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Curriculum Vitae

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I. Personal Data

Name	Giuseppe Remuzzi
Residence	Via Fontana, 4 - 24100 Bergamo, Italy
Date and place of birth	April 3, 1949 - Bergamo, Italy
Citizenship	Italian

II. Educational Background

1964 - 1969	- High School in Bergamo
July 4, 1974	- M.D. Degree, University of Pavia (cum laude)
Aug 20, 1977	- Specialization in Laboratory and Clinical Hematology, University of Milan
Oct 16, 1980	- Specialization in Clinical Nephrology, University of Milan (cum laude)

III. Chronology of Employment and Clinical Appointments

1974 - 1975	- Resident Fellow, Division of Internal Medicine, Ospedale Briolini, Gazzaniga, Bergamo
1975 - 1986	- Assistant Professor, Division of Nephrology and Dialysis, Ospedali Riuniti, Bergamo
1986 - 1999	- Associate Professor, Division of Nephrology and Dialysis, Ospedali Riuniti, Bergamo
1979	- Research Fellow at Cell Biology Laboratory, Institute of Animal Physiology, Babraham, Cambridge, U.K.
1980	- Research Fellow at Clinical Science Laboratory, Guy's Hospital Medical School, London, U.K.
1980-1983	- Consultant Nephrologist at "Mario Negri" Institute for Pharmacological Research, Milan
1984	- Head, Laboratory of Kidney Disease, "Mario Negri", Bergamo
1984 - present	- Research Coordinator, "Mario Negri" Institute for Pharmacological Research, Bergamo (opened January 1984)
1992	- Research Coordinator, Clinical Research Center for Rare Diseases 'Aldo e Cele Dacco', Mario Negri Institute, Ranica, Bergamo
1996 –2013 (October)	- Director, Public-Private Department of Medicine and Transplantation, Ospedali Riuniti di Bergamo/Mario Negri Institute
1999-2018 (June)	- Director, Division of Nephrology and Dialysis, Ospedali Riuniti di Bergamo
2004 (November)-2018 (June)	- Director, Department of Immunology and Transplant Medicine, Azienda Ospedaliera Ospedali Riuniti di Bergamo
2011(March)-2015(December)	- Director, Department of Medicine, Azienda Ospedaliera Papa Giovanni XXIII di Bergamo
2018 (July) - present	- Director, Mario Negri Institute for Pharmacological Research
2019 (February)	- Member, Health Council for the Health Italian Minister
2019 (November) – present	- Vice President, Italian Institute for Planetary Health (IIPH)

IV. Professorships

1985 - 1989	- Adjunct Professor, Department of Microbiology and Immunology, New York Medical College, Valhalla, N.Y.
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- 1986 - 1989 - Adjunct Professor, Department of Urology, University of Padoa
- 1987 - 1990 - Adjunct Professor, Department of Hematology, University of Milan
- 1989 - Visiting Professor, Department of Medicine, Renal Division, Brigham and Women's Hospital, Boston
- 1990 - Visiting Professor, Department of Medicine, Renal Division, Stanford University Hospital, Stanford
- 1990 - 1994 - Adjunct Professor, Department of Medicine, University of Brescia, Brescia
- 1991 - Visiting Professor, University of Western Ontario, Ontario, Canada
- 1992 - Visiting Professor, University College and Middlesex School of Medicine, London, UK
- Visiting Professor, University of Alabama, Birmingham - University of Florida, Gainesville
- 1991 - 1994 - Visiting Professor, University College London Medical School, London
- 1995 - Visiting Professor, Penn Center for Molecular Studies of Kidney Diseases, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia
- Co-workshop leader, "Mechanisms of Progression of Renal Disease", Strategies for Delaying the Progression of Renal Disease, Barcelona, Spain
- 1996 - Lance Lipton Visiting Professor, Division of Nephrology, University of Toronto, Canada
- 1996 - Visiting Professor, Division of Nefrology, Department of Medicine, UNIFESP, Escola Paulista de Medicina, University San Paulo, Brasil
- 1998 - Visiting Professor, Australian and New Zealand Society of Nephrology, Auckland, New Zealand
- 1998 - Visiting Professor, National Kidney Foundation - , Nashville, March 26-29,1998
- 2000 - Max Martin Salick Visiting Professor, University of California, Los Angeles, USA
- 2001 - Visiting Professor, Division of Nephrology, Guy's Hospital, London, U.K.
- Visiting Professor, Faculty of Medicine and Surgery, Clinical Pathology, University of Turin
- 2004 - The Paul Teschan Visiting Professor, Divison of Nephrology & Hypertension, Vanderbilt University Medical Center
- 2005 - Visiting Professor, National Kidney Foundation, 2005 Spring Clinical Meetings, Washington, USA
- Visiting Professor, Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, USA
- 2007 - C. Craig Tisher Visiting Professor, University of Florida, Jacksonville and Gainesville, USA
- 2008 - Distinguished Visiting Professor Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center and Harvard Medical College, Boston, USA
- 2009 - Visiting Professor of the Moscow City Nephrology Center, Moscow, Russia
- 2012 - Gabor Zellerman Visiting Professor, Sr. Michael's Hospital, University of Toronto, Canada
- Visiting Professor Wake Forest School of Medicine, Winston-Salem, USA
- 2014 - Visiting Professor Northwestern University, Feinberg School of Medicine, Division of Nephrology, Chicago, Illinois, USA
- Professor, Sector: Endocrinology, Nephrology, Food and Welness Sciences, National Academic Qualification – MIUR (Ministero dell'Istruzione, dell'Università e della Ricerca), Italy
- 2015 - "chiara fama" , Professor of Nephrology, University Statale, Milan, Italy

Memberships/Appointments/ Honours in Scientific Societies, Committees, Commissions

- 1979 - present - Scientific Secretary (with G. de Gaetano and G. Tognoni) of the International Registry for Hemolytic Uremic Syndrome
- 1983 - present - Italian Society of Nephrology
- 1984 - present - International Society of Nephrology
- American Society of Nephrology

- 1987 - present
 - European Dialysis and Transplant Association
 - American Federation for Clinical Research
 - Society of Italian-American Nephrologists
- 1988
 - International Society of Thrombosis and Haemostasis
 - Member of the Nominating Committee of the International Society of Nephrology
 - National Kidney Foundation
 - National Kidney Foundation - Council on Hypertension
- 1989 - 1997
 - Secretary of the Society of Italian-American Nephrologists, Inc.
- 1990 - 1991
 - Advisory Committee on future Congresses of the ISN
- 1992
 - Faculty member at the post-graduate educational course on renal disease progression, Cambridge
- 1993
 - Member of the "South American Committee" of the International Society of Nephrology, "Commission for Developing Countries"
 - Member of the Steering Committee of European Kidney Research Forum (EKRF)
 - The New York Academy of Sciences
 - Loys Joy Galler Foundation for Hemolytic Uremic Syndrome, New York, USA
 - International Member of the American Association for the Advancement of Science
- 1994
 - Faculty member at the Sixteenth Annual Course in Contemporary Issues in Nephrology, Harvard Medical School, Boston, USA
 - Member of the International Advisory Board of the International Nephrological Research and Training Center, Hungary
 - Member of the ISN "Scientific Advisory Committee" for the ISN 1997, Sydney, Australia
 - National Kidney Foundation - Council on Transplantation
- 1995
 - Member of the International Advisory Board of VTEC infections Symposium, June 1997, Baltimore, USA
- 1996
 - Steering Committee member of the Losartan Diabetic Endpoint Study
 - 'Expert Opinion' for the Conference on 'Measurement of Renal Function in Progressive Renal Diseases', National Institute of Health, Washington, September 11-12, 1996
 - Organizer of the European Kidney Research Forum 1996, Baveno, Italy
- 1996 - 1997
 - Member of "Commission for Analysis of dissipation in Health and Rationalization of Costs", Forum for Biomedical Research, Milan, Italy
- 1997
 - Member of the Scientific Committee for the Project "Infezioni Opportunistiche e Tuberculosis", Ministry of Health, Rome, Italy
 - Member of the ISN Scientific Program Committee for the WCN 1999, Buenos Aires, Argentina
 - Member of the European Commission Advisory Group on 5th. framework programme proposals on Genomes, Diseases of Genetic Origin and Rare Diseases, Brussels, Belgium
 - Member of the Scientific Committee for the Department of Drugs valuation and Pharmacological control (EMEA), Ministry of Health, Rome, Italy
 - Member of Joint ASTP/ASTS Task Force on Transplantation Tolerance, Co-Chair Group: 'Intrathymic Tolerance', Chicago, USA
- 1998
 - Member of the Medical Advisory Board, Baxter Extramural Grant Program
 - Faculty member of the American Society of Nephrology 1998, Board Review Course & Update
 - Faculty member at NIH, 'Consensus Conference on Proteinuria', March 28, 1998
- (may)
 - Association of American Physicians, Washington, Honorary membership
- (may)
 - Fellow of the Royal College of Physicians (FRCP), London, UK
- (july)
 - Feature: Giuseppe Remuzzi: dreaming of no more renal dialysis. The Lancet 1998,352;296
- 1998 - 2004
 - Commission for 'International Clinical Trials' of the International Society of Nephrology
- 1998
 - Member of Advisory Committee for 'The Sixth Basic Sciences Symposium

- of Transplantation Society, August 25-29, Asilomar, USA
- Member of Biomedical Scientific Committee of the Kidney Foundation of Canada
- Member of the Scientific Committee for the Project "Infezioni Opportunistiche e Tubercolosi", Ministry of Health, Rome, Italy
- 1999 - Member of Scientific Committee for 'European Kidney Research Association' (EKRA-EKRF) for the XXXVII Congress of ERA-EDTA, Nice, September, 2000
- Member of the International Advisory Board of the 1st. National Course in Nephrology, Bolivian Renal Research Project, La Paz, Bolivia
- Member of "Working Group on Hand Transplantation", Monza, Italy
- Tubular Disorders, 1999 Annual Meeting of the American Society of Nephrology, Miami, November 5-8
- Member of "Working group on Xenotransplantation", National Committee on Biosecurity and Biotechnology, Presidenza del Consiglio dei Ministri, Rome, Italy
- 2000 - Member of "Study Commission on Rare Diseases", Department of Prevention, Ministry of Health, Rome, Italy
- Chairman of the ISN - COMGAN Research Subcommittee
- (december) - Member of "Commission on Health Research", Department of Planning, Ministry of Health, Rome, Italy
- 2001 - Member of the Steering- and Writing Committee of the RENAAL Study
- "Angiotensin II Antagonist Investigators Award for Renal Disease" for research career, Merck Sharp & Dohme
- 2002 - 2005 - Member of ASN Transplant Advisory Group
- 2003 - Member of Scientific Committee of "Associazione Trenta Ore per la Vita"
- Member of Subcommittee "Sperimentazione cliniche ed usi speciali", Commissione Unica del Farmaco (CUF)
- Member of International Scientific Board regarding the project: "Sviluppo clinico di Repertaxin", Dompé S.p.A., Italy
- Councilor of the International Society of Nephrology (ISN)
- 2003-present - Honorary appointment as Affiliated Professor, Dept. of Internal Medicine of the Faculty of Health Medicine and Life Sciences, University of Maastricht, The Netherlands
- 2003-2009 - Adjunct Professor, Department of Molecular and Experimental Medicine, Scripps Research Institute, La Jolla, California, USA
- Member of ISMETT Advisory Board
- Member of "Gruppo 2003" – highly cited scientists according to the Thomson Institute for Scientific Information, Philadelphia, USA
- 2005 - Recipient ISN Jean Hamburger Award – WCN Singapore, June 27th. 2005
- Member of the "ISN Publications Committee"
- Member of the Committee: Comitato Strategico per il Welfare", Regione Lombardia, Italy
- 2006 - Decoration (Commendatore) of the President of the Republic of Italy, Carlo Azeglio Ciampi to the Italian scientific members of "Gruppo 2003" as for their scientific research achievements.
- Chairman of Data Safety Monitoring Committee of the WHO multicentre, observational study entitled: "Screening for Pre-eclampsia: evaluation of the predictive ability of angiogenic factors for pre-eclampsia"
- The Shaul Massry Distinguished Lecture and Award, Spring Clinical Meetings, NKF Chicago, april 2006
- 2006-2009 - Member of the "Consiglio Superiore di Sanità", Italian Ministry of Health
- 2007 - Recipient John P. Peters Award – Annual Congress of American Society of Nephrology (ASN), San Francisco, November 2nd, 2007
- 2008 - Professor Honoris Causa, University of Cordoba, Argentina, August 2008
- recipient of the "Andrea Palladio '500 International Award", Vicenza, November 2008
- 2009 - Member of the ERA/EDTA 2010 Scientific Committee

- 2009-2015 - Member of the International Council for Research Grants of the Dutch Kidney Foundation
- 2011 - Recipient ISN AMGEN Award and plenary lecturer - WCN Vancouver, April 10th. 2011
- Nomination ISN President elect 2013-2015 - WCN Vancouver, April 2011
- Third Edition of the International Award
- Fellow of the Royal College of Physicians (FRCP), Edinburgh, Scotland
- "Luis Hernando" assigned by the Iñigo Alvarez de Toledo Renal Foundation (FRIAT) in Madrid, Spain, November 2011

- 2012-2013 - Chair, Alexion Pharmaceuticals - Data Monitoring Committee,
- Protocol title 1: "A randomized open-label, multicenter trial to determine safety and efficacy of Eculuzimab in the prevention of antibody mediated rejection (AMR) in living donor kidney transplant recipients requiring desensitization therapy"

- Protocol title 2: "An open-label, single arm. Multicenter trial to determine safety and efficacy of Eculuzimab in the prevention of antibody mediated rejection in sensitized recipients of a kidney transplant from a deceased donor"

- 2013 (June)-2015 - President, International Society of Nephrology (ISN, 2013-2015)

- 2014 - Member of the Commission "Research and Innovation", Italian Ministry of Health, Rome
- Recipient of the Award: Premio di Cultura Medica "Giuseppe Roi" , Vicenza, May 2014
- Recipient of the Award, Rosa Camuna, Regione Lombardia, Milan, May 2014
- Coordinator of the Commission of Institutional relations, Società Italiana di Nefrologia (SIN)

- 2015 - Recipient of the Award "Premio Evidence", Fondazione GIMBE, Bologna, Italy
- Member of Ethics Committee (Comitato Etico) of Fondazione Veronesi

- 2015 - Member of the Board of Directors of Italian Public Health Institute (Istituto Superiore di Sanità)

- 2016 - Member of the Ministry of Health's Permanent Technical Consultation Group for Transplants

- 2017 - Finalist for the European Inventor Award 2017, category "Industry"

- 2017 - Member of the Scientific Committee of "Fatebenefratelli per la ricerca e la formazione sanitaria e sociale" Foundation

- 2018 - Member of the Health Advisory Board - Cineca

- 2018 - Member of the International Advisory Board of RegMed XB

- 2018 - Recipient of the Award "Lennox K. Black International Prize for Excellence in medicine", Philadelphia, US

- 2018 - Member of the EU Academy of Sciences ((EUAS)
- 2019 - Member of the "Consiglio Superiore di Sanità", Italian Ministry of Health
- 2020 - Member Comitato Scientifico Center for Global Health, Research and Studies
- 2021 - UDNI Working Group (Undiagnosed Diseases Network International)
- 2022 - Member of the Scientific Committee of the scientific journal Nutrimentum et

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| | Curae |
| | - Decoration (Cavaliere di GranCroce) by the President of the Republic of Italy, Sergio Mattarella |
| 2023 | - XXV Capo d'Orlando International Award, section scientific divulgation, Vico Equense |
| 2024 | - Corresponding Member of the Academy of the Lincei - Physical, Mathematical and Natural Sciences (Category V: Biological Sciences and Applications - Section D: Physiology, Pharmacology and Neurosciences) |
| | - GBD Principal Collaborator |
| 2025 | - Vice president of the "Consiglio Superiore di Sanità", Italian Ministry of Health |

VI. Didactic experience in the field of supervising medical doctors and researchers

A. Professor Giuseppe Remuzzi was responsible for the supervision of the following medical doctors and researchers regarding their graduation theses / post-doctoral education and/or post-graduate training:

Graduation theses in medicine and surgery

Arrigo Schieppati
 Eliana Gotti
 Donatella Marchesi
 Fiorenza Pusineri
 Margherita Massazza
 Marco Tagliaferri
 Norberto Perico
 Mario Panigada
 Manuela Cortinovis
 Valerio Albani Rocchetti
 Luisa Imberti
 Mauro Abbate
 Lidia Mosconi
 Erica Daina

Post-graduate training in nephrology

Arrigo Schieppati
 Eliana Gotti
 Donatella Marchesi
 Fiorenza Pusineri
 Margherita Massazza
 Marco Tagliaferri
 Norberto Perico
 Stefano Rota
 Piero Ruggenti

Post-graduate training in biology

Marina Morigi
 Antonella Picinelli

Research training (equivalent to Ph.D. thesis)

Ariela Benigni
 Carla Zoja
 Marina Noris
 Marina Morigi
 Federica Casiraghi

Research training visiting scientists

Raul Plata (Bolivia)

