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CURRICULUM VITAE ET STUDIORUM

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PERSONAL DATA

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EDUCATION AND TRAINING

- 29 June 2015 – 28 June 2016: Research Fellowship in Vitreoretinal Surgery and Medical Retina, at Central Manchester University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust, Manchester Vision Regeneration Lab at Manchester Royal Eye Hospital and NIHR/Wellcome Trust Manchester CRF. Director Prof. Paulo E. Stanga
- 1 January 2009 – 31 December 2011: Research Doctorate, with scholarship from the XXIV PhD cycle in clinical sciences and technologies, at the University of Udine. Thesis: “Choroidal Neovascularization Management in Pathological Myopia”. Supervisors: Prof. Francesco Bandello, Prof. Francesco Saverio Ambesi-Impiombato
- 31 August - 4 September 2009 “Università della Svizzera italiana di Lugano” (Switzerland): second module of European School for Advanced Studies in Ophthalmology (E.S.A.S.O.) on Retinal Diseases.
- 1-12 June 2009: “Università della Svizzera italiana di Lugano” (Switzerland): first module of European School for Advanced Studies in Ophthalmology (E.S.A.S.O.) on Vitreoretinal Surgery.
- 3 November 2008 specialization diploma in Ophthalmology at the “Università degli Studi di Udine”, 70/70 e lode. Director Prof. Francesco Bandello. Thesis: “Intravitreal ranibizumab for the treatment of choroidal neovascularization secondary to pathological myopia”. Supervisors: Prof. Francesco Bandello, Dr.ssa Francesca Menchini.
- October 2007 – December 2007: winner of a mobility scholarship for postgraduates as part of the International Interuniversity Collaboration Project between the University of Udine and affiliated Latin American universities (Universidade Federal de Santa Maria, Rio Grande do Sul – Brazil and others).
- 2 March 2005: registration with the medical association of Udine, n. 04784.
- Qualification to practice the profession of surgeon, in the second session relating of the year 2004, at the University of Udine.
- 14 October 2004: Degree in Medicine and Surgery at the University of Udine. Thesis: "Medical therapy of diabetic macular edema, reality and future developments" Supervisors: Prof. Francesco Bandello, Dr. Angelo Pirracchio
- October 2000 – October 2001: winner of a scholarship from the Socrates international mobility program at the University of Murcia, Spain, attending the Ophthalmology Clinic of the aforementioned University
- 1999 – 2004: Attendance at the Institute of Ophthalmology, University of Udine, Italy.
- 1996: Graduated from the “2nd General High School of Megara”, Megara, Greece

CURRENT ROLE - WORK ACTIVITY

- Director of the Retina Simple Unit, at the Complex Ophthalmology Unit of Monfalcone and Gorizia Hospitals, Azienda Universitaria Giuliano Isontina / Giuliano Isontina University Hospital, from 1/7/2022 to present.
(Simple structure assignment as per art. 18, c. 1 par. i letter c) of the National Collective Labor Agreement dated 19/12/2019, band b, department of affiliation: surgical, complex structure: ophthalmology department.)
- Senior Consultant in Ophthalmology at the Ophthalmology Department of Monfalcone and Gorizia Hospitals, Azienda Universitaria Giuliano Isontina /Giuliano Isontina University Hospital, directed by S. Vita.
from 1/8/2018 to present
(Professional Nature Special Assignment > 5 years seniority. Employment Relationship: Full-time indefinite. Senior Consultant with an exclusive relationship. Branch: ophthalmology)
- Senior Consultant in Ophthalmology at the De Gironcoli Hospital, Azienda ULSS 2 Marca Trevigiana, Treviso, directed by G. Prosdocimo.
In charge of the service for the diagnosis and therapy of maculopathies and retinal pathologies.
from 1/8/2011 to 1/8/2018.
(Professional Nature Special Assignment < 5 till 1/8/2016 then > 5 years seniority. Employment Relationship: Full-time indefinite. Senior Consultant with a non-exclusive relationship. Branch: ophthalmology)
- Honorary Clinical Research Vitreoretinal and Medical Retina Fellow, at Central Manchester University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust, Manchester Vision Regeneration Lab at Manchester Royal Eye Hospital and NIHR/Wellcome Trust Manchester CRF. Director Prof. Paulo E. Stanga:
from 28 June 2016 – 28 June 2018.
- Clinical Research Vitreoretinal and Medical Retina Fellow, presso Central Manchester University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust, Manchester Vision Regeneration Lab at Manchester Royal Eye Hospital and NIHR/Wellcome Trust Manchester CRF. Director Prof. Paulo E. Stanga:
from 29 June 2015 – 28 June 2016.
(During this period, on unpaid leave from U.L.S.S. No. 7 Pieve di Soligo.)
- Specialist in Ophthalmology, Freelancer: served at De Gironcoli Hospital, U.L.S.S. No. 7 Pieve di Soligo, directed by G. Prosdocimo, as an outpatient specialist in the Ophthalmology branch, in the service for the diagnosis and therapy of maculopathies and retinal pathologies, with a provisional assignment:
from 15/2/2010 to 29/7/2011 for 30 hours per week
- Bassa Friulana No.5 (tel 0432 921641): replacement assignments from 2/7/09 to 11/2/10 for 77.35 hours;
- Medio Friuli No.4 (tel 0432 272506): replacement assignments from 12/11/08 to 29/1/10 for 667.25 hours;
- Alto Friuli No.3 (0433 488848): provisional and replacement assignment from 1/12/08 to 17/3/2010 for 265.35 hours (provisional assignment: from 28/9/09 to 25/10/09 for 9 hours per week, from 26/10/09 to 14/2/10 for 9.30 hours per week, and from 15/2/2010 to 6/3/2010 for 8 hours per week);

- Isontina No.2 (0481 592514): replacement assignments from 8/1/09 to 20/10/10 for 62.45 hours;
 - Triestina No.1 (tel. 040 3997113): replacement assignments from 24/11/08 to 6/10/10 for 60.45 hours;
 - Veneto Orientale No.10: replacement assignments from 12/1/09 to 19/1/09 for 15.50 hours;
- (as per the National Collective Labor Agreement for the discipline of relationships with internal outpatient specialist doctors and other healthcare professionals (Biologists, Chemists, Psychologists).
- Medical Emergency Doctor in the continuity of care service, at Azienda Sanitaria Locale Alto Friuli No. 3 from 1/6/2005 to 6/8/2009 for a total of 1841 hours.

RESEARCH ACTIVITY

1. “Investigator”: Argus II Retinal Prosthesis System Dry AMD Feasibility Study
2. “Investigator”: B&L Vitesse (Micro-static cutter): Pig Cadaver Eyes Surgery Study
3. “Investigator”: B&L Vitesse (Micro-static cutter): Live Pig Eyes Surgery Study (on setup)
4. “Investigator”: B&L Vitesse (Micro-static cutter): Live Human Eyes Surgery Study (on setup)
5. “Investigator”: Comparison of Therapeutic Effect of Ranibizumab/ Bevacizumab alone with the combination of Ranibizumab/ Bevacizumab and Laser Therapy in Fovea-involving Diabetic Macular Oedema: MarVEL (Manchester anti-VEGF vs anti-VEGF & Laser) (on setup)
6. “Ophthalmological Examiner”: Milo Study
7. “Ophthalmological Examiner”: 15 CLPHA 88 Study
8. “Ophthalmological Examiner”: Radical Study
9. “Co-investigator” of the Sandostatin-Lar, a “Randomized, Placebo-Controlled, Masked, Multicenter, Study of the Treatment of Diabetic Retinopathy” (Ciba Vision-Novartis Ophthalmics). Clinical Study Protocol-CSMS.
10. “Ophthalmological-examiner” of the DIRECT, a “double-blind, randomised, placebo-controlled, parallel group” study of the effects of candesartan cilexetil on diabetic retinopathy (AstraZeneca AB). Clinical Study Protocol SH-AHM-0045/EC556, SH-AHM-0046/EC557, SH-AHM-0047/EC558
11. “Study Coordinator”, “OCT-examiner”, “Ophthalmological-examiner” of MBDL double-blind, randomised, placebo-controlled, parallel group” study of the effects of PKC inhibitor on non significant macular oedema in diabetic retinopathy (Eli Lilly)
12. “Study Coordinator”, “OCT-examiner”, “Ophthalmological-examiner”, of BLQ01-003-04 study (Bausch and Lomb).

