

CURRICULUM VITAE

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Name MARCELLO ROMANO
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WORK EXPERIENCE

- Dates (from – to) From 01/04/1991 to this day
- Name and address of employer HOSPITAL CORPORATION - VILLA SOFIA - PALERMO
- Type of business or sector HEALTH CARE
- Occupation or position held ASSOCIATE MEDICAL DIRECTOR

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

- Dates (from – to) in 1983
- Name and type of organisation providing education and training UNIVERSITY OF PALERMO – FACULTY OF MEDICINE
- Title of qualification awarded MEDICAL DOCTOR
- Dates (from – to) in 1986
- Name and type of organisation providing education and training UNIVERSITY OF MESSINA – GRADUATE SCHOOL FOR NEUROPHYSIOPATHOLOGY
- Title of qualification awarded NEUROPHYSIOPATHOLOGIST

MOTHER TONGUE ITALIAN



Associate medical director at Neurophysiopathology Department, Villa Sofia Hospital in Palermo since April 1991. He performs Electromyography and electroneurography, trigeminal reflexes, repetitive nerve stimulation for neuromuscular junction study, quantitative and qualitative exam of motor unit potentials, single fiber EMG, visual, auditory, motor, trigeminal and somatosensorial evoked potentials. Since June 1994 he has performed infiltrative therapy using Botulin Toxine A Type in patients with ocular dystonia (facial hemispasms, blefarospasms), oromandibular dystonia, cervical dystonia (spasmodic stiff neck, writer's cramp). Superior and inferior limbs spasticity in adults and in infantile cerebral palsy; medication-overuse headache, hyperhidrosis, dysphagia, scialorrea.

He took part in the Italian study on carpal tunnel syndrome. He joined in the study on pigeon-toed clubfoot.

Member of LICE, SINC, SIN since 1985; associate member of AAN, MDS and AAEM since 1998.

Since January 2004 he has dealt with generalized spasticity, with the selection of patients to be treated with implantation of intrathecal Baclofen infusion pump and subsequent recharge.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

FROM 1983 TO 1986 HE ATTENDED THE NEUROLOGY CLINIC II AT UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL OF MESSINA, DEALING WITH ELECTROMYOGRAPHY, EVOKED POTENTIALS.

IN 1985 HE FOLLOWED THE COURSE ON EMG AND NEUROPHYSIOPATHOLOGY AT THE UNIVERSITY OF FERRARA.

HE ATTENDED THE LABORATORIES OF ELECTROMYOGRAPHY AND EVOKED POTENTIALS OF THE NEUROLOGY DEPARTMENT AT ARCISPEDALE S.ANNA IN FERRARA (JANUARY 1994).

ASSOCIATE MEMBER OF AAN , MDS AND AAEM SINCE 1998.

MEMBER OF THE AINV BOARD OF DIRECTORS (ASSOCIAZIONE ITALIANA PER LO STUDIO DEL SISTEMA NERVOSO VEGETATIVO) SINCE 2006.

MEMBER OF THE SINC BOARD OF DIRECTORS (SOCIETA' ITALIANA DI NEUROFISIOLOGIA CLINICA) SINCE MAY 2008.

LIST OF PUBLICATIONS AND PROCEEDINGS

Multiperspective assessment of carpal tunnel syndrome: a multicenter study. Italian CTS Study Group. Padua L, Padua R, Lo Monaco M, Aprile I, Tonali P. *Neurology*. 1999 Nov 10;53(8):1654-9

Multiperspective follow-up of untreated carpal tunnel syndrome - A multicenter study - L. Padua, MD, PhD;, R. Padua, MD;, I. Aprile, MD;, P. Pasqualetti, PhD;, P. Tonali, MD and for the Italian CTS Study Group* *Neurology* 2001;56:1459-1466

Carpal tunnel syndrome in pregnancy: multiperspective follow-up of untreated cases.- L. Padua, I. Aprile, P. Caliandro, M. Mondelli, P. Pasqualetti, P. Tonali; Italian Carpal Tunnel Syndrome Study Group. *Neurology*. 2002 Nov 26;59(10):1643-6

L. Padua, R. Padua, M. Lo Monaco, E. Romanini, P. Tonali for the "Italian CTS Study Group". "Italian Multicentric study of carpal tunnel syndrome: study design". *Italian Journal of Neurological Sciences* 1998; 19: 285-289.

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L. Padua, I. Aprile, M. Lo Monaco, R. Padua, P. Pasqualetti , M. Nazzaro and P. Tonali MD for the "Italian CTS study group". "Italian multicentre study of Carpal tunnel syndrome: clinical-neurophysiological picture and diagnostic pathway in 461 patients and differences between the populations enrolled in the Northern, Central and Southern centres" *Italian Journal of Neurological Sciences* (1999) 20: 309-313

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L. Padua, R. Padua, I. Aprile and P. Tonali. Methods of literature review. *Physical therapy* 1999, 79; 11,1088

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L. Padua, I. Aprile, P. Caliandro, T. Carboni, A. Meloni, S. Massi, O. Mazza, M.