Wim Laurens	(Belgium)
Roberto Cruz	(Bolivia)
Radoslaw Lapinski	(Poland)
Eman Khalil	(Egypt)
Ricardo Amaru	(Bolivia)
Xue Hui Liu	(China)
Simon Oldroyd	(United Kingdom)
Krzysztof Konopka	(Poland)
Ludmila Perez Bustillos	(Bolivia)
Ehab Mohamed	(Egypt)
Jaroslav Szymczuk	(Poland)
Agnieszka Czauz	(Poland)
Jens Lutz	(Germany)
Yoshitaka Akagi	(Japan)
Agnieszka Dobrzynska	(Poland)
Marta Riera	(Spain)
Luciana De Moraes	(Brasil)
Malgorzata Klimiuk	(Poland)
Jaroslav Drsata	(Czechoslovakia)
Daniel Ostermann	(Argentina, Ph.D.thesis)
Ianine Sloomstra	(The Netherlands)
Antoaneta Decheva	(Bulgary)
Maria Mazerska	(Poland)
Claudio Flores	(Chile)
Rossmilda Gargia Vargas	(Bolivia)
Ilian Iliev	(Bulgary)
Maria Ruiz Torres	(Spain)
Agostina Anabaya	(Bolivia)
Cecilia Viscarra De La Torre	(Bolivia)
Nuria Garcia Fernandez	(Spain)
Regiane Cavinato	(Brasile)
Afig Gusseinov	(Russia)
Alberto Aros	(Chile)
Nadezdha Koleva	(Bulgary)
Antonia Deliyankova)	(Bulgary)

B. Present functions of medical doctors and researchers who completed their study under the supervision of Doctor Giuseppe Remuzzi

Medical doctors:

Dr. Arrigo Schieppati

Associate Professor, Division of Nephrology and Dialysis, Hospital Papa Giovanni XXIII, Bergamo
Head, International relations office of rare diseases, Clinical Research Center for Rare Diseases Aldo e Cele

Daccò, Mario Negri Institute for Pharmacological Research IRCCS, Bergamo

Dr. Eliana Gotti

Associate Professor, Division of Nephrology and Dialysis, Hospital Papa Giovanni XXIII, Bergamo

Dr. Stefano Rota

Associate Professor, Division of Nephrology and Dialysis, Hospital Papa Giovanni XXIII, Bergamo

Dr. Piero Ruggenti

Associate Professor, Division of Nephrology and Dialysis, Hospital Papa Giovanni XXIII, Bergamo
Head, Department of Renal Medicine, Clinical Research Center for Rare Diseases Aldo e Cele
Daccò, Mario Negri Institute for Pharmacological Research IRCCS, Bergamo

Dr. Norberto Perico

Head, Laboratory of Advanced Development of Drugs, Clinical Research Center for Rare Diseases Aldo e Cele Daccò, Mario Negri Institute for Pharmacological Research IRCCS, Bergamo

Dr. Erica Daina

Head, Laboratory of Rare Diseases Documentation and Research, Clinical Research Center for Rare Diseases Aldo e Cele Daccò, Mario Negri Institute for Pharmacological Research IRCCS, Bergamo

Dr. Lidia Mosconi

Research fellow, Clinical Research Center for Rare Diseases Aldo e Cele Daccò, Mario Negri Institute for Pharmacological Research IRCCS, Bergamo

Researchers:

Dr. Ariela Benigni

Head, Department of Molecular Medicine Mario Negri Institute for Pharmacological Research IRCCS, Bergamo

Dr. Carla Zoja

Head, Laboratory of Pathophysiology of experimental renal disease and Interaction with other organs, Mario Negri Institute for Pharmacological Research IRCCS, Bergamo

Dr. Marina Noris

Head, Laboratory of Immunology and Genetics of Rare Diseases, Mario Negri Institute for Pharmacological Research IRCCS, Bergamo

Dr. Daniela Macconi

Head, Laboratory of Renal Biophysics, Mario Negri Institute for Pharmacological Research IRCCS, Bergamo

Dr. Marina Morigi

Head, Laboratory of Cell Biology and Regenerative Medicine, Mario Negri Institute for Pharmacological Research IRCCS, Bergamo

Dr. Mauro Abbate

Head, Unit of Pathology and Immunopathology, Mario Negri Institute for Pharmacological Research IRCCS, Bergamo

C. Co - promotor :

Ph. D. thesis of Ariela Benigni, University of Maastricht, The Netherlands.

Title: "Role of endothelin in progressive proteinuric nephropathies".

Ph. D. thesis of Carla Zoja, University of Maastricht, The Netherlands.

Title: "Renal toxicity of proteins".

Pd.D. thesis of Federica Casiraghi, University of Maastricht, The Netherlands.

Title: "Mesenchymal stromal cells to induce tolerance to solid organ transplantation"

D. Promotor :

Ph.D. thesis of Marina Morigi, University of Maastricht, The Netherlands

Title: "Unravelling molecular and biochemical dysfunction by shiga toxin: Implication for Thrombotic Microangiopathy in Hemolytic Uremic Syndrome"

Ph.D. thesis of Marina Noris, University of Maastricht, The Netherlands

VII. Invited Lecturer at the following International Meetings

- 1983 - Sixth International Symposium of Pediatric Nephrology, Hannover, Germany
- 1984 - IXth International Congress of Nephrology, Los Angeles, USA
- 17th Annual Meeting of the American Society of Nephrology, Washington, USA
- 1986 - 6th International Conference on Prostaglandins and Related Compounds, Florence, Italy
- 18th S. Carlo Course on Advances in Nephrology and Dialysis, Milan, Italy
- 1987 - International Symposium on Renal Eicosanoids, "The role of eicosanoids and PAF in experimental glomerulonephritis", Capri, Italy
- XIth International Congress on Thrombosis and Haemostasis, Bruxelles, Belgium
- 19th S. Carlo Course on Advances in Nephrology and Dialysis, "Prostaglandine, thrombossano e leucotrieni", Milan, Italy
- 1988 - Necker's Seminars in Nephrology, "Bleeding disorders in uremia: pathophysiology and treatment", Paris, France
- International Workshop on Acute Renal Failure in Intensive Therapy Unit, "Mediators of renal damage in acute renal failure", Avignon, France
- 2nd Verona Seminar in Nephrology, "Role of coagulations factors in the progression of experimental renal disease", Verona, Italy
- 20th S. Carlo Course on Advances in Nephrology and Dialysis, "Ruolo della proteinuria come causa di sclerosi mesangiale", Milan, Italy
- 1989 - International Nephrological Congress, "NSAI drugs and glomerulonephritis", Bologna, Italy
- International Congress on Pediatric Nephrology, "The pathogenesis of HUS: The roles of prostacyclin, thromboxane multimers and platelet activating factors", Toronto, Canada
- 1990 - Eighth Annual Meeting of the International Society of Blood Purification, "Endothelial derived vasoactive mediators and platelet function", Salsomaggiore, Italy
- Uraemia in the '90's, "Erythropoietin to correct uraemic bleeding", Leicester, UK
- 7th International Conference on Prostaglandins and Related Compounds, "Interleukin-1b (IL-1b) and tumor necrosis factor-a (TNF-a) induce gene expression on interleukin-8 (IL-8), monocyte chemoattractant protein-1 (MCP-1) colony stimulating factors (CSF) and interleukin-6 (IL-6) in human cultured mesangial cells (MC)", Florence, Italy
- 1st International Conference on Thrombotic Thrombocytopenic Purpura (TTP) Research, "Are TTP and HUS the same disease?", Pavia, Italy
- NATO Advanced Study Institute, "Altered renovascular endothelial functions during nephrotoxicity", Corfù, Greece
- XIth Int. Congress of Nephrology, "Pathogenesis/Prostaglandins/Endothelials", Tokyo, Japan
- XXVIth Congress of the European Dialysis and Transplant Association European Renal Association - EDTA - ERA, "Endothelin", Vienna, Austria (chairman)
- 3rd Verona Seminar on Nephrology, "Antiplatelet agents: effects on the progressive renal disease", Verona, Italy
- XXV Congresso Nazionale della Società Italiana di Farmacologia, "Modelli animali di malattie renali", Taormina-Giardini Naxos, Italy
- XXIVth Congress of the European Society for Pediatric Nephrology, "The role of endothelial cell activation in the progression of glomerular injury", Roma, Italy
- VII World Congress of Hypertension in Pregnancy, "The effect of ASA on thromboxane and prostacyclin biosynthesis in pregnancy hypertension, concluding remarks", Perugia, Italy
- 22nd Course on advances in Nephrology and Dialysis, Milan, Italy
- 1991 - 3rd European Glomerular Cell Biology Study Group, Gregynog, Wales
- 2nd European Nephrology Forum Conference, Talloires, France

- 5th European Congress of Hypertension, "Studies on the renal protective effect of angiotensin converting enzyme inhibition (ACE-1) in aging rats", Milan, Italy
 - "Rein - Epuration Plasmatique, Immunologie Clinique et Transplantation", "HUS or plasma manipulation in Hemolytic Thrombotic Thrombocytopenic Purpura", Dijon, France
 - Trombosi Arteriosa: Eicosanoidi e Attivazione Cellulare, "Prostaglandine urinarie e nefropatia diabetica", Milan, Italy
 - XCII Congresso Nazionale della Società Italiana di Medicina Interna, "Modelli sperimentale di danno renale progressivo", Rome, Italy
 - XXVIII Annual Congress of European Dialysis and Transplant Association EDTA, "The endothelium and mesangial cell function", Rimini, Italy
- 1992
- XVIIIa Séminaires d'Uro-Néphrologié Pitié-Salpêtrière, "Current indications and usefulness of anti-platelet agents in renal diseases", Paris, France
 - 7th Conference of the Society for Thrombosis and Hemostase Research, "Platelet dysfunction in uraemia. Causes and Therapy", Heidelberg, Germany
 - International Meeting on "Molecular Approaches to Nephrology: Prospects in diagnosis and management", "Cytokines in glomerular diseases", Bari, Italy
 - The Second Annual Hypertension Investigator's Meeting, "Endothelin and chronic vascular disease", Amelia Island, Florida
 - XII Annual Course of Clinical Nephrology, Mexico City
 - 7th European Colloquium on Renal Physiology, "Interaction on mesangial cell with cytokines", Napels, Italy
 - Renal Transplant Tolerance: Molecular Mechanisms of T cell regulation, "Proteinuria and glomerular damage", Paris, France
 - International Symposium on "Proteinuria and Progressive renal disease", Paris, France
 - 25th Annual Meeting of the American Society of Nephrology, Baltimore, USA
- 1993
- Simposio Internacional Nuevos Avances en el Trasplante Renal, "Thromboxane receptor blockade attenuates chronic cyclosporine nephrotoxicity and improves survival in rats with renal isograft", Madrid, Spain
 - The glomerulus - from tissue culture to man, "Glomerular permselectivity and charge", London, UK
 - 19th Annual Meeting of the American Society of Transplant Surgeons, "Thymic recognition of synthetic polymorphic class II MHC allopeptides induces antigen specific systemic immune unresponsiveness to rat renal allograft, Houston, USA
 - XIIIth International Congress of Nephrology, "Mechanisms of activation of autoreactive cells and mediators of glomerular injury", Jerusalem, Israel
 - Progression of Renal Disease, ISN Satellite Symposium, Tiberias, Israel
 - 11th Meeting of the European Blood Pressure Group, "Mechanisms of progressive renal function loss", Gilleje, Denmark
 - Seminario sui Trapianti d'Organo, "Cenni storici sui trapianti, Problematiche sanitarie legate al rigetto, Prospettive future", Bergamo, Italy
 - VI Congresso Nazionale dell'Organizzazione Italiana Gestosi e Ipertensione In Gravidanza, Siracusa, Italy
 - Satellite Symposium "Immunologically-mediated renal disease", "Inflammation and nephritis", Providence, USA
 - 43rd Annual Meeting of the National Kidney Foundation, "Platelets and coagulation", Boston, USA
 - Hemolytic-Uremic Syndrome Symposium, Boston, USA
 - 26th Annual Meeting of the American Society of Nephrology, Boston, USA
 - Brigham and Women's Hospital, Boston, USA
 - 25th Course on Advances in Nephrology and Dialysis, "Immunopatologia del danno glomerulare: da nuove conoscenze a nuovi farmaci", S. Carlo Hospital, Milan, Italy
- 1994
- Ruprecht-Karls Universitat Heidelberg, "Mediator systems of glomerulonephritis", Heidelberg, Germany
 - Working Group on Pharmaceutical Research of CEE, Brussels, Belgium
 - Universitaire Ziekenhuizen Leuven, "Membranous glomerulonephritis" and "Mechanisms of

- deterioration of renal function in glomerular disease”, Leuven, Belgium
- Seminar on Renal Failure, Manchester, UK
- Royal Society of Medicine, “Pathophysiology of Nephrotic Syndrome”, London, UK
- American Society of Hypertension lecture on” Endothelin as a key modulator of hypertension and progressive renal injury and novel therapeutic strategies” (State of the Art Lecture), New York, USA
- Società Italiana di Nefrologia, “Tolleranza al trapianto renale timo-mediata con cellule e peptidi allogeneici”, Bari, Italy
- Pediatric Heart Transplantation, “Immunotolerance” (State of the Art), Bergamo, Italy
- Frontiers in clinical and experimental diabetology, “Effects of ACE inhibition besides effect on BP and Flow”, Copenhagen, Denmark
- Società Italiana di Pediatria 37th. Advanced Course, “Glomerulonefriti da nuove conoscenze a nuovi farmaci”, Milan, Italy
- International Symposium on Lipids, Atherosclerosis and the Kidney, Role of Lipids in Renal injury, Porto Cervo, Italy (chairman)
- XVII Congresso Brasileiro de Nefrologia: ”Cellular mechanisms of glomerular lesions”, “Progression of renal disease” (State of the Art) and “A case of micro-angiopathy cured by bilateral nephrectomy”, Fortaleza, Brazil
- VTEC '94, “Endothelial cell physiology”, Bergamo, Italy
- XXXI Congress EDTA-ERA, Symposium on Prevention of Progression of Renal Insufficiency, “Experimental evidence from animal studies”, Vienna, Austria
- 5° Seminario Veronese di Nefrologia, Round Table, Lecture on 'quali sono le cause glomerulari di IRA', Verona, Italy
- VIII Conference of the Polish Nephrological Society, “New Insights into the pathogenesis of thrombotic microangiopathies”, Bialystok, Poland
- London Euro Trans Med, Television Presentation “New Renal Treatment Guidelines: The Role of ACE Inhibitors”, London, UK
- Medical Scientific Day, “Mechanisms on progression of renal disease”, Nijmegen, The Netherlands
- 2nd Int. Symposium on uremic toxicity, “Nitric oxide, nitric oxide analogues and other free radicals” (State of the Art), Gent, Belgium
- 3rd European Nephrology Forum Conference, Talloires, France
- XIII International Congress, “Trapianto: riti e miti, realtà ed opinioni, verità e falsità”, Pescara, Italy
- III Congreso de la Societat Catalana de Trasplantament, “Intrathymic tolerance” and “Endothelin in the progression of renal disease”, Barcelona, Spain
- Ospedali Riuniti di Bergamo, Lecture on ‘Consequences of renal functions after obstructive uropathy’, Bergamo, Italy
- 27th Annual Meeting of the American Society of Nephrology, “Hypertension and vascular biology I” (chairman), Orlando, USA
- Satellite symposium on “Exciting Topics in Hypertension”, “Potential role of endothelin in progression of renal disease”, Orlando, USA
- Convention on “Actualities of Nephrology and Diuresis”, “Mechanisms of progression on glomerular diseases”, Florence, Italy
- Karolinska Institute, St. Gorans Hospital, “Endothelin and renal disease progression”, Stockholm, Sweden
- Karolinska Institute, Huddinge Hospital, “The thymic way to transplant tolerance”, Stockholm, Sweden
- Course on “The role of platelet activation in atherosclerosis and thrombosis Lecture on “Thrombotic microangiopathies”, Milan, Italy
- XXVI Course on “Nephrology and dialytic methodes”, Round Table on “Actuality of the proteinuria study as a marker of renal injury” (chairman), Milan, Italy

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- Society of Nephrology, Republic of China, “Endothelin and renal disease progression”, Taipei, Taiwan
- Nephrologisches Forum Monaco, “Thymic immunological manipulation to induce renal transplant tolerance”, Munich, Germany
- III Scientific Meeting of the Spanisch Society of Hypertension, “Calcium antagonists and the kidney”, Madrid, Spain

