

CURRICULUM VITAE

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Education:

<i>Institution Degree(s) or Diploma(s) obtained:</i>	High school
<i>Date:</i>	1982
	Diploma
<i>Institution Degree(s) or Diploma(s) obtained:</i>	University of Milan, Italy
<i>Date:</i>	1987
	Degree in Food Science and Technology
<i>Institution Degree(s) or Diploma(s) obtained:</i>	University of Milan, Italy
<i>Date:</i>	1992
	PhD in Food and Environmental Toxicology

Membership of professional bodies:

Member of the Italian Society of Toxicology
Member of the American Society of Toxicology
1999-2005 Treasures of the Italian Association for in vitro Toxicology
2009-2013 Member of EUROTOX Education Sub Committee
2005-2011 Chair of the Immunotoxicology and Chemical Specialty Section at EUROTOX
2010-2016 Member of the IUTOX Executive Committee
2013-2016 Member of the EUROTOX Executive Committee

Present position: Associate professor of Toxicology at the School of Pharmacy at the Università degli Studi di Milano, Italy

Years within the organisation: 26 years

Key qualifications:

At present, the primary focus of her laboratory centers on the refinement of alternative in vitro tests to identify and discriminate contact allergens from irritants and respiratory sensitizers, based on the use of DC-like cells and keratinocytes, and to classify allergens according to their potency. The other area of research centers on the understanding at the molecular level the mechanism of action of immunotoxic/immunomodulatory compounds (i.e. perfluorinated compounds, pesticides, vegetal extracts) on innate and adaptive immunity. Finally, immunosenescence represents the other area of interest of her laboratory. Specifically, studies are being conducted to define the role of RACK1 and protein kinase C in the decline or remodeling of the immune responses associated with aging, and to identify compounds able to reverse such changes (i.e. DHEA, natural extracts). She is author of more than 130 publications in peer-reviewed journals and 20 book chapters.

She is the recipient of several awards and honors, including Award for the best paper published in *Fundamental and Applied Toxicology* (21: 71-81, 1993); Outstanding Young Investigator Award from the Immunotoxicology Specialty Section of the SOT (2004); Recipient of the EUROTOX/P&G "Animal Alternatives Award 2008".

Professional Experience Record:

Date:	From 8/1989 to 3/1992
Location	USA
Company	NIEHS
Position	Post doctoral fellow
Date:	From 11/1994 to 3/1995
Location	UK
Company	AstraZeneca
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Date:	From 7/1995 to 8/1995
Location	USA
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Position	Visiting scientist

Publication record (selected 2009-2015)

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