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DEGREES

Degree in Medicine and Surgery, 108/110 - 1982, University of Padua

Postgraduate degree in Respiratory Diseases - 1987, University of Padua

Postgraduate degree in Sport Medicine - 1990, University of Padua

PROFESSIONAL, RESEARCH, AND TEACHING ACTIVITY

- Medical assistant in Pulmonology - Hospital of Venice 1988-1993
- Pulmonologist at the Hospital of Ferrara -1993-2000
- Vice Director of the Respiratory Diseases Department of the University Hospital of Modena – 2000-2005
- Vice Director of the Day Hospital Service - University Hospital of Modena 2000-2005
- Associate Professor of Respiratory Diseases at the University of Florence – Since 2005 to date
- Director of the Interventional Bronchoscopy and Laser Therapy Unit– University Hospital of Careggi, Florence – 01/01/2008 - 01/08/2009
- Director of the Diagnostic and Interventional Bronchoscopy Unit – University Hospital of Careggi, Florence – 01/08/2009 – 31/10/2015
- Director of the Educational Programme of Interventional Pulmonology – University Hospital of Careggi, Florence – since 01/11/2015 to date
- Director of the Master Course in Interventional Pulmonology - since 2009 to date
- GOLD National Leader since 2005 to date
- Scientific and Website Director of the European Association for Bronchology and Interventional Pulmonology (EABIP)

TRAINING BACKGROUND

- Member of ERS – European Respiratory Society; EABIP – European Association for Bronchology and Interventional Pulmonology; AIPO – Associazione Italiana Pneumologi Ospedalieri

- Associate Professor of Respiratory Diseases at the University of Florence, Department of Medicine and Surgery, since 2005. He currently teaches “Thoracic Endoscopy” and “Oxygen and Ventilation Therapy” at the Degree course in Medicine.
- Director and Coordinator of the Master course in “Interventional Pulmonology” at the University of Florence, since 2009. This course is organized in collaboration with University Hospital of Careggi.
- Professor of “Thoracic Endoscopy” at the Post-graduate schools of Respiratory Diseases and Thoracic Surgery at the Universities of Ferrara, Modena and Firenze, since 1993.
- Director of the “University and Advanced Education” Program within the Laboratory for the Healthcare Education in Tuscany (FORMAS), from 2007 to 2012.
- Professor of “Continuing education in medicine and distance learning – Multimedia tools for distance learning in medicine” at the Master course in “E-learning in Medicine”, from 2005 to 2008.

Scientific Supervisor, Chairman and Coordinator of conferences and courses. The main ones are listed below:

- Scientific supervisor of the Boot Camp in Interventional Pulmonology, Florence 9-11 February 2017
- Scientific supervisor of the CME course “Update in Pulmonology”
- Scientific Supervisor, Coordinator, Lecturer, Teacher and Moderator at the “Advanced Course of Executive Training Programme in Interventional Pulmonology”, Bologna 22nd – 24th January 2015.
- Coordinator, Lecturer, Teacher and Moderator at the 1st “Congress of Interventional Pulmonology 2.0”, Florence 8th – 10th May 2014.
- Scientific Supervisor of the “Executive Course in Interventional Pulmonology: Interventional Pulmonology in real life”, Bologna 9th – 10th November 2012.
- President of the “3rd Annual Congress in Interventional Pulmonology”, Florence 8th – 9th June 2011
- Scientific Supervisor of the 7th CME course “Pneumotech – Technology applied to pulmonology: diagnostic and therapeutic procedures in pulmonology: meetings with the experts”, Merano 26th – 27th November 2010.
- Scientific Supervisor and Lecturer at the “4th Annual Congress in Interventional Pulmonology” with live streaming from the endoscopic room, Florence 21st – 22nd March 2010
- Coordinator and Lecturer at the National Congress of Interventional Pulmonology – 3rd Meeting of updating FORMAS – Competence and training in Interventional Pulmonology”, Florence, 19th – 20th June 2009.
- Coordinator of the e-learning “Training Course in Interventional Pulmonology”, June 2007.
- Coordinator and Lecturer at the Congress “Management of the clinical risk in Interventional Bronchology” – “2nd course of Interventional Pulmonology”, Florence 19th – 20th June 2008.
- Coordinator and Moderator at the 4th CME course “Pneumotech – Improvement school of technology applied to pulmonology –New instruments for the treatment of respiratory diseases”, Siena 11th – 13th October 2007.
- Scientific Supervisor of the Conference “A uniform vision of chronic respiratory diseases”, Florence 14th – 15th December 2007.

- He has been Scientific Supervisor and Author of various distance courses in Interventional Pulmonology in collaboration with the Scientific societies and the Regional Laboratory for the Healthcare Education in Tuscany (FORMAS).

Recent publications

Levy ML, Dekhuijzen PN, Barnes PJ, Broeders M, Corrigan CJ, Chawes BL, Corbetta L, Dubus JC, Hausen T, Lavorini F, Roche N, Sanchis J, Usmani OS, Viejo J, Vincken W, Voshaar T, Crompton GK, Pedersen S. Inhaler technique: facts and fantasies. A view from the Aerosol Drug Management Improvement Team (ADMIT). NPJ Prim Care Respir Med. 2016 Apr 21;26:16017

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