- Fourth Annual Spring Clinical Nephrology Meeting of the National Kidney Foundation, "Recent advances in thrombotic microangiopathies", Washington DC
- Investigators meeting, "Novel antihypertensives, like the AG II antagonists", Siena, Italy
- IV Congress of the Brazilian Association for Organ Transplantation, "Graft tolerance in humans and experimental animals", "Immunosuppression strategies in the prevention of acute graft rejection" and "Optimizing treatment with cyclosporine after renal transplantation", Curitiba, Brazil
- XXXVI Congress of the Italian Society of Nephrology, "Abnormal glomerular permeability and renal disease progression", Genoa, Italy
- 10th Scientific Meeting of the American Society of Hypertension, "Modulation of endothelin receptors in hypertension and renal pathophysiology", New York, USA
- International Symposium of Progression of Chronic Renal Diseases, "Proteins abnormally filtered throughout glomerular capillary have an intrinsic renal toxicity", Fuji, Shizuoka, Japan
- XXXIIInd. EDTA-ERA Congress, "Endothelin Antagonists" (State of the Art), "Proteinuria, effects on glomerular and tubular cells", Athens, Greece
- Third Annual Meeting of the Nantes "Institute de Transplantation et de Recherche en Transplantation", Roundtable organizer, Nantes, France
- XIIIth International Congress of Nephrology, "Thrombotic microangiopathy: pathogenesis and therapeutic modalities", Chairman symposium: "Endothelium and hemostasis", Madrid, Spain
- ISN Satellite Symposium on Chronic Renal Allograft Failure, "Lessons from therapeutic interventions with newer agents in experimental models of long term vascular rejection" (co-chair), "Is there any clinical evidence to indicate that cyclosporine A toxicity is progressive", Cuenca, Spain
- First International Congress on Uremia Research, "Is proteinuria toxic to the kidney and does it lead to progression of renal failure", Trieste, Italy
- Clinical Hypertension in Nephrology, "Evidence for a role of NO in hypertension and in renal disease in man, Calabria, Italy
- Strategies for delaying the progression of renal disease, "Mechanisms of Progression of Renal Disease", "The role of lipids in Renal Disease" (co-workshop leader), Barcelona, Spain
- Penn Center for Molecular Studies of Kidney Diseases, "Hemolytic Uremic Syndrome Revisited", "Mechanisms and mediators of donor-specific tolerance triggered by MHC allopeptides", Philadelphia, USA
- X National Congress of 'Associazione Medici Diabetologici', "Angiotensin converting enzyme inhibitors reduce proteinuria and retard renal disease progression in diabetic nephropathy", Belvedere Marittimo, Italy
- 2nd. International Symposium on Transplant Tolerance, "Mechanisms and Mediators of donor specific tolerance triggered by MHC allopeptides", Ranica, Bergamo, Italy
- Meeting: Nel Segno di Ippocrate, "Orphan Drugs", Rimini, Italy
- Seminar in Nephrology, "Malignant vascular diseases of the kidney: nature of the lesions and mediators of disease progression", "Treatment of primary and secondary thrombotic microangiopathies", Thessaloniki, Greece
- XIV Advanced Course in Coagulation, Hemostasis and Thrombosis "Hemolytic Uremic Syndrome", "Preeclampsia", Bari, Italy
- IX Advanced Course in Medical Nephrology, "The role of endothelin in renal disease progression", Ospedale Maggiore di Milano, Milan, Italy
- CNR-CIOS, "Advances and limits of Allo-Recognition to Transplant Tolerance", Turin, Italy
- XXVII Course on Advances in Nephrology and Dialysis, "Tolerance induction and perspectives of xenotransplantation", Ospedale San Carlo, Milan, Italy

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- Roman Nephrological Days: "Thrombotic Nephropathies", Rome, Italy
- Cochrane Meeting: "Establishment of a specialised registry of RCTs in nephrology, Lyon, France
- North American Pediatric Renal Transplant Cooperative Study, 6th Annual Workshop: "Natural History of Glomerular Diseases", "Pathogenesis and Management of TTP", Washington DC, USA
- Toronto University: "Innovative therapies for glomerulonephritis", "Mechanisms of progression of renal disease", "Hemolytic Uremic Syndrome revisited", Toronto, Canada
- Hemodialysis Association Calatina: "Transplantation medicine in 2000", Caltagirone, Catania, Italy
- 1st. South American Transplantation Meeting: "Recent advances towards optimizing cyclosporin

- therapy”, “Mechanisms and mediators of donor-specific tolerance”, “Concomitant transplantation of solid organ and bone marrow”, Buenos Aires, Argentina
- 4th. International Conference on Factor VII/von Willebrand Factor: “NO and pharmacological modulation of vascular adhesive functions”, Bari, Italy
 - 37th Congress of the Italian Society of Nephrology: “Membranous glomerulonephritis therapy”, Cagliari, Italy
 - ERA/EDTA Congress: “Mechanisms of tolerance induced by intrathymic presentation”, Amsterdam, The Netherlands
 - ERA/EDTA Congress, symposium on “Allogenic Tolerance” (chairman), Amsterdam, The Netherlands
 - XIV Congresso Nazionale Società Italiana Studio Emostasi e Trombosi, “La Microangiopatia Trombotica: dal conteggio delle piastrine alla verotossina”, Bergamo, Italy
 - XXIV Annual Winter Nephrology Symposium, “The role of Nitric Oxide in Uremic Syndrome” and “ Hemolytic Uremic Syndrome Revisited”, Verona, Italy
 - The Basis of Hypertension management Guidelines for People with Diabetes, “Anti-hypertensive and control of albuminuria” Vienna, Austria
 - Workshop on Diabetic Nephropathy “ Relevance of animal models to design innovative therapies for diabetic renal disease”, Baden, Austria
 - Conference on Assessment of Renal Structure and Function in Progressive Renal Disease “Methods of Measurement of Glomerular Filtration Rate”, National Institute of Health (NIH), Washington, USA
 - Annual Meeting of the German Society of Nephrology, “Role of Endotelin in the development of nephrosclerosis”, Berlin, Germany
 - Congress of The Spanish Society of Nephrology “Diabetic Nephropathy. Risk factors, mechanisms of progression and therapy” and “ Relationship between changes in permeability to macromolecules, hyperfiltration and glomerulosclerosis”, Salamanca, Spain
 - Simposium: Combined bone marrow and organ transplantation, “Immunological tolerance and chimerism”, Pavia, Italy
 - “Congress Chairman” Progression of Renal Disease, 8 International Symposium of Nephrology at Montecatini, Montecatini, Italy
 - Organ Transplantation: present and future perspectives: “Immunological research”, 25° of Foundation AIDO, Bergamo, Italy
 - Simposio Internacional en Homenaje al Dr. Carlos Gianantonio ‘HUS’, “ The endothelium as a target in Hemolytic Uremic Syndrome”, “ HUS and TTP, a spectrum of the same syndrome or two different disease entities”, “Bilateral nephrectomy to cure severe cases of HUS”, Buenos Aires, Argentina
 - Nord Italian Transplant, Round Table, Udine, Italy
 - Second International Congress on Cutaneous Drug Reactions, “From immunosuppression to immuno tolerance: Perspective in transplantation”, Rome, Italy
 - Royal Society of Medicine, Section of Nephrology: “Treatment of HUS and TTP”, London, UK
 - Medicina verso il 2000, “Xenotrapianto: problemi e prospettive”, Bergamo, Italy
 - Presentazione dell’Associazione Ricerca Trapianti, “Xenotrapianto: Perché e Come”, Milan, Italy
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- Renal Biopsy Conference, “The role of endothelin in renal pathology”, Mannheim, Germany
 - “Hemolytic Uremic Syndrome”, “Role of protein traffic in progressive nephropathies”, Insel Hospital Bern, Switzerland
 - University of Brescia: “Innovative and genetic therapies in organ transplantation”, Brescia, Italy
 - Symposium on “Angiotensin II receptor antagonists”: “Renal effects of Angiotensin II and their antagonists: clinical prospects”, Florence, Italy
 - University of Brescia: “ Vasoactive mediators of renal injury: endothelin and nitric oxide”, Brescia, Italy
 - Chairman and organizer of the Workshop “Gene therapy for atherosclerotic vascular diseases of the kidneys and other organs”, European Society of Clinical Investigation, Kiel, Germany
 - XXIV Simposio Nefrologico Veneziano:” Il futuro dei trapianti: tolleranza e xenotrapianti”, Venezia , Italy
 - University of Verona: “ La Sindrome Emolitica Uremica”, Verona, Italy
 - Associazione Diabetici Bergamaschi:” Diffusione e possibile prevenzione della malattia renale nei diabetici Bergamaschi”, Bergamo, Italy
 - University Program: “Antagonisti Recettoriali dell’Analysis and Transplantation, Italian Society

- of Nephrology, Section Calabria, "Protein traffic and Renal Disease Progression", Cosenza, Italy
- ICN Satellite Symposium, 'Nephroprotective properties of ACE inhibitors in diabetic and non-diabetic nephropathy', "Role of Protein Traffic" (lecturer and co-chairman), Sydney, Australia
- ICN Satellite Symposium, 'Hypertension of Progression of Renal Disease', "Mechanisms of Progression of Renal Disease: current concepts, Growth factors and Related Mechanisms", Sydney, Australia
- ICN Session: The Clinical Spectrum of ARF in the Pacific Rim, Viral and Bacterial ARF, "HUS", Sydney, Australia
- ICN Satellite Symposium: Progression of Renal Disease, Session: What we learned from clinical trials on non-diabetic renal disease, "REIN Trial: Baseline Predictors of Renal Function Decline", Coolum, Australia
- ICN Satellite Symposium: Progression of Renal Disease, Session: Endpoints and methodological issues in the conduction of clinical trials, "Techniques for Measurement of GFR", Coolum, Australia
- Satellite Symposium at the European Society of Hypertension: ACE Inhibitors: More than just blood pressure reduction: myth or reality: "The nephroprotective effect of ACE Inhibitors. Results of the Ramipril Efficacy in Nephropathy (REIN) Study, Milan, Italy
- XII National Course on the update of techniques in Nephrology and Dialysis: "Preeclampsia", Perugia, Italy
- Italian Society of Nephrology, Roundtable on Tolerance Xenotransplantation, Chairman and lecturer, Milan, Italy
- Italian Society of Nephrology, "Preeclampsia", Milan, Italy
- Symposium on Prevention of Hypertensive organ damage by ACE inhibitors; "The nephroprotective effects of ACE Inhibitors. Results of the REIN Study", Baden-Baden, Germany
- 16th International Diabetes Federation Congress; "Prognosis of Diabetic nephropathy - How to improve the outcome", Helsinki, Finland
- ASTRA Farmaceutici; "Progressione della nefropatia", Milan, Italy
- Double Kidney Transplant Working Group Registry Meeting, Boston, USA
- Prospective in Transplantation Medicine; "Transplant Tolerance: facts and future", Aachen, Germany
- 10th Annual Congress European Society of Intenansplant Working Group Registry Meeting, Boston USA
- Prospective in Transplantation Medicine; "Transplant Tolerance: facts and future", Aachen, Germany
- 10th Annual Congress European Society of Inten Double Kidney Tr balance after nephron reduction", Paris, France
- Xenotripianti: Biotecnologie, Identità, Chimere; "Aspects experimentaux des xenotransplantation", Lugano, Switzerland
- Proteinuria and progressive renal disease, Round table 'Hot News and Debate', Montreaux, Switzerland
- Annual Meeting Chilean Society of Nephrology: "Understanding the nature of renal disease progression", "Gene Therapy: How soon for renal diseases", "Innovative antirejection therapies and tolerance induction", "HUS", Santiago, Chile
- 6th Paulista Meeting of Nephrology, "Innovative antirejection strategies and tolerance", Sao Paolo, Brasil
- Symposium on: Emodinamica renale nello scompenso cardiaco, "Il rene nello scompenso cardiaco", Ranica, Bergamo, Italy
- European Federation of Internal Medicine, "Interaction of endothelium and thrombocytes", Maastricht, The Netherlands
- Task force on transplantation tolerance "Intrathymic tolerance", Chicago, USA
- Rene e ipertensione arteriosa "Anemia emolitica microangipatica", Florence, Italy
- International Course of Advances in Transplantation "Renal mass and renal transplantation", Barcelona, Spain
- American Society of Nephrology, Co-Chair of Clinical ScienceSymposium: "The Pathogenesis and treatment of HUS", San Antonio, USA
- Kidney Council of American Heart Association, Scientific Symposium: "ACE Inhibitors and AT1 receptor antagonists: is there really a debate?", defending the ACE Inhibitors, San Antonio, USA
- HUS-Synsorb Trial Investigators, "Developments of HUS during the past 1-2 years", San

Antonio, USA

- Scientific Dinner: "REIN Study and its potential impact on global clinical practice", San Antonio, USA
- Workshop ACE Inhibition in controlling renal disease progression, "REIN", Milan, Italy
- Symposium: ACE inhibitors and nephroprotection: "From a pathogenetic hypothesis to generation of a clinical trial", Ranica, Italy
- Symposium: Viral infections in organ transplantation, State of the Art Lecture: "Viral infections in organ transplantation", Florence, Italy
- International Society of Nephrology, Commission for Global Advancement of Nephrology, "The Rein Study"(2x), "Role of Proteinuria in the progression of CRF" (2x), Mexico City, Guadalajara, Acapulco
- Universitätsklinikum Charité, "The role of endothelin in progressive renal diseases of experimental animals and humans", Berlin, Germany

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- Scientific Conference on Immune Pathology and Rare Diseases, "The contribution to scientific research", Turin, Italy
- "Prevention of ESRD by ACE Inhibition", Hamburg, Germany
- "Prevention of ESRD by ACE Inhibition", Berlin, Germany
- New Dimensions in Transplantation, Symposium: Therapeutic Monitoring, "Optimization of cyclosporine therapy", Florence, Italy
- Giornate Nefrologiche Romane, Symposium: From clinical trials to clinical practice, "REIN", Rome, Italy
- 30th. Meeting of the Spanish Society and League against Hypertension, "REIN Study", Madrid, Spain
- Annual Meeting of the Australian and New Zealand Society of Nephrology, "Understanding the nature of progression of renal disease" (State of the Art), "Nature of renal involvement in diabetes", Auckland, New Zealand
- Ohio State University, "REIN Study Looking at ACE Inhibition in Progressive Renal Patients with Heavy Proteinuria", Ohio, Columbus
- Vanderbilt University, "REIN Study Looking at ACE Inhibition in Progressive Renal Patients with Heavy Proteinuria", Nashville, USA
- NKF Consensus Conference on Proteinuria, "Overview on protein trafficking and renal disease progression: from animal experiments to developing a clinical trial", Nashville, USA
- The Italian Science Seminar, "Transplant Medicine: Facing the Year 2000", Italian Embassy, London, UK
- University of Pisa, "Pathogenetic mechanisms of renal disease progression", Pisa, Italy
- Nephrologisches Forum Munchen, "The Prevention of Endstage Renal Disease by ACE Inhibition", Munchen, Germany
- 64th. Annual Meeting of the German Cardiology Association, "The Prevention of Endstage Renal Disease by ACE Inhibition", Mannheim, Germany
- New England Journal of Medicine Editorial Board Meeting, Barcelona, Spain
- Lupus, vasculiti, crioglobulinemie: biopsia renale, patofisiologia e clinica - Corso Biopsia Renale, "Dal Laboratorio al Letto del Malato" Villa Camozzi, Ranica, Bergamo, Italy
- XVII Congresso Nazionale Associazione Chirurghi Ospedalieri Italiani, "Trapianti in età Pediatrica" Round Table Moderator, Venezia, Italy
- 1st. International Course on Critical Care Nephrology, 'The HUS and Takayasu disease' , Vicenza, Italy
- Satellite Symposium - Setting higher standards in the treatment of Cardiovascular Disease: a Clinical Overview of the First All Antagonist, 'Evidence for renal protection The case for All antagonists', Amsterdam, The Netherlands
- 35th. European Congress of Nephrology (ERA-EDTA), Moderator for the Symposium on 'Endothelins and Renal Diseases', Rimini, Italy
- HMR Satellite Symposium- 17th. Scientific Meeting of the International Society of Hypertension: 'Altering the clinical course of non-diabetic kidney disease' - Amsterdam, The Netherlands
- Satellite Symposium- 17th. Scientific Meeting of the International Society of Hypertension: 'Endothelins in Cardiovascular Disease', Padua, Italy
- Perugia University 'Hemolytic Uremic Syndrome' Perugia, Italy
- Meeting on: All Antagonists in the cardiovascular management of patients with renal disease' The role of Losartan in renal transplantation', Antwerp, Belgium

