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### WORK EXPERIENCE

14/01/2019 – CURRENT Bologna, Italy

**HEALTH RESEARCH DEVELOPMENT MANAGER** LIFE SCIENCES & BIOECONOMY UNIT, UNIVERSITY OF BOLOGNA

**Project senior advisor, writer and Grant Research Development Manager**, in the **HEALTH, Digital Health, Mission Cancer and Bioeconomy** within the H2020, Horizon Europe and other EU programs, contributing to funds raised for a total of 15.5 million € as Coordinator, and several others as main partner. In health research, UNIBO is participating in 31 projects (6 under IMI-2 JTI), becoming the 1st Italian University for H2020 SC1 participations. Overall, in Horizon Europe, 54 proposals, of which 18 coordinated ones, have already been invited for funding, with a total contribution of 27,2 M€. In the framework of the Cluster 1 – Health. What I do as research development manager: - High level support to academic staff towards all competitive funding sources Intra-university networking -> integrated research teams (IRT) - International networking with the most important EU Universities - Regional funding – Technopoles and Health service - Connecting with SMEs and large multinational companies – TT / KT transfer - Support fundamental research - A qualified and pro-active technical and administrative team - Timely information to researchers on calls and objectives - Inside “head hunting” - communication - Presence @ EC Bruxelles - Presence @ Italian and European platforms - Support to partnership matching - Support to proposal drafting, accounting and financial reporting - Networking with companies - Sharing of research facilities.

**Address** Via San Giacomo 7, Bologna (BO), 40126 , Bologna, Italy

10/08/2015 – 07/01/2019 Bologna, Italy

**PROJECT MANAGER, GRANT WRITER** IRCCS ISTITUTO ORTOPEDICO RIZZOLI

**Health Project Manager and grant writer on EU projects:** health, research, innovative healthcare pathways and IT solutions for chronic diseases. Coordination of the European Reference Network on Rare Bone Diseases (ERN BOND).

**Address** via di Barbiano, 1/10 , Bologna (BO), 40136, Bologna, Italy

11/05/2015 – 30/09/2015 Bologna, Italy

**PROJECT MANAGER ON EU HEALTH PROJECTS** EMILIA-ROMAGNA REGION

**Project Manager EU Projects**, Health sector. Support to researchers/medical specialists in developing project activities, delivering innovative healthcare services and pathways. Supporting principal investigators in writing deliverable reports (scientific and administrative/financial). Project manager as Coordinator in a EU project: “SUNFRAIL - Reference Sites Network for Prevention and Care of frailty and Chronic Conditions in community dwelling persons of EU Countries”. Coordination of project activities, Consortium meetings, supporting the Consortium in managing tasks and reporting scientific and financial deliverables.

**Address** Via Aldo Moro 52, Bologna (BO), 40127, Bologna, Italy

05/05/2008 – 30/06/2014 Ferrara, Italy

**PROJECT MANAGER ON EU HEALTH PROJECTS** AUSL DI FERRARA

**Project Manager on EU. Health projects.** Support to researchers/medical specialists in developing project activities, delivering innovative healthcare services and pathways. Supporting principal investigators in writing scientific deliverable reports. Manager of administrative/financial deliverables (managing funds allocated between 150.000€ and 350.000€)

04/01/2016 – 17/06/2020 Bruxelles, Belgium

**ADVISOR EUROPEAN WORKING GROUP ICD PATHWAY: "SHERPA GROUP INTEGRATED E-CARE PATHWAYS FOR DIABETES"** ROCHE DIABETES CARE DEUTSCHLAND GMBH

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**Expert consultant, part time on** "eHealth supported Integrated Diabetes Care" for the European Working Group ICD Pathway: "Sherpa Group Integrated E-care Pathways For Diabetes", innovative healthcare pathways and patient engagement for diabetes. Patient engagement in the co-creation process of designing innovative digital solutions (health parameters, quality of life, self care tools) and pathways (tele-health, tele-monitoring, tele-consultation) for diabetes healthcare.

