

PERSONAL INFORMATION

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Enterprise	University	EPR
<input type="checkbox"/> Management Level	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Full professor	<input type="checkbox"/> Research Director and 1st level Technologist / First Researcher and 2nd level Technologist / Principal Investigator
<input type="checkbox"/> Mid-Management Level	<input type="checkbox"/> Associate Professor (RTDA-RTDB)	<input type="checkbox"/> Level III Researcher and Technologist
<input type="checkbox"/> Employee / worker level	<input type="checkbox"/> Researcher and Technologist of IV, V, VI and VII level / Technical collaborator	<input type="checkbox"/> Researcher and Technologist of IV, V, VI and VII level / Technical collaborator

Work Experience

January 2000 – August 2000 **Researcher**

Universite' de La Mediterranee, La Timone Hospital, Marseille, France
 ▪ Coordinator of clinical research; Basic research in Cardiology
 Business or sector Academic research

September 2000 – December 2001 **Researcher**

Katholique University of Leuven, Gasthuisber Hospital, Leuven, Belgium
 ▪ Coordinator of clinical research; Basic research in Cardiology
 Business or sector Academic research

January 2002 – January 2012 **Assistant Professor of Cardiology**

Second University of Naples, Monaldi Hospital, Cardio-Thoracic Department, Pediatric Cardiology
 ▪ Coordinator of clinical research in Pediatric Cardiology
 Business or sector Academic medicine

February 2012 – September 2016 **Full Professor of Pediatric Cardiology**

Al Faisal University, King Faisal Specialist Hospital and Research Center, Riyadh, Saudi Arabaia
 ▪ Director of Cardiovascular Research of the Heart Center
 ▪ Coordinator of clinical research in Cardiology
 Business or sector Academic medicine

September 2016 – December 2019 **Honorary Senior Lecturer**

Imperial College of London, Royal Brompton Hospital
 Lead of Cardiovascular Research in Congenital Heart Disease
 ▪ Lead Consultant Pediatric Cardiology Echocardiography
 Business or sector Academic medicine

December 2019- to now **Full Professor Pediatric Cardiology**

University of Padua, Department of Woman and Child Health,
 Pediatric cardiology and congenital heart disease complex unit, Padua, Italy

June 2020 to now **Director Experimental Cardiology, IRP (Pediatric Research Institute), Padua, Italy**

Education and training

- Medical Doctor, Second University of Naples, Italy;
- License to practice Medicine in Italy, Second University of Naples;
- Board certification in Cardiology, Second University of Naples, Italy;
- PhD in Cardio-Respiratory Physiopathology, Second University of Naples, Naples, Italy
- University Master in Medical Imaging, Katholieke University of Leuven, Leuven, Belgium
- License to practice Medicine in England
 - National Scientific Habilitation for the role of Full Professor of Cardiovascular Diseases (MED/11), granted by the Italian Ministry of Education University and Research (MIUR);
 - National Scientific Habilitation for the role of Full Professor of Pediatrics (MED/38), granted by the Italian Ministry of Education University and Research (MIUR);

Work Activities

Awards:

I prize “Young Investigator” of the “European Society of Cardiology” in 2006 with the work entitled: “Myocardial strain analysis in a doxorubicin-induced cardiomyopathy model”.

I prize “Best Poster” at the National S.I.C. Congress in 2000.

I prize “Best Published Paper” at the National S.I.C.P congress in 2010.

Fellow of the European Society of Cardiology (FESC), acknowledged in 2006.

“Scholar in Cardiology” of the “Società Italiana di Cardiologia” (Italian Society of Cardiology), acknowledged in 2014.

Fellow of the European Association of Cardiovascular Imaging (FEACVI), acknowledged in 2015 (Scientific Excellence).

Chair of the EACVI (European Association of Cardiovascular Imaging) Task Force on Adult Congenital Heart Disease from 2020 to now.

Editorial Activity:

Section Editor for the section “Interventional Cardiology and Cardiovascular Surgery” of the “European Heart Journal Open” (ISSN: 2752-4191), peer reviewed scientific journal of the European Society of Cardiology, published by Oxford University Press; Social Media Editor of “European Heart Journal Open” (ISSN: 2752-4191), peer reviewed scientific journal of the ESC; Associate Editor of the “International Journal of Cardiology”, peer reviewed top-ranking scientific journal =4.164; Associate Editor of the “International Journal of Cardiology Congenital Heart Disease”; Associate Editor of the Journal “Congenital Heart Disease”; Member of the Editorial Board of the “Journal of Cardiovascular Medicine”, peer reviewed scientific journal (ISSN: 1479-5876), Official Journal of the Italian Federation of Cardiology (IF=1.658);

Associate Editor-in-Chief of the “Journal of Clinical Medicine” (ISSN 2077-0383) (IF=4.272);