- 2nd. Symposium on "Immune Pathology and Orphan Diseases Transplantation: Research and Health program", Turin, Italy
- Symposium on "Health Communication": 'Science and journalism', Milan, Italy
- Int. Symposium of Diabetes and the Kidney, 'New Strategies in the Prevention and Treatment of Nephropathy', Barcelona, Spain
- Lecture tour Pakistan: 'ACE Inhibition and the route to remission and regression in chronic renal disease', Peshawar, Islamabad, Lahore, Pakistan
- University of Florida, 'Novel Strategies for Tolerance Induction' and Pathophysiology of Renal Disease Progression', Gainesville, USA
- X Latin American Transplantation Congress, 'Transplant Tolerance: Facts and Future' and Double Transplants of Marginal Kidneys', Canela, Brasile
- Consensus Meeting on The Management of Chronic Renal Failure: 'ACE inhibitors and progression' and 'Pharmacological Management', Derbyshire, UK
- Symposium: "ACE inhibition and target organ protection-fact or fallacy?", 'ACE inhibition and the route to remission and regression in chronic renal disease', Maribor, Slovenia
- "Malattie rare e farmaci orfani" - Via di Natale - Sernaglia degli Battaglia (TV), Italy
- Rene e Iperensione - " Quanto abbassare la pressione arteriosa per arrivare alla remissione nelle malattie renali croniche " Florence, Italy
- European members of The New England Journal of Medicine, Ginevra, Switzerland
- 1° Congresso Nazionale di Rianimazione Pediatrica: "Problemi immunologici e strategie immunosoppressive nel trapianto d'organo" Bergamo, Italy
- Danish Society of Nephrology - Pathophysiology and management of the Thrombotic Microangiopathies, Aarhus, Denmark
- Renal Biopsy Course, " Il gruppo di lavoro del doppio trapianto di rene marginale e la generazione di uno studio collaborativo internazionale" and "Nefropatie croniche: la strada verso la remissione" Villa Camozzi, Ranica, Bergamo, Italy
- Eighth Annual National kidney Foundation, Clinical Nephrology Meetings, "Remission, regression strategies in chronic renal diseases" Washington, USA
- Eighth Annual National kidney Foundation, Clinical Nephrology Meetings, Proteinuria as a risk factor for progression of renal disease, Washington, USA
- XVth International Congress of Nephrology: "Angiotensin II receptor antagonists and renal transplantation", "Remission regression strategies in chronic renal diseases", "Proteinuria and renal disease Progression", "Intervencion farmacologica con drogas vasoactivas", "Clinical Trials in nephrology where do we go from here?", "Pathogenesis of Hemolytic Uremic Syndrome" Buenos Aires, Argentina
- I Casi Clinici agli Ospedali Riuniti di Bergamo "Trombosi del seno cavernoso in una studentessa ricoverata per gonfiore", Bergamo, Italy
- Rotary Club Bergamo "Le biotecnologie al servizio della salute", Bergamo, Italy
- Scientific course of organ transplantation: "Dual transplantation of marginal kidneys", Gabelli Hospital, Padua, Italy
- Symposium: Nefropatia diabetica, Patogenesi, trattamento e prevenzione, focus sul diabete mellito di tipo 2: "Prevalenza e meccanismi patogenetici", Villa Camozzi, Ranica (BG), Italy
- 6th International Congress on Pediatric Emergency and Intensive Care "Cytokines and renal function in septic shock", Abano Terme, Italy
- Congresso Nazionale Associazione Medici Diabetologici, Simposio satellite, "Iperfiltrazione renale e microalbuminuria: ruolo della iperglicemia acuta, Chia Laguna, Italy
- Nephrology Forum: Any foreseeable role for antagonists of the endothelin system in renal medicine and hypertension?: "Why a meeting on endothelin active drugs at a Clinical Research Center?", Bergamo, Italy
- Symposium: "The future of organ transplantation: from tolerance induction to gene therapy", University of Trieste, Italy
- Satellite symposium 'Management of cardiovascular high risk patients: from evidence based medicine to clinical practice', European Society of Cardiology Congress: "Renoprotection: progression-regression-remission from nephropathy beyond blood pressure control", Barcelona, Spain
- Annual Meeting of the European Society for Pediatric Nephrology: "Pathophysiology of proteinuria and the progression of renal failure" (State of the Art), Prague, Czech Republic
- 1 Corso di Immunopatologia Clinica: "Xenotrapianti: Stato dell'Arte e Prospettive", Turin, Italy

- National Congress of Ass. Microbiologi Clinici Italiani: "HUS: favorable prognosis and after that?", Stresa, Italy
- 35th. EASD Annual Meeting: "No more dialysis for diabetics: an attainable goal for the next millennium?", Bruxelles, Belgium
- Seminar: 'Cigarette-smoking and kidney involvement': "Effects of cigarette smoking on endothelium and circulating cells", Milan, Italy
- XVIII National Congress: 'The multi disciplinating nephrological team': "Prevention/remission and regression of cronic renal diseases", Florence, Italy
- Symposium: The renin angiotensin blockade in the remission of chronic renal disease; "Renin Angiotensin System Antagonism in non-diabetic renal disease", American Society of Nephrology, Miami, USA
- Symposium: Risk factors and their modification in cardio-renal disease. "REIN Study", American Society of Nephrology, Miami, USA
- Tecnic/Scientific annual Meeting of the Nord Italia Transplant (NITp): "Double kidney transplant", Bergamo, Italy
- International Scientific Symposium: "Pharmacological renoprotection from experimental evidence to clinical practice", Heidelberg, Germany
- Japanese European Nephrology Forum: "A unifying hypothesis for renal scarring linking protein trafficking to the different mediators of injury", Vibo Valentia, Italy
- Seminar University of Parma: "The future of immunosuppression", Parma, Italy

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- 6th. Int. Local Drug delivery Meeting and Cardiovascular Course on Radiation and Molecular Strategies: "The kidney: a representative window of cardiac microangiopathy", Geneva, Switzerland
- Arterial Hypertension Congress: "The REIN Study", Thessaloniki, Greece
- 2nd. Int. Meeting on Hypertension and the kidney: "New approach to primary and secondary prevention of diabetic nephropathy", Madrid, Spain
- 3rd. Conf. of the Pan-Arab Society of Hypertension: "Hypertension and Microangiopathy in pregnancy", "The control of blood pressure in clinical trials of progressive nephropathies", Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates
- Egyptian Society of Nephrology: "Protein-induced phenotypic changes in glomerular and tubular cells", "Remission/regression of chronic renal disease: a realistic task for the new generation of nephrologists", Hurghada, Egypt
- Giornate Nefrologiche Romane 2000: "Fisiopatologia dell'endotelio", Rome, Italy
- University course for nurses: "Transplantation: from the first tentatives to future prospectives", Ranica, Bergamo, Italy
- Renoprotection symposium 2000: "HOPE and REIN Study", Ranica, Bergamo, Italy
- Primo Corso di Base di Fisiopatologia Renale: "Risposta renale e ormonale allo scompenso cardiaco, Ranica, Bergamo, Italy
- XI Incontro de Aggiornamento Nefrologico: "Meccanismi fisiopatologici di progressione del danno renale e possibilita di interventi terapeutici", Firenze Careggi Hospital, Florence, Italy
- Incontro di aggiornamento: "Ruolo degli ACE-inibitori: della terapia dell'ipertensione arteriosa alla prevensione delle complicanze d'organo", Hospital Busto Arsizio, Italy
- Annual meeting of the Austrian Society of Nephrology: "Remission/Regression of chronic renal disease: a realistic task for the new generation of nephrologists", Bad Gastein, Austria
- Clinical Nephrology Meetings 2000; National Kidney Foundation: "Glomerular and Interstitial Fibrosis, Atlanta, USA
- NKF Satellite symposium: Proteinuria and the cardio-renal link: therapeutic implications for ACE inhibition: "The REIN Trial: Implications for Management of Proteinuric Renal Diseases", Atlanta, USA
- Symposium on "New insights and therapeutic strategies in cardiovascular diseases: Focus on endothelial targets: "Genetic aspects of cerebrovascular disease", Venice, Italy
- 43rd Annual Meeting of the Japanese Society of Nephrology: "Prevention, remission and regression of chronic renal disease"; Workshop: Development Strategy for a New Therapy for Glomerular Nephritis: "From a protein inhibition standpoint: possible control", Nagoya, Japan
- Symposium on "Epidemiology, pathogenesis and chronic progressive nephropathies": "Mechanisms of progression: glomerular hyperfiltration and protein trafficking", "Non-diabetic chronic proteinuric nephropathies", Antiproteinuric therapy: a new strategy", "Remission and regression of chronic nephropathies", Ranica (BG), Italy

- Symposium on "Methodology of Clinical Research in Diabetology": "Diabetic nephropathy; epidemiology, pathogenesis and mechanisms of progression", Ranica (BG), Italy
- Visiting Professorship: "Remission/regression of chronic renal disease", "Towards graft tolerance and gene therapy in the future of Transplant medicine", "Hypertension and microangiopathies in pregnancy: Pathophysiology and Treatment", "The use of two marginal kidneys for one recipient", University of California, Los Angeles, USA
- Symposium: Orphan Drugs: Closing the gap between the US and Europe: "Finnish syndrome: a rare disease of newborns opens perspectives to the cellular and molecular basis of progressive renal diseases", Florence, Italy
- Third Int. Symposium on Renal transplantation, "Mechanisms of renal damage progression in kidney transplantation and possible perspectives for prevention and treatment", "The use of marginal donors in renal transplantation", "Recurrence of nephropathy in renal transplantation", Aguascalientes, Mexico
- Kongress fur nephrologie, "Haemolytic uraemic syndrome", Vienna, Austria
- Current opinions in nephrology, "The role of ACE-inhibitors in patients with chronic renal failure", Amsterdam, The Netherlands
- Giornata formativa dell'AVIS regionale Svizzera, "Ricerca sanitaria, metodi, conquiste, speranze", Baden, Switzerland
- XXVII° Congress new advances in the pathophysiology of Haemolytic Uremic Syndrome (HUS) and Thrombocytopenic Purpura, "Current Knowledge on HUS", Nice, France
- MERCK University Program, "Treating the continuum of Renal Disease: managing patients with multiple risk factors", Warwick, UK
- "Epidemiologia, patogenesi e terapia delle nefropatie croniche progressive: conoscenze e prospettive", "Le nefropatie croniche proteinuriche non diabetiche", "Remissione e Regressione delle nefropatie croniche", "I nuovi progetti collaborativi", Villa Camozzi, Ranica (BG), Italy
- 2nd Slovenian Congress of Nephrology, "Remission/Regression of chronic renal disease: A realistic task for the new generation of nephrologists", Ljubljana, Slovenia
- Symposium: The high risk surgical patient: therapeutic approach, "Strategy: renal protection in major surgery", Rome, Italy
- XVI Congresso Nazionale della Società Italiana di Nefrologia Pediatrica, "Effetto reno-protettivo degli antagonisti dell'angiotensina II", Como, Italy
- The 4th workshop on Clinical Nephrology and progression of renal disease, "Case presentations: Clinical Nephrology", "Guest lecture: The hemolytic uremic syndrome", "Mini -workshop: Renal vascular disease (Introduction)", Ismailia, Egypt
- Convegno "Infettivologia del futuro: dall'AIDS ai trapianti", "Trapianti d'organo: dai primi tentativi agli organi animali", Bergamo, Italy
- Seminar on "Anderson-Fabry Disease, von Hippel-Lindau Disease, Tuberos Sclerosis Complex", Concluding remarks, Milan, Italy
- Corso per Infermieri Professionali di Ricerca Clinica, "Sindrome emolitico uremica: dalla ricerca su casi rari si possono capire le cause di certe epidemie?", Ranica (BG), Italy
- "Highlights in Nephrology Symposium", "Nephrotoxic effects of proteinuria with focus on experimental data and mechanisms of tubulotoxicity", Zeist, The Netherlands
- Symposium su "Insufficienza renale: prevenzione e riabilitazione", "Prevenzione della progressione della malattia renale: linee guida", Popoli, Pescara, Italy
- Television Program: "Euro TransMed Foundation", "Nephrology aspects in the management of patients with diabetes", London, UK
- 32nd Course on Advances in Nephrology and Dialysis, "Mechanisms in thrombotic microangiopathy and transplant rejection: the role of endothelial cells", Milano, Italy

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- Symposium Scienza e Fede: problemi di bioetica, "Il trapianto di organi, dai primi tentativi alla possibilità di impiego di organi animali...", Bergamo, Italy
- Symposium Rene e Ipertensione, "Ruolo dell'angiotensina II nella progressione della malattia renale", Firenze, Italy
- 2nd Regional Hypertension Congress, "Nephropathy in type II diabetes", "Renal protection: Progression, regression, remission from nephropathy beyond blood pressure control", Beirut, Lebanon
- 1st Orphan Europe Academy Workshop, "HUS/TTP: What are they?", Ranica (BG), Italy
- Visiting Professor Guy's Hospital, "Remission/regression of chronic renal disease: A realistic task for the new generation nephrologist", "Towards tolerance induction in transplantation:

- where are we now?", "HUS-an overview", London, United Kingdom
- Symposium Rene e Diabete, "Ace inibitori e nefropatia diabetica", Rome, Italy
 - Remission Clinic per nefrologi 'Epidemiologia, Patogenesi e terapia delle nefropatie croniche progressive: conoscenze e prospettive', "Remissione, regressione delle malattie renali croniche: una strada poco frequentata", Ranica (BG), Italy
 - Master univesitario teorico-pratico sui biomateriali e l'ingegneria tessutale, "Induzione della tolleranza e xenotrapianto", Bergamo, Italy
 - Remission clinic per nefrologi 'Remissione e regressione della nefropatia diabetica: le più recenti acquisizioni di fisiopatologia e le nuove prospettive di intervento', "Remissione, regressione delle nefropatie croniche: una strada poco frequentata", Ranica (BG), Italy
 - Congress comunicare in sanità, "L'organizzazione della ricerca in ospedale", Torino, Italy
 - Congress of 'The Kidney in Diabetes' Pharmacological Therapy of overt diabetic nephropathy", Milano, Italy
 - Symposium 'National Kidney Foundation', "A multi drug approach to retard renal disease progression: determinants of outcome", Orlando, USA
 - Workshop Hypertension "The impact of RAS inhibition and calcium channel blockade in the outcome of diabetic and renal hypertensive patients - what can we expect from the Benedict study", Naples, Italy
 - Symposium 'Come aumentare il numero di trapianti d'organo in Italia', "Il trapianto d'organo: dal primo farmaco antirigetto alla terapia genica", Ranica (BG), Italy
 - Remission clinic per diabetologi 'Diabete e complicanze renali: Epidemiologia, diagnostica, patogenesi, prevenzione e terapia', "Meccanismi di progressione del danno renale", "Ace inibitori e calcio antagonisti nel paziente diabetico con nefropatia conclamata", "Remissione e Regressione delle nefropatie croniche", Ranica (BG), Italy
 - Second International Course on Critical Care Nephrology 'ARF and multiple organ failure', "Hemolytic-Uremic Syndrome", Vicenza, Italy
 - Satellite Symposium at the 23rd Japanese Society of Hypertension, "The therapeutic potential of A-II antagonists in the kidney", Fukuoka, Japan
 - Corso per operatori progetti speciali, "Meccanismi di progressione. I principali studi clinici", Ranica (BG), Italy
 - Congress '7° Giornata Calatina dell'Emodializzato', "Medicina del trapianto: da dove veniamo, dove pensiamo di andare nei prossimi anni", Caltagirone, Italy
 - Eleventh European Meeting on Hypertension 'New therapeutic approach for hypertension control: the rationale for the ACE inhibitor-calcium channel blocker combination', "Reduction of nephropathy in treatment of hypertensive type II diabetic patients with micro or macroalbuminuria", Milan, Italy
 - Workshop 'Hypertension and the Kidney', "Hypertension and renal lesion", Milan, Italy
 - XXXVIII ERA-EDTA Congress 'Treatment resistance in progressive renal function loss', "Combination therapy for treatment resistance in renal disease", Vienna, Austria
 - Merck Symposium 'Altering The Course of Renal and Cardiovascular Disease in Patients with Type II Diabetes', "The Effects of Angiotensin II Blockade on Diabetes, Lisbon, Portugal
 - Meeting SID Lombardia 'Protezione d'organo e diabete mellito: stratificazione dei fattori di rischio non glicometabolici', "Progressione, remissione e regressione della nefropatia diabetica", Pavia, Italy
 - Symposium Remission clinic per diabetologi 'Diabete e complicanze renali: Epidemiologia, Diagnostica, Patogenesi, Prevenzione e terapia', "Remissione, regressione delle malattie renali croniche: una strada poco frequentata, Ranica (BG), Italy
 - Symposium '2001 A Transplant Odyssey, the future is here', "Optimization of cyclosporine therapy in the Neoral Era: single blood sampling, abbreviated AUC", Istanbul, Turkey
 - Congress ISN Comgan 'Hypertension, reactive oxygen species, immunocompetent cells and progression of renal damage', "Prevention, regression and remission of Kidney disease", "Angiotensin II and the immune system", Venezuela, Southamerica
 - The Bergamo Conference, Merck University program: 'Helping Patients with Cardiovascular Disease', "Managing patients with hypertension and diabetic renal disease: New Evidence for Losartan", Congress Center Giovanni XXIII, Bergamo, Italy
 - XXVI S.I.T.O. National Congress 'Novità nell' immunosoppressione e immunomodulazione', "Verso l' induzione di tolleranza al trapianto", Genoa, Italy
 - International Symposium on 'Progress in Cardiovascular Disease', "Controlling the course of diabetic nephropathy in patients with hypertension. Evidence from RENAAL and other recent

controlled trials”, Rome, Italy

- 38° Italian Society of Ematology National Congress, “TTP”, Florence, Italy
- ISMETT Lecture in “Advances in Transplant Tolerance”, Palermo, Italy
- V Bolivian Society of Transplantation Congress ‘International Symposium on Renal Transplantation in Less Developed Countries – Optimizing Results’, “More living related donors and less shipped cadaveric kidneys for transplantation”, “Rational use of immunosuppressive medications – steroids, antiproliferative agents and calcineurin inhibitors”, Cochabamba, Bolivia
- MSD Meeting 'Vascular medicine update', "Prevention of Vascular complications in type 2 diabetes", Florence, Italy

