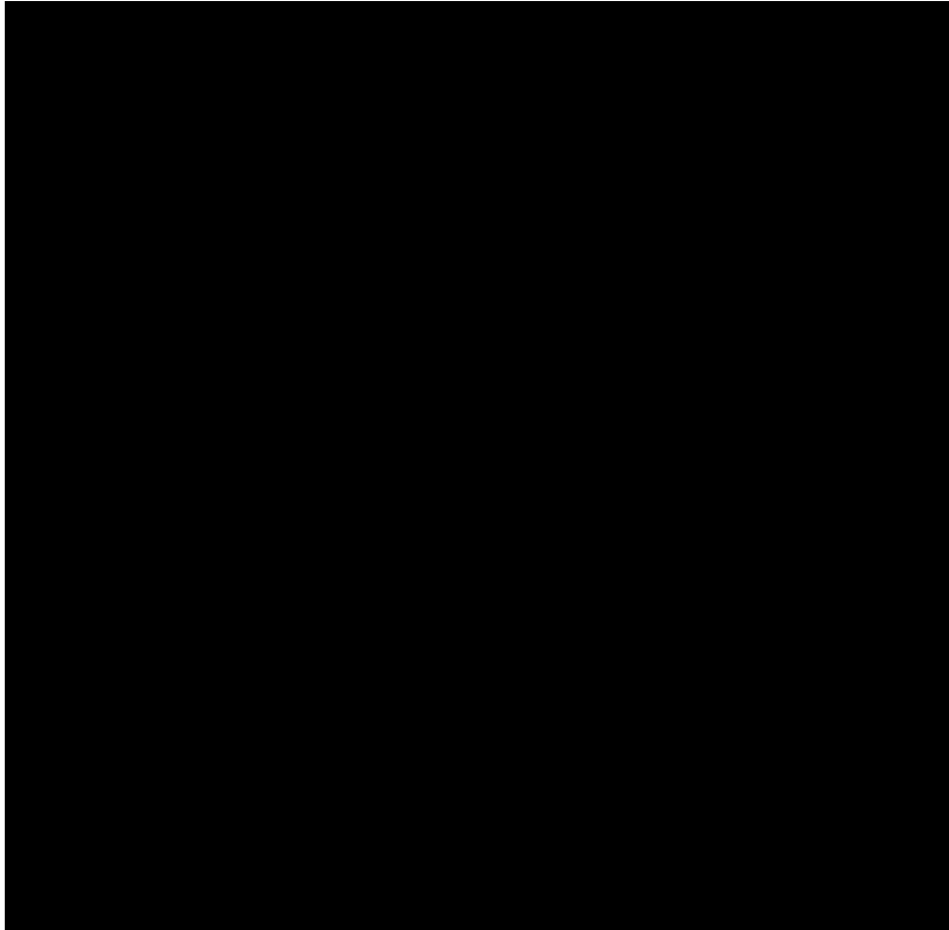


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Licence of the high school: at the Classic high school "Saffo" , in Roseto degli Abruzzi (Te), the 10th of July 1993, with first class honours (60/60).

Doctorate: graduation magna cum laude (110/110 cum laude) the 27th of July 1999, at the Medical School of the University of L'Aquila, with a dissertation entitled "The follow-up of the patient who underwent surgery for acute type A aortic dissection".

Licence to the medical practice: achieved during the First session of the year 2000 at the University of L'Aquila. Entry to the number 2510 of the Register of surgeons Physicians in the province of Teramo, by resolution of 24/05/2000. Subsequent transfer of registration, dated 05.09.2013, to the Register of Surgeons Physicians of the Province of Pescara with number 4177.

Specialization in Cardiovascular Surgery: obtained at the University of Bologna (16-11-2004) with the discussion of the thesis entitled "Early and late outcomes of surgery for acute type A aortic dissection: analysis of risk factors In 487 patients".

PhD: obtained at the University of Utrecht, The Netherlands, on 21st November 2005, with the thesis entitled "Electromagnetic surgery for atrial fibrillation".

Spoken Languages: Italian, English, French and Spanish, fluently.