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L. Padua; I. Aprile, P. Caliandro, M. Mondelli, P. Pasqualetti; and P. A. Tonali, for the Italian CTS Study Group. Carpal Tunnel Syndrome in Pregnancy. Multiperspective Follow-up of Untreated Cases. Neurology 2002;Nov 26;59(10):1643-6

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A. Quartarone, V. Rizzo, S. Bagnato, F. Morgante, A. Sant'Angelo, M. Romano, D. Crupi, P. Girlanda, J.C. Rothwell, H.R. Siebner. Homeostatic-like plasticity of the primary motor hand area is impaired in focal hand dystonia. Brain. 2005;128:1943-50. Impact Factor: 8.201

CD ATTI III CORSO NEUROFISIOLOGIA NUOVE STRATEGIE ESPLORAZIONE DEL SISTEMA NERVOSO VEGETATIVO PALERMO 28-29th NOVEMBER 2005

CD ATTI IV CORSO NEUROFISIOLOGIA NUOVE STRATEGIE LE LESIONI TRAUMATICHE DEL PLESSO BRACHIALE E DELL'ARTO SUPERIORE PALERMO 18-19th NOVEMBER 2005

CD ATTI INCONTRO NEUROFISIOLOGIA NUOVE STRATEGIE MONITORAGGI NEUROFISIOLOGICI NELLE UNITA' INTENSIVE PALERMO 29th NOVEMBER - 1st DECEMBER 2008

MARCELLO ROMANO NEUROVEGETATIVO NEWS ANNO VI N° 2 MAY-AUGUST 2006 IL TRATTAMENTO DELLA SCIALORREA CON TOSSINA BOTULINICA

M. ROMANO - F. MOLteni CASI CLINICI IN NEURORIABILITAZIONE IPSEN ELSEVIER N° 6th NOVEMBER 2005 - DISTONIA GENERALIZZATA AD ESORDIO INFANTILE

D. RESTIVO - M. ROMANO USI CLINICI DELLA TOSSINA BOTULINICA - VOL. 7 - COLLANA DIRETTA DA MAURIZIO OSIO - LE DISFAGIE NELLE MALATTIE NEUROLOGICHE

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PROCEEDINGS

MESSINA - SIN REGIONAL MEETING 1997 , COMO 1997 XXXVI SNO NATIONAL CONGRESS, PALERMO 1997 XXX SIN NATIONAL CONGRESS – POSTER MIOTONIA CONGENITA, EPILESSIA E SCHIZOFRENIA : UN' INSOLITA ASSOCIAZIONE

PALERMO 21-22ND MARCH 2001 CORSO TOSSINA BOTULINICA VECCHIE E NUOVE INDICAZIONI –IL BLEFAROSPASMO

REGGIO CALABRIA 15TH DECEMBER 2001: TOSSINA BOTULINICA E SPASTICITA – TERAPIA MEDICA E CHIRURGICA DELLA SPASTICITA'

PALERMO 27TH APRIL 2002 : EFFICACIA ED EFFICIENZA IN ELETTROMIOGRAFIA LINEE GUIDA E STANDARD

PALERMO 28–29TH NOVEMBER 2003 I CORSO RESIDENZIALE NEUROFISIOLOGIA: NUOVE STRATEGIE –TMS E SPASTICITA - BACLOFEN INTRATECALE

PALERMO, 16TH OCTOBER 2004 INCONTRO CON GLI ESPERTI "UPDATE SU DISTONIE E DISFAGIE" , TAVOLA ROTONDA UPDATE SULLE DISTONIE - TRATTAMENTO CON TOSSINA BOTULINICA

SIRACUSA 23TH OCTOBER 2004 EMG NELLE RADICOPATIE E PLESSOPATIE

PALERMO 23- 24TH SEPTEMBER 2005 NEUROFISIOLOGIA IN ETA' PEDIATRICA ASPETTI METODOLOGICI E CLINICI - EMG IN ETA' PEDIATRICA

PALERMO 28-29TH OCTOBER 2005 : III CORSO RESIDENZIALE NEUROFISIOLOGIA NUOVE STRATEGIE ESPLORAZIONE DEL SISTEMA NERVOSO VEGETATIVO - SCIALORREA E TOSSINA BOTULINICA

AGRIGENTO 3RD MARCH 2006 CORSO DI FORMAZIONE PER MMG SU M. DI PARKINSON E PARKINSONISMI -: UTILITA' DELLE INDAGINI NEUROFISIOLOGICHE

PALERMO 27TH APRIL 2006 ° CONVEGNO REGIONALE "MIASTENIA GRAVIS, MALATTIE NEUROMUSCOLARI E NEUROPATIE DISIMMUNI: LO STATO DELL'ARTE NEL TERZO MILLENNIO" L' ELETTROMIOGRAFIA NELLA MIASTENIA GRAVIS

GELA 9-10TH JUNE 2006 UPDATE IN NEUROLOGIA FISIOPATOLOGIA DEL DOLORE NEUROPATICO

PALERMO 17-18TH NOVEMBER 2006 IV CORSO RESIDENZIALE NEUROFISIOLOGIA: NUOVE STRATEGIE"LE LESIONI TRAUMATICHE DEL PLESSO BRACHIALE - L' ELETTROMIOGRAFIA