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- MSD University Program 'Helping My Patients Improve the Course of their Hypertension and Diabetic Renal Disease', "Altering the course of hypertension disease: Importance of blocking the pathologic effects of angiotensin II", Sophia Antipolis, France
- ISN Comgan World Bank Seminar 'Addressing the Global Epidemic to Diabetes and Nephrological Problems', "Rationale and sample studies plus strategies for prevention", Washington, USA
- First Genoa Meeting on 'Hypertension, Diabetes and Renal Disease' "Novel mechanisms in renal protection", Genoa, Italy
- 5° Portuguese Congress of Diabetes, MSD Lunch Symposium ' Changing the Course of Renal Disease in Patients with Type 2 Diabetes', "The Importance of blocking the A II effects: Lessons learned from the RENAAL studies", Villamoura, Portugal
- Mayo Clinic/Mario Negri Symposium 'Renal Tubule and Biliary Duct Diseases' a Kidney and Liver workshop, Moderator "New Trends in kidney research", "Session IV: Issues in liver and kidney transplantation" Villa Camozzi, Ranica (BG), Italy
- Medical Grand Round "Remission, Regression of Chronic Renal Disease: a Realistic Task for the new Generation Nephrologists", "Hemolytic Uremic Syndrome", Northwestern University , Chicago, USA
- International Course 2002 'Update in Kidney and Pancreas Transplantation', "Challenges to Achieving Clinical Transplantation Tolerance", Barcelona, Spain
- "Rationale and sample studies plus strategies for prevention", Global Presentation ISN/COMGAN, Geneva, Switzerland
- First International Course on Hemodialysis Technology, "Anticoagulation Strategies", Vicenza, Italy
- Aventis Satellite Symposium 'Management of hypertensive patients: beyond blood pressure reduction', "Nephroprotection: lessons learned from recent studies", Prague, Czech Republic
- Abbott Satellite Symposium 'Hypertension management and target organ protection: how might landmarks trials influence clinical practice?', "Preventing Diabetic Nephropathy: The Promise of BENEDICT", Prague, Czech Republic
- XXXIX ERA-EDTA Congress, "Renoprotection", Copenhagen, Denmark
- 4th Hypertension Summer School, Chairman Plenary Session ("Current Status of Renal Protection Strategies"), "ARB's and Renin Antagonists", "Reno-protective strategies", Williamsburg, Virginia, USA
- Valsartan Renal Research Review Meeting (Novartis), Boston, USA
- South African Renal Society Congress, "Progression, remission and regression of renal disease including Diabetes Mellitus", "HUS/TTP and the thrombotic microangiopathies", Bloemfontein, South Africa
- ISN COMGAN symposium, “HUS:from the bug to the gene” , “Progression, Remission, Regression of Chronic Renal Disease”, Antalya, Turkey
- Hospital Quebec, “REIN and follow up and related substudies”, Quebec, Canada
- Medical Press Event on Diabetes and Hypertension, “The challenge of Hypertension and Nephropathy in Diabetes”, Quebec, Canada
- 1st int. Conference on Prevention of Renal Disease, “Proteinuria: Cause or Effect of Progressive Renal Disease”, Toronto, Canada
- NIH symposium on Proteinuria and Other Markers of Chronic Kidney Disease: Perspectives on Clinical Practice, trials and Research needs, “Proteinuria as a predictor of Outcome and Response to Therapy”, Washington, USA
- International symposium of the Instituto Reina Sofia de Investigacion Nefrologica, “HUS”, Madrid, Spain

- Swiss Society of Nephrology Congress, "Challenges to achieving clinical transplantation tolerance, St. Gallen, Switzerland
- Sheffield Kidney Institute, "HUS:from the bug to the gene", "Progression, remission and Regression of Chronic Renal Disease", Sheffield, UK

2003

- Second Genoa Meeting on Hypertension, Diabetes and Renal Diseases: "Controversies: ACEi versus ARB: which one is better for cardiovascular and renal protection?", Genoa, Italy
- Italian Science Seminar, Italian Embassy in London: "How to reduce the need of Dialysis: early intervention strategies and targets", London, UK
- AIDO Course: "Il futuro dei trapianti di organi: verso il miracolo italiano?", Bergamo, Italy
- CNR, Giornate sulla promozione della vita: Organi artificiali e trapianti": "Rigetto cronico: fattori immunologici e non", Rome, Italy
- 1 Corso Interativo di Aggiornamento sulla Ipertensione Arteriosa: "I risultati sui Trials sulla Ipertensione vanno sempre applicati nella pratica clinica?", Bologna, Italy
- La Calcolosi Renale, Il Corso di Aggiornamento in Nefrologia: Chairman, Turin, Italy
- SINAPSI, Associazione per la cultura, Bergamo Scienza 2003, chairman lecture Prof. Cavalli Sforza, Bergamo, Italy
- 5 Corso di Perfezionamento "Trapianti d'Organo": "New trends in Immunosuppressive Therapy", Padova, Italy
- Seminario, Attività didattica e seminariale della Classe Accademica di Scienze Sperimentali, Settore de Medicina: "Remissione e regressione delle malattie renali croniche", Pisa, Italy
- Congress: "Back to School", "Profilo di Rischio Cardiovascolare e Funzione renale", Milan, Italy
- AIDO, Giornate Nazionale per la Donazione ed il Trapianto di Organi: "La donazione: il tempo e le ragioni della Vita, per vivere oltre la morte, Valtrompia, Italy
- Conferenza Internazionale su Benefici e costi dell'innovazione Sanitaria: "Innovazione medica nel settore della sanità", Stresa, Italy
- WCN Satellite Symposium: Diabetes and the Kidney, "ACE Inhibitors, Calcium Channel Blockers and Aldosterone Antagonists in Diabetic Nephropathy", Dusseldorf, Germany
- WCN 2003 Congress, "Research and Prevention", Berlin, Germany
- WCN 2003 Congress, "A Global Perspective on non-communicable disease: Field studies in the emerging world", Co-chair, Berlin, Germany
- WCN 2003, Barry Brenner Plenary Lecture: "The Future of Renoprotection: Frustrations and Promises", Berlin, Germany
- WCN 2003 Satellite Symposium: "End Organ Protection in Arterial Hypertension: Beyond Blood Pressure Control", State of the Art Lecture: "Can we stop the progression of renal failure?", Berlin, Germany
- Course on Clinical Pathology, Univeristy of Turin, "Clinical Pathology and Organ Transplantation", Turin, Italy
- Prevention in Renal Disease Congress, "Role of ACE Inhibitors", "Understanding the toxicity of proteinuria", "Chronic kidney disease prescription for the population", Toronto, Canada
- 11th. Congress of the European Society for Organ Transplantation, "Double Kidney Transplantation", Venice, Italy
- University Course Conservatorio Santa Chiara, "Innovations in Medicine", San Miniato, Italy
- Post graduate Course in Renal Endocrinology, "Renal Protection by interference wit RAS", Draguignan, France
- Course Biotechnology in Medicine, "Rare Diseases", Rome, Italy
- National Congress of Italian Society of Internal Medicine, "Kidney: from nephroprotection to Remission Clinic", Rome, Italy
- ASN 2003 Congress, Advances in Research Conference: 'Autoimmunity and Tolerance in Organ Injury', "A Novel Road to Immunological Renal Disease and How to interfere", San Diego, USA
- COMGAN Workshop, "The ISN Research Committee and the ISN Mission of Prevention: Bellagio and Beyond", San Diego, USA
- ASN 2003 Congress, Meet the expert Lunch 'Challenges in treatment of rare genetic diseases: Treating Fabry Disease', "Renal Transplantation in patients with Fabry Disease", San Diego, USA
- ASN 2003 Congress, ASN Clinical Nephrology Conference "Debates in Renal Failure", "The therapy of proteinuria per se Alters the Course of Progressive Renal Disease: Yes or No", San Diego, USA
- Prevention of Kidney Disease in Minority Groups and Emerging Nations Focus on the Americas.

- An ISN-Comgan Conference, Session III, Detection and Prevention, Chair, Ensenada, Mexico
- Prevention of Kidney Disease in Minority Groups and Emerging Nations - Focus on the Americas. An ISN-Comgan Conference, "The Future of Renoprotection", Ensenada, Mexico
- 35th Course on Advances in Nephrology and Dialysis, "Recent progression in mechanisms of renal sclerosis", Milan, Italy
- 64th National Congress of Italian Society of Cardiology, "Selective modulation of the renin angiotensin system", Rome, Italy
- Nephrology Forum on Transplantation. "Pathophysiology of chronic rejection" Palermo, Italy

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- Accademia Medica Rome, "Kidney, Cardiovascular diseases and Diabetes: An epidemy that can be stopped?", Rome, Italy
- University of Sassari, "Treatment of Proteinuria", Sassari, Italy
- 7th. Congress of Immunopathology and Orphan Diseases, "Membranous Nephropathy", Turin, Italy
- Masters Course, "Epidemiology and Progression of Chronic Kidney Diseases", Sheffield, UK
- 6th. Int. Conference on New Trends in Immunosuppression, "The possible role of Mycophenolate Mofetil in Autoimmune Diseases: Rationale and Mechanisms", Salzburg, Austria
- Third Genoa Meeting on Hypertension, Diabetes and Renal Disease, "Dual blockade of the RAAS: the ultimate treatment for renal protection?", Genoa, Italy
- Nephrology and Urology Course, "Optimising Strategies to prevent progression of chronic renal failure", London, UK
- ISN COMGAN /Rockefeller Foundation: Prevention of Renal Diseases in the Emerging World: Toward Global Health Equity, "Prevention of progression and remission/regression strategies of chronic renal diseases: can we do better now than 5 years ago?", Bellagio, Italy
- University Rome: "Rare Diseases: intervention and study strategies", Rome. Italy
- Symposium on the Management of Endstage Organ Failure: the ISMETT Perspective. "New insights into Mechanisms of Tolerance", Palermo, Italy
- Renal Association Spring Meeting, State of the Art: "Current Therapies to Minimise Progressive Renal Failure", Aberdeen, Scotland
- "The Future of Renoprotection: Frustrations and Promises", Vanderbilt University Visiting Professor, Nashville, USA
- "Genetics of HUS", Vanderbilt University Visiting Professor, Nashville, USA
- "Renal transplant tolerance: focus on dendritic cells and T regulatrocy cells", Vanderbilt University Visiting Professor, Nashville, USA
- 17th Annual General Meeting of the EDNSG, "The remission of diabetic nephropathy: when and how?", Ranica, Bergamo, Italy
- 1st International Symposium on Albuminuria: The role of albuminuria in health and disease: Predicting outcomes and target for therapy, "Microalbuminuria versus macroalbuminuria ", New York, USA
- 1st International Symposium on Albuminuria: The role of albuminuria in health and disease: Predicting outcomes and target for therapy, "Albuminuria predicting outcome in renal disease ", New York, USA
- 3rd Course on Genetics and Renal Diseases, "Hemolytic Uremic Syndrome", Genoa, Italy
- Annual Congress of Polish Society of Nephrology, "The way to cardio-renal protection", Bialystok, Poland
- XIV European Meeting on Hypertension: Sankyo-Menarini Satellite Symposium, "Microalbuminuria – An underrated cardiovascular risk factor", Paris, France
- XIV European Meeting on Hypertension: New frontiers in blockade of the renin-angiotensin system – cardiovascular and renal challenges (Aventis Pharma Satellite Symposium), "Nephroprotection and the renin-angiotensin system", Paris, France
- 12th International Congress on Nutrition and Metabolism in Renal Disease, "Lipids oxidative stress and the anti-inflammatory properties of statins and ACE-inhibitors", Padua, Italy
- ISN Conference on Prevention of Renal Disease, "Pathophysiology of disease progression in proteinuric Nephropathies", Hong Kong, China
- ISN Conference on Prevention of Renal Disease, "Aldosterone in cardiac and renal protection", Hong Kong, China
- ISN Conference on Prevention of Renal Disease, "A kidney prevention recipes for your office practice", Hong Kong, China
- The National Meeting of Nephrology, "Mechanisms of the chronic inflammatory tubulo-interstitial

damage”, Zhuhai, China

- Mini-symposium: Future strategies in renoprotection, “Renoprotection in chronic renal disease: the remission clinic”, University Hospital Groningen, The Netherlands
- 3rd Annual Conference: Prevention in Renal Disease, “Reversal of CKD: a utopia or a real possibility”, Toronto, Canada
- 3rd Annual Conference: Prevention in Renal Disease, “The novel road to thrombotic microangiopathies and how to interfere with their progression”, Toronto, Canada
- ASN PGE Course: Prevention and Management of CKD: What have we learned and where are we going, “Is reversal of CRI possible?”, St. Louis, Missouri, USA
- ASN PGE Course: Prevention and Management of CKD: “What have we learned and where are we going”, St. Louis, Missouri, USA
- ASN Clinical Nephrology Conference: Membranous Nephropathy, “Status of the non-standard therapies in MGN” St. Louis, Missouri, USA
- ASN Lunch Symposium: Early identification and treatment of CKD: reaching patients with hypertension and diabetes, “Can diabetic nephropathy be prevented: The BENEDICT Trial” St. Louis, Missouri, USA

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- 12° Incontro di informazione scientifica. Lettura Magistrale “Il primo trapianto, Joseph Murray, tutto quello che è stato fatto dopo, qualcosa di quello che si farà” Rome, Italy
- Cardiology Update 2005. “Is prevention of new onset microalbuminuria possible?” Davos, Switzerland
- XXII Simposio di Cardiologia del Centro per la lotta contro l’infarto Fondazione Onlus. “Farmaci del sistema renina-angiotensina nelle nefropatie: come allontanare la dialisi” Florence, Italy
- 4th Genoa meeting on hypertension, diabetes and renal diseases. “Prevention and treatment of diabetic renal disease in type 2 diabetes mellitus: the Benedict Study” Genoa, Italy
- Scuola di specializzazione in nefrologia. “Il primo trapianto, Joseph Murray, tutto quello che è stato fatto dopo, qualcosa di quello che si farà”, Ferrara, Italy
- L’infermiere nel percorso del prelievo e del trapianto d’organo. “Sviluppi futuri della attività trapiantologica” Bergamo, Italy
- Prevention of chronic renal diseases meeting. “Global threat of chronic kidney disease” Muscat, Oman
- 5° Simposio Internazionale: “Heart failure prevention and management: from drugs to devices”, “Prevenire il danno renale per proteggere il cuore” Genoa, Italy
- Specialized course on renal transplant nephroprotection. “Remission and regression of chronic renal disease” “The way to graft tolerance” “Clinical case presentation and discussion”, Ranica (BG), Italy
- 8th Forum on the renin angiotensin system. “Diabete e rene: rallentare la progressione o prevenire la nefropatia?” Capri, Italy
- 2nd San Raffaele Transplant Meeting. “Il trapianto renale senza cortisone e senza ciclosporina?”, Milan, Italy
- International Workshop on Regenerative Medicine, Palermo, Italy
- Professional Congress of Diabetes. “The BENEDICT Study, prevention of microalbuminuria in type 2 diabetes”, Glasgow, UK
- 5° Corso di Aggiornamento in Nefrologia. “Ridurre la proteinuria e ritardare la progressione delle malattie renali per evitare eventi cardiovascolari”, Cagliari, Italy
- First annual forum on immunological pathways in transplantation. “Pharmacodynamics/genomics”, Madrid, Spain
- Giornata di studio sulla problematica del prelievo e trapianto d’organo. “Storia e valenza del trapianto”, Bergamo, Italy
- 2005 Spring NKF Meeting. “New immunosuppressants mechanisms and side effects”, Washington, USA
- ISN COMGAN Course. “Hemolytic Uremic Syndrome”, “Activities of COMGAN Research Committee in Emerging Countries”, “The future of renoprotection”, Varadero, Cuba
- Workshop on: Vascular Biology in Diabetes Complications. “Renal size selective defect of diabetes and its role in disease progression”, Uppsala, Sweden
- Top Seminar Rene e Ipertensione. “E’ possibile la remissione delle nefropatie croniche?”, Reggello, Italy
- Meeting Ospedale San’Andrea. “Remissione, regressione delle nefropatie croniche proteinuriche. Si può evitare la dialisi? Quando?”, Milan, Italy.