General Medical Council of United Kingdom: registration to the Specialist Registry in Thoracic and Cardiovascular Surgery, with the number 7481698

Previous experiences:

- November 1998- July 2002 resident at the Department of Cardiovascular Surgery of the "G. Mazzini" Hospital In Teramo, Italy (Dr G. Di Eusanio, Dr A. Mazzola).
- From September 2002 to March 2003: fellowship at the Department of Cardiothoracic Surgery, St Antonius Hospital, Nieuwegein, The Netherlands (Dr H. van Swieten).
- From February 2000 to November 2004: fellowship at the Department of Cardiovascular Surgery of the University of Bologna, Italy (Prof. A. Pierangeli, Prof. R. Di Bartolomeo).

- 01/10/2004-05/07/2006: Specialist assistant at the Department of Cardiovascular and Thoracic Surgery, Cliniques Universitaires St Luc, Catholic University of Leuven, Brussels, Belgium.
- From 24-07-2006 to 31-12-2008, Consultant at the Unit of cardiac Surgery, Department of high specialization for the treatment of the cardiovascular diseases, "Giuseppe Mazzini" Hospital, Teramo, Italy.
- From 01-01-2009 to date permanent Consultant at the Department of Cardiac Surgery, University Hospital "SS. Annunziata", Chieti, Italy.
- From 23rd of April 2019 to 17th June 2020 Role of Deputy Director (ex art.18, paragraph 1,2, and 3 Collective Agreement 2000).
- Since 17th June 2020 to the 28th of February 2021 Acting Head of Service, Adult Cardiac Surgery Department, Policlinico SS. Annunziata, Chieti, Italy.

Didactic activity as assistant for the discipline Cardiovascular surgery, at the Medical School of the University "G.D'Annunzio" of Pescara-Chieti:

- Didactic activity as assistant for the discipline Cardiovascular surgery for the students of the integrated course “Systematic Pathology “of the Medical School, accademic year 2009/2010.
- Didactic activity as assistant for the discipline Cardiovascular surgery for the students of the integrated course B5 " Nursing sciences applied to the Cardiovascular pathologies", accademic year 2009/2010.
- Didactic activity as assistant for the discipline “Cardiovascular surgery - Emergencies" e "History of medicine" for the students of the 3rd year of the integrated course for the Perfusionists Technicians accademic year 2009/2010.
- From 2019 to today tutor for the internship enabling the medical profession for the students of the Faculty of Medicine and Surgery
- Teaching contract for the subject of Cardiac Surgery as part of the integrated course of Systematic Pathology I, for 4th year students of the Faculty of Medicine and Surgery for the academic year 2020/2021

Surgical activity, as first, second or third surgeon.

OPERATIONS	NUMBER

TOTAL	3187
Coronary Artery bypass grafting	1428
Coronary Artery bypass grafting +Aortic valve replacement	181
Off-pump Coronary Artery bypass grafting	103
Coronary Artery bypass grafting + Mitral valve replacement	39
Coronary Artery bypass grafting +mitral valve repair	71
Coronary Artery bypass grafting +left ventricle aneurysmectomy	17
Coronary Artery bypass grafting +Aortic valve replacement + Mitral valve replacement	13
Coronary Artery bypass grafting +carotid thromboendarterectomy	24
Coronary Artery bypass grafting + mitral valve repair + ascending aorta and arch replacement+aortica valve replacement+elephant trunk	1
Coronary Artery bypass grafting + mitral valve repair + ascending aorta and arch replacement+elephant trunk	1
Coronary Artery bypass grafting +aortic coarctation correction	1
Coronary Artery bypass grafting + David operation	1
Coronary Artery bypass grafting +Aortic valve replacement +atrial septal defect closure	1
Coronary Artery bypass grafting + Ross operation	1
Coronary Artery bypass grafting +Aortic valve replacement + mitral valve repair	15
Coronary Artery bypass grafting +aortic valve repair	1
Coronary Artery bypass grafting +atrial fibrillation ablation	1
Coronary Artery bypass grafting +abdominal aorta aneurysmectomy	1
Coronary Artery bypass grafting + mitral valve repair +tricuspid valve repair	7
Coronary Artery bypass grafting +Aortic valve replacement + aortic arch replacement	1
Coronary Artery bypass grafting + mitral valve repair +Bentall operation	1
Coronary Artery bypass grafting +Aortic valve replacement + Mitral valve replacement + tricuspid valve replacement	1
Coronary Artery bypass grafting +interventricular septal defect closure+ Levitronix implantation	1
Coronary Artery bypass grafting +interventricular septal defect closure	3
Coronary Artery bypass grafting +Aortic valve replacement +ascending aorta replacement	5
Coronary Artery bypass grafting + ascending aorta replacement	17
Coronary Artery bypass grafting +Aortic valve replacement + Mitral valve replacement +atrial fibrillation ablation	3
Coronary Artery bypass grafting +Aortic valve replacement + carotid thromboendarterectomy	5
Coronary Artery bypass grafting + Mitral valve replacement + atrial fibrillation ablation	1
Coronary Artery bypass grafting +Bentall operation	11