06/09/2010 – CURRENT Ferrara, Italy

**GROUP PSYCHOTHERAPIST DIABETES TYPE 1 AND 2 DI.CO. PATIENT ASSOCIATION**

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**Group psychotherapist** diabetes type 1 and 2 - Person Centered Approach. Facilitation of therapeutic group dedicated to diabetes 1 and 2 patients and their relatives. The group is co-facilitated by me as a person-centered group psychotherapist and a diabetes nurse and by a diabetes MD specialist. The main goals of the therapy group are: 1. psychological support 2. peer to peer support 3. health literacy and self care 4. behaviour change to healthier lifestyle and acceptance of chronic condition.

01/03/2010 – CURRENT Ferrara, Italy

**PSYCHOTHERAPIST SELF EMPLOY**

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Psychotherapist of adults, couples and adolescents, Carl Rogers Person Centered Approach.

01/09/2004 – 30/06/2014 Ferrara, Italy

**CULTURAL MEDIATION SERVICE COORDINATOR FOR HEALTHCARE SERVICES** AZIENDA OSPEDALIERO-UNIVERSITARIA S. ANNA ED AZIENDA USL DI FERRARA

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**Coordinator and manager of hospital service "cultural mediation"** dedicated to providing: 1. linguistic translation and cultural mediation to foreign patients and fragile categories, 2. design -together with hospital managers, healthcare professionals and end users- dedicated pathways for foreign patients and fragile users, aimed at improving services accessibility and personalized/person centered health pathways. Design and implementation of innovative pathways between hospital and outer territorial services (social services, primary healthcare services, migration services) Annual quality evaluation of Service delivered: design and implementation of qualitative and quantitative assessment.

● **EDUCATION AND TRAINING**

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12/04/2024 – 30/04/2024 Helsinki, Finland

**ERASMUS+ STAFF TRAINING AT RESEARCH FUNDING SERVICES** University of Helsinki

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Gaining know how from the UHealth – Interdisciplinary research for health and well-being joint platform about strategic planning and implementation of multidisciplinary research projects at European level in health and bioeconomy;

Learning new approaches to research that combines (a)scientific excellence, (b)multidisciplinary clinical research in various real-life contexts, (c)systematic research co-creation with citizens, (d)professionals and decision-makers for a high societal impact;

Strengthening coordination of strategic collaboration between UNIBO and University of Helsinki and Finnish R&I ecosystem seeking funds in competitive research.

**Website** <https://www.helsinki.fi/en> | **Level in EQF** EQF level 7

15/04/2023 – 15/05/2024 Helsinki, Finland

**ERASMUS+ STAFF TRAINING, LIVING LABS FACILITATOR - VIRTUAL HEALTH AND WELLBEING LIVING LAB INFRASTRUCTURE** LAUREA University - Virtual Health and Wellbeing Living Lab Infrastructure

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Living Labs facilitator - Transnational Access to the Research Infrastructures of VITALISE Project. As Research Development Manager in EU health projects at UNIBO I support research groups and professors developing innovative proposals ideas in highly multidisciplinary settings. My main role in these group settings –specifically dedicated to the project ideation- is to act as a facilitator, favouring creative brain storming and active participation from all actors involved in the creative process (e.g. medical doctor, nurse, bio-statistician, bio-technologist, electronic engineer, SME

owner/manager, health programme developers). An in-person experience at Laurea Living Labs allowed me to further developing my group facilitation skills through a co-creative, multi-method Living Lab approaches.

**Website** <https://www.laurea.fi/en/research/laurea-living-labs/> | **Field of study** Health and welfare | **Level in EQF** EQF level 7

01/01/2007 – 31/12/2010 Firenze, Italy

**SPECIALIZATION IN PSYCHOTHERAPY** Istituto Appioccio Centrato sulla Persona (IACP)

Adults, adolescents, couple and group psychotherapist.

