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Name TOSCANO Massimiliano

Birth 25/06/1979

Education and Training

Date 2016

Title PhD –Behavioural Neuroscience

Institution "Sapienza" - University of Rome

Department of Neurology and Psychiatry

Department of Psychology

Date 2014

Qualification International certification in Neurosonology awarded

Institution European Society of Neurosonology and Cerebral Hemodynamics (ESNCH)

Date 2013

Title Residence in Neurology

Votation summa cum laude

Institution "Sapienza" - University of Rome

Department of Neurology and Psychiatry

Date 2012

Qualification European Stroke Summer School awarded

Institution European Stroke Organization

Date 2005

Title Medical Degree

Votation summa cum laude

Institution "Sapienza" – University of Rome

Date 2004

Qualification Board of qualification in Stroke awarded

Institution Italian Society for Stroke Study (SISS)

Work

Experience

Date 2017 - present

Work Position Neurologist, MD, PhD

Institution Ospedale San Giovanni Calabita - Fatebenefratelli

Department of Neurology

Neurophysiopathology Clinic

Date 2013-present

Work Position Neurologist, MD, PhD

Institution Neurorehabilitation Center A.N.F.F.A.S. Roma onlus

Date 2014 - present

Work Position Lecturer in Clinical Neurology: learning related mechanisms and disability

Institution I.R.S.E.F. Research Institute in collaboration with Sapienza university of Rome

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Date 2018 - present

Work Position Consultant Neurologist

Institution "Sapienza" - Università di Roma

Department of Neurology and Psychiatry

Stroke Unit and Headache Clinic

Date 2015 -2018

Work Position Research Assistant

Institution "Sapienza" - University of Rome

Stroke Unit and Headache Clinic

ResearchFields Cerebrovascular diseases

Behavioural Neuroscience

Clinical Neurophysiology

Headache and pain

Date 2008 - 2013

Work Position Resident in Neurology, MD

Institution "Sapienza" - University of Rome
Department of Neurology and Psychiatry
Stroke Unit and Headache Clinic

Date 2008

Work Position Lecturer in Clinical Neurology. Graduating Course in Speech Therapy,
Institution University of Rome "Tor Vergata"

Date 2005 -2008

Work Position Guest Doctor
Institution "Sapienza" - University of Rome
Department of Neurology and Psychiatry
Stroke Unit and Headache Clinic

Date 2006 -2007

Work Position Medical Doctor, MD
Institution Hemodialysis ward
Centro di Terapia Fisica e Ginnastica Medica - Tivoli (RM).

Date 2005

Work Position Clerkship
Institution Emergency Department - Surgical Division, Policlinico Umberto I - Rome

Date 2005

Work Position Clerkship
Institution Emergency Department - Medical Division, Policlinico Umberto I - Rome

Date 2005

Work Position Clerkship
Institution Medical Ward - Dt. Giovannetti - Tivoli (Rome)

Date 2002-2005

Work Position Clerkship
Institution "Sapienza" - University of Rome

RESEARCH

Research fields

Cerebrovascular diseases (pathophysiology of stroke in the acute phase, mechanisms of recovery post-stroke, clinical application of functional neuroimaging techniques, neurosonology, psychiatric comorbidity)

Behavioural Neuroscience (Behavioural Neurophysiology, Learning related mechanisms and disability, Speech related mechanisms, Neurophysiological correlates of Psychiatric diseases)

Pain (morphofunctional correlates of pain in humans, pathophysiology of primary headaches, migraine, psychiatric comorbidity)

Research activities

Member of the ESNCH (European Society of Neurosonology and Cerebral Hemodynamics) and the SISC (Società Italiana per lo Studio delle Cefalee)

Member of the Executive Committee of the SISS (Società Italiana per lo Studio dello Stroke)