Coronary Artery bypass grafting +atrial septal defect closure	1
Coronary Artery bypass grafting + mitral valve repair + carotid thromboendarterectomy	1
Coronary Artery bypass grafting +aortic valve repair+ mitral valve repair +tricuspid valve repair	1
Coronary Artery bypass grafting + mitral valve repair +tricuspid valve repair +aortic valve replacement	2
Coronary Artery bypass grafting + aortic valve replacement + mitral valve replacement+tricuspid valve repair	2
Coronary Artery bypass grafting + mitral valve replacement+ tricuspid valve repair	4
Coronary Artery bypass grafting + mitral valve repair +left ventricle aneurysmectomy	4
Coronary Artery bypass grafting + ascending aorta and arch replacement+elephant trunk	1
ROSS operation	11
Pericardiectomy	2
Mitral valve repair	67
Mitral valve repair + atrial fibrillation ablation	3
Aortic valve repair+ mitral valve repair + ascending aorta replacement	2
Aortic valve repair+ mitral valve repair	4
Mitral valve repair + tricuspid valve repair + aortic valve replacement	4
Mitral valve repair + Aortic valve replacement	19
Mitral valve repair + atrial septal defect closure	3
Mitral valve repair + tricuspid valve repair + atrial fibrillation ablation	3
Mitral valve repair + tricuspid valve repair	10
Mitral valve repair + Bentall operation	6
Mitral valve repair + left ventricle aneurysmectomy	1
Mitral valve repair + tricuspid valve repair+ aortic valve repair	4
Mitral valve repair + tricuspid valve repair + ascending aorta replacement + atrial fibrillation ablation	1
Aortic valve repair+ mitral valve repair + ascending aorta wrapping	1
Mitral valve repair + Aortic valve replacement + ascending aorta replacement	1
Mitral valve repair + tricuspid valve repair+ aortic valve repair + ascending aorta replacement	1
Mitral valve rapair+coronary artery bypass grafting+ pacemaker implantation	1
Tricuspid valve repair	11
Aortic valve replacement	278
Aortic valve replacement+Manougian technique	1
Aortic valve replacement + mitral valve replacement	42
Aortic valve replacement + mitral valve replacement + atrial fibrillation ablation	6
Aortic valve replacement + ascending aorta and arch replacement	5

