing). In the Board of the Society (2011-2015 and 2019-ongoing). Coordinator of NeuroImaging Working Group in 2012-2016)

Member of the American Academy of Neurology (1995-ongoing).

Member of the International Society of Magnetic Resonance in Medicine (1998-ongoing). Member of the Annual Program Meeting Committee of this society (2007-2010).

Member of the MAGNIMS (European Magnetic Resonance Network in Multiple Sclerosis) Steering Committee (2004-ongoing). Co-Chair of the MAGNIMS (2009-2016).

Individual member and Individual Delegate of the European Academy of Neurology Society (2014-ongoing). Member of the EAN Working Groups of Multiple Sclerosis and NeuroImaging since 2014 and part of the Management of both working groups (2014-2017).

Member of the Academic Senate of the University of Siena (2016-2019). Responsible of research activities of the Department of Medicine, Surgery and Neurosciences of the University of Siena (2016-ongoing).

Scientific referee of the most relevant international neurologic journals. Since 2015, in the Advisory Board of Neurological Sciences e Journal of Neuroimaging. Since 2017, Associate Editor of Neurological Sciences.

Publication Record: i) H-index: 82 (Scopus); ii) Papers published in indexed journals: 412; Books: 1

He has been and is very often requested as invited speaker and/or chairman in many national and international neurological meetings, workshops and teaching courses.

**Date** Siena 10/12/2022

**Signature** 