PEER REVIEWER

1. Retina
2. European Journal of Ophthalmology
3. British Journal of Ophthalmology
4. Graefe's Archive for Clinical and Experimental Ophthalmology
5. Case Reports in Ophthalmological Medicine
6. Eye and Vision

PUBLICATIONS

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- Swept-source optical coherence tomography angiography vitreo-retinal segmentation in proliferative diabetic retinopathy.
Papayannis A, Tsamis E, Stringa F, Iacono P, Battaglia Parodi M, Stanga PE.
Eur J Ophthalmol. 2020 Jul 28;1120672120944028. doi: 10.1177/1120672120944028. Online ahead of print.
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Interlandi E, Pellegrini F, **Papayannis A**, Cuna A, Mandarà E, De Luca M, Cirone D, Ciabattini C, Marullo M.
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- Optical Coherence Tomography in a Cohort of Genetically Defined Hereditary Spastic Paraplegia: A Brief Research Report.
Vavla M, Paparella G, **Papayannis A**, Pascuzzo R, Girardi G, Pellegrini F, Capello G, Prosdocimo G, Martinuzzi A.
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- Optical Coherence Tomography Angiography Findings in Deficiency Optic Neuropathy.
Pellegrini F, Prosdocimo G, **Papayannis A**, Cirone D.
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10.1080/01658107.2018.1523196. eCollection 2019 Dec.
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- The effect of bevacizumab before vitrectomy for diabetic tractional retinal detachment demonstrated on optical coherence tomography angiography.
Ch'ng SW, **Papayannis A**, Stringa F, Tsamis E, Stanga P, Jalil A.
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10.1016/j.joco.2018.06.001. eCollection 2018 Sep.
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- Live porcine thirty days delayed recovery surgery: Qualitative findings with the hypersonic vitrectomy.
Ch'ng SW, Irion LD, Bonshek R, Shaw J, **Papayannis A**, Pastor-Idoate S, Stanga PE.
PLoS One. 2018 Jun 1;13(6):e0197038. doi: 10.1371/journal.pone.0197038.
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- Segmented swept source optical coherence tomography angiography assessment of the perifoveal vasculature in patients with X-linked juvenile retinoschisis: a serial case report.
Stringa F, Tsamis E, **Papayannis A**, Chwiejczak K, Jalil A, Biswas S, Ahmad H, Stanga PE.
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- New Findings in Diabetic Maculopathy and Proliferative Disease by Swept-Source Optical Coherence Tomography Angiography.
Stanga PE, **Papayannis A**, Tsamis E, Stringa F, Cole T, D'Souza Y, Jalil A.
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- Swept-Source Optical Coherence Tomography Angiography of Paediatric Macular Diseases.
Stanga PE, **Papayannis A**, Tsamis E, Chwiejczak K, Stringa F, Jalil A, Cole T, Biswas S.
Dev Ophthalmol. 2016;56:166-73. doi: 10.1159/000442809. Epub 2016 Mar 15.
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Stanga PE, Tsamis E, **Papayannis A**, Stringa F, Cole T, Jalil A.
Dev Ophthalmol. 2016;56:13-7. doi: 10.1159/000442771. Epub 2016 Mar 15.
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Iacono P, Parodi BM, **Papayannis A**, La Spina C, Varano M, Bandello F.
Graefe's Archive for Clinical and Experimental Ophthalmology, 2015 Nov;253(11):1889-97. doi: 10.1007/s00417-014-2899-5. Epub 2015 Jan 8. PMID: 25563727
- A new treatment algorithm for the management of myopic choroidal neovascularization using intravitreal ranibizumab.
Iacono P, Parodi MB, **Papayannis A**, La Spina C, Varano M, Bandello F.
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PMID: 25828793
- Fluorescein angiography and spectral-domain optical coherence tomography in monitoring anti-vegf therapy in myopic choroidal neovascularisation.
Iacono P, Parodi MB, **Papayannis A**, Bandello F. et al.
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- Intravitreal bevacizumab for extrafoveal choroidal neovascularization secondary to pathologic myopia.
Parodi MB, Iacono P, **Papayannis A**, Kontadakis S, Cascavilla ML, Zucchiatti I, Bandello F.
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- Intravitreal Ranibizumab for Pigment Epithelium Detachment with Subfoveal Occult Choroidal Neovascularization: A Prospective 24-Month Case Series.
Parodi MB, Iacono P, **Papayannis A**, Kontadakis SD, Cascavilla M, Pierro L, Gagliardi M, Bandello F.
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- Intravitreal ranibizumab versus bevacizumab for treatment of myopic choroidal neovascularization.
Iacono P, Parodi MB, **Papayannis A**, Kontadakis S, Sheth S, Cascavilla ML, Bandello F.
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- Intravitreal Bevacizumab in advanced stage neovascular age-related macular degeneration with visual acuity lower than 20/200
Parodi MB, Cascavilla M, **Papayannis A**, Kontadakis S, Bandello F, Iacono P.
Arch Ophthalmol. 2012 Jul 1;130(7):934-5. doi:10.1001/archophthalmol.2011.2617.
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- Subthreshold laser treatment versus threshold laser treatment for symptomatic retinal arterial macroaneurysm.
Battaglia PM, Iacono P, Pierro L, **Papayannis A**, Kontadakis S, Bandello FM.
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- Intravitreal Bevacizumab therapy on as-per-needed basis in subfoveal choroidal neovascularization secondary to pathological myopia, 2-Year Outcomes of a Prospective Case Series.
Iacono P, Parodi MB, **Papayannis A**, Kontadakis S, Sheth S, Bandello F.
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- Laser Photocoagulation, Photodynamic Therapy, and Intravitreal Bevacizumab for the Treatment of Juxtafoveal Choroidal Neovascularization Secondary to Pathologic Myopia.
Parodi MB, Iacono P, **Papayannis A**, Sheth S, Bandello F.
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- Treatment of serous pigment epithelium detachment with subthreshold micropulse diode laser photocoagulation: a case report.
Battaglia-Parodi M, Sheth S, **Papayannis A**, Bandello F
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- Autofluorescence Patterns in a Case of Best Vitelliform Macular Dystrophy. D
Kontadakis DS, Vergallo S, **Papayannis A**, Battaglia MP, Bandello F.
Retinal physician: Issue: May 2009.
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BOOK CHAPETRS

- **Dystrophy-Related Choroidal Neovascularization. In: Chhablani J. (eds) Choroidal Neovascularization. (Book Chapter)**
Iacono P., Da Pozzo S., **Papayannis A.**, Romano F., Arrigo A., Parodi M.B. (2020) Springer, Singapore. https://doi.org/10.1007/978-981-15-2213-0_12
- **Wet Age-Related Macular Degeneration (Book Chapter)**
Paulo E. Stanga · Francesco Stringa · Soon Ch'ng · Katarzyna Chwiejczak · **Alessandro Papayannis** · Emmanouil Tsamis
Medical Retina. Update 2017, ESASO Course Series Bandello F, Querques G, Loewenstein A (eds). Basel, Karger, 2017, vol 9, pp 1–13 (DOI: 10.1159/000471824)
- **Tomografía de Coherencia Óptica en enfermedades de la retina, capítulo 21, miscelánea, casos atípicos y excepcionales.**
Tomografía de Coherencia Óptica (Sociedad Española de oftalmología) Sección III
Autores: Roberto Gallego Pinazo, J. Fernando Arévalo, Manuel Díaz Llopis Rosa Dolz Marco, Empar Sanz Marco, Ester Francés Muñoz, Enrique España Gregori, Sebastián Martínez Castillo, María Jesús López-Prats Lucea, Laura Climent Vallano, Juan Donate López, Eduardo Pérez Salvador, Luis Arias Barquet, Antonio Piñero Bustamante, María Ascensión Pardo Muñoz, Félix Armadá Maresca, **Alessandro Papayannis**, Salvador García Delpech, Susana Noval
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ORAL PRESENTATIONS AND TEACHING ACTIVITIES