III CONVEGNO SISC SICILIA 24 –25th NOVEMBER 2006 STRATEGIE ALTERNATIVE DI TRATTAMENTO DELL'EMICRANIA

S. SERVOLO VENEZIA 16-20TH APRIL 2007 IA CORSO DI AGGIORNAMENTO NEUROFISIOLOGIA IN ETA' PEDIATRICA -POTENZIALI EVOCATI ACUSTICI- PRESENTAZIONE CASI CLINICI

CEFALU' PALERMO 23TH MAY 2007 SIMPOSIO SATELLITE SINC : PUO' IL TRATTAMENTO CON TOSSINA BOTULINICA MIGLIORARE LA DEAMBULAZIONE

PALERMO 24-26TH MAY 2007 CONGRESSO NAZIONALE SINC LUNCH CON L'ESPERTO SU RADICOPATIE E PLESSOPATIE

POSTER : EFFETTI DELLA MODULAZIONE CEREBELLARE SULLA CORTECCIA MOTORIA DI PAZIENTI DISTONICI
(ROMANO M , COSENTINO G, PANETTA ML, PUMA A, SAIA V, FIERRO B)

SNO REGIONAL CONVENTION SIN 2007 AGRIGENTO 28-30th JUNE 2007 MONITORAGGIO INTRAOPERATORIO IN NEUROCHIRURGIA

TAORMINA 5-6 SEPTEMBER 2007 IL DOLORE NEUROPATICO NELLA PRATICA CLINICA – IL CONTRIBUTO DELLA NEUROFISIOLOGIA

CATANIA 24-25th OCTOBER 2007 CONVEGNO REGIONALE SNO DISTONIA GENERALIZZATA AD ESORDIO INFANTILE

PALERMO 29th NOVEMBER-1st DECEMBER 2008 INCONTRO DI AGGIORNAMENTO NEUROFISIOLOGIA NUOVE STRATEGIE: MONITORAGGI NEUROFISIOLOGICI NELLE UNITA' INTENSIVE-CRITICAL CARE ILLNESS NEUROPATHY AND MYOPATHY

PALERMO 25-26th JANUARY 2008 - SIN REGIONAL CONGRESS - SICILIA

EFFETTI DELLA MODULAZIONE CEREBELLARE SULLA CORTECCIA MOTORIA DI PAZIENTI DISTONICI
(ROMANO M , BRIGHINA F, GIGLIA G, COSENTINO G, PANETTA ML, PUMA A, SAIA V, FIERRO B)

COURSES, CONFERENCES, MEETINGS :

ON 27th APRIL 2002 IN PALERMO THE MEETING "EFFICACIA ED EFFICIENZA IN ELETTROMIOGRAFIA"

IN 2003 THE 1st COURSE "NEUROFISIOLOGIA: NUOVE STRATEGIE SU TMS E SPASTICITÀ",

IN 2004 THE 2nd COURSE "NEUROFISIOLOGIA: NUOVE STRATEGIE SU DISTONIE E DISFAGIE"

ON 23th AND 24th SEPTEMBER 2005 IN PALERMO "NEUROFISIOLOGIA IN ETA' PEDIATRICA ASPETTI METODOLOGICI E CLINICI" -

ON 28th AND 29th OCTOBER 2005 IN PALERMO THE 3rd COURSE "NEUROFISIOLOGIA: NUOVE STRATEGIE SU ESPLORAZIONE DEL SISTEMA NERVOSO VEGETATIVO"

PALERMO 17-18th NOVEMBER 2006 THE 4th COURSE "NEUROFISIOLOGIA: NUOVE STRATEGIE SULLE LESIONI TRAUMATICHE DEL PLESSO BRACHIALE E DELL'ARTO SUPERIORE"

PALERMO 24-26th MAY 2007 PROMOTER OF THE NATIONAL CONGRESS OF THE SINC

PALERMO 29 NOVEMBRE-1 DICEMBRE 2007 INCONTRO DI AGGIORNAMENTO NEUROFISIOLOGIA NUOVE STRATEGIE: MONITORAGGI NEUROFISIOLOGICI NELLE UNITA' INTENSIVE

60TH ANNUAL MEETING AAN CHICAGO 15th APRIL 2008 POSTER **DULOXETINE IN THE TREATMENT OF INTRACTABLE TRIGEMINAL NEURALGIA** -
DOMENICO A. RESTIVO, MARCELLO ROMANO, PALERMO, ITALY, ANTONINO PAVONE, CATANIA, ITALY

"Io sottoscritto Dr. Marcello Romano informato, ai sensi e per gli effetti di cui all'art. 13 del D.Lgs 30 Giugno 2003, n. 196, che i dati personali raccolti saranno trattati, anche con strumenti informatici, autorizzo il trattamento dei miei dati personali per le finalità di cui al comma 1 art. 21 L. 18 giugno 2009 n. 69".