Member of the Executive Committee of the I.R.S.E.F. Research Institute

PI (Principal Investigator) in

- Comorbidities after stroke – Stroke Unit Department of Neurology – Sapienza University of Rome – from 2015 to 2017: private founding - concluded on March 2017
- Stroke related comorbidities and complications: Department of Neurology – Sapienza University of Rome - Department's funding from 2017 to 2018 – concluded on March 2018
- AMEV-COI (20160125): Productivity losses and indirect costs after cardiovascular events in Europe – Funding: Amgen Europe GmbH – concluded on September 2017
- EXCOA-CVT: The benefit of EXTending oral antiCOAgulant treatment after acute Cerebral Vein Thrombosis– no funding– Ongoing

- GEN-O-MA (GENetics Of Moya-moyA): italian Network for Moya-moya disease study” IRCCS Fondazione IstitutoNeurologico “Carlo Besta” – Milano – no funding – Ongoing.

Ongoing protocol:

- EXCOA-CVT: The benefit of EXtending oral antiCOAgulant treatment after acute Cerebral Vein Thrombosis – Ongoing – no funding
- GEN-O-MA (GENetics Of Moya-moyA): italian Network for Moya-moya disease study” IRCCS Fondazione IstitutoNeurologico “Carlo Besta” – Milano – no funding – Ongoing.
- Effects of Repeated (focal) Muscle Vibration (rMV) on motor recovery after acute stroke: a pilot randomized sham-controlled study
- Sapienza GLOBal Bedside Evaluation of Swallowing after Stroke: The GLOBE-3S study
- Lack of habituation of VEPs responses in patients with 22q11.2 deletion syndrome without psychotic symptoms: a pilot study.
- Chronic migraine preventive treatment by prefrontal-occipital transcranial direct current stimulation (tDCS): a proof-of-concept study on the effect of psychiatric comorbidities
- The role of detection rate of swallowing impairment in preventing stroke-associated pneumonia: GLOBE-3S and Water Swallow Test.
- SEarchiNg biomarkErs Cerebral Amyloid angiopathy (SENECA): Italian Network for Cerebral Amyloid angiopathy

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Neuroscience Letters
Scientific Reports

Lecturer: Neurology and Neurosurgery teaching course – Medicine and surgery graduate course
Sapienza University of Rome - current academic year

Clinical Neurology: learning related mechanisms and disability – IRSEF research
Institute in collaboration with Sapienza university of Rome on behalf of Ministry of
Education, University and Research (MIUR) – from 2014 to present.

Lecturer in clinical Neurology – Graduating Course in Speech Therapy – University of Rome Tor Vergata – academic year 2007-2008

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SCIENTIFIC PUBLICATIONS

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2. Maestrini I, **Toscano M**, et al. Habituation study in visual evoked potentials in migraine patients with EhlersDanlos syndrome, hypermobility type. *Eur. J. Neu.* 27 (Suppl. 1), 769–1017:861.
3. Viganò A, Savastano E, Petolicchio B, **Toscano M**, De Sanctis R, Maestrini I, Di Piero V. *Eur Neurol.* A Study of Clinical Features and Risk Factors of Self-Referring Emergency Department Headache Patients: A Comparison with Headache Center Outpatients. 2020;83(1):34-40.
4. Celletti C, Suppa A, Bianchini E, Lakin S, **Toscano M**, La Torre G, Di Piero V, Camerota F. Promoting post-stroke recovery through focal or whole body vibration: criticisms and prospects from a narrative review. *Neurol Sci.* 2020 Jan;41(1):11-24.
5. **Toscano M**, Celletti C, Viganò A, Altarocca A, Giuliani G, Jannini TB, Mastria G, Ruggiero M, Maestrini I, Vicenzini E, Altieri M, Camerota F and Di Piero V (2019) Short-Term Effects of Focal Muscle Vibration on Motor Recovery After Acute Stroke: A Pilot Randomized Sham-Controlled Study. *Front. Neurol.* 2019;10:115 1-9. doi: 10.3389/fneur.2019.00115
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