- Speaker at the Floretina-ICOOR International Congress, Rome (Italy) 1/11-3/12/2023
“Advantages of a simplified treat and extend regimen with a multi drug swift modality vs prn regimen in real life in a primary medical retina reference center in north italy, an internal audit”
- Moderator, Speaker and Organizer at the meeting of the “Gruppo Angiografico Ttriveneto”: Clinical cases of medical and surgical retina, 11/10/2023, Conegliano (Italy)
- Speaker at the Retina in progress 2023: present and future International Congress, Milan (Italy) 22-23/6/2023
“Spontaneous displacement of subretinal macular hemorrhage in a vitrectomized patient in treatment with rivaroxaban (Xarelto) and acetylsalicylic acid (ASA)”
- Speaker and Instructor at the 12th Thessaloniki International Vitreo-Retinal Summer School, Thessaloniki (Greece), 3-8/7/2023
“Small pupil management”,
“Surgical management of TRD in PDR”
- Speaker and Moderator at the XXIII Congress of the Italian Society of Vitreoretinal Surgery (GIVRE) International Edition, Trieste (Italy), 8-10/6/2023
“Non-responder AMD”,
“Spontaneous displacement of subretinal macular hemorrhage in a vitrectomized patient in treatment with rivaroxaban (Xarelto) and acetylsalicylic acid (ASA)”,
“Multimodal imaging in CSC, a pachychoroid spectrum disease”
- Speaker and Moderator at the 11th Mediterretina Club International Meeting, Rimini (Italy), 15-16/10/2023 “Multimodal imaging in CSC, a pachychoroid spectrum disease”
- Speaker at the American Academy of Ophthalmology,
Instructional Course in: Spectral Domain and Swept Source Cross-Sectional, En Face, Angiographic, 3-D Rendering, Wide-Field and Intraoperative OCT: Diagnosis and Management of Vitreoretinal and Retinochoroidal Disorders, Chicago (USA), 30/9-3/10/2023
- Speaker and Moderator at the 17th Panhellenic Congress of the Greek Vitreo Retinal Society, Athens 27-29/1/2022
“The Evolution of Resolution in OCTA”
- Speaker at the American Academy of Ophthalmology,
Instructional Course in: Spectral Domain and Swept Source Cross-Sectional, En Face, Angiographic, 3-D Rendering, Wide-Field and Intraoperative OCT: Diagnosis and Management of Vitreoretinal and Retinochoroidal Disorders 13-15/11/2021, New Orleans (USA)
- Speaker at the Retina in progress 2021 International Congress Virtual, 15-17/4/2021 Milan (Italy)
- Speaker at the American Academy of Ophthalmology,

Instructional Course in: Spectral Domain and Swept Source Cross-Sectional, En Face, Angiographic, 3-D Rendering, Wide-Field and Intraoperative OCT: Diagnosis and Management of Vitreoretinal and Retinochoroidal Disorders 13-15/11/2020, Virtual Meeting (USA)

- Speaker at the Virtual Course “Retinal touch” , 17/7/2020 Virtual (Saudi Arabia)
- Speaker and organizer of the meeting of the “Gruppo Angiografico Triveneto”: Clinical cases of medical and surgical retina, 17/6/2020 Virtual (Italy)
- Speaker at the virtual meeting “Ophthalmology clinical and Surgical Management in COVID-19 Pandemic” 17/4/2020 Virtual (Saudi Arabia)
- Speaker at the 15th International Meeting of the Greek Vitreoretinal Society, 30/1-1/2/2020 Athens (Greece),
“Update on OCTA Clinical Application”
“SS OCTA in PDR”
- Speaker and organizer of the course Focus on Ophtha “La gestione dell’edema maculare diabetico”, 14/11/2019 Monfalcone (Italia)
- Speaker at the meeting of the “Gruppo Angiografico Triveneto”: Clinical cases of medical and surgical retina, 13/11/2019 Treviso (Italy)
- Speaker at the American Academy of Ophthalmology Meeting, instructional course in: Spectral Domain and Swept Source Cross-Sectional, En Face, Angiographic, 3-D Rendering, Wide-Field and Intraoperative OCT: Diagnosis and Management of Vitreoretinal and Retinochoroidal Disorders 12-15/10/2019, San Francisco, USA
- Speaker at the “5th OCT Retina Forum / Milan, 29-30/3/2019 Milan (Italy)
“SS OCT-A in Dry AMD”
- Speaker and Moderator at the Elisabeth Thomas Macular Diseases Seminar Royal College of Ophthalmology 1/12/2017 London (UK)
“the vitreomacular interface- what’s new?”
- Part of the Advisory Board: “Algoritmi individualizzati di appropriatezza d’uso di ranibizumab in wAMD e DME nella pratica clinica”
16/10/17 Venezia
- Speaker and Moderator at the course of “Surgical Innovations in Ophthalmology”: What’s new! 2017, 22-23/9/2017 Padova
- EURETINA 2017, 7-10/9/2017 Barcellona (Spain)
Foveal Vitreoretinal and Choroidal lesions detection during cataract preoperative assessment with IOL Master 700 Swept Source OCT Biometry (Oral free paper presentation)
- Speaker at the meeting RETINA in progress present&future 15 - 17 /6/2017 Milan (Italy)
“Treatment of paediatric spontaneous CNV”
- Speaker and Moderator at the course “innovazione nella Diagnostica e Terapia delle Maculopatie”, Bassano del Grappa 19/5/2017 (Italy)
- Speaker at the “3rd OCT San Raffaele Forum” 17-18/3/17 Milan (Italy)
“SS OCT-A in Dry AMD”
- Organizer, Moderator and Speaker at the course “Innovations In Retinal Imaging and Surgery”, 3/12/17 Conegliano (Italy)