Associate Editor of the “BMC Molecular and Cell Biology” (ISSN 2661-8850) (IF=3.066);

Review Editor of the peer reviewed scientific journal “Frontiers in Cardiovascular Medicine” (ISSN: 2297-055X) (IF=4.79);

Member of the Editorial Board of the “World Journal of Cardiology”, peer reviewed scientific journal (ISSN: 1949-8462) DOI: 10.4330;

Reviewer for multiple peer-reviewed journals in the field of cardiovascular medicine. Among the others: Lancet, Annals of Internal Medicine, Journal of Clinical Investigation, Journal of the American College of Cardiology (JACC), Circulation, Circulation Research, Heart, Open Heart, Eur Heart Journal, European Journal of Cardiology-Cardiovascular Imaging; Scientific Reports; Int J Cardiol; J Cardiovasc Med,

Invited lectures at international congresses and events, including: Annual Congress of the European Society of Cardiology (ESC); Annual Congress of the European Association of Cardiovascular Imaging (EACVI); Invited lectures at national scientific congresses and events, including: -Annual congress of the Società Italiana di Cardiologia (Italian Society of Cardiology); Annual congress of the SIECVI Italian Society of Cardiovascular Imaging; Annual Congress of the S.I.C.P Italian Society of Pediatric Cardiology

Additional Information

Number of Publications on Pubmed 299; Number of Citations 12632; H index 52, i-10 index 133

10 publications:

- 1.Reffo E, Stritoni V, Di Salvo G. Inflammatory syndrome in children associated with COVID-19 complicated by acute myocardial infarction. *Eur Heart J*. 2021 Jun 1;42(21):2136. doi: 10.1093/eurheartj/ehab077. PMID: 33609352; PMCID: PMC7928951.
- 2.Sabatino J, De Rosa S, Di Salvo G, Indolfi C. Impact of cardiovascular risk profile on COVID-19 outcome. A meta-analysis. *PLoS One*. 2020 Aug 14;15(8):e0237131. doi: 10.1371/journal.pone.0237131.
- 3.Sabatino J, ...and Di Salvo G. COVID-19 and Congenital Heart Disease: Results from a Nationwide Survey. *J Clin Med*. 2020 Jun 8;9(6):1774. doi:10.3390/jcm9061774. PMID: 32521643; PMCID: PMC7355526.
- 4.Sabatino J, Di Salvo G, et al. Left Ventricular Twist Mechanics to Identify Left Ventricular Noncompaction in Childhood. *Circ Cardiovasc Imaging*. 2019 Apr;12(4):e007805. doi:10.1161/CIRCIMAGING.118.007805. PMID: 31002265.
- 5.Sabatino J, Di Salvo G, et al. Left Atrial Strain to Identify Diastolic Dysfunction in Children with Cardiomyopathies. *J Clin Med*. 2019 Aug 17;8(8):1243. doi: 10.3390/jcm8081243. PMID: 31426519; PMCID:PMC6722665.
- 6.Budts W, ...and , Di Salvo G. Imaging the adult with simple shunt lesions: position paper from the EACVI and the ESC WG on ACHD. Endorsed by AEPC (Association for European Paediatric and Congenital Cardiology). *Eur Heart J Cardiovasc Imaging*. 2021 10;22(6):e58-e70. doi: 10.1093/ehjci/jeaa314. PMID: 33338215.
- 7.Di Salvo G, et al. ; 2016–2018 EACVI Scientific Documents Committee. Imaging the adult with congenital heart disease: a multimodality imaging approach-position paper from the EACVI. *Eur Heart J Cardiovasc Imaging*. 2018 Oct 1;19(10):1077-1098. doi: 10.1093/ehjci/ey102. PMID: 30084968.
- 8.Di Salvo G, et al. Atenolol vs enalapril in young hypertensive patients after successful repair of aortic coarctation. *J Hum Hypertens*. 2016 Jun;30(6):363-7. doi: 10.1038/jhh.2015.87. Epub 2015 Aug 20. PMID: 26290275.
- 9.Fadel BM, ...and Di Salvo G. Intermittent entrapment of a prosthetic mitral valve disc: what you see is not what you get. *Circulation*. 2014 Jan 14;129(2):e11-3. doi: 10.1161/CIRCULATIONAHA.113.003918. PMID: 24421364.
- 10.Fadel BM, Bech-Hanssen O, Al-Admawi M, Al-Mahdi B, Al-Hashim A, Di Salvo G, Ahmed W. Stuck mechanical tricuspid valve prosthesis: the valve that does not move. *Circulation*. 2012 Nov 27;126(22):e335-6. doi: 10.1161/CIRCULATIONAHA.112.137430. PMID: 23184285.

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