

EDUCATION AND PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE



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I HEREBY DECLARE THAT

EDUCATION

- I obtained a secondary school leaving certificate from "N. Parentucelli" Scientific Secondary School, Sarzana in 1997;
- I graduated from the Faculty of Medicine and Surgery of the University of Pisa with a degree in Medicine and Surgery on 21 February 2006 with a mark of 103 out of 110;
- I qualified as a medical professional at the University of Pisa in the first session in June 2006;
- I was ranked fourth in the list for admission to the University of Pisa Graduate School for General Surgery (specialising in General Surgery, Director Prof. Franco Mosca) in July 2006;
- I obtained a graduate degree in General Surgery, specialising in General Surgery, on 31 October 2011 with a thesis titled "Robotic pancreas surgery: present and future prospects", supervised by Prof. Ugo Boggi with a mark of 110 out of 110 with honours from the Faculty of Medicine and Surgery, University of Pisa.

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

- During my degree course in Medicine and Surgery (from June 2003 to August 2006), I carried out clinical activities at the manometry, oesophageal pH-metry and digestive endoscopy outpatient clinic (Director Prof. R. Spisni) in the General Surgery II Unit, S. Chiara Hospital, Pisa;
- During my graduate course in general surgery, I assisted on the ward and took part in surgical operations as junior staff, including kidney, kidney-pancreas and pancreas donation-transplant procedures, at the General Surgery and Transplants Unit for uremic and diabetic patients (Director Prof. Ugo Boggi), Cisanello Hospital – University of Pisa Hospital Trust, from October 2008 to October 2011, with **a total of 292 operations**.

- During my graduate course in general surgery, I assisted on the ward and took part in surgical operations as junior staff at the University General Surgery I Unit (Director Prof. Franco Mosca), Cisanello Hospital –University of Pisa Hospital Trust, from September 2006 to October 2011.
- During my graduate course in general surgery, I carried out clinical activities from March 2009 to October 2011 at the Digestive Endoscopy Outpatient Clinic of the University General Surgery I Unit (Director Prof. Franco Mosca) Cisanello Hospital – University of Pisa Hospital Trust.
- During my graduate course in general surgery, I carried out surgical operations using **robotic techniques (Da Vinci)** as junior staff at the General Surgery and Transplants Unit for uremic and diabetic patients (Dir. Prof. Ugo Boggi) Cisanello Hospital – University of Pisa Hospital Trust, for **a total of 20 operations**.
- I took part in the international mission organised by the association "**Operation Smile International**" in **August 2010** in collaboration with the **United States Navy**, boarding the hospital ship "**USNS Mercy**" in Timor-Leste to assist with reconstructive plastic surgery (cleft palate) operations.

WORK EXPERIENCE

- I carried out practical clinical activities as a volunteer trainee in the Oesophagus Surgery Department, Director Dr Stefano Santi, University of Pisa Hospital Trust, from December 2011 to April 2012.
- I carried out clinical activities in the Oesophagus Surgery Department, University of Pisa Hospital Trust from May 2012 until October 2012 with a freelance contract as: junior staff and chief surgeon for open and minimally invasive functional and oncological surgery of the oesophagus and stomach (including robotic techniques) and in the field of operational and diagnostic endoscopic procedures of the oesophagus (mucosectomies, radiofrequency ablations, magnifications, echo-endoscopy).
- I attended the Oesophagus Surgery Residential Course at the **ACOI "Mauro Rossi" Specialist School of Oesophagus Surgery from 7 to 11 May 2012**.
- I carried out practical clinical activities as a volunteer trainee in the Oesophagus Surgery Department, Director Dr Stefano Santi, University of Pisa Hospital Trust, from December 2012 to May 2013.
- I carried out clinical activities in the Oesophagus Surgery Department, University of Pisa Hospital Trust, from 4 June 2013 to 3 June 2014 and from 13 June 2014 to this month with a professional contract as: junior staff and chief surgeon in the field of open and minimally invasive functional and oncological surgery of the oesophagus and stomach (including robotic techniques) and in the field of operational and diagnostic endoscopic procedures of the oesophagus (mucosectomies, radiofrequency ablations, endoscopic magnifications, echo-endoscopy).