Aortic valve replacement + mitral valve replacement + Tricuspid valve repair	15
Aortic valve replacement + ascending aorta replacement	26
Aortic valve replacement + ascending aorta wrapping	1
Aortic valve replacement + interventricular septal defect closure	1
Aortic valve replacement + atrial fibrillation ablation	1
Aortic valve replacement + Tricuspid valve repair	4
Aortic valve replacement + mitral valve replacement + ascending aorta replacement	1
Aortic valve replacement + mitral valve replacement + Tricuspid valve repair + atrial fibrillation ablation	1
Aortic valve replacement + ascending aorta and arch replacement + elephant trunk	2
Aortic valve replacement + ascending aorta replacement + mitral valve repair+ coronary artery bypass grafting+ pacemaker implantation	1
Mitral valve replacement	66
Mitral valve replacement + Tricuspid valve repair	25
Mitral valve replacement + Tricuspid valve repair + atrial fibrillation ablation	6
Mitral valve replacement +Bentall operation	1
Mitral valve replacement + atrial fibrillation ablation	5
Postinfarction interventricular septal defect closure	3
Ascending aorta remodelling (David/Yacoub/Urbanski)	19
David operation+aortic arch replacement+elephant trunk	1
Ventricular assistance device implantation	11
Mitral valve replacement + ascending aorta replacement	1
Surgery for type A aortic dissection	61
Ascending aorta and hemiarch replacement(dissection)+ coronary artery bypass grafting	1
Aortic valve replacement+mitral valve replacement+tricuspid valve repair+ascending aorta replacement	1
Heart transplantation	37
Heart explantation	15
Interatrial septal defect closure	8
Excision of Myxoma	8
Pulmonary lobectomy + coronary artery bypass grafting	1
Pacemaker implantation	4
Redo for mediastinitis	16
Ascending aorta replacement	37
Ascending aorta and aortic arch replacement +elephant trunk	5
Aortic valve repair	6
Aortic valve repair+ mitral valve replacement	1
Aortic valve repair+ ascending aorta replacement	14
Aortic valve repair + Ascending aorta and aortic arch replacement	8
Aortic valve repair + interventricular septal defect closure	1

Correction of Subaortic valve stenosis	5
Bentall operation	61
Bentall operation + aortic arch replacement	2
Ascending aorta and aortic arch replacement	11
emiarchAnastomosis between innominate vein and right atrium (thrombosis of the superior vena cava)	1
Heart Tamponnade	34
Aortic pseudoaneurysm closure	1
Heart rupture repair	4
Closure of a superior vena cava tear	1
Ascending aorta replacement+ Aortic valve repair + coronary artery bypass grafting	2
Ascending aorta replacement+ Aortic valve repair + elephant trunk	1
Nephrectomy+ thrombectomy of the inferior vena cava	2
Aortic arch and descending aorta replacement	1
Innominate artery replacement	1
Aortic arch replacement	6
Coronary artery bypass grafting + Aortic arch replacement	3
Coronary artery bypass grafting + atrial septal defect closure + tricuspid valve repair	1
Coronary artery bypass grafting +excision of a myxoma	1
Pulmonary artery thromboendarterectomy+ tricuspid valve repair	1
Descending aorta replacement	4
Thoracoabdominal aneurismectomy	10
Bentall operation+ Aortic arch replacement +elephant trunk	1
Pulmonary artery thromboendarterectomy	1
Elephant trunk	1
Bentall operation+ interventricular septal defect closure	1
Atrial septal defect closure + tricuspid valve repair + atrial fibrillation ablation	1
Aortic arch replacement+ elephant trunk	1
Aortic arch tear repair (minithoracotomy)	1
Aortic valve replacement+mitral valve replacement+tricuspid valve repair+ ASD closure	1
ECMO+ coronary artery bypass grafting	2
Aortic valve replacement+ carotid thromboendarterectomy	2
Bentall+ mitral valve repair+ tricuspid valve repair+ interventricular septal defect closure	1
Aortic valve replacement+ tricuspid valve repair+ coronary artery bypass grafting	1
Bentall+ mitral valve repair	1
Bentall+ Frozen Elephant trunk+ Mitral valve repair	1
Frozen Elephant trunk+ aortic valve replacement	1
Ascending aorta and aortic valve replacement+ mitral and tricuspid valve repair	1

