
BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH

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POSITION TITLE: Associate Professor of Genetics

EDUCATION/TRAINING

| INSTITUTION AND LOCATION | DEGREE (if applicable) | Start Date MM/YYYY | Completion Date MM/YYYY | FIELD OF STUDY |
|---|---------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------|
| University of Milan, Italy | B.Sc.+M.Sc. | 1993 | 1999 | Biological Sciences |
| University of Milan, Italy | PhD | 1999 | 2002 | Physiology |
| Neurological Institute "C. Besta", Milan, Italy | Postdoctoral fellow | 2002 | 2004 | Mitochondrial Medicine |

A. Personal Statement

I entered the mitochondrial medicine field in 2004 as a postdoc in dr Massimo Zeviani's lab at the Neurological Institute "C. Besta" in Milan, Italy, where in 2009 I was appointed as a junior group leader under the supervision of Dr. Massimo Zeviani. My main research interest since then has been focused on translational aspects with the ultimate goals of clarifying the biological basis of human diseases and developing innovative and effective therapies. To this end, I developed a panel of animal models of mitochondrial disease and characterized them by using several techniques ranging from *in vivo* tests to investigate the neurometabolic basis of the diseases to *in vitro* approaches based on metabolomics and proteomics to clarify the metabolic consequences of the deletion of genes responsible for human mitochondrial diseases and investigating the interactome to understand their physiological role. Building on the knowledge of the mechanisms leading to disease, I developed new therapeutic approaches using both pharmacological and gene therapy strategies. The main achievements of these researches have been (i) the discovery of the pathogenetic mechanism of ethylmalonic encephalopathy (EE), i.e. the accumulation of the powerful cytochrome c oxidase inhibitor hydrogen sulfide (H2S) (Tiranti et al, Nat Med, 2009) (ii) the development of a therapy based on N-acetylcysteine and metronidazole highly effective in the treatment of EE in mice and, most importantly, patients (Visconti et al, Nat Med, 2010) (iii) the discovery that the stimulation of the PGC1alpha-dependent mitochondrialigenic pathway by using either the AMPK agonist AICAR or the NAD+ precursor Nicotinamide Riboside (NR) was effective in ameliorating the phenotype in mouse models of cytochrome c oxidase deficiency (Visconti et al, Cell Metab, 2011; Cerutti et al, Cell Metab, 2013) (iv) the development of AAV-mediated gene therapy approaches to treat mitochondrial diseases due to accumulation of toxic compounds, such as EE and mitochondrial gastrointestinal-encephalomyopathy (MNGIE) (Di Meo et al, EMBO Mol Med, 2012; Torres-Torronteras et al, Mol Ther, 2014). More recently, my laboratory has demonstrated the potential of AAV-based gene therapy in other mitochondrial diseases due to defects in nuclear genes (Bottani et al, Mol Ther, 2014, Di Meo et al, Gene Therapy, 2017, Pinheiro et al, Mol Ther, 2020, Corrà et al, Brain, 2022). Finally, in collaboration with Michal Minczuk, MBU, Cambridge, UK, he helped develop an AAV-based approach to correct specific mtDNA mutations through the use of Zinc-finger Nucleases (Gammie et al Nat Med, 2018). These studies constitute proof of fundamental principle for the transfer of these therapies to humans in the years to come.

Other studies that we carried out in my laboratory were aimed at studying the possibility of by-passing respiratory chain defects through the use of alternative oxidases (Dogan et al, Cell Metab, 2018), defining the mechanism by which rapamycin improves the phenotype of various mouse models of mitochondrial

disease (Civiletto et al, EMBO Mol Med 2018), and the possibility to shape mitochondrial cristae to correct mitochondrial defects (Civiletto et al, Cell Metab, 2015; Luna-Sanchez et al, Mol Ther, 2020). Finally, I have collaborated on numerous studies to define the functional role of various disease genes (Signes et al, EMBO Mol Med, 2019, Bottani et al, Mol Ther, 2017, Brunetti et al, EMBO Mol Med 2016).

These studies took advantage of a number of collaborations in Italy (Prof Andrea Ballabio, Alberto Auricchio at TIGEM, Naples; Dr Massimo Lasorsa, University of Bari; Prof Luca Scorrano, University of Padova) and abroad (Prof Anthony Moore, Sussex University, UK, Prof Johan Auwerx, EPFL, Lausanne, Switzerland; Dr Michio Hirano and Eric Schon, Columbia University, NY; Dr Ramon Marti', Vall D'Hebron Research Institute, Barcelona, Spain; Prof Howy Jacobs, Institute of Biotechnology, University of Helsinki, Finland, Prof Anu Suomalainen, Research Program for Molecular Neurology, University of Helsinki, Finland), Professors: Judy Hirst, Michal Minczuk and Mike Murphy, MBU, Cambridge, Patrick Chinnery, University of Cambridge, UK).

B. Positions, Scientific Appointments and Honors

- 2004-2009:** Postdoctoral Fellow IRCCS Foundation Neurological Institute "C. Besta".
2009-2013: Staff Scientist, IRCCS Foundation Neurological Institute "C. Besta".
2013-2019: Senior Investigating Scientist, MRC - Mitochondrial Biology Unit, Cambridge, UK.
2020-present: Associate Professor of Genetics, University of Padova, IT

Honors

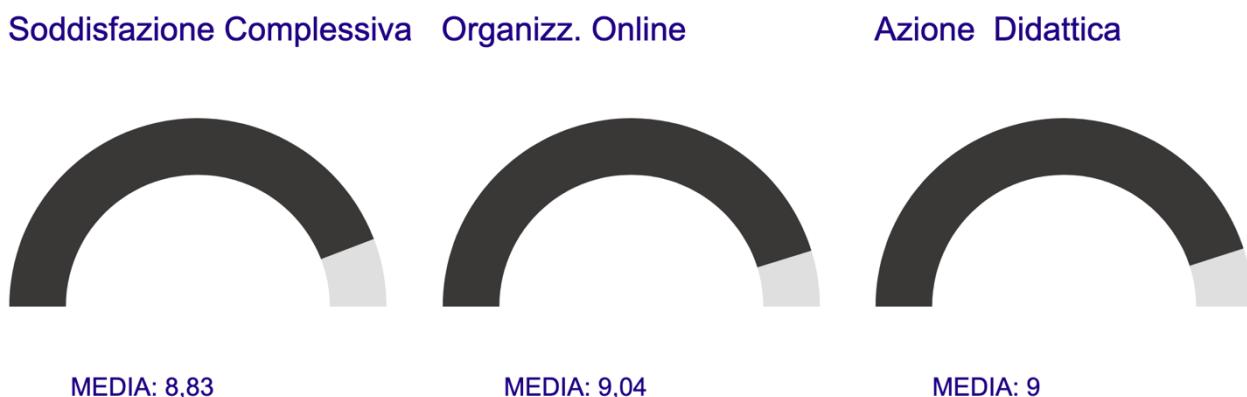
Kelsey Wright Award for Excellence in Mitochondrial Medicine given by the United Mitochondrial Disease Foundation (Scottsdale, AZ, 2010).

Memberships of scientific societies

2020-present: member of the Italian Genetics Society (AGI)
2022-present: founder and President of the European Society for Mitochondrial Medicine and Research (E-Mit)

Teaching activities

2020-present: Epigenetics and Epigenomics, Degree in Molecular Biology University of Padova, Italy
This course started in 2020/21. Since then, it has been highly appreciated by the students. The following graphs refer to AA21/22 (currently not available for the 22/23 due to maintenance of the system):



In the same year the average scores for the Master in Molecular Biology were:

Corso di Studio MOLECULAR BIOLOGY - Padova

Questionari Entrambe le tipologie di frequenza

| Attività didattiche-Docente (AD) valutate | % su valutabili | Questionari compilati (inclusi i non frequentanti*) | Soddisfazione complessiva: Nr risposte valide | Media | Mediana | Azione didattica: Nr risposte valide | Media | Mediana |
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| 28 | 96,6% | 848 | 766 | 7,8 | 7,76 | 758 | 7,79 | 7,82 |

*I questionari dei non frequentanti non presentano le domande che contribuiscono al calcolo degli Indicatori Soddisfazione complessiva e Azione didattica.

2020-present: Animal Models in Genetic Research, University of Padova, Italy. This is specialized course in collaboration with Université Paris Cité, lasting one week in the form of a series of seminars.

2020-present: Physiology, University of Padova, Italy. This course is for the students in Nursing Sciences.

From 2024:

Human Genetics in the course of Biology of Human and Environmental Health, University of Padova
Metabolic Disorders in the course of Molecular Biology, curriculum in Bioenergetics, University of Padova.

Supervision of graduate students and postdoctoral fellows

Past PhD students:

Emanuela Bottani, now Assistant Professor at University of Verona);

Gabriele Civiletto, now Group Leader at Nestlè Institute, Lausanne, Switzerland,

Alba Signes-Marrahi, now in the private sector

Anabel Martinez-Lyons, now postdoc at University of Glasgow, UK) and

Pedro Silva-Pinheiro, now postdoctoral fellow at University of Cambridge/MRC-Mitochondrial Biology Unit, UK.

Raffaele Cerutti, now postdoc at University of Padova

Current PhD students: Giacomo Giacchin, Alessandro Zuppardo and Enea Vogrig, Department of Biomedical Sciences, University of Padova, Italy

Past Postdocs:

Ivano di Meo, now Biologist at Fondazione IRCCS Neurological Institute “C. Besta”, Milan, Italy

Tatiana Gorletta, now in the private sector

Serena Barbaro, now in the private sector

Sukru Anil Dogan, now Professor of Molecular Biology, Bosphorus University, Istanbul, Turkey

Dario Brunetti, now RTDB at University of Milano

Marta Luna Sanchez, now postdoc at Universidad Autonoma de Barcelona, Spain

Editorial activity

Reviewer for: Nature, Cell Metabolism, Nature Communications, Nature Neuroscience, BBA, Human Molecular Genetics, EMBO Molecular Medicine, Current Biology.

Organisation of scientific meetings

2022-present: Co-organizer of the “Mitomeetings”, series of seminars for at University of Padova

2024: Winter School in Mitochondrial Biomedicine, Bressanone, Italy (January 28-February 02)

Commissions of trust

2021-present: member of the Scientific Board of the Italian Association of Mitochondrial Patients (Mitocon)

2022-present member of the Scientific Board of AFM-Telethon, France

National Scientific habilitation (ASN)

Habilitated as full Professor (Professore Ordinario) in Genetics (SSD: BIO/18: valid from 18/11/2020 to 18/11/2031).

INVITED TALKS

EMBO WORKSHOP: MOLECULAR BIOLOGY OF MITOCHONDRIAL GENE MAINTENANCE AND EXPRESSION, 19-23 May 2024, Poland

Lectio Magistralis, University of Bologna, March 2024

Lectio Magistralis, IRCCS Burlo Garofolo, Trieste, February 2024

UCLA Mitochondrial Symposium, UCLA, CA, USA, December 7-9 2023

Genomit, Pisa, November 17-18 2023

Euromit, Bologna, Italy, 2023

Neuromuscular Translational Research Conference, London, 2023

Mitocon: annual symposium of the Italian association of the mitochondrial patients, Rome, 2022

MitoNice, Nice, France, AFM-Telethon meeting, 2022

Mitocon: annual symposium of the Italian association of the mitochondrial patients, Rome, 2021

Bosphorus University, Istanbul, 2021 (host: Prof. Anil Dogan)

University of Sussex, Brighton, UK, 2019 (host: Prof Tony Moore)

Ebec 2018, Budapest 25-30 August 2018

Emerging concepts in Mitochondrial Biology, Weizman Institute, Rehovot, Israel 4-8 February 2018

Mitochondrial Medicine, Cambridge, UK 9-11 May 2018

VII National Meeting on Mitochondrial Diseases, Milan 22-24 September 2017

Mitox, Oxford, UK 2 December 2015

Institute of Pharmacological Sciences "Mario Negri", Milan, Italy October 2015

Nuffield Dept Obstetrics and Gynaecology, University of Oxford 2014

Yearly seminars at the IRCCS Foundation Neurological Institute "C. Besta" in 2014-2018.

Current Research Support

Title: AAV-based gene therapy for mitochondrial diseases (30K€)

Duration: 2022-2024

Granting Agency: Department of Biomedical Sciences, University of Padova,

Role: PI

Title: MitoFight2 (120K€),

Duration: 2022-2024,

Granting Agency: Associazione Luigi Comini Onlus,

Role: PI

Title: MitMed: identification and characterization of new disease genes for mitochondrial disorders. (236.5K€), Duration: 2021-2024,

Granting Agency: Telethon (Project 20013),

Role: PI

Title: MITOPHAGYTREAT: harnessing mitophagy to treat mitochondrial myopathies. (300€)

Duration: 2021-2023,

Granting Agency: AFM-Telethon (Project 23706),

Role: PI

Title: PNRR - PE - AGE-IT - SP. 2 (160K€),

Duration: 2023-2026,

Granting agency: EU (Grant: PE_00000015 - SP. 2),

Role: Co-PI

Title: PNRR - CN - G.T.RNA SP. 1 (120K€),

Duration: 2023-2026,

Granting agency: EU (Grant: PE_00000015 - SP. 2),

Role: Co-PI

Past Research Support

Title: MTPHAGYTREAT: harnessing mitophagy to treat mitochondrial myopathies. (186€)

Duration: 2021-2023,

Granting Agency: Marie Curie Actions (Project 101023390),

Role: PI

Title: Mito-ND: Mitochondrial Neurodegeneration

Duration: 2016-2018

Granting agency: CoEN (Centres of Excellence in Neurodegeneration); £300K

Role: CO-PI

Title: MitCare. Mitochondrial medicine: developing treatments of OXPHOS-defects in recombinant mammalian models.

Duration: 2013-2018

Granting Agency: ERC (FP7-322424); 2500 k€.

Role: Co-investigator

Title: MitoCure: developing treatments for mitochondrial diseases.

Duration: 2013-2016

Granting Agency: Italian Ministry of Health (GR-2010-2306756); 450K€.

Role: PI

Title: Therapeutic strategies for the cure of Ethylmalonic Encephalopathy, a severe infantile mitochondrial disease

Duration: 2012-2013

Granting Agency: AFM (160 K€)

Role: Co-investigator

C. Contributions to Science

H index Scopus: 42

H index Google Scholar: 46

Full list of publications (highlights in bold)

1. Peruzzotti-Jametti L, Willis CM, Krzak G, Hamel R, Pirvan L, Ionescu RB, Reisz JA, Prag HA, Garcia-Segura ME, Wu V, Xiang Y, Barlas B, Casey AM, van den Bosch AMR, Nicaise AM, Roth L, Bates GR, Huang H, Prasad P, Vincent AE, Frezza C, **Visconti C**, Balmus G, Takats Z, Marioni JC, D'Alessandro A, Murphy MP, Mohorianu I, Pluchino S. Mitochondrial complex I activity in microglia sustains neuroinflammation. *Nature*. 2024 Apr;628(8006):195-203.
2. Balmaceda V, Komlódi T, Szibor M, Gnaiger E, Moore AL, Fernandez-Vizarra E, **Visconti C**. The striking differences in the bioenergetics of brain and liver mitochondria are enhanced in mitochondrial disease. *Biochim Biophys Acta Mol Basis Dis*. 2024 Mar;1870(3):167033.
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8. Nicol T, Falcone S, Bleasdale A, Vikhe P, Civiletto G, Omairi SS, Visconti C, Patel K, Potter PK. Tissue-specific differences in the assembly of mitochondrial Complex I are revealed by a novel

- ENU mutation in ECSIT. *Cardiovasc Res.* 2023 Oct 16;119(12):2213-2229. doi: 10.1093/cvr/cvad101. PMID: 37395010; PMCID: PMC10578914.
9. **Viscomi C, van den Ameele J, Meyer KC, Chinnery PF. Opportunities for mitochondrial disease gene therapy.** *Nat Rev Drug Discov.* 2023 Jun;22(6):429-430. doi: 10.1038/d41573-023-00067-z. PMID: 37106085.
- Beltrà M, Pöllänen N, Fornelli C, Tonttila K, Hsu MY, Zampieri S, Moletta L, Corrà S, Porporato PE, Kivelä R, Viscomi C, Sandri M, Hulmi JJ, Sartori R, Pirinen E, Penna F. NAD⁺ repletion with niacin counteracts cancer cachexia. *Nat Commun.* 2023 Apr 3;14(1):1849. doi: 10.1038/s41467-023-37595-6. PMID: 37012289; PMCID: PMC10070388.
10. Brischigliaro M, Fernandez-Vizarra E, Viscomi C. Mitochondrial Neurodegeneration: Lessons from *Drosophila melanogaster* Models. *Biomolecules.* 2023 Feb 16;13(2):378. doi: 10.3390/biom13020378. PMID: 36830747; PMCID: PMC9953451.
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