- Part of the Advisory Board “Ranibizumab in DME: i criteri di ritrattamento nella pratica clinica” 09/11/2016 Venezia
- Speaker and Moderator at the course “Surgical Innovation in Ophthalmology”: What’s new! 2016, 23-24/9/2016 Pordenone, Italy
- EURETINA 2016, 8-11/9/2016 Copenhagen (Danemark)
Moderator at the session “Imaging 3”
- EURETINA 2016, 8-11/9/2016 Copenhagen (Danemark)
“Vitreous Segmentation Of Ocular Coherence Tomography Angiography Of The Posterior Pole And Mid-Periphery In Diabetic Retinopathy”
(Oral free paper presentation)
- EURETINA 2016, 8-11/9/2016 Copenhagen (Danemark)
“Ultra-Wide Field Swept-Source Optical Coherence Tomography Angiography (UWF SS OCT-A) In Diabetic Retinopathy”
(oral paper presentation in the **main session**)
- EASDEC 2016, 24-25/6/2016 Manchester (UK):
“Ultra-Wide Field Swept-Source Optical Coherence Tomography Angiography (UWF SS OCT-A) In Diabetic Retinopathy”
(Oral paper presentation in main session)
- Speaker and Organiser of the MVR Lab Postgraduate Teaching, 2/12/2015 Manchester (UK)
“Choroidal Imaging with OCT”
“OCT Imaging in CNV”
“Angio OCT Imaging in Diabetes”
- EURETINA 2015, 17 – 20/9/2015 Nice (France)
“Intravitreal dexamethasone for macular edema secondary to branch retinal vein occlusion in a long-term real-life follow-up”
(Oral free paper presentation)
- RETINA IN PROGRESS 2015, 11-13/6/2016 Firenze
“Intravitreal ranibizumab in paediatric mCNV”
- 10th Greek Vitreo Retinal Convention, 15-17/1/2014 Athens (Hellas),
“Multimodal imaging of sticky oil phenomenon in eyes with rhegmatogenous retinal detachment treated with vitrectomy and air or silicone oil tamponade”
(oral free paper presentation)
Speaker at 94° congresso nazionale SOI, sessione 38: GAT: i soliti casi - OCT revolution, 21-24/11/2014 Roma (Italy)
“EDI SD-OCT in central serous corioretinopathy ...una questione di profondità!”
- Speaker and Organiser of the course: “IPOVISIONE”, Conegliano (Italy), 24/10/2014
- EURETINA 2014.Vitreoretinal Surgery III, 11-14/9/2014, London (UK), ,
“Multimodal imaging of sticky oil phenomenon in eyes with rhegmatogenous retinal detachment treated with vitrectomy and air or silicone oil tamponade”
(Oral free paper presentation)
- Speaker at the meeting of the Gruppo Angiografico Triveneto: Clinical cases of medical and surgical retina, San Donà di Piave, 9/4/2014
- Speaker at thel XXX Congress of the Italian Society Laser in Ophtalmology (SILO), 30/1-1/2/2014, Cortina d’ Ampezzo (Italy)

“Multimodal imaging of sticky oil phenomenon in eyes with rhegmatogenous retinal detachment treated with vitrectomy and gas or silicone oil tamponade”

- Speaker at the meeting of the Gruppo Angiografico Triveneto: Clinical cases of medical and surgical retina, Fondazione THEIA, Treviso (Italy), 19/9/2013
- Speaker at the meeting of the Gruppo Angiografico Triveneto. Clinical cases of medical and surgical retina, Montecchio Precalcino, 14/3/2013
- Speaker at the meeting of the Gruppo Angiografico Triveneto. Clinical cases of medical and surgical retina, Udine 24/10/2012
- Speaker and Organiser of the course: “Progetto IGeA – Integrazione Gestione e Assistenza del Paziente con Degenerazione Maculare”. Conegliano 22/5/2012
- Speaker at the XXVIII Congress of the Italian Society Laser in Ophthalmology (SILO), 26-27-28/1/2012, Cortina d’Ampezzo (Italy)
- Speaker and organizer of the meeting “il rischio cardiovascolare derivante dall’utilizzo intravitreale dei farmaci anti-VEGF in oftalmologia”, Conegliano 26/11/2011
- Speaker in the course of the AIORAO Friuli – Venezia Giulia: “Cosa fa se si presenta...? Percorsi clinici e riabilitativi”, Udine 28/10/2011
- Speaker in the annual PhD meeting of the University of Udine 17/5/2011 “NIR findings in AMD and CRSC”
- Speaker at the meeting of the Gruppo Angiografico Triveneto: “trattabili e non: i casi clinici del GAT”, 12/5/2011, Trieste
- Speaker at the “3rd Live Surgery Day of the Mediterretina Club, High School Ocular Trauma”. 14-15/4/2011, Ravenna (Italy)
“Keralia: a Supradescemetetic K-pro in place at six years”
- Speaker at the meeting of the Gruppo Angiografico Triveneto. 17/6/2010, Trieste “OCT and NIR AF in CRSC”.
- Speaker in the annual PhD meeting of the University of Udine 23/6/2009 “Neovascolarizzazione della corioide nella miopia patologica: nuove terapie , tecniche diagnostiche ed ipotesi patogenetiche”.
- Speaker at the 7° Congresso Internazionale della Società Italiana di Oftalmologia (SOI) , 20-23/5/2009, Roma Italy
“Intravitreal Ranibizumab for Myopic Choroidal Neovascularization”.
- Speaker at the 41° Pan-Hellenic Congress of Ophthalmology, Thessaloniki (Greece) 28/5-1/6/2008 “Intravitreal Triamcinolone Acetonide as rescue treatment for diabetic macular edema in patients unresponsive to prior intravitreal Bevacizumab”.
- Speaker at the XXIV Congress of the S.O.T (Società Oftalmologica Triveneta) 13-14/06/2008, Trieste (Italy)
“Intravitreal Triamcinolone Acetonide as rescue treatment for diabetic macular edema in patients unresponsive to prior intravitreal Bevacizumab”.

POSTERS

- “Ultrahigh Speed Swept Source Oct Angiography Vascular Density in Nonexudative Age-Related Macular Degeneration “
Papayannis A; Tsamis E; Bonsanto D; Foltran F; Stanga PE; Prosdocimo G
e-poster EURETINA 2017, 7-10/9/2017 Barcellona (Spain)
- “Vitreous segmentation of ocular coherence tomography angiography of the posterior pole and mid-periphery in diabetic retinopathy”
Stanga P, Jalil A, Tsamis E, Stringa F, Papayannis A
Poster EASDec 2016 (Manchester UK)
- “Ultra-Wide Field Swept-Source Optical Coherence Tomography Angiography (UWF SS OCT-A) In Diabetic Retinopathy”
Papayannis A, Tsamis E, Stringa F, Chwiejczak MK, Cole T, D'souza Y, Jalil A , Stanga PE.
Poster ARVO 2016 Seattle (Washington -USA)
- “Optical Coherence Tomography Angiography Imaging and Ultra Wide-field Multi-wavelength Imaging after Transcleral Drainage of Subretinal Fluid, Anti-Vascular Endothelial Growth Factor, and Wide-Field Imaging-Guided Laser in Coats’ Exudative Retinal Detachment”
Chwiejczak KM, Papayannis A , Stringa F, Tsamis E, Biswas S, Jalil A, Stanga PE
Poster ARVO 2016 Seattle (Washington -USA)
- “Coherence Tomography Angiography: A New Imaging Approach For The Assessment Of Macular Changes In X-Linked Juvenile Retinoschisis”
Stringa F, Papayannis A , Tsamis E, Chwiejczak MK, Biswas S, Jalil A , Stanga PE.
Poster ARVO 2016 Seattle (Washington -USA)
- “Argus II® electronic epiretinal prosthesis in advanced dry AMD: safety and feasibility study and preliminary functional results”
Stanga PE, Jalil A, Tsamis E, Papayannis A, Dorn JD , Greenberg JR , Mcguire W
Poster ARVO 2016 Seattle (Washington -USA)
- “Vitreous Segmentation Of Ocular Coherence Tomography Angiography Of The Posterior Pole And Mid-Periphery In Diabetic Retinopathy”
Papayannis A, Tsamis E, Jalil A, Stringa F, Chwiejczak, K, Stanga PE
Poster ARVO Imaging in the Eye Conference 2016, April 30, Seattle (Washington –USA)
- “Rationales for the treatment of myopic choroidal neovascularization in a case of pediatric choroidal neovascularisation”
Papayannis A, Bonsanto D, Pellegrini F, Capello G, Foltran F, Iacono G, Prosdocimo G.
ePoster 3rd World Paediatric Congress of Ophthalmology 4-6/9/2015, Barcelona (Spain)
- "Multimodal imaging of sticky oil phenomenon in eyes with rhegmatogenous retinal detachment treated with vitrectomy and gas or silicone oil tamponade"
Papayannis A., Bonsanto D., Iacono P., Sheth S., Kontadakis D., Parodi M., Foltran F., Prosdocimo G., Bandello F. Poster
ARVO 2014 Orlando (Florida-USA)
(ARVO International travel Grant winner)

- "Capillary hemangioma of the retina"
Kontadakis S., Papayannis A., Paissios I., Cascavilla ML., Iacono P., Battaglia Parodi M.
Poster 46th Panhellenic National Congress of Ophthalmology, Costa Navarino, Messinia, Grecia Maggio 2013
- "An imaging study of Central Serous Corioretinopathy via Spectral Domain OCT, Near Infrared and Short-Wave Fundus Autofluorescence"
Papayannis A, Iacono P, Parodi MB, Bonsanto D, Prosdocimo G, Bandello F.
Poster ARVO 2012 Fort Lauderdale (Florida -USA)
- "Treatment Of Recurrent Macular Edema Secondary To Branch Retinal Vein Occlusion: A Pilot Study Comparing Subthreshold Grid Laser Treatment And Intravitreal Bevacizumab"
G. Bolognesi, Parodi MB, Iacono P, De Benedetto U, **Papayannis A**, Prati M, Bandello F.
Poster ARVO 2012 Fort Lauderdale (Florida -USA)
- "NIR-Autofluorescence in Age-related Macular Degeneration"
Battaglia MP, **Papayannis A**, Iacono P, Bandello F.
Poster EURETINA winter meeting 2012, Rome (Italy)
- "An Imaging study of central serous corioretinopathy by mean of spectral domain OCT, Near Infrared and Short-Wave Fundus Autofluorescence."
A. Papayannis, P. Iacono, D. S. Kontadakis, D. Bonsanto, G. Prosdocimo.
Poster 11th International AMD & Retina Congress 2011, Lisboa (Portugal)
(Winner of the 1st Prize, WINNING submission presented as a plenary oral presentation during the congress)
- "Intravitreal Ranibizumab for pigment epithelium detachment with subfoveal choroidal neovascularization in Age-related Macular Degeneration; 12 months results"
A. Papayannis, P. Iacono, M. Battaglia Parodi, D. Kontadakis, M. Cascavilla, V. Maritan, F.M. Bandello.
Poster 11th EURETINA Congress 2011, London (England)
- "Intravitreal Ranibizumab versus Bevacizumab for treatment of Myopic Choroidal Neovascularization"
P. Iacono, M. Battaglia Parodi, **A. Papayannis**, D. S. Kontadakis, S. Sheth, M. Cascavilla, F. M. Bandello.
Poster 11th EURETINA Congress 2011, London (England)
- "An Imaging study of central serous corioretinopathy by mean of spectral domain OCT, Near Infrared and Short-Wave Fundus Autofluorescence."
A. Papayannis, P. Iacono, M. Battaglia Parodi, N. Zemella, D. Bonsanto, G. Prosdocimo, F. M. Bandello.
Poster 11th EURETINA Congress 2011, London (England)
- "Near-infrared Autofluorescence Pattern In Early Stages Of Age-related Macular Degeneration "
M. B. Parodi, P. Iacono, **A. Papayannis**, I. Zucchiatti, M. Cascavilla, F.M. Bandello.
Poster ARVO 2011 Fort Lauderdale (Florida -USA)

- "Correlation Between Fluorescein Angiography And Spectral Domain Optical Coherence Tomography For Monitoring Anti-vegf Therapy In Choroidal Neovascularization Secondary To Pathologic Myopia "
P. Iacono, M. B. Parodi, **A. Papayannis**, I. Zucchiatti, M. Cascavilla, D. S. Kontadakis, F.M. Bandello.
Poster ARVO 2011 Fort Lauderdale (Florida -USA)
- "Blue Light And Near Infrared Fundus Autofluorescence In Best Vitelliform Macular Dystrophy "
C. Campa, M. B. Parodi, **A. Papayannis**, P. Iacono, F. Scotti, M. Setaccioli, C. Del Turco, F. M. Bandello
Poster ARVO 2011 Fort Lauderdale (Florida -USA)
- "An Imaging Study Of Central Serous Corioretinopathy By Mean Of Spectral Domain Oct, Near Infrared and Short-wave Fundus Autofluorescence "
A. Papayannis, M. B. Parodi, P. Iacono, V. Maritan, D. Bonsanto, G. Prosdocimo, F.M. Bandello
Poster ARVO 2011 satellite simposium, Fort Lauderdale (Florida -USA)
- "Non responders to Intravitreal Ranibizumab (Lucentis) in subfoveal CNV secondary to AMD".
P. Iacono, **A. Papayannis**, D. Kontadakis, M. Cascavilla, I. Zucchiatti, U. Di Benedetto.
Poster 10th International AMD and Retina congress 2010, Lugano (Switzerland) **(Winner of the 2nd Prize)**
- "Intravitreal Ranibizumab for pigment epithelium detachment with subfoveal choroidal neovascularization in Age-related Macular Degeneration; 12 months results".
A. Papayannis, P. Iacono, D. Kontadakis, M. Cascavilla, I. Zucchiatti, U. Benedetto, G. Prosdocimo.
Poster 10th International AMD and Retina congress 2010, Lugano (Switzerland)
- "Intravitreal Bevacizumab for the treatment of neovascular AMD with low-vision".
M. Cascavilla, I. Zucchiatti, P. Iacono, **A. Papayannis**, S. Kontadakis
Poster 10th International AMD and Retina congress 2010, Lugano (Switzerland)
- "Intravitreal Ranibizumab for Myopic Choroidal Neovascularization: 12 Months Follow-Up."
A. Papayannis, D. Kontadakis, M. Battaglia Parodi, P. Iacono, S. Sheeth, M. Cascavilla, F. Menchini, F. Bandello.
Poster ARVO 2010, Fort Lauderdale (Florida -USA)
- Intravitreal Bevacizumab Therapy for Myopic Subfoveal Choroidal Neovascularization: 2-Year Outcomes of a Prospective Case Series
P. Iacono, M.B. Parodi, S. Kontadakis, **A. Papayannis**, I. Zucchiatti, M. Cascavilla, F. Bandello
Poster ARVO 2010, Fort Lauderdale (Florida -USA)
- "Intravitreal Bevacizumab for Extrafoveal Choroidal Neovascularization Associated With Pathologic Myopia: 24-Month Outcomes"
D. Kontadakis, M. Battaglia Parodi, A. Pece, P. Iacono, **A. Papayannis**, I. Zucchiatti, M. Cascavilla, F. Bandello.
Poster ARVO 2010, Fort Lauderdale (Florida -USA)

- "Intravitreal Injection of Bevacizumab for Macular Edema Secondary to Branch Retinal Vein Occlusion". I. Zucchiatti, C. Savorgnani, D. Veritti, M. Battaglia Parodi, D.S. Kontadakis, **A. Papayannis**, P. Iacono, P. Lanzetta, F. Bandello. Poster ARVO 2010, Fort Lauderdale (Florida -USA)
- "Intravitreal Ranibizumab for Myopic Choroidal Neovascularization" . **A. Papayannis**, F. Menchini, D.S. Kontadakis, M.L. Cascavilla, R. Bellio, F. Bandello. Poster ARVO 2009, Fort Lauderdale (Florida -USA)
- "Intravitreal Triamcinolone Acetonide as rescue treatment for diabetic macular edema in patients unresponsive to prior intravitreal Bevacizumab". **A. Papayannis**, F. Bandello, F. Menchini, D. S. Kontadakis, L. Morgante, D. Roman Pognuz. Poster ARVO 2008, Fort Lauderdale (Florida -USA)
- "Intravitreal Injection versus Posterior Juxtapapillary Infusion of a New Formulation of Triamcinolone Acetonide for Refractory Diabetic Macular Edema". D.Roman Pognuz, F.Menchini, A.F. Dimastrogiovanni, **A.Papayannis**, L.Morgante, A.Polito, J.Paissios, P.Lanzetta, F.Bandello. Poster ARVO 2007, Fort Lauderdale (Florida -USA)
- "Intravitreal Bevacizumab (Avastin) for Subfoveal Choroidal Neovascularization Secondary to Age-Related Macular Degeneration". A.Polito, F.Menchini, D.Roman Pognuz, M.Pala, A.F. Dimastrogiovanni, **A.Papayannis**, Y.Paissios, D.Kontadakis, P.Lanzetta, F.Bandello. Poster ARVO 2007, Fort Lauderdale (Florida -USA)
- "Posterior Juxtapapillary Infusion of a New Formulation of Triamcinolone Acetonide for the Treatment of Macular Edema Due to Different Etiology". F. Menchini, P. Lanzetta, A. Polito, D. Roman Pognuz, L. Peressin, **A. Papayannis**, L. Morgante and F. Bandello. Poster ARVO 2006, Fort Lauderdale (Florida -USA)

CONTINUING TRAINING - COURSES - CONFERENCES

- 1/11-3/12/2023 Rome (Italy): Floretina-ICOOR International Congress
- 3-6/11/2023 San Francisco (USA): American Academy of Ophthalmology
- 11/10/2023 Conegliano: meeting of the “Gruppo Angiografico Ttriveneto”: Clinical cases of medical and surgical retina
- 22-23/6/2023 Milan (Italy): Retina in progress 2023, present and future International Congress
- 3-8/7/2023 Thessaloniki (Greece): 12th Thessaloniki International Vitreo-Retinal Summer School
- 8-10/6/2023 Trieste (Italy): XXIII Congress of the Italian Society of Vitreoretinal Surgery (GIVRE) International Edition,)
- 15-16/10/2023 Rimini (Italy): 11th Mediterretina Club International Meeting
- 30/9-3/10/ 2023 Chicago (USA): American Academy of Ophthalmology,
- 1-4/9/2022 Hamburg (Germany): EURETINA 2022
- 26-27/5/2023 Berlin (Germany): 20th International SPECTRALIS Symposium (ISS)
- 27-29/1/2022 Athens (Greece): 17th Panhellenic Congress of the Greek Vitreo Retinal Society
- 13-15/11/2021 New Orleans (USA): American Academy of Ophthalmology
- 15-17/4/2021 Milan (Italy): RETINA in progress Virtual
- 15/11/2020 Virtual (USA): American Academy of Ophthalmology Virtual Meeting
- 2-4/10/2020 Virtual EURETINA 2020
- 17/7/2020 Virtual (Saudi Arabia)“Retinal touch”
- 17/6/2020 Virtual (Italy): GAT Clinical cases of medical and surgical retina,
- 17/4/2020 Virtual (Saudi Arabia): “Ophthalmology clinical and Surgical Management in COVID-19 Pandemic”
- 30/1-1/2/2020 Athens (Greece), 15th International Meeting of the Greek Vitreoretinal Society
- 14/11/2019 Monfalcone (Italia): “La gestione dell’edema maculare diabetico”
- 13/11/2019 Treviso (Italy): GAT Clinical cases of medical and surgical retina
- 15/10/2019 San Francisco, Moscone Center (USA): American Academy of Ophthalmology
- 29-30/3/2019 Milan (Italy): 5th OCT Retina Forum
- 1/12/17 Londra (Royal College of Ophthalmology) (UK): Elisabeth Thomas Macular Diseases Seminar
- 16/10/17 Venezia (Italy): Advisory Board: “Algoritmi individualizzati di appropriatezza d’uso di ranibizumab in wAMD e DME nella pratica clinica”
- 22-23/9/2017 Padova (Italy): What’s new! 2017
- 7-10/9/2017 Barcellona (Spain): EURETINA 2017
- 15 - 17 /6/2017 Milan (Italy): RETINA in progress present&future
- Bassano del Grappa 19/5/2017 (Italy): innovazione nella Diagnostica e Terapia delle Maculopatie
- 17-18/3/17 Milan (Italy): 3rd OCT San Raffaele Forum
- 3/12/17 Conegliano (Italy): Innovations In Retinal Imaging and Surgery

- 09/11/2016 Venezia: Advisory Board “Ranibizumab in DME: i criteri di ritrattamento nella pratica clinica”
- 23-24/9/2016 Pordenone: What’s new! 2016,
- 8-11/9/2016 Copenhagen (Danemark) EURETINA 2016,
- 1-5/5/2016 Seattle (Washington, USA): ARVO 2016 Annual Meeting
- 16/4/2016 Paris (FRANCE): 3rd IntraoperativeOCT course
- 13/4/2016 Manchester (UK): Audit and Clinical Effectiveness (ACE)
- 10/2/2016 Manchester (UK): Audit and Clinical Effectiveness (ACE)
- 8/1/2016 Manchester (UK): 2016 ANTT course
- 5/1/2016 Manchester (UK): Corporate Induction 2015 – 2016
- 9/12/2015 Manchester (UK): Audit and Clinical Effectiveness (ACE)
- 2/12/15 Manchester (UK): Post graduated course
- 13/10/2015 Manchester (UK): Medisec DNF course
- 29/9/2015 Manchester (UK): ICE Training September
- 17-20/9/2015 Nice (France): 15th congress of European Retina Society,)
- 24/8/ 2015 Manchester (UK): Clinical Adults Mandatory Training 2015 – 2016,
- 3/8/2015 Manchester (UK) Introduction to Good Clinical Practice eLearning (Secondary Care)
- 11-13/6/2016 Firenze: Retina in Progress 2015
- 6/6/2015 Venezia: XVI congresso nazionale GIVRE - 31° congresso annuale SOT
- 21-24/11/2014 Roma (Italy), 94° congresso nazionale SOI
- 12-14/11/2014 Save Sight Institute - University of Sydney, Sydney (Australia) ophtha community training - sharing knowledge and best practice in medical retina and the management of AMD
- 11-14/9/2014 London (UK), 14th EURETINA Congress
- 4-8/5/2014 Orlando (Florida -USA): 2014 Association for Research In Vision and Ophthalmology Annual Meeting (ARVO).
- 13/6/2014 Venezia: 30° congresso annuale SOT
- 3/5/2014 Orlando (Florida -USA): 2014 ARVO/ISIE Imaging Conference
- 9/4/2014 San Donà di Piave (Italy): Gruppo Angiografico Triveneto. Clinical cases of medical and surgical retina
- 30/1-1/2/2014 Cortina d’Ampezzo (Italy): XXX Annual Congress of Italian Society Laser in Ophthalmology
- 5-9 October 2013, Amsterdam (Holland). XXXI Congress of the ESCRS.
- 19/9/2013 Treviso (Italy): Gruppo Angiografico Triveneto. Clinical cases of medical and surgical retina
- 14/5/2013 Milano: Progetto Olimpo follow-up: criteri e standard organizzativi dei centri per la diagnosi e cura del DME e RVO
- 5-6/4/2013 Athens (Greece): 19th International Glaucoma Congress
- 14/3/2013 Montecchio Precalcino: I Soliti Casi! Casi clinici di Retina Medica e Chirurgica
- 22-23/2/2013 Verona (Italy): Present & future challenges in severe retinal diseases, live surgery

- 2-3/11/2012 Prague (Czech Republic): 12th International AMD and Retina Congress
- 24/10/2012 Udine: Gruppo Angiografico Triveneto, I Soliti Casi! Casi clinici di Retina Medica.
- 19-20/10/2012 Portofino (Italy): 10th International SPECTRALIS Symposium (ISS)
- 13/10/2012 Conegliano: Neuro – Oftalmologia: a basic and update course
- 22-23/9/2012 Portoheli (Greece) Scientific meeting of the Panhellenic Ophthalmologic Society
- 19/6/2012 Conegliano: IV Master in Chirurgia Refrattiva
- 29/5/2012 Conegliano: Microscopio e Facoemulsificatore: un mondo sconosciuto
- 22/5/2012 Conegliano: Progetto IGeA – Integrazione Gestione e Assistenza del Paziente con Degenerazione Maculare
- 6-9/5/2012 Fort Lauderdale (Florida -USA): 2012 Association for Research In Vision and Ophthalmology Annual Meeting (ARVO).
- 28/4/12 Athens (Greece): Clinical update on diagnostic methods of the Panhellenic Ophthalmologic Society
- 26-28/1/2012 Cortina d'Ampezzo: XXVIII Congresso Annuale della Societa Italiana Laser in Oftalmologia.
- 28/1/2012 Rome: 2nd Euretina Winter Meeting 28/1/2012
- 6/12/2011 Padova: Advisory Board Progetto AURORA
- 26/11/2011 Conegliano: “il rischio cardiovascolare derivante dall’utilizzo intravitreale dei farmaci anti-VEGF in oftalmologia”
- 25/11/2011 Conegliano: “Le Uveiti Oggi”
- 8/11/2011 Padova: Progetto Aurora: “Lo scenario dell’RVO con o senza diminuzione della visione in tutte le sue declinazioni”
- 4-5/11/2012 Lisboa (Portugal): 11th International AMD and Retina Congress
- 28/10/11 Udine: Corso di aggiornamento AIORAO Friuli – Venezia Giulia “Cosa fa se si presenta...? Percorsi clinici e riabilitativi”
- 26/9/2011 Verona: Progetto Olimpo: criteri e standard organizzativi dei centri per la diagnosi e la cura delle malattie della retina verso l’eccellenza.
- 9-10/9/2011 Altaforum - Campo San Piero: What’s new 2011. Live surgery. Chirurgia Innovativa in Oftalmologia.
- 26-29/5/2011 London (England): 11th Congress of the European Society of Retina Specialists
- 27/5/2011 London (England): Advanced vitrectomy course at the 11th Congress of the European Society of Retina Specialists
- 27/5/2011 London (England): Dexamethasone Intravitreal Implant 0.7mg WET LAB
- 26/5/2011 London (England): Uveitis course at the 11th Congress of the European Society of Retina Specialists
- 18-22/5/2011 Athens (Greece): 46th Panhellenic National Congress of Ophthalmology
- 12/5/2011 Trieste. Incontro del gruppo angiografico triveneto: trattabili e non: i casi clinici del GAT,

- 6/5/2011 Conegliano: Come sospettare, diagnosticare, differenziare e trattare le neoplasie della congiuntiva e delle palpebre.
- 14-15/4/2011, Ravenna. 3rd Live Surgery Day of the Mediterretina Club, High School Ocular Trauma.
- 29-30/10/2010 Lugano (Switzerland): 10th International AMD and Retina congress.
- 2/10/2010 Conegliano: uveiti ed altre infiammazioni oculari.
- 11/10/2010 San Donà di Piave: Pronto Soccorso in Oculistica: casi di difficile gestione.
- 17/6/2010 Trieste: I casi clinici del GAT. Incontro del Gruppo Angiografico Triveneto (G.A.T.).
- 11/6/2010 Mestre: XXVI Congresso Annuale della Società Oftalmologica Triveneta (S.O.T.), Moderna Oftalmologia Essenziale.
- 2-6/5/2010 Fort Lauderdale (Florida -USA): 2010 Association for Research In Vision and Ophthalmology Annual Meeting (ARVO).
- 27/3/2010 Milano: Up to date: occhio e reumatologia.
- 12-13/2/2010 Milano: Update sulla Retinopatia Diabetica.
- 5-6/2/2010 Treviso: Chirurgia Vitreoretinica Complessa e Ricostruttiva.
- 25-28/11/2009 Milano: 89° Congresso Nazionale della Società Italiana di Oftalmologia (S.O.I.).
- 27/11/2009 Milano: Chirurgia maculare. (corso S.O.I.).
- 27/11/2009 Milano: Gestione del glaucoma primario da chiusura angolare (corso S.O.I.).
- 26/11/2009 Milano: Tecniche di base ed up-date in chirurgia vitreoretinica 23G. (corso S.O.I.).
- 26/11/2009 Milano: Chirurgia maculare: novità degli approcci chirurgici? (corso S.O.I.).
- 26/11/2009 Milano: La correzione della presbiopia con laser ad eccimeri e trattamenti lasik e PRK. Teoria ed applicazioni pratiche. Stato dell'arte e future evoluzioni (corso S.O.I.)
- 25/11/2009 Milano: Retina
- 25/11/2009 Milano: Corioretinopatia sierosa centrale: conoscerla, riconoscerla e trattarla se occorre (corso S.O.I.).
- 25/11/2009 Milano: La chirurgia laser di superficie: PRK, Lasek, Epi-Lasik, Epi-Lasek, PTK. Novità ed aggiornamenti (corso S.O.I.).
- 23/10/2009 Verona: Percorsi diagnostici in oftalmologia: diagnostica delle patologie della superficie oculare.
- 15/10/2009 Udine: Approccio multidisciplinare alla occlusione arteriosa e venosa retinica.
- 9/10/2009 Udine: Glaucoma. Ten years later. Associazione per la Ricerca Scientifica in Oculistica (ARSO).
- 25-26/9/2009 Pordenone: What's new 2009, Chirurgia Innovativa in Oftalmologia. Incontro con l'autore.
- 31/8/2009-4/9/2009 Università della Svizzera italiana Lugano (Switzerland): second module of European School for Advanced Studies in Ophthalmology (E.S.A.S.O.) on Retinal Diseases.

- 1-12/6/2009 Università della Svizzera italiana Lugano (Switzerland): first module of European School for Advanced Studies in Ophthalmology (E.S.A.S.O.) on Vitreoretinal Surgery.
- 3-7/5/2009 Fort Lauderdale (Florida -USA): 2009 Association for Research In Vision and Ophthalmology Annual Meeting (ARVO).
- 20-22/5/2009 Roma: 7° Congresso Internazionale della Società Italiana di Oftalmologia (SOI).
- 21/5/2009 Roma: Impianto secondario di IOL (corso S.O.I.).
- 21/5/2009 Roma: Chirurgia refrattiva della cataratta. (corso S.O.I.).
- 13/3/2009 Ravenna: 2nd Live Surgery Day of the mediteRRetina club. High School Ocular Trauma.
- 18/2/2009 Pordenone: Antiangiogenici e Patologie Vitreoretiniche: stato dell'arte.
- 21/11/2008 Udine: 1a giornata udinese di chirurgia oculo-palpebrale.
- 25/10/2008 Treviso: I Casi Clinici del GAT, Gruppo Angiografico Triveneto (GAT).
- 3/10/2008 Udine: Errori ed omissioni nella gestione del paziente con glaucoma. WHAT'S WRONG IN GLAUCOMA. Associazione per la Ricerca Scientifica in Oculistica (ARSO).
- 25/6/2008 Udine: La terapia del glaucoma a 360°: dalla diagnosi alla gestione postoperatoria della trabeculectomia.
- 13-14/6/2008 Trieste: 24° Congresso Annuale Società Oftalmologica Triveneta (SOT).
- 28/5-1/6/2008 Salonicco (Hellas): 41° Congresso Oftalmologico Panellenico (EOE).
- 26/4-1/5/2008 Fort Lauderdale (Florida -USA): 2008 Association for Research In Vision and Ophthalmology Annual Meeting (ARVO).
- 7-8/3/2008 Roma: Retina 2008: Le degenerazioni maculari.
- 5/3/2008 Trieste: Le maculopatie e la degenerazione maculare legata all'età: gestione clinico terapeutica ed economica.
- 27/2/2008 Udine: Il punto su... Le nuove frontiere della chirurgia della cornea (DALK, ALTK, DSAEK...).
- 23/11/2007 Porto Alegre (Brasil): Temas oftalmológicos da actualidade, facoemulcificação.
- 31/10/2007 Santa Maria (Brasil) Vantages da facoemulcificação na Oftalmologia Veterinaria.
- 19-20/10/2007 Passo Fundo (Brasil) IV Jornada de Oftalmologia do Planalto: Avanços em Oftalmologia.
- 5/10/2007 Udine: Glaucoma domani. Associazione per la Ricerca Scientifica in Oculistica (ARSO).
- 13/6/2007 Udine: Gonioscopia l'esame del paziente
- 25-27/5/2007 Roma: 17th European Association for the Study of Diabetes Eye Complications Study Group Meeting (EASDec).
- 3/2/2007 Bologna: I tumori periorbitali.
- 9/10/2006 Udine: La chirurgia del glaucoma nell'adulto, Prof. R. Sanpaolesi.

SCIENTIFIC ASSOCIATIONS

- Gruppo Italiano Angio OCT (GIAO) from 2016
- Greek Vitreo Retinal Society (GVRS) from 2015
- European society for cataract and refractive surgery (E.S.C.R.S.) 2013
- Società Italiana Laser in Oftalmologia (S.I.L.O.) from 2011
- Gruppo Angiografico Triveneto (G.A.T.) from 2010
- European retina Society (EURETINA) from 2010
- European School Advanced Studies in Ophthalmology (E.S.A.S.O.) 2009
- Società Oftalmologica Italiana (S.O.I.) from 2009
- Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology (ARVO) from 2008
- Panhellenic Oftalmologic Society (E.O.E.) from 2008
- European Association for the Study of Diabetes Eye Complications Study Group (E.A.S.Dec) from 2007

SURGICAL ACTIVITY

- From 1/8/2018 to present, involved in diagnostic and therapeutic activities at the Monfalcone and Gorizia Hospitals, Azienda Universitaria Giuliano Isontina / Giuliano Isontina University Hospital, head of the Retina Unit from 1/7/2022. As an outpatient specialist in Ophthalmology, specialized in diagnosing and treating retinal pathologies, performed the following from 1/8/2018 to present:
 - 183 vitreoretinal surgeries.
 - 1557 phacoemulsification surgeries with intraocular lens (IOL) implantation in the capsular bag.
 - 17 anterior chamber iris or scleral suspension IOL implant surgeries,
 - 4 intracapsular extraction surgeries.
 - 9 VC dislocated IOL extractions.
 - 4 IOL implant surgeries in the sulcus.
 - 4 corneal repair surgeries as the primary operator.
 - 6 eyelid neof ormation removal surgery as the primary operator.

- From 29/6/2015 to 28/6/2016, participated in diagnostic and therapeutic activities at the Manchester Royal Eye Hospital as Vitreoretinal and Medical Retina research Fellow:
 - Surgical activity as the primary operator:
 - 153 pars plana vitreoretinal surgeries (also combined with phacoemulsification with IOL implantation) for pathologies such as macular holes, epiretinal membrane, vitreous chamber nucleus, vitreous hemorrhage, vitreous floaters, diabetic retinopathy, retinal detachment. These interventions were documented in a "Log Book."
 - Clinical activity:
 - Over 120 clinical sessions including vitreoretinal surgery cases, medical retina, uveitis, pediatric ophthalmology retinal pathologies, and more.
 - Over 50 clinical sessions for laser treatments (with direct or indirect laser) of the peripheral retina, addressing various retinal conditions such as diabetic retinopathy, vein occlusions, macroaneurysms, retinal tears, and others.
 - Experimental surgical research activity:
 - Course and license for experimental animal surgery.
 - Experimental vitrectomy with Hypersonic Vitrector in living and/or cadaveric animals.
 - Surgical implantation as the second operator and clinical management of patients with atrophic AMD undergoing experimental ARGUS II artificial vision prosthesis implantation.
 - Development of clinical tool prototypes like OCT and OCTA for intra and extra-operative use.

- From 15/2/2009 to 31/7/2018, participated in diagnostic and therapeutic activities at De Gironcoli Hospital, U.L.S.S. N. 7 Pieve di Soligo, in charge of the Medical Retina Service, performed the following:
 - From 9/8/2011 to 31/7/2018: Over 114 vitrectomies and ab-externo retina surgeries.
 - In 2017: 214 phacoemulsification surgeries with IOL implantation in the capsular bag.
 - In 2016: 63 phacoemulsification surgeries with IOL implantation in the capsular bag.
 - In 2015: 85 phacoemulsification surgeries with IOL implantation in the capsular bag.
 - In 2014: 99 phacoemulsification surgeries with IOL implantation in the capsular bag.

- In 2013: 153 phacoemulsification surgeries with IOL implantation in the capsular bag.
 - In 2012: 162 phacoemulsification surgeries with IOL implantation in the capsular bag.
 - In 2011: 12 phacoemulsification surgeries with IOL implantation in the capsular bag.
 - From 13/6/2012 to 31/7/2018: 4 sulcus IOL implant surgeries, 8 anterior chamber or scleral suspension IOL implant surgeries.
 - From 2013 to 2014: 6 emergency surgeries such as bulbar and eyelid suturing in trauma cases, repositioning of dislocated IOLs, corneal sutures.
- Additionally:
 - From 2012 to present: Over 45 eyelid surgeries.
 - From 2011 to present: Over 54 corneal cross-linking surgeries.
 - From 2012 to present: Routinely performed over 3000 intravitreal injections of therapeutic substances (Ozurdex, Taioftal, Avastin, Lucentis, Eylea, Beovu, Vabysmo).
 - Retinal laser treatments (PRP, focal, grid, barrage): Over 2500.
 - Photodynamic retinal therapy: Over 200.
 - Nd:YAG laser treatments: Over 1200 capsulotomies and 500 iridotomies.
 - Fluorescein angiographies: Over 7000.
 - Other achievements:
 - 27th May 2011, Advanced Vitrectomy course at the 11th Congress of European Society of Retina Specialists, London, England.
 - 27th May 2011, Dexamethasone Intravitreal Implant 0.7mg WET LAB at the 11th Congress of European Society of Retina Specialists, London, England.
 - 15-25 December 2009, phaco training course at Aditya Jyot Eye Hospital, Mumbai (India) chaired by Dr. S. Natarajan, where they performed 10 phacoemulsification surgeries with IOL implantation as the primary operator.
 - 1-15 December 2009, phaco training course at Navneet Hospital, Solapur (India) chaired by Dr. S. Toshniwal, where they performed 22 phacoemulsification surgeries with IOL implantation as the primary operator.
 - 1-12 June 2009, University of Italian Switzerland, Lugano (Switzerland): First module of European School for Advanced Studies in Ophthalmology (E.S.A.S.O.) on Vitreoretinal Surgery: Eyesi Virtual Vitreoretinal Surgery Simulation and Wet Lab course in Vitreoretinal Surgery coordinated by Professor Susanne Binder.
 - November 2004 – November 2008: Specialization at the Ophthalmology Clinic of the University of Udine, directed by Prof. F. Bandello, where they performed laser treatments, photodynamic retinal therapy, Nd:YAG laser treatments, and intravitreal injections of anti-VEGF.
 - January 2008 – November 2008: Attendance in the Ophthalmology Operating Room at the Civil Hospital of Udine, under Dr. P. Brusini's direction, where they performed surgeries as the second operator in various ophthalmic procedures.
 - October 2007 - December 2007: Scholarship winner for an exchange program at the Universidade Federal De Santa Maria, Brazil, where he participated in elective and emergency outpatient services, pediatric ophthalmology in the Premature Intensive Care Unit, and performed surgeries

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- Italian (mother language)
- Greek (mother language)
- English (fluent)
- French (fluent)
- Spanish (fluent)
- Portuguese (good)

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