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Istruzione e formazione

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Titolo della qualifica rilasciata	Specializzazione in Chirurgia generale ad indirizzo chirurgia d'urgenza
Principali tematiche/competenza professionali possedute	Chirurgia generale
Nome e tipo d'organizzazione erogatrice dell'istruzione e formazione	Università di Milano
Livello nella classificazione nazionale o internazionale	ISCED 5A (Field of Education: 72)

Date	1993
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Principali tematiche/competenza professionali possedute	Medicina e Chirurgia
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Ulteriori informazioni

- Membro della Sarcoma Task Force della European Society for Medical Oncology (ESMO)
- Membro del consiglio direttivo della Connective Tissue Oncology Society (CTOS) 2009-2012, tesoriere nel 2013, segretario nel 2014, vice presidente nel 2015, presidente nel 2016, past president 2017
- Membro del consiglio direttivo dell'Italian Sarcoma Group (ISG)
- Membro del consiglio direttivo della Società Italiana di Chirurgia Oncologica (SICO), presidente eletto per il 2019-2021
- Chair del Soft Tissue and Bone Sarcoma Group dell'EORTC 2015-2017; Past Chair 2018-2019.
- Membro dell' International Committee della Society of Surgical Oncology (SSO) 2009-2011
- Membro del Sarcoma Disease Site Working Group Society of Surgical Oncology (SSO) 2018-2021
- Section Editor per i Sarcomi degli Annals of Surgical Oncology 2009-2014
- Associate Editor di Sarcoma Journal
- Associate Editor of Clinical Sarcoma Research
- Associate editor of Journal of Surgical Oncology
- Membro Onorario della Società Polacca di Chirurgia Oncologica
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 - European Society for Medical Oncology (ESMO)
 - European Muscolo-Skeletal Oncology Society (EMSOS)
 - Society of Surgical Oncology (SSO)
 - American Society of Clinical Oncology (ASCO)
 - Connective Tissue Oncology Society (CTOS)
 - Associazione Europea di Chirurgia (ESA)
 - Società Europea di Chirurgia Oncologica (ESSO)
 - Società Italiana di Chirurgia Oncologica (SICO)
 - Società Italiana di Chirurgia (SIC)

Pubblicazioni: v. Allegati 1-2-3-4

Esperienza in trial clinici: v. Allegato 5

- Allegati**
- Allegato 1: Elenco delle **Pubblicazioni censite da Meline, in inglese**
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Allegato 1

Elenco delle pubblicazioni censite da Meline, in inglese

1. Bozzetti F., Bertario L., Rossetti C., Gennari L., Andreola S., Baratti D., **Gronchi A.** Surgical treatment of locally recurrent rectal carcinoma. *Disease of the Colon Rectum* 1997; 40 (12): 1421-1424.
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Annex 5

Elenco dei Trial Clinici condotti

- Localized High-Risk Soft Tissue Sarcomas of the Extremities and Superficial Trunk in Adults; an Integrated Approach Comprising 3 or 5 Cycles of Adjuvant Chemotherapy. A prospective controlled randomized trial from Italians Sarcoma Group and Spanish Sarcoma Group. **Principal Investigator**. Study accrual closed in 2007 (328 patients recruited). Reported at ASCO as oral presentation in 2010. Published in J Clin Oncol in 2012 and Ann Oncol in 2016
- A Multicenter Phase II Clinical Trial of Neoadjuvant Trabectedin (YONDELIS®) in Patients with Localized Myxoid / Round Cell Liposarcoma. **Principal Investigator**. Study accrual closed in 2009 (30 patients recruited); reported at ESMO as oral presentation in 2009 and at ASCO as poster discussion in 2009. Published in Ann Oncol in 2012.
- Preoperative Chemo-Radiation Therapy in Retroperitoneal Soft Tissue Sarcomas (\pm Radiation Boost). A multicentric phase II study from Italian Sarcoma Group. **Principal Investigator**. Study accrual closed in 2010 (86 patients recruited). Preliminary results reported at ASCO as poster discussion and at CTOS as oral presentation in 2011. Final results reported at ASCO in 2013 as poster discussion. Published in Eur J Cancer in 2014 and Ann Surg Oncol in 2017
- A Phase III Randomized Study Evaluating Surgery of Residual Disease in Patients with Metastatic Gastro-Intestinal Stromal Tumor Responding to Imatinib Mesylate. A EORTC study (62063). **Principal Investigator**. Closed in advance for poor accrual in 2011 (12 patients recruited)
- Localized High-Risk Soft Tissue Sarcomas of the Extremities and Trunk Wall in Adults: an Integrating Approach Comprising Standard vs Histotype-Tailored Neoadjuvant Chemotherapy. **Principal Investigator**. Accrual started in 2011. Interim Analysis published in Lancet Oncol 2017
- A phase III randomized study of preoperative radiotherapy plus surgery versus surgery alone for patients with retroperitoneal sarcoma. A EORTC study (62092-22092). **Coinvestigator**. Accrual started in 2012
- Tailored Beta-catenin mutational approach in extra-abdominal sporadic desmoids tumor patients: an observational study. **Principal Investigator**. Accrual started in 2013
- Phase I-II prospective trial, multicenter, open label, exploring the combination of Trabectedin plus Radiotherapy in Soft Tissue Sarcoma patients (TRASTS). **Principal Investigator**. Accrual started in 2015
- NBTXR3-301 - A multicenter randomized, open-label phase II/III study, to compare the efficacy of NBTXR3, implanted as intratumor injection and activated by radiotherapy, versus radiotherapy alone in patients with locally advanced soft tissue sarcoma of the extremity and trunk wall. **Coinvestigator**. Accrual started in 2016
- Sacral Chordoma: a Randomized & Observational study on surgery versus definitive radiation therapy in primary localized disease (SACRO). **Principal Investigator**. Accrual started in 2017

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