**Website** <https://www.iacp.it> | **Field of study** Health and welfare | **Level in EQF** EQF level 8 | **National classification** 8

03/01/2005 – 31/12/2005 Padova, Italy

**MASTER IN HEALTH MANAGEMENT IN COUNTRIES WITH LIMITED RESOURCES** CUAMM - Medici con l'Africa

Activities and societies: Advanced Course in Human Development and Management of Health Services in Countries with Limited Resources.

**Website** <https://doctorswithafrica.org/> | **Field of study** Health and welfare | **Level in EQF** EQF level 6 |

**National classification** 7

14/09/1998 – 01/07/2004 Padova, Italy

**ORGANIZATION AND SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY** University of Padua

Organization and social psychology.

**Website** <https://www.unipd.it/en/> | **Field of study** Education | **Level in EQF** EQF level 7 | **National classification** 7 |

**Thesis** "MANAGEMENT OF ERRORS IN MATHEMATICS LESSONS VIDEO RECORDED IN FIVE NATIONS WITH DIFFERENT LEVELS OF SCHOOL PERFORMANCE."

17/09/2001 – 17/06/2002 Los Angeles, United States

**EDUCATION ABROAD PROGRAM** University of California Los Angeles (UCLA)

Attendance of 4th year of psychology faculty. Social psychology, cultural anthropology, psychosocial research methods. TIMSS (Third International Mathematics and Science Study) Video Study.

**Website** <https://www.ucla.edu> | **Field of study** Education | **Level in EQF** EQF level 6 | **National classification** 6

## ● LANGUAGE SKILLS

Mother tongue(s): **SPANISH**

Other language(s):

	UNDERSTANDING		SPEAKING		WRITING
	Listening	Reading	Spoken production	Spoken interaction	
<b>ITALIAN</b>	C2	C2	C2	C2	C2
<b>ENGLISH</b>	C2	C2	C1	C1	C1

*Levels: A1 and A2: Basic user; B1 and B2: Independent user; C1 and C2: Proficient user*

## ● DIGITAL SKILLS

Google Docs | Skype | Microsoft Office | Microsoft Excel | Zoom | Microsoft Word | Microsoft Powerpoint | Google Drive | IBM Statistical package for Sciences (SPSS)

## ● COMMUNICATION AND INTERPERSONAL SKILLS

### Technical skills

Expert and facilitator in learning processes of adults and group dynamics.  
Good knowledge in psycho-social research methodologies.  
Good knowledge of co-creation according to Living Labs approach (ENOLL)

Speaker in several courses and seminars on:

Writing a successful proposal in EU Calls (Horizon2020 and Horizon Europe),

National and European networking on rare diseases,

Healthcare professional-patients (and their families/care givers) relationship: healthcare pact for creating a significant alliance for better healthcare.

## ● **PUBLICATIONS**

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### **Book chapters, articles.**

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Book chapter: "Assistenza infermieristica ed ostetrica transculturale". (2009) Hoepli Ed.

Book chapter: "Libro Bianco sull'Incontinenza Urinaria". (2009) FINCO Ed.

"La Salute Comunicata. Ricerche e Valutazioni nei Media e nei Servizi Sanitari". (2008) F. Angeli Ed.

"Co-Creating Health To Meet Local Needs: How To Make Solutions Work For Real?". (2017). Eurohealth, Quarterly of the European Observatory on Health Systems and Policies - European Health Forum Gastein 2017.

"Integrated care pathways for diabetes: being positivist or realist?". (2017). Education and Integrated Care section, IDF Congress.

"Development of a recommendation for Diabetes integrated care pathways". (2016). Barcelona, Conference: 16th International Conference on Integrated Care, Affiliation: University Medical Center Utrecht, 2016.

"Technology Supports Patients at Home". (2015). Journal. HealthManagement.org. Volume 15, Issue 1, 2015.

"Complication Prevention in Diabetes Mellitus Type 2". Agenzia Sanitaria e Sociale Regionale RER (2013).