IVSD closure (Gerbode defect)	1
Aortic trauma	1
Commando operation	1
PAEDIATRIC OPERATIONS	
Drainage of a leg abscess	1
Great Arteries Transposition correction	2
Repair at ventricular level (for Great Arteries Transposition)	1
Correction of aortic arch interruption	1
Correction of double outlet right ventricle	1
Correction of the aortic arch hypoplasia	1
Systemic-pulmonary shunt implantation	3
Norwood operation	2
Implantation of right ventricle-pulmonary artery conduit	2
Total atrioventricular canal	4
Aortic coarctation correction	2
Correction of partial anomalous pulmonary venous return	1
Pulmonary artery banding	3
Partial atrioventricular canal	4
Correction of a Senning	1
Haller operation	1
Fallot's Tetralogy	2
SWITCH operation	1
FONTAN operation	2
Congenital interventricular defect repair	2
Haller+ septectomy+pulmonary artery banding	1
Mitral valve repair +Konno operation	1
VASCULAR OPERATIONS	
Renal-iliac artery bypass	1
Saphenectomy	1
Carotid endarterectomy	17
Aortic endoprosthesis	5
Abdominal aorta aneurismectomy	30
Desobstruction of the iliac artery	1
Popliteal artery repair	1
Femoral artery pseudoaneurysm repair	1
Aortofemoral bypass	3
Fogarty+ fasciotomy	3
Femoral artery thromboendarterectomy	1
Femoro-femoral bypass	3

Femoro-popliteal bypass	1
INTERVENTI DI CHIRURGIA TORACICA	
Gangliectomy	3
Pneumonectomy	1
Oesophageal-tracheal fistula closure	1
Lobectomy+oesophagectomy	1
Haempyema drainage	4
Lobectomy	6
Pulmonary metastasectomy	3
Thoracoscopy	2
Excision of a neuroblastoma	1
Exploring thoracotomy	2
Lung lesion repair	1

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- "Early and long-term outcome of mitral valve repair combined to coronary revascularization in patients with advanced ischemic cardiomyopathy and moderate-severe mitral regurgitation". XXXVIII Congresso Nazionale di Cardiologia dell'Associazione nazionale medici cardiologi ospedalieri. Firenze, 3-5 giugno 2007.

- "Outcome of mitral valve repair combined to coronary revascularization in patients with advanced ischemic cardiomyopathy and moderate-severe mitral regurgitation". 4th Biennial meeting of the Society for heart valve disease, New York, June 15-18 2007.
- "Selecting patients for percutaneous aortic valve replacement: do we have the chance to validate EuroSCORE calculator as risk assessment method?" The 17th Annual Meeting of Asian Society for Cardiovascular and Thoracic Surgery, March 5-8 2009 Taipei, Taiwan.

Attendance at national and international congresses

- XX Congresso nazionale della società italiana di chirurgia cardiaca. Verona, 26-29 Novembre 2000.
- IV International meeting on atrial fibrillation. Bologna, 17-18 Novembre 2001.
- III International meeting: "Advances in understanding aortic disease". Bologna, 29 Settembre 2001.
- Riunione scientifica regionale della Società Italiana di cardiologia: "Patologia della mitrale. Problemi di diagnosi e terapia". Forlì, 5 Ottobre 2001.
- Cours de transplantation cardiaque et pulmonaire de la Pitié. Parigi, 18-19 Ottobre 2001.
- Incontro scientifico: " Dialoghi in tema di insufficienza cardiaca". Bologna, 6 Febbraio 2002.

- First italian/spanish meeting on video-assisted minimally invasive cardiac surgery. Bologna, 15-16 Febbraio 2002.
- Seminario dipartimentale: " Insufficienza cerebrovascolare da patologia carotidea". Bologna, 12 Aprile 2002.
- XV Congresso nazionale della società polispecialistica italiana dei giovani chirurghi. Vibo Valentia, 23-25 Maggio 2002.
- 51st International Congress of the European Society for Cardiovascular Surgery. Helsinki, June 28- July 1, 2002.
- 7th Congress on cardio-thoracic surgery. Belgian society of cardiothoracic surgery. Bruxelles, 16 November 2002.
- 2nd Postgraduate course about surgery of the thoracic aorta. Bologna, December 1-2 2003.
- Corso della società Italiana di chirurgia cardiaca: " La sostituzione della valvola aortica: lo stato dell' arte". Bologna, 19 Giugno 2003.
- Congresso interregionale: " La cardiologia clinica in posizione sempre più centrale tra la cardiologia invasiva e la cardiochirurgia". Vasto Marina, 25 Ottobre 2003.
- 52nd International congress of the European Society for Cardiovascular Surgery. Istanbul, November 7-10 2003.
- Seminario dipartimentale: " Assistenza cardiocircolatoria e respiratoria". Bologna, 13 Maggio 2004.

