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### **Education**

1986: Doctor of Medicine, University of Rome "La Sapienza"

1990: Postgraduate specialization in Pediatrics, University of Rome Tor Vergata

1990-1991: Internship at the Department of Endocrinology, Karolinska Sjukhuset, Stockholm

1995: PhD in Paediatrics, University of Rome Tor Vergata

1998: Postgraduate Specialization in Clinical Biochemistry, University of Camerino

### **Work Experience**

1997-2010: Research consultant in Clinical Biochemistry and Clinical Molecular Biochemistry, Bambino Gesù Children Hospital, Rome.

1998-2001: Researcher in Clinical Biochemistry at the Department of Internal Medicine, University of Rome Tor Vergata.

2000-2018: Member of the Professors' Committee for the PhD programme in Biochemical Sciences, University of Rome Tor Vergata.

2018-present: Member of the Professors' Committee for the PhD programme in Industrial Engineering, University of Rome Tor Vergata.

2002-2012: President of undergraduate course in "Diagnostic laboratory techniques in the medical field".

2002-2006: Associate Professor in Clinical Biochemistry and Clinical Molecular Biochemistry at the Department of Internal Medicine, University of Rome Tor Vergata.

2007-present: Full Professor in Clinical Biochemistry and Clinical Molecular Biochemistry at the Department of Experimental Medicine, University of Rome Tor Vergata.

2008-2010: Visiting scientist at the Medical Research Council-Toxicology Unit, Leicester, U.K

2012-2018: Director of the Postgraduate Specialization in Clinical Pathology and Clinical Biochemistry University of Rome Tor Vergata.

2012-2016: Director of the Postgraduate Master in "Ethical regulatory and methodological aspects of clinical trials" University of Rome Tor Vergata.

2013-2016: President of Degree course in Pharmacy, University of Rome Tor Vergata.

2016-2021: Director of the InterDipartimental Center for Culture and Science of Sport, University of Tor Vergata.  
2016-present: Director of the Inter University Center for Social Sport, University of Tor Vergata/Roma Tre.  
2016-2019: Dean of Degree in Sport and Exercise Sciences, University of Tor Vergata.

## **Current Teaching Responsibilities**

Clinical Biochemistry and Clinical Molecular Biology in the following Courses at the University of Tor Vergata, Rome:

- Bachelor course in Diagnostic laboratory techniques in the medical field;
- Degree courses in Medicine, Medical Biotechnologies;
- School of Sport and Exercise Sciences;
- Postgraduate courses in Clinical Biochemistry, Gastroenterology, Neurology, Medical Genetics, Allergology and Immunology, Paediatrics, Surgery
- PhD Course in Industrial Engineering Committee Member

## **Hospital Work**

1994 to 1997: assistant to the Clinical Biochemistry Laboratory of Bambino Gesù Children Hospital of Rome.  
2000 to 2006: chief of the Allergology and Autoimmunity sections at the Tor Vergata University Hospital of Rome.  
2007-2012: Head physician of the Clinical Molecular Biology Unit- Tor Vergata University Hospital  
2012-2019: Head physician of the Laboratory Medicine Unit- Tor Vergata University Hospital  
2019-present: Chief of the Laboratory Medicine Functional Integratrd Area (Clinical Biochemistry, Microbiology, Virology and Pathology)- Tor Vergata University Hospital.

## **Member of :**

2018-2019: President of the Italian Society of Clinical Biochemistry and Clinical Molecular Biology (SIBioC)  
2012-2017: Secretary of the International Federation Clinical Chemistry and Laboratory Medicine (IFCC)  
2018-present: Chair of the Emerging Technologies Division of IFCC  
2016-present: member of the Editorial Board of Clinica Chimica Acta  
2019-present: member of the Editorial Board of Critical Review in Clinical Laboratory Sciences

## **International Conference Scientific Meeting Membership:**

EuroMedLab 2019 Barcelona (Spain)  
AACC Conference 2020 Chicago (US)  
WorldLab/EuroMedLab 2023 Rome, President of the Congress

## Publication list

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8. Dabla PK, Gruson D, Gouget B, **Bernardini S**, Homsak E. Lessons Learned from the COVID-19 Pandemic: Emphasizing the Emerging Role and Perspectives from Artificial Intelligence, Mobile Health, and Digital Laboratory Medicine. *EJIFCC.* 2021 Jun 29;32(2):224-243.
9. **Bernardini S**, Pieri M, Ciotti M. How Could POCT be a Useful Tool for Migrant and Refugee Health? *EJIFCC.* 2021 Jun 29;32(2):200-208.

10. **Bernardini S.** Foreword: Introducing the eJIFCC Special Issue on "POCT - Making the Point". EJIFCC. 2021 Jun 29;32(2):116-117.
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