- International Workshop on Thrombotic Microangiopathies. "TTP Then and now", Jena, Germany
- Convegno sulle medicine complementari. "La medicina omeopatica e la medicina convenzionale a confronto", Bergamo, Italy
- Preventing the decline in renal function in Fabry Disease, Satellite Meeting ERA-EDTA. "Reversibility and irreversibility of renal disease", Istanbul, Turkey
- ERA-EDTA XLII Congress. "Pathogenesis of thrombotic microangiopathies", Istanbul, Turkey.
- Aspreva Meeting. Global Advisory Meeting of Nephrology, New York, USA
- La continuità nella gestione dei pazienti cardiopatici o ipertesi. "Introduzione, presentazione obiettivi, metodologia del corso", Bergamo, Italy
- Abbott Marketing Meeting. "The BENEDICT Trial: perspectives from a KOL", Dublin, Ireland.
- La chirurgia extracorporea: tecniche per incrementare i trapianti da donatore cadavere e le donazioni da vivente. "Trapianto di due reni marginali nello stesso ricevente: risultati a distanza", Milan, Italy
- ESH Milan Meeting "Never too early to protect the kidney for limiting cardiovascular disease of diabetes", Milan, Italy
- Convegno di dialisi peritoneale. "La funzione renale residua, un patrimonio da preservare: Prima dell'inizio del trattamento dialitico", Bergamo, Italy
- Hypertension, diabetes and chronic renal disease: epidemiology, mechanisms and strategies to achieve remission and regression. "Remission and regression of chronic nephropathies", Ranica (BG), Italy
- Uremia and the Cardiovascular System. "Potential benefit of reducing proteinuria", Oxford, UK
- EASD Congress Satellite Symposium. "Clinical perspective of manidipine + delapril combination: DEMAND Study", Atene, Greece
- Prevenzione e trattamento delle complicanze cardiovascolari nel paziente renale e nel paziente diabetico: nuove prospettive di prevenzione e trattamento alla luce dei più recenti trials clinici. "Remissione e regressione delle malattie renali croniche", Ranica (BG), Italy
- Ipertensione e danno d'organo: dalla prevenzione all'inquadramento terapeutico. "Prevenzione e trattamento della nefropatia nel diabete di tipo II – Studio Benedict", Milan, Italy
- La patologia e il trattamento delle ulcere del piede diabetico. Valutazione dell'efficacia e del costo-beneficio. "Introduzione", Ranica, Italy
- Attualità in tema di complicanze croniche del diabete mellito "Prevenzione e trattamento della nefropatia diabetica nel diabete di tipo II", "Regressione delle malattie renali: anche per il diabete?", Padoa, Italy
- 3rd International Conference on Thrombosis and Hemostasis. "The influence of pharmaceutical industry on the clinical medicine", Bergamo, Italy
- Kidney Care Day. "Remission and regression of chronic renal diseases: Can it really happen?", Boston, USA
- Long Island Regional Nephrology Conference. "Hemolytic Uremic Syndrome", New York, USA
- 21° Congresso della Società Italiana della Nefrologia Pediatrica. "Trapianto di Rene", Venice, Italy
- Public Hearing Parlamento Europeo. "European Research council and the future of european innovations", Brussels, Belgium
- 37th Course on Advances in Nephrology and Dialysis. Chairman "La disfunzione endoteliale: un meccanismo comune nelle malattie cardiovascolari e renali, nel diabete e nell'ipertensione", Milan, Italy
- ISN COMGAN /Rockefeller Foundation: Prevention of Vascular Diseases in the Emerging World: A multidisciplinary Approach to Global Health Equity. "Preventing cardiovascular disease, diabetes and chronic kidney disease: A common agenda, a common challenge", "Community based screening for renal disease. Is it worthwhile? Is it feasible?", "The urgent need for a global fund to fight the cardiovascular diabetic epidemic", Chairman "Prevention of Kidney disease", Bellagio, Italy

2006

- Migliore assistenza al paziente uremico cronico in lista d'attesa e al paziente con trapianto di rene sul territorio nazionale. Lecture: "La gestione del paziente con disfunzione cronica del trapianto", Milan, Italy
- Forum Trapianti d'Organo: Percorsi di pensiero a confronto. Lecture: "Cosa è cambiato nel trapianto di organi negli ultimi 50 anni", Lecture: "Trapianti: l'organizzazione e la ricerca. Le domande dei prossimi anni", Bergamo, Italy
- Visiting Professor Johns Hopkins University. Lecture: "HUS Focusing on post transplant

- recurrence”, Baltimore, USA
- Neglected diseases – Too poor to be treated. Lecture: “Rare diseases: still orphan despite they represent 10% of all diseases”, Bruxelles, Belgium
 - Continuità assistenziale e flessibilità nell’uso delle risorse nella gestione dell’emergenza-urgenza. Lecture: “Flessibilità nell’uso delle risorse e continuità assistenziale nella medicina dei trapianti”, Bergamo, Italy
 - Global Transplantation: International forum on organ donation and transplantation. Lecture: “COMGAN, the International Society of Nephrology (ISN) mission in global development of renal transplantation”, Madrid, Spain
 - Eudipharm and EMEA seminar: Evaluation of drugs in rare diseases. Lecture: “Specificities and specifications of rare disease therapies”, London, UK
 - IX forum sul sistema renina-angiotensina. Lecture: “E’ la remissione della nefropatia progressiva un obiettivo raggiungibile?”, Capri, Italy
 - NKF 2006 Spring Clinical Meeting. Lecture: “Regression of renal lesions. Still a dream for humans?”, Chicago, USA
 - VI Giornata Cardiologia. Lecture: “Clinica “Sistema renina-angiotensina nelle nefropatie. Come proteggere il nostro rene?”, Lovenjo di Menaggio, Italy
 - Trapianto d’organi: Medicina della persona, medicina nella comunità. Lecture: “La buona medicina dei trapianti: le prospettive”, Bergamo, Italy
 - ITN Transplant Meeting. Lecture: “Transplant tolerance: too much in rats few in human beings”, San Francisco, USA
 - 6th International Podocyte Congress. Lecture: “Trends in pharmacotherapy of glomerular diseases”, Helsinki, Finland
 - 7° Congresso Nazionale Arca. Lecture: “Controllare l’insufficienza renale per ridurre il rischio cardiovascolare”, Pisa, Italy
 - Congresso Nazionale della Società dei Giovani Chirurghi. Lecture: “Immunologia nei trapianti di organi solidi”, Bologna, Italy
 - 3rd International Conference on Living Donor Abdominal Organ Transplantation. Lecture: “Strategies to prolong graft survival in patients with allograft nephropathy: non immunological vs immunological”, Cagliari, Italy
 - L’integrazione della consulenza genetica nella pratica clinica: il modello delle malattie ad esordio tardivo. Lecture: “Il dottore di domani: stetoscopio o genomica?”, Pavia, Italy
 - XLIII ERA-EDTA Congress. Lecture: “Regression of renal disease: what is the no-return point?”, Glasgow, UK
 - Genzyme Satellite Symposium: New insights in metabolic nephropathies at ERA – EDTA. Lecture: “Disease progression in Metabolic Nephropathies”, Glasgow, UK
 - World Transplant Congress 2006. Lecture: “Cost-effectiveness issues in organ transplantation”, Boston, USA
 - 13th Budapest Nephrology School. Lectures: “Reversal of chronic kidney disease”, “HUS”, “Transplantation achievements and open questions”, Budapest, Hungary
 - EDTNA-ERCA Congress 2006 “Prevention, care and management of renal disease”. Lecture: “Kidney Failure Stabilizes after an increase over 2 decades: impact on global (renal and Cardiovascular) health”, Madrid, Spain
 - Nefropatie croniche e complicanze cardiovascolari: Nuove prospettive di prevenzione e trattamento alla luce dei più recenti trials clinici. Lecture: “Remissione e regressione delle malattie renali croniche”, Bergamo, Italy
 - XIX Congresso Nazionale Siset: Accademia, industria e medicina. Lecture: “Accademia e industria nella ricerca sul farmaco: c’è ancora spazio per collaborare?”, Milan, Italy
 - I Bandi AIFA per lo sviluppo della ricerca clinica indipendente sui farmaci: quale opportunità per le aziende ospedaliere. Lecture: “Come promuovere una ricerca di qualità in ospedale. Quale expertise?”, Milan, Italy
 - IV Edizione Bergamo Scienza. Lecture: “Cellule staminali tra realtà e fantasia. Miti e leggende di una delle realtà più promettenti in ambito biomedico”, Bergamo, Italy
 - Workshop “Interruzione volontaria di gravidanza farmacologica: realtà e mito”. Lecture: “La sperimentazione dei farmaci, quali obiettivi e quali criteri di sicurezza per i pazienti?”, Milan, Italy
 - ACSA Congress. Advanced clinical evidence. Lectures: “Progressione delle malattie renali: cosa è cambiato dopo gli studi del 1990? E cosa succederà ancora?”, “Disfunzione renale nello scompenso cardiaco. Meccanismi ed implicazioni prognostiche e terapeutiche”, Foggia, Italy.
 - San Camillo Ospedale. Lecture: “Overview HUS and TTP”, Rome, Italy

- BENEDICT Tour. Lectures: “Cardiovascular implications of Renal Medicine”, “Preventing diabetic nephropathy: protect the kidney to limit cardiovascular disease”, “Renal disease can reserve in patients with diabetic nephropathy”, Toronto, Ottawa, Canada
- Giornata mondiale del Diabete. Lecture: “Il trapianto: State of the Art in research”, Bergamo, Italy
- Session: Friend or Foe: Complement regulation of Immune Cell function”, chairman, ASN Annual Congress, San Diego, USA
- Session: Idiopathic membranous nephropathy”, chairman, ASN annual congress, San Diego, USA
- 2nd. HUS Workshop. State of the Art: “From the bug to the gene”, “Transplantation”, Bergamo, Italy
- 38 Corso di aggiornamento in nefrologia e metodiche dialitiche. State of the Art: “Progressione delle malattie renali: inesorabile? Ma il rene sa ripararsi da solo”, Milan, Italy

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- 10° Convegno Patologia Immune e Malattie Orfane, 10 anni di CMID. Lecture: “Cellule T regolatore, immunologia del trapianto e autoimmunità”, Turin, Italy
- Workshop Scienza e Media, un tormentato rapporto. Lecture: “I fatti della scienza e l’enfasi dei giornali” (Discussant), Milan, Italy
- 5° Corso di formazione avanzata “Cellule staminali normali e neoplastiche 2007”. Lecture: “I risultati clinici raggiunti dalla terapia rigenerativa: realtà attuale”, Pavia, Italy
- Congress “Sopravvivere non è abbastanza. Qualità della vita nella malattia renale cronica”. Lecture: “Riabilitare al di là della malattia renale cronica”, Naples, Italy
- The 2nd World Congress on Gender-Specific Medicine and Aging. The endocrine impact. Lecture: “Gender-specific issues in internal medicine”, Rome, Italy
- C. Craig Tisher Visiting Professor, University of Florida. Lectures: “Renal disease progression: inexorable? But the kidney has the capacity to self-repair”, “Hemolytic Uremic Syndrome: advance of the last few years”, Jacksonville and Gainesville, Florida, USA
- Congress on Progression of chronic renal disease – the state of the art and an update. Chairman “Therapy News”, “Miscellaneous”, Montecatini, Italy
- AIFA European Conference on Clinical Research for Decision Making. Lecture: “Why and how to access the impact of medicines on public health”, Rome, Italy
- World Congress of Nephrology (WCN) 2007. Chairman: “Open questions on renal disease progression”, “Albuminuria: a marker or a target?”, “Can CKD regress?” Lectures: “Antihypertensive therapy in cardio-renal disease: which target and which drug”, “Regression of renal lesions: still a dream for humans?”, “Preventing disease progression and preventing nephropathies of diabetes: feasible strategies to limit the need of dialysis”, Discussant “Steroid-Resistant Nephrotic Syndrome”, State of the Art Lecture “Treating the kidney to cure the heart: translating animal intervention studies to the clinical practice”, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil
- VI Giornata Cardiologia Clinica – International Meeting New Trends 2007. Lecture: “Scompenso di cuore: qualche volta aumenta la creatinina, cosa fare?”, Loveno di Menaggio, Italy
- La ricerca tradita- Analisi di una crisi e prospettiva di rilancio. Lecture: “La percezione della Ricerca Scientifica nella Società”, Milan, Italy
- XII Congresso Nazionale FADOI. Lecture: “Progressione delle malattie renali, inesorabile? Ma il rene sa ripararsi da solo”, Rome, Italy
- Polish Society of Nephrology. Lecture: “Renal Disease progression: inexorable? But the kidney have the capacity to self repair”, Katowice, Poland
- 9th. Congress of Hypertension and Renal Disease. Lecture: “Prevention of progression and remission of chronic renal disease: Can we do better than 5 years ago?”, Antalya, Turkey
- Congress: Nurses and Transplantation. Lecture: “Medicina del trapianto: riparazione di organi e le prospettive dei prossimi anni”, Bergamo, Italy
- ERA-EDTA 2007 congress. Lecture: “inducine transplant tolerance: progress and challenges”, Barcelona, Spain
- XIX World Congress of International Society of Heart Research (ISHR): Lecture “Effects on renal function”, Bologna, Italy
- Thrombotic Microangiopathy Workshop. Lecture: “TTP and HUS are they separate diseases?”, Jena, Germany
- Congresso Nazionale di Cardioanestesia. Lecture: “Ricerca sperimentale e cura degli ammalati”, Bergamo, Italy
- PRIMIS Investigator meeting: Lecture: “Correction of Anemia: Pay offs and problems”, Brussels,

Belgium

- Congresso: L'autoimmunità organo-specifica nella medicina clinica e di laboratorio. Lecture: La tolleranza al trapianto". Florence, Italy.
- Mayc Clinic Workshop during the ASN: "HUS and Thrombotic Microangiopathies". San Francisco, USA
- Convegno nazionale: Attualità e prospettive in tema di trapianto di rene da donatore vivente e di trapianto di pancreas. Lecture: "Trapianto di rene preemptive (donatore vivente)", Milan, Italy
- Società Italiana di Nefrologia. Lecture: Nefropatia cronica del trapianto: quanto dipende dagli antigeni e come si tratta". Parma, Italy
- Giornata mondiale del diabete: Lecture: "La malattia renale nel diabete e nella sindrome metabolica: quando e come intervenire", Treviglio (BG), Italy
- Congresso nazionale SITO. Lecture: "Davvero si può ridurre la terapia antirigetto? Fino a che punto?", Modena, Italy
- Corso di aggiornamento in nefrologia e metodiche dialitiche. Lecture: "Controllo della ipertensione arteriosa-Ruole degli ACE e degli ARB", Milan, Italy
- 2008 - Symposium:" La prevenzione in nefrologia", Lecture: "La prevenzione delle complicanze associate alla insufficienza renale", Rome, Italy
- Seventh Genoa Meeting on Hypertension, Diabetes and Renal Diseases, Lecture: "Perspectives in Renal Medicine", Genoa, Italy
- VI Int. Conference of Hypertension and the Kidney, Lecture: "Treating the kidney and cure the heart", Madrid, Spain
- Distinguished Visiting Professor Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center and Harvard Medical College, Boston: "Polycystic Kidney Disease: Novel Treatment for Hypertension and changing the Course of the Disease", "Thrombotic Thrombocytopenic Purpura and Hemolytic Uremic Syndrome: Are they separate diseases?", "A novel look to Membranous Nephropathy", "Regression of Chronic Renal Disease and the case of kidney self repairing", Boston. USA
- Meet the Professor Seminar: "How does proteinuria cause progressive renal damage? Potential impact of antiangiogenic agents", European Inst. of Oncology, Milan, Italy
- Bioethical Conference: "Bioetica e Ricerca Medica", "Quale futuro per l'umanità? Organi, trapianti e implicazioni etiche", Siena, Italy
- 10th. Arab Congress of Nephrology. Plenary lecture: "Pathophysiology of Glomerular Filtration and Related Genes", Algiers, Algery
- Proteinuria Conference National Kidney Foundation/FDA: REIN and REIN 2 clinical trials. Silverspring, Maryland, USA
- ERA/EDTA Congress Stockholm. "Thrombotic Microangiopathies", Stockholm, Sweden.
- 1st. Conference: "Anticipating changes in drug development for children: Building on Paediatric Rheumatology". "Clinical trials in small populations: level of evidence and choice of endpoints and control group", Genoa, Italy
- ISN Nexus and the kidney symposium: "Potential for ETRA's in Diabetic CKD", "How does proteinuria cause progressive renal damage?", Dublin, Ireland
- Int. symposium on chronic kidney disease: epidemiology, detection, prevention and intervention. "Epidemiology of CKD: current world situation and clinical implications", "Pharmacological intervention in CKD: current results and progress. Is remission feasible", "Clinicopathological conference: HUS". Cordoba, Argentina.
- 42nd. Annual Meeting of the European Society of Paediatric Nephrology. "Stem cells therapy: facts and myths". Lyon, France.
- 62nd. Annual conference of the Council for High Blood Pressure Research. "Is there a role for endothelin receptor antagonists in renal medicine?". Atlanta, USA
- KIDSTEM Workshop. Plenary lecture: "Regression of CRD and the case of kidney self repairing", Liverpool, UK
- ISN Nexus Symposium on Transplantation and the Kidney. Management of Chronic Allograft Dysfunction: "Non-Immune Interventions: BP, Lipids", Rome, Italy
- Royal College of Physicians of Edinburgh. Symposium: Renal Medicine: From Primary to Secondary Care. Sydney Watson Smith Lecture: "How we can prevent progression of CKD?", Edinburgh, UK
- 49. Congresso Nazionale SIN: Plenary lecture: "La nefrologia oggi e domani", Rimini, Italy
- The Genetic and Molecular Basis of Rare Kidney Disorders: "The genetic and molecular basis of glomerular filtration". Bergamo, Italy
- Int. symposium: "Molecular targets in renal disease". "Regression of CRD and the case of kidney

self repairing”, Bamberg, Germany

- Il Cuore, il rene e l'insufficienza renale. “Davvero il rene può ripararsi da solo?”, Cassino, Italy
- 7th. Int. Symposium on Multiple Risk Factors in Cardiovascular Diseases. “Renal dysfunction as a major risk factor for cardiovascular disease”, Venice, Italy
- Annual Congress of American Society of Nephrology. “Role of complement in atypical HUS”, “Remission clinics-assessing risk benefits of treatment”, “Regression of CRD and the case of self repairing”, Philadelphia, USA
- Workshop LES, Univeristy Bicocca Milan, Plenary lecture: “LES: genes, autoimmunity and inflammation”, Milan, Italy
- Workshop Novartis “Dal Laboratorio alla farmacia”, ‘Un esperienza d’eccellenza nella ricerca italiana’, Rome, Italy
- 2nd. Int. Vicenza Course on Kidney Transplantation, Chairman, Vicenza, Italy
- Seminar “Focus sul trapianto renale”, Plenary lecture: “Induzione e mantenimento network-/regolatorio”, Ospedale Maggiore di Borgo Trento, Verona, Italy
- Corso di aggiornamento in nefrologia e metodiche dialitiche, Fondazione D’Amico. “La ricerca traslazionale”, Milan, Italy