- I took part in the ACOI National Congress as a **SPEAKER** from 22-24 May 2013, covering the topic: "Antireflux plastic surgery according to laparoscopic Nissen"
- I took part in the "MAURO ROSSI" SPECIALIST SCHOOL OF OESOPHAGUS SURGERY course on 17 March 2014 at the University of Pisa Hospital Trust as a **SPEAKER, with the following reports:**
 - **Robotic approach to functional pathologies of the gastroesophageal junction**
 - **Operative endoscopy: POEM**
- I took part in the **5th International Live Endoscopy Course**, Humanitas Clinical Institute Milan, 19-21 June 2014
- I was a **SPEAKER** at the **ACOI National Congress** event on 4-6 June 2014 **with the topic: "Robot-assisted hiatal hernia repair and plastic surgery"**
- I was hired as a **permanent staff physician** at AOUP on **1 May 2015** as the winner of the contest for qualifications and tests and have been on duty in the Oesophagus Surgery Unit for open and minimally invasive functional and oncological surgery of the oesophagus and stomach (including robotic techniques) and in the field of operational and diagnostic endoscopic procedures of the oesophagus (mucosectomies, radiofrequency ablations, endoscopic magnifications, echo-endoscopy); **I've performed transportation of patient with neck and thoracic-abdomen trauma (perforation and bleeding) and I've performed damage control surgery of neck-thoracic and abdomen trauma in relation with perforation (even gunshot perforation) and bleedings.**

PUBLICATIONS

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- **1998-2011: Outcome, complications and redo surgery in 830 patients underwent laparoscopic antireflux surgery at a referral center**
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- **Ectopic Pancreas in the gastric antrum: A spectrum of imaging findings**
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- **Is there a role for palliative gastrectomy in asymptomatic metastatic gastric cancer?**
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- **IVOR LEWIS ESOPHAGECTOMY AFTER SLEEVE GASTRECTOMY: THE USE OF GASTRIC CONDUIT IS STILL POSSIBLE**

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- **HYBRID LAPAROSCOPIC ROBOT-ASSISTED MINIMALLY-INVASIVE ESOPHAGECTOMY: A PROSPECTIVE EXPERIENCE IN A REFERRAL CENTER**

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SURGICAL CURRICULUM LEAD SURGEON (2010- July 2020)

Robotic

- 1 Robotic Total Gastrectomy
- 1 Robotic Subtotal Gastrectomy
- 4 Robotic Ivor-Lewis Oesophagectomy
- 19 Robotic Nissen fundoplication
- 16 Robotic Heller-Dor
- 8 Robotic Hiatal Hernia Repair (Permagna)

Laparoscopic/Laparotomic/Thoracotomy/Thoracoscopy

- 3 Laparoscopic Hiatal Hernia Repair (Permagna)
- 15 Hybrid Ivor-Lewis Oesophagectomy
- 40 Nissen fundoplication
- 17 Laparoscopic Heller-Dor
- 8 Laparotomic total gastrectomy (Roux)
- 3 Laparotomic subtotal gastrectomy (Roux)
- 37 Laparoscopic Cholecystectomy
- 44 Port Vascular Insertion (brachiocephalic vein)
- 65 Laparoscopic jejunostomy
- 3 TAPP
- 35 Inguinal hernia with prosthesis
- 21 Zenker's diverticulectomy (open technique)

Endoscopic

- 41 Endoscopic Ablation of Barrett Oesophagus (BARRX)
- 88 Oesophagus Prosthesis Placements
- 730 Oesophagus dilatation (Savary/Rigiflex/TTS)
- 80 Pylorus dilatation (TTS/Rigiflex)
- 40 Peg (pull technique)

6 Zenker's diverticulectomy (endoscopic technique)
3 ESD (Stomach for early lesion)
2 EMD (Stomach for early lesion)

No MEDICAL CURRICULUM:

Aircraft Sport Pilot Italian license with 150 hours of flight active N 00073195 issued by Aero Club Italia in Nov 2017 with Aeronautic Radiotelephony authorization issued in April 2018 (English and Italian)