- 4th Symposium on " Aortic and mitral reconstructive surgery. Focus on Marfan syndrome and connective tissue disorders". Bruxelles, June 4-5 2004.
- Simposio: " Trattamento chirurgico dell' Insufficienza mitralica". Bologna, 29 Giugno 2004.
- Advanced Mitral repair Symposium. December 2nd and 3rd 2004, Cliniques Universitaires St Luc, Bruxelles, Belgique.
- 5th Symposium on aortic and mitral reconstructive surgery. Focus on specific valvular problems. Bruxelles june 3-4 2005.
- Society for Heart Valve Disease 3rd Biennial Meeting. June 17 - 20, 2005 Vancouver, BC, Canada.
- Second Advanced Mitral repair Symposium. December 8 and 9 2005, Cliniques Universitaires St Luc, Bruxelles, Belgique.
- 6th Symposium on aortic and mitral reconstructive surgery. Focus on echocardiographic and technical aspects. Bruxelles june 2-3 2006.
- 5th EACTS/ESTS Joint Meeting, 9-13 September 2006, Stockholm, Sweden.
- Annual techno-college of EACTS/ESTS, 9th September 2006, Stockholm, Sweden.
- Postgraduate course of EACTS, 10th September 2006, Stockholm, Sweden.
- 4th Biennial meeting of the Society for heart valve disease, New York, June 15-18 2007.
- Euroecho 2007, 05 December 2007 - 08 December 2007, Lisbon Congress Centre, Praça das Industrias,Lisbon, Portugal.

- Tredicesimo convegno nazionale di ecocardiografia transesofagea. Ospedale "G.Mazzini", Teramo, 24-26 gennaio 2008.
- Campagna educativa nazionale ANMCO. "Cardiologie sicure: gestione del rischio clinico". Montesilvano (Pescara), 28 marzo 2008.
- Corso ACLS (Advanced Cardiac Life Support), Ospedale "G.Mazzini", Teramo, 21,24-04-2008.
- M.I.T.R.A.L.E: 3° Meeting italiano tecniche riparative avanzate live ecocardiografia. DIBIT Centro Congressi San Raffaele, Milano, 20-22 Novembre 2008.
- Corso "Elettrocardiografia di base e clinica". Ospedale "G.Mazzini" Teramo, 24-11/2008-09/12/2008.
- XIV convegno nazionale di ecocardiografia transesofagea. Ospedale "G.Mazzini", Teramo, 28-29 gennaio 2009.
- IX Incontro di aggiornamento: L'embolia polmonare: la necessità di un approccio multidisciplinare. Chieti, 04-12-2009.
- Simposio "Sindrome di Tako Tsubo: prima non la conoscevamo adesso è sempre piu' frequente". Sala Convegni Ordine dei Medici Chirurghi e degli Odontoiatri della Provincia di Teramo, Teramo, 11 Maggio 2012.
- Simposio "La stenosi valvolare aortica degenerativa: le attuali risorse terapeutiche". Ospedale "G.Mazzini", Teramo, 12 Ottobre 2012.
- Simposio " Davide contro Golia: metodiche di imaging a confronto: l'ecografia sfida la TC e la RM". Aula Convegni, Museo Vittoria Colonna, Pescara 12 Aprile 2013.
- Aortic valve repair Summit. 1st-3rd July 2016, Brussels, Belgium
- Surgery of the thoracic aorta-Ninth postgraduate course. Bologna 13th and 14th November 2017.

- Congresso Interegionale SICI GISE (Abruzzo-Marche-Molise), Pescara 15-16 Marzo 2019.
- Master of Valve Therapy: Aortic Course vol.2 (Edwards Professional Education) Geneva June 9-10 2022.
- Giornata Chieti-Pescara sull'aorta toracica. Pescara, 18/06/2022.
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