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WORK EXPERIENCE

- 1998 to present **Neurologist - Dept. of Neurology**
Bambino Gesù Children's Hospital, IRCCS
- 2007 to present **EEG Neurophysiologist**
Coordinator of Long Term video/EEG Monitoring of epileptic seizures, refractory paediatric epilepsy, epilepsy surgery
Children's Hospital "Bambino Gesù"
- 1995 - 1997 **Neurophysiology and Neurology Consultant**
Supervisor of Clinical Neurophysiology Laboratory in Rome
"San Raffaele del Monte Tabor" Foundation – Scientific Institute IRCCS
- 1995 - 1997 **Neurophysiology Consultant of Dynamics EEG**
Bambino Gesù Children's Hospital, IRCCS
- 1998 -1995 **Research Consultant – Feasibility Study of Long Term Video/EEG Monitoring in the Study of Drug Resistant Paediatric Epilepsy**
Bambino Gesù Children's Hospital, IRCCS
- 1985 - 1995 **Neurophysiology Consultant of Dynamics EEG**
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EDUCATION AND TRAINING

- 1990 - 1992 **Post-doc Fellowship Neurology**
Rome "La Sapienza" University
- 1984 - 1989 **PhD Neuroscience**
Firenze University
- 1979 – 1983 **Specialization in Neurology**
Rome "La Sapienza" University (70/70 cum laude)
- 1973 - 1979 **Medical Degree**
Rome "La Sapienza" University (110/110 cum laude)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Publications Mainly in the fields of epilepsy and epilepsy monitoring, with attention to better definition of the semeiology of seizures, as resulted of clinical video/EEG monitoring, and to the definition of new syndrome. Author of 78 peer reviewed papers and of 36 Chapters and Reviews, in addition to more than 100 Italian publications.

- 1988 to present Invited speaker to post-graduate course and to national and international meetings (more than 200)
- 1990-1996 / 2002-2005 Member of Directory of Italian League Against Epilepsy (LICE)
Teaching Neurophysiology in Paediatric Age:
- 2006 to present Master 2nd Level in Epileptology, University of Ferrara

Publications Most important publications of the last five years:

1. Acute intralesional recording in hypothalamic hamartoma: description of 4 cases. Specchio N, Rizzi M, Trivisano M, Fusco L, Rebessi E, Cappelletti S, De Palma L, Villani F, Savioli A, De Benedictis A, Marras CE, Vigeveno F, Delalande O. *Acta Neurol Belg.* 2014 Oct 2.
2. Hemispherotomy in Rasmussen encephalitis: long-term outcome in an Italian series of 16 patients. Granata T, Matricardi S, Ragona F, Freri E, Casazza M, Villani F, Deleo F, Tringali G, Gobbi G, Tassi L, Lo Russo G, Marras CE, Specchio N, Vigeveno F, Fusco L. *Epilepsy Res.* 2014 Aug
3. Epilepsy in patients with duplications of chromosome 14 harboring FOXG1. Pontrelli G, Cappelletti S, Claps D, Sirleto P, Ciocca L, Petrocchi S, Terracciano A, Serino D, Fusco L, Vigeveno F, Specchio N. *Pediatr Neurol.* 2014 May
4. Occipital seizures induced by intermittent photic stimulation in Dravet syndrome. Specchio N, Pontrelli G, Serino D, Trivisano M, Cappelletti S, Terracciano A, Vigeveno F, Fusco L. *Seizure.* 2014 Apr
5. Video/EEG findings in a KCNQ2 epileptic encephalopathy: a case report and revision of literature data. Serino D, Specchio N, Pontrelli G, Vigeveno F, Fusco L. *Epileptic Disord.* 2013 Jun;
6. Specchio N, Fusco L, Vigeveno F. Acute-onset epilepsy triggered by fever mimicking FIRES (febrile infection-related epilepsy syndrome): the role of protocadherin 19 (PCDH19) gene mutation. *Epilepsia* 2011;52:172-5
7. Fusco L, Trivisano M, Specchio N, Vigeveno F. Rolandic epilepsy: an un common presentation with leg motor seizures. *Epilepsia.* 2010 Dec;51(12):2488-91.
8. Specchio N, Fusco L, Claps D, Trivisano M, Longo D, Cilio MR, Valeriani M, Cusmai R, Cappelletti S, Gentile S, Fariello G, Specchio LM, Vigeveno F. Childhood refractory focal epilepsy following acute febrile encephalopathy. *Eur J Neurol.* 2011 Jul;18(7):952-61.
9. Fusco L, Specchio N, Ciofetta G, Longo D, Trivisano M, Vigeveno F. Migraine triggered by epileptic discharges in a Rasmussen's encephalitis patient after surgery. *Brain Dev.* 2011 Aug;33(7):597-600.
10. Specchio N, Fusco L, Claps D, Vigeveno F. Epileptic encephalopathy in children possibly related to immune-mediated pathogenesis. *Brain Dev.* 2010;32:51-6

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