2009

- 12 Convegno Patologia Immune e Malattie Orfane 2009. Plenary Lecture: “Ricerca traslazionale: perchè serve? Anche per le malattie immunologiche e rare?”, Turin, Italy
- Merck symposium: “Investigazione clinica, invesdtigatori clinici e ricerca traslazionale”, Rome, Italy
- Visiting Professor of the Moscow City Nephrology Center: “Regression of Chronic Renal Disease and the case of kidney self repairing”, “Thrombotic Microangiopathy”, Moscow, Russia
- Rotary Club: “Medicina di oggi e etica di ieri?”, Solbiate Olona, Italy
- 28th. Annual Congress of Egyptian Society of Nephrology, “Regression of CRD and the case of kidney self repair”, New insights in the management of membranous nephropathy”, Systemic lupus erythematosus genes, autoimmunity & inflammation”, Hurghada, Egypt.
- Meeting Int. Guidelines on Rhinitis, Asthma and COPD, “Comprehensive assessment and management of patients with chronic renal failure”, Modena, Italy
- Course “Cellule Staminali e medicina rigenerativa 2009:attualità e prospettive”, Round table: “Medicina rigenerativa cellulare: realtà e prospettive”, Pavia, Italy
- XV Congress of Latin American Society of Nephrology and Hypertension 2009, “Membranous nephropathy: Finally a novel treatment, how effective and for who?”, Remission and Regression of diabetic nephropathy” Mexico City, Mexico
- VIII Giornata Cardiologica Clinica, “Cellule staminali per riparare gli organi. C’è un problema etico”, Lovenò di Menaggio, Italy
- Int. Conference Current diagnosis and therapy of HUS, Keynote lecture “HUS and TTP: still two different diseases? Innsbruck, Austria
- Vth Int. Course on genetic renal diseases, “Clinical and therapeutic aspects on cystic diseases”, Genova, Italy
- World Congress of Nephrology 2009 (WCN 2009), co-organizer and chairman of R&D Forum “Research partnerships: Need to reconsider the role of academia and industry”, Milan, Italy
- WCN 2009, “The RENAAL study: reasons for a successful story”, Milan, Italy
- WCN 2009, AIRP Meeting, “Clinical Trials for ADPEK Patients”, Milan, Italy
- WCN 2009, AMgen symposium: “Role of anaemia and ESA therapy in the course of kidney disease”, Milan, Italy
- WCN 2009, Symposium: Regression of CKD: determinants and possible targets for intervention: “Magic bullet or multiple interventions to reverse kidney disease progression?”, Milan, Italy
- WCN 2009 Satellite symposium Focus on Fabry Nephropathy: Biomarkers, Progression and Disease severity: Co-organizer, “Molecular basis of glomerular permselectivity and proteinuria”, Bergamo, Italy
- Menarini Symposium Transplantation and Tissue Repair, co-organizer, keynote lecture “Tolerance: a role for regulatory cells?”, Bergamo, Italy
- Renal Week, ASN 2009, “HUS and TTP still two different diseases?”, San Diego, USA
- Renal Week ASN 2009, Session: Thrombotic Microangiopathies, moderator, San Diego, USA
- Renal Week ASN 2009, CNC: “Evidence for proteinuria as a surrogate in primary glomerular disease”, San Diego, USA
- Congress Update on Diabetic Nephropathy and Retinopathy, “Diabetic nephropathy: Natural history and perspectives”, Lido di Camaiore (LU), Italy

- Congress FADOI, "Progression of renal diseases", Rome, Italy
- National Congress SIGG, "Medicina di domani ed etica di ieri", Florence, Italy
- Unione It. per pneumologia, " Medicina di domani ed etica di ieri", Milan, Italy
- Corso di aggiornamento in nefrologia e metodiche dialitiche, Fondazione D'Amico.

"Preeclampsia e eclampsia", Milan, Italy

2010

- MISOT expert meeting on mesenchymal stem cells in solid organ transplantation, "MSC and renal repair, relevance for renal transplantation", Rotterdam, Paesi Bassi
- Convegno PATologie Immune e Malattie Orfane, "Il Rituximab nella sindrome nefrosica: Opinione a confronto", Turin, Italy
- Congresso: Malattie Rare e accesso alle cure, "Ricerca per le malattie rare. Perché? Non è meglio dedicarsi a malattie cardiovascolari o tumori?", Rome, Italy
- Congress Il rene tra cuore e diabete, "La regressione della malattia renale cronica", Naples, Italy
- Congress Nuove evidenze nella prevenzione e nel trattamento della CKD-MBD, "Ricerca per le malattie rare. Perché? Non è meglio dedicarsi a malattie cardiovascolari o tumori?", Florence, Italy
- European PKD Meeting, "presentation of EU consortia", Barcelona, Spain
- Congress Integrazione dei percorsi assistenziali, " Rischio di infarto o di scompenso di cuore?", Milan, Italy
- Congress Nuove evidenze nella prevenzione e nel trattamento della CKD-MBD, "Progressione, remissione e regressione delle malattie renale croniche", Florence, Italy
- Convegno ISS/AIFA, "Rare Diseases", Rome, Italy
- 13th. Forum on The Renin Angiotensin System, "Regression of chronic kidney diseases and kidney self repair", Capri, Italy
- Seminario University of Milan, "60 anni di trapianto, dai primi tentativi ai problemi", Milan, Italy
- IX Giornata Cardiologica Clinica, tavola rotonda: " E dopo il trapianti? Quello che potrà fare la medicina e come si dovrebbe preparare la società", Laveno di Mennaggio, Italy
- Annual meeting Bolivian Society of Nephrology, "The use of marginal donores in renal transplantation", "What we have learnt in the past 50 years of organ transplantation? Achievements and open questions", "HUS and TTP: still two different diseases?", "Regression of chronic renal disease and the case of kidney self repairing", La Paz, Bolivia
- XII Congress of the Peruvian Congress of Nephrology, "HUS and TTP: still two different diseases?", "Regression of chronic renal disease and the case of kidney self repairing", Lima, Peru
- Seminario Le malattie renali nel 2010 e la nefrologia vicentina, "Nuovi orizzonti in tema di malattie renali", Vicenza, Italy
- Seminar Dipartimento di Immunologia e Clinica dei trapianti Curarsi con le cellule, "Cellule staminali: una verità o tante?", Bergamo, Italy
- Convegno Humanitas, "Chi dice la verità sulle cellule staminali", Bergamo, Italy
- Satellite symposium on Thrombotic Microangiopathies, 21st Int. Congress on Thrombosis, "Rethinking Thrombotic Microangiopathies", Milan, Italy
- XXV Congress of the Brazilian Society of Nephrology, "Remission and regression of CKD: what has been achieved and what the future holds", "Transplant tolerance - achieved in animals, what about humans?", Vitoria, Brazil
- VII Corso di aggiornamento Università di Pavia, "Impiego delle cellule staminali e trapianto di rene", Pavia, Italy
- Congresso Nefro-SNAMID, "Medicina renale: cosé cambiato negli ultimi vent'anni e cosa cambierà forse nei prossimi anni", Ferrara, Italy
- Videoconference: "Microangiopatie Trombotiche", Milan, Italy
- Congresso La Terapia Immunosoppressiva, "Meccanismi d'azione dei farmaci immunosoppressivi", Milan, Italy
- Renal Master Class, "Insights into renal medicine, then and now", "Why the study of rare diseases?", Bergamo, Italy
- Convegno Focus on heart failure "Hot Topics", "What about the kidney", Bergamo, Italy
- Corso "Perspectives on Diabetes and Cardiovascular disease and renal impairment", "The role of renal impairment in diabetes and the management of renal impairment in diabetes", Rome, Italy
- Congresso SIN Lombardia "Certe malattie renali ormai non progrediscono più, per altre c'è

- ancora tanta strada", Legnano, Italy
- Congress Medicina Salute e Società, "Le cellule staminali: una verità o tante?", Bergamo, Italy
- Nephrology symposium: "Remission and regression of CKD: and the case of kidney self repair", Sint Niklaas, Belgium
- Annual ASN congress Denver, "Therapeutic implications of targeting interstitial inflammation", Denver, USA
- Facoltà di Medicina e Chirurgia, Univ. di Catania, "Chi dice la verità sulle cellule staminali", Catania, Italy
- Corso di aggiornamento in nefrologia e metodiche dialitiche, Fondazione D'Amico. "Il trapianto renale: cosa è cambiato negli ultimi 30 anni? Qual'è l'aspettativa di vita di un paziente trapiantato oggi?" ", Milan, Italy
- Congresso Ospedale San Martino, "La sindrome uremico emolitica e la TTP: due malattie diverse?", Genua, Italy

2011

- 7th Workshop "Hot topics in Hepatology", "Key note lecture: "Le basi del rigetto e tolleranza", Modena, Italy
- 9th. Annual Meeting of the Jordan Society of Nephrology, "Thrombotic Microangiopathy", "Membranous Nephropathy", Amman, Jordan
- "Le relazioni pericolose: Cuore, rene ed ormoni", Closing lecture: "Rallentare, arrestare o far regredire la progressione dell'insufficienza renale", Napoli, Italy
- "La dermatologia del trapianto", "Il futuro della sostituzione d'organo", Bergamo, Italy
- "ADPKP in Europe: Clinical and experimental research", "Current and future endpoints of clinical trials including measurements of GFR and imaging", Berlin, Germany
- Incontro culturale, "Le cellule staminali: una verità o tante?", Stresa, Italy
- MISOT Meeting, "Combined autologous MSC and kidney transplant in the clinical setting", Leuven, Belgium
- WCN, "Genomic Mechanisms in kidney development and disease", "Stem cells: the key to renal regeneration?", Vancouver, Canada
- WCN, AMGEN Award Plenary Lecture: "The path to remission and regression to chronic nephropathies and the case of renal self repair", Vancouver, Canada
- "International Renal Meeting and Mayo Clinic Day in Sardinia", "Transplant tolerance: progress and challenges", Cagliari, Italy
- Ateneo di Scienze, Lettere ed Arti, "La scienza e la medicina per la cura degli uomini", Bergamo, Italy
- "La gestione del paziente anziano: nefrologo e geriatra a confronto", "Medicina di domani ed etica di ieri", Trento, Italy
- "Trapianto di Organi Solidi e Midollo: come cambia la terapia antirigetto", "I farmaci nuovo sono meglio di 20 anni fa", Bergamo, Italy
- 10° corso di formazione avanzata "Ricerca traslazionale in ematologia/oncologia", "Tolleranza al trapianto: ci siamo negli animali, a quando nell'uomo?", Pavia, Italy
- "Il futuro della ricerca preclinica nell'ottica della nuova direttiva 2010/63/EU", "Il giorno che non ci sarà più la sperimentazione sugli animali finirà la medicina", Milan, Italy
- The 8th. San Raffaele Transplant Meeting, "Le neoplasie: ruolo degli mTor", Milan, Italy
- Ca' Granda lectures and Seminars in Molecular Medicine, "Sindrome emolitico uremica: storia di un successo annunciato (ma non è sempre così)", Milan, Italy
- "Attivazione selettiva dei VDR: dalla CKD-MBD alla protezione del rene e del cuore", "Renoprotezione ed attivazione selettiva dei VDR", Bari, Italy
- "Danno cardio-renale, sopravvivenza e qualità di vita dell'uremico nel terzo millennio", "Chi dice la verità sulle cellule staminali", Catania, Italy
- 38th. Annual Renal Disease and Electrolyte Disorders Course", "Clinical Practice Case", "Pathophysiology of Preeclampsia: what do we really know?", "Glomerulonephritis", Aspen, USA
- Seminar "E. Coli vecchi e nuovi e l'incubo dei germogli", Bergamo, Italy
- Lettura magistrale: "Trapianti di organi solidi: come siamo partiti e dove siamo arrivati", Palermo, Italy
- Symposium: "Le nuove frontiere della ricerca per una partnership in Italia", "Le nuove frontiere in nefrologia", Rome, Italy
- 52° Congresso Nazionale della SIN: ""E. Coli vecchi e nuovi e l'incubo dei germogli", Genua, Italy
- Lions Club Voghera, "Medicina di domani ed etica di ieri", Voghera, Italy

- STAR-T REK final meeting, "Stem cells: the key to renal regeneration?", Bergamo, Italy
- AIGA, "Testamento biologico e scelte di fine vita", "Sulla soglia tra vita e morte: ruolo e doveri del medico", Bergamo, Italy
- Accademia nazionale dei Lincei, "Medicina di domani e etica di ieri", Rome, Italy
- Int. congress on Independent Clinical Research in Oncology", "Transplant immunosuppression: less is more, but where have the academics gone", Bergamo, Italy
- Lettura magistrale Società polispecialistica italiana dei giovani chirurghi (SPIGC), "Innovazioni nella terapia immunosoppressiva", Naples, Italy
- Venetian Institute of Molecular Medicine, 10th. annual retreat, "Organ transplantation: what happened so far and what we would like to achieve?", Marostica, Italy
- Miulli Dialysis Day, "Chi dice la verità sulle cellule staminali?", Bari, Italy
- Il Corso Internacional de nefrologia, dialisis y trasplante renal, "Fisiopatología y nuevas estrategias terapéuticas de la nefropatía lúpica", "síndrome emolítico urémico", Cochabamba, Bolivia
- Joint Symposium IRSIN-ERA/EDTA, Luis Hernando Award Lecture, "Progenitor cells have been found in glomeruli of human, rodent and fish: implications from renal medicine", Madrid, Spain
- Istituto Superiore Sanità Workshop, "E se uno ha una malattia rara?", Rome, Italy
- Remission Clinic, "Progressione, remissione e regressione delle nefropatie croniche", Bergamo, Italy

2012

- 4° Nefrofocus, "La remission clinic vista dopo 12 anni", Rome, Italy
- Cellule staminali: realtà e speranze, "Chi dice la verità sulle cellule staminali", Genua, Italy
- Comprehensive Center for infection, immunity and transplantation (CIIT), "Is complement a key player in transplant rejection?", Innsbruck, Austria
- Accademia Medica, "Medicina di domani e etica di ieri", Rome, Italy
- Annual meeting Syskid, "Progenitor cells have been found in glomeruli of humans, rodents and fish: implications from renal medicine", Bergamo, Italy
- Corso ECM "Proteinuria, Progressione delle malattie renali e ...altro", "Progressione, remissione e regressione delle malattie renali croniche", Ranica (Bg), Italy
- VIII International Conference of Hypertension and the kidney, "Stem cells: the key to renal regeneration", Madrid, Spain
- 6th Meeting of Asian Forum of CKD initiative, "Remission and regression of chronic kidney disease and the case of kidney self repair" Chandigarh, India
- 2012 International meeting of asthma COPD and concomitant disorders, "Chronic kidney failure", Modena, Italy
- Corso di perfezionamento in strategie innovative nella ricerca biomedica, "Medicina di domani, etica di ieri", Scuola Superiore Sant'Anna, Pisa, Italy
- Il lungo ed affascinante viaggio della ricerca sulle cellule staminali, "Medicina di domani, etica di ieri", Università degli studi di Milan, Milan, Italy
- First Workshop on intestinal transplantation on children, "Immunology of solid organ transplantation. From the man to the rat and back to man", Venice, Italy
- SIN-AL, Lettura magistrale "Scienza e cellule", Matera, Italy
- 6th International Congress on Thrombosis and Hemostasis issues in cancer, Co-chair "Advances and management on complement disorders", Bergamo, Italy
- Microangiopatie trombotiche: dall'attività di ricerca, alla pratica clinica, "Sindrome emolitico uremica: in 15 anni è cambiato tutto, cosa resta da fare?", Ranica (Bg), Italy
- ESOT, The Hesperis Course, "How many more years of transplantation?" Bergamo, Italy
- IX Corso di aggiornamento continuo in nefrologia, "Remissione e regressione delle malattie renali: come e quando. E perché nel diabete è tutto più difficile", Chieti, Italy
- ANED, Malattie renali, dialisi, trapianto, "Sostituire la funzione del rene: da dove siamo partiti e vorremmo (forse) arrivare", Bergamo, Italy
- IX International CME Nephrology Course of Russian Dialysis Society, "Role of proteinuria in chronic kidney disease progression", "Thrombotic microangiopathy: current view", "Atypical HUS", San Petersburg, Russia
- 30th Anniversary International Vicenza Course on Peritoneal Dialysis, SUMMIT on Peritoneal Dialysis around the world, Vicenza, Italy
- International workshop on heart failure with preserved ejection fraction: lessons learned and directions forward future therapies, "Improving renal function and fluid homeostasis", Bergamo
- 3° Convegno "Le Eccellenze in nefrologia: presente e futuro", "La medicina in Italia e i 150 anni

- dell'unità", Nusco Avellino, Italy
- Lezione ISMETT (Istituto Mediterraneo per i Trapianti e Terapie ad Alta Specializzazione), "Se e come cellule staminali mesenchimali possono contribuire a indurre tolleranza agli organi solidi", Palermo, Italy
 - Omaggio a Francesco Pagano, "Cosa è successo della medicina in 150 anni di unità d'Italia", Università degli studi di Padua, Padua, Italy
 - Nuove evidenze sui meccanismi patogenetici delle malattie renali. Cosa sopravvive dei miti della neuropatologia del XX secolo, "XXI Conrad Pirani lecture", Università degli studi di Torino, Turin, Italy
 - Gabor Zellerman Visiting Professor in Nephrology, Gabor Zellerman "Progenitor cells have been found in glomeruli of human, rodent and fish: implications for renal medicine and beyond", "Remission and regression of chronic kidney disease and reforming kidneys on the horizon", "HUS a disease that can be cured eventually : how and for who, and who pays the bill", University of Toronto, Toronto, Canada
 - Wake Forest, School of Medicine, "Remission and Regression of Chronic Kidney Disease and Reforming Kidney on the Horizon", Greensboro, USA
 - Il potere del cittadino e del paziente nelle scelte sulla salute. Il caso dell'oncologia, Tavola Rotonda, Milan, Italy
 - "Coinvolgere il paziente sui costi della sanità: sì, no, come", Milanonefro Connect, Primer Workshop Esteve en Proteinuria, "Clinical significance of proteinuria. Cardiovascular and renal risc", Madrid, Spain
 - Nefrologia e dialisi – Giulianova XX anni, "Insufficienza renale nel mondo: cosa vogliamo raggiungere nei prossimi 10 anni e quali difficoltà dobbiamo superare", Giulianova, Italy
 - Conferenza "Le virtù nascoste del limone", "C'è un ruolo per il limone in medicina?", Ranica (Bg), Italy
 - Appropriatezza terapeutica e futuro: pratica clinica e ricerca collaborativa, "Il ruolo della ricerca collaborativa per l'appropriatezza terapeutica", Milan, Italy
 - Hong-Kong Society of Nephrology, Annual Scientific meeting, Richard Yu Endowment Fund Award lecture "Remission, regression of chronic kidney diseases and the case of kidney self repair", "The truth in stem cells and stem cell research", Hong Kong
 - Annual Conference of Chinese Society of Nephrology, "Remission, regression of chronic kidney diseases and the case of kidney self repair", Chengdu, China
 - 7 Giornata Vastese delle malattie renali, "Sindrome emolitico-uremica: in 15 anni è cambiato tutto, cosa resta da fare?", Vasto, Italy
 - 4th Expert meeting Mesenchymal stem cells in solid organ transplantation, "Emerging problems with the use of MSC to induce tolerance in organ transplantation", Barcelona, Spain
 - XXXVI Congresso Nazionale Società Italiana Trapianti di Organo, SITO, "Induzione della tolleranza mediante cellule mesenchimali", Turin, Italy
 - 28° Congresso nazionale della Società Italiana di Nefrologia Pediatrica, "I cambiamenti più rilevanti nella diagnosi e terapia della SEU negli ultimi anni", Milan, Italy
 - Focus on rare Diseases: "Intestinal and Multivisceral transplantation, "One truth about stem cells and stem cells research (or more)?, "Transplant tolerance for solid organs: how near we are", Bergamo, Italy
 - V° meeting della Rete di ricerca Italiana per la lotta alla glomeruloclerosi focale, "Rituximab in sindrome nefrosica steroide dipendente o multirelapsing di adulti e bambini: i risultati dello studio NEMO", Milan, Italy
 - XXXVIII corso di Aggiornamento: Alterazioni congenite ed acquisite della coagulazione, "Medicina di domani e etica di ieri", Milan, Italy
 - 44th Annual Meeting of the Swiss Society of Nephrology, Session State of the Art on Haemolytic Uremic Syndrome, "Genetics of Atypical HUS and therapeutic options with transplantation", Zurich, Switzerland
 - 44° Corso di Aggiornamento in Nefrologia e Metodiche Dialitiche, "Malattia cronica del trapianto. proteinuria e iperparatiroidismo secondario e possibile ruolo degli agonisti del recettore della vitamina D", Milan, Italy
 - Convegno 25 anni di trapianto di rene pediatrico a Padova "In viaggio per crescere", "Trapianto di organi: da dove siamo partiti e dove vorremmo arrivare", Padua, Italy
- 2013
- 16° Convegno Patologia Immune e Malattie Orfane 2013, "Le malattie renali del citoscheletro", Tourin, Italy

- Lombardia in Movimento, “Sanità, Welfare, Servizi sociali, Onere o Fattore di Sviluppo?”, Tavola Rotonda, Milan, Italy
- Le Microangiopatie Trombotiche, “microangiopatie trombotiche e rene”, Rome, Italy
- Scientific Workhop, “Advances in Clinical and Experimental Nephrology”, Nicosia, Cyprus
- Unistem Day, Il Lungo ed affascinante Viaggio della Ricerca sulle Cellule Staminali, “Medicina (e Scienza) di Domani e Etica di Ieri”, Milan, Italy
- XXanni Nefrologia e Sanità: la nostra storia, il nostro futuro, “Insufficienza renale nel mondo: cosa vogliamo raggiungere nei prossimi 10 anni e quali difficoltà dobbiamo superare” , “la Fiera della sanità: pubblico? privato? nè pubblico, né privato? Qual è la sostenibilità possibile” Tavola Rotonda, Giulianova, Italy
- Nephrolithiasis: a systemic disorder, “Rare diseases as a challenge for medicine and society”, Rome, Italy
- Le malattie renali rare:dalla genetica ai percorsi diagnostico-assistenziali multidisciplinari, “Cosa si impara dallo studio delle malattie rare”, Taormina, Italy
- Tavola Rotonda: Tu puoi dare la vita, “Trapianti di organi: da dove siamo partiti e dove vorremmo (forse) arrivare”, Bergamo, Italy
- Mutuo Soccorso: 30 anni di Servizio sanitario Nazionale, “Cosa succede (e cosa succederà) al Servizio Sanitario Nazionale”, Bergamo, Italy
- The Second International renal Meeting and Mayo Clinic Day in Sardinia, “Will it one day be possible to engineer a complete kidney?Problems and perspectives”, Sardinia, Italy
- III Convegno gestione del paziente anziano, “Trapianto di rene: quando dire no”, Trento, Italy
- Ca’ Granda Seminars, “Cosa (non) imparare dalle meta-analisi”, Milan, Italy
- MaCSIS: Medicine non convenzionali tra scienza e illusione, “Medicine ‘alternative’? Sì, per malattie ‘alternative’”, Milan, Italy
- 50th ERA-EDTA Congress, “Will it one day be possible to engineer a complete kidney?Problems and perspectives”, Istanbul, Turkey
- ESH Congress 2013 Global Health: the need for new perspectives, “What we have to do: chronic kidney disease in a global perspective”, Milan, Italy
- International Summer School of Renal Pathology 2013 (ISSRP), “Hemolytic Uremic Syndrome”, Bari, Italy
- Attivazione selettiva dei VDR: dalla CKD-MBD alla protezione del rene e del cuore, “Progressione delle malattie renali: come difendersi e ruolo degli agonisti del recettore della Vit D”, Bari, Italy
- Convegno L’Accademia delle idee, “Rene fatto in laboratorio:davvero? E quando?”, Ariano Irpino, Italy
- 12th Congress of the Cell Transplant Society, “Clinical experience with immunosuppressive drugs”, Milan, Italy
- The Sixteenth Congress of the International Pediatric nephrology Association, “Complement diseases: draw of a new therapeutic era”, Shanghai, China
- ISN Forefronts Symposium 2013 Stem cells and kidney regeneration, “Stem cell therapy for renal transplantation: from bedside to bench and return”, Florence, Italy
- 54° Congresso Nazionale SIN, “Dialisi e trapianto: da dove siamo partiti e dove vorremmo (forse) arrivare, Florence, Italy
- International congress of nephrology and transplant 2013, “Progression, remission and regression of chronic renal disease and the case of creating a new kidney in the lab”, “0 by 25: a human rights case for health equity: AKF in poor countries should no longer be a death sentence”, La Paz, Bolivia
- Convegno Il farmaco . un po’ angelo un ‘ diavolo, “Farmaci nuovi: solo se davvero efficaci e a patto di utilizzare i generici tutte le volte che è possibile”, Milan, Italy
- 31° Convegno annuale della sezione lombarda della Società italiana di Nefrologia, “Remission clinic: cosa è successo in 15 anni”, Lecco, Italy
- IraqiSN Annual Workshop, “Hemolytic Uremic Syndrome: everything has changed in the last ten years, but still a lot to do”, “Progression, remission and regression of chronic renal diseases and the case of kidney self-repair”, “0 by 25: a human rights case for health equity: AKF in poor countries should no longer be a death sentence”, Dubai
- Focus on rare diseases: cancer survivorship care, “Sopravvivere (al cancro) o riprendere a vivere” Tavola Rotonda, Bergamo, Italy
- LXII Reunion Annual 2013, “Progression, remission and regression of chronic renal diseases and the case of kidney self-repair”, “Hemolytic Uremic Syndrome: everything has changed in the last

- ten years, but still a lot to do”, Cancun, Mexico
 - Simposio Abbvie, Malattia renale cronica: gli agonisti del recettore della vitamina D servono?, “Progressione del danno renale: forse abbiamo un’arma in più”, Milan, Italy
- 2014
- Madras Medical College,: “Retarding renal disease progression: the ingredient of a successful story (with still a lot to do)”, Chennai, India
 - Nineteenth International CRRT Conference, San Diego. “HUS: an evolving disease”, “Remodeling” the kidney: the plasticity of progenitor and kidney cells”, “0 by 25: A human right case for healthy equity: acute kidney failure in poor countries should no longer be a death sentence”, San Diego, USA
 - 32nd. Annual Congress of the Egyptian Society of Nephrology and Transplantation, Alexandria, Egypt: “0 by 25: A human rights case for healthy equity: acute kidney failure in poor countries should no longer be a death sentence”, “ADPKD: still unsolved management problems?”, “Progression, remission and regression of chronic renal disease and the case of kidney self-repair”, Alexandria, Egypt
 - Giornata Unistem: “Medicina di domani e etica di ieri, Milan, Italy
 - MiSOT Meeting: “Kidney Transplantation”, Bergamo, Italy
 - The Lancet/ISN reports meeting: “Introduction” and Chair, Bergamo, Italy
 - International Workshop on Orphan Drugs: General discussion on position paper, Bergamo, Italy
 - ERA-EDTA CME Course: “Eculizumab and glomerulopathies” Plenary lecture, Nicosia, Cyprus
 - Convegno Valore dei Fatti: “Nella Medicina”, Milan, Italy
 - ISN Nexus Symposium: Keynote lecture: “Retarding renal disease progression: the ingredients of a successful story”, Bergamo, Italy
 - Citywide Nephrology Seminar: “Dialysis and renal transplantation: where are we coming from and what we would like to (possibly) achieve, Chicago, USA
 - 6th. Meeting of the Forum of Italian Researchers on Mesenchymal and STromal Stem Cells: “Immunomodulating potential of mesenchymal stem cells in organ transplantation”, Milan, Italy
 - 13 Corso di formazione avanzata – ‘Nuovi bersagli di terapia cellulare’, Collegio Ghisleri: “Terapia cellulare rigenerativa per Danni d’organo: faticosa ricerca, grandi aspettative, facili promesse”, Pavia, Italy
 - Il Seminario: Osteoporosi e Alterazioni del Metabolismo Minerale Osseo nella Malattia Renale Cronica: “Dialisi e trapianto: da dove siamo partiti e dove (forse) vorremmo arrivare”, Padova, Italy
 - Collegio Vescovile Sant’Alessandro: Lectio Magistralis “Medicina di domain ed etica di ieri”, Bergamo, Italy
 - Conferenza Le Frontiere della Farmacologia: “Medicina di domain, etica di ieri”, Milano, Italy
 - UCL Applied Renal Physiology Course 2014, Royal Free Hospital: Plenary Lecture: “Dialysis and renal transplantation: where are we coming from and what we would (possibly) like to achieve”, London, UK
 - Seconda Edizione del Premio Cultura Medica “Giuseppe Roi”: “Medicina rigenerativa oggi: cellule staminali e oltre”, Vicenza, Italy
 - ERA-EDTA Congress 2014: “Acute Renal failure: an unacceptable death sentence globally”, Amsterdam, The Netherlands
 - Pneumologia 2014: Convegno: “La cultura fa bene alla medicina moderan” Tavola rotonda, Milan, Italy
 - 32nd. Vicenza Course HD-PD: “Kidney Disease and dialysis around the world”, “Diabetic nephropathy and progression of CKD”, Vicenza, Italy
 - TERMIS EU Meeting, “Renal transplantation: where are we coming from and what we would like (possibly) to achieve, Genua, Italy
 - Evento 3000 Trapianti: Plenary Lecture: “Trapianto di rene: da dove siamo partiti e dove vorremmo (forse) arrivare”, Rome, Italy
 - XX Corso di Aggiornamento in Nefrologia: “Il trapianto di organi: da dove siamo partiti e dove vorremmo arrivare (un organo in laboratorio?)”, Cosenza, Italy
 - 6th. Hydration for Health Science Conference, “Acute kidney injury in poor countries should no longer be a death sentence: the ISN 0 by 25 project”, Evian, France
 - SLANH Online course, “Peritoneal Dialysis accessible for everybody” – online
 - Academy of Ideas, “Slowing down progression of renal diseases: we have done a long way but it is not yet the time to stop”, Ariano Irpino, Italy
 - Meeting Astra Zeneca, “Remission and regression of chronic kidney disease and reforming

kidney on the horizon”, Molndal, Sweden

- 12e Edizione Scuola Ca-P, “Remissione e regressione delle malattie renali e quando il rene si ripara da solo”, Rome, Italy
- XXVII Congresso Brasileiro Nefrologia, Plenary Lecture: “Dialysis and renal transplantation: where are we coming from and what we would like (possibly) to achieve”, “Progression, remission and regression of chronic renal diseases and the case of kidney self-repair”, Belo Horizonte, Brasil
- 55 Congresso Nazionale della Società Italiana di Nefrologia, Lettura Magistrale: “Davvero in futuro ci saranno malattie che si possono curare con le cellule? Anche quelle del rene?”, “Non più morti di insufficienza renale acuta trattabile nei paesi poveri del mondo entro il 20125: un obiettivo di equità”, Catania, Italy
- ERA-EDTA CME Course: Novel Strategies in the treatment of CKD complications: “CKD and the diabetes mellitus burden”, Hissarya, Bulgaria
- Bergamo Scienza: Tavola rotonda: ‘Sperimentazione animale? Come va avanti la medicina’, moderatore, Bergamo, Italy
- SICPRE 2014, ‘Il chirurgo plastico che ha fatto la storia del trapianto’, Bergamo, Italy
- 30 Congresso Nazionale Società Italiana di Nefrologia Pediatrica, Lettura Magistrale: ‘Un nuovo modo di guardare al sistema del complemento nel rene e non solo’, Padova, Italy
- Unindustria Como: ‘ Siamo preparati a sapere tutto quello che c’è da sapere sul nostro DNA? Forse no’, Como, Italy
- Università degli Studi di Torino, Sperimentazione animale e metodi alternativi: tra miti, polemiche e realtà scientifica: ‘Senza sperimentazione animale finisce la medicina’, Turin, Italy
- Festival della Scienze: Tavola rotonda: ‘Non fa male, perchè non provare?’ Come difendersi dai falsi profeti, Moderatore, Genova, Italy
- 28 Congresso Nazionale SISA, ‘ Medicina di domani, etica di ieri’, Rome, Italy
- University Hospital Geneva, ‘Renal transplantation from very old donors, how old?’, Geneva, Switzerland
- Conferenza Comune Brugherio, ‘Medicina di domani, etica di ieri’, Brugherio, Italy
- Convegno “L’esperienza CReG in Regione Lombardia”: ‘Malattie croniche: e se fosse venuto il momento di ripensare al DRG?’, Milan, Italy
- 46 Corso di Aggiornamento in nefrologia e metodiche dialitiche: ‘L’eculizumab nella terapia della syndrome emolitico-uremica atipica e della microangiopatia trombotica’, ‘Agonisti dei VDR e nefroprotezione’, Milan, Italy
- 12th Congress of the Arab Society of Nephrology and Renal Transplantation: ‘ ISN 0 by 25 Initiative’, Dubai, Emirates
- 45th Indian Society of Nephrology Conference, Plenary Lecture: ‘0 by 25: a human rights case for health equity: acute kidney failure in poor countries should no longer be a death sentence’, Plenary lecture: ‘ Dialysis and renal transplantation: where are we coming from and what we would like (possibly) to achieve’, Kolkata, India

2015

- 20th. International Conference on Advances in Critical Care (CRRT), “HUS-TTP: everything has changed in the last ten years but still a lot to do”, “AKI 0by25: a call for action”, San Diego, USA
- ERA-EDTA CME Course ‘Glomerulonephritis and Novel Biomarkers’, Main lecture: “New insights in definition, pathophysiology and treatment new options for MPGN”, Interactive Course; “Approaching to challenging cases with primary and secondary glomerulonephritis”, Istanbul, Turkey
- ISN World Congress of Nephrology (WCN) 2015: Allied Health Symposium: “Preventing chronic kidney disease and the case of kidney self repair”, Opening Ceremony: “Introduction and Opening of the Congress”, Co-chair: AKI Session: “Overview”, “Introduction to the Plenary lecture of Barry Brenner”, