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Cristina Bellisai

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Clinical Research Education

November 2021: certified GCP

February 2020 - March 2020: Clinical Research Training Course "Missione CRA" (CRAsecrets.com) ClinOpsHub, Yghea CRO
48 hours Clinical Research Training Course as per the Ministerial Decree 15/11/2011

Topics:

- **Methodology and Regulation of clinical trials**
- **Good Clinical Practice (ICH-GCP)**
- **Standards for Good Manufacturing Practice (GMP)**
- **Pharmacovigilance**
- **Quality Systems and Quality Assurance (QA)**
- **Workshop on Site Selection, Pre-Study Visit, Essential Documents**
- **Drug Accountability**

Academic Education

November 2015 - October 2018 – University of Rome "Tor Vergata" - Faculty of Medicine
Ph.D. in Medical Microbiology, Immunology and Infectious Disease

October 2012 – September 2013 - University of Roma "Sapienza"
Master Degree in "Molecular Virology"

July 2012 – University of Rome "Tor Vergata" – Faculty of Science
Qualification to the profession of Biologist

2009 – 2011 – University of Rome "Tor Vergata" – Faculty of Science
MSc in Cellular and Molecular Biology:
Thesis: "Study of the biological role of FtsI protein in *E.coli* divisome"

2006 – 2009 – University of Rome "Tor Vergata" – Faculty of Science
BSc in Cellular and Molecular Biology
Thesis: "Lens-regenerating competence and Pax6 expression in Xenopus laevis larvae"

Professional experience

November 2021 – present – Center for Rare Disease and Birth Defects, Institute of Pediatrics, Department of Woman and Child Health, Fondazione Policlinico Universitario Agostino Gemelli, IRCSS, Largo Agostino Gemelli, 8 - Rome
Study Coordinator and Data Manager in Pediatrics Clinical Studies

April 2021 – October 2021 – Department of "Scienze Cliniche, Anestesiologiche e Cardiovascolari", Sapienza University of Rome, Viale del Policlinico, 155 - Rome
AIRC Fellowship research project: "Interplay between autoreactive T cells and regulatory T cells in multiple sclerosis patients"

May 2020 – March 2021 – Department of "Scienze Cliniche, Anestesiologiche e Cardiovascolari", Sapienza University of Rome, Viale del Policlinico, 155 - Rome
AIRC Fellowship research project: "Unveiling tumor secretome secrets to fight tumor immunosuppression"

September 2019 – February 2020: – Italian National Research Council (CNR) – Institute of Translational Pharmacology – Rome
Fellowship research project: "Investigating the cellular endogenous Reverse Transcriptase

(RT) as a novel therapeutic target and an early tumor marker"

November 2015 - October 2018 – University of Rome "Tor Vergata"- Faculty of Medicine
Ph.D. in Medical Microbiology, Immunology and Infectious Disease
Thesis Project: "Reverse Transcriptase encoded by LINE-1 retrotransposons in genesys and progression of tumors as a antitumoral therapeutical target"

January 2014 - November 2015 – Hospital "S. Spirito" – Rome
Voluntary work as Biologist in Laboratory Medicine Department

Language skills

Mother tongue: *Italian*
Other languages: English
Reading comprehension: *Excellent*
Listening comprehension: *Excellent*
Writing: *Excellent*
Spoken: *Excellent*

Computer skills

The whole Office suite (Word, Excel, Power Point, Access), Adobe Photoshop, Image J, GraphPad, Prism.
Operating system: Microsoft Windows, MacOs and LINUX.
Bioinformatic tools: BLAST, PrimerBLAST, ClustalW

Scientific publications

Bellisai C, Sciamanna I, Rovella P, Giovannini D, Baranzini M, Pugliese M, Sinibaldi-Vallebona

P, Sbardella G, Pichierri P, Lavia P, Serafino A, Spadafora C.
Reverse transcriptase inhibitors promote the remodeling of nuclear architecture and induce autophagy in cancer cells.
(Cancer Lett. 2020 May 28;478:133-145. Doi: 10.1016)

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Rome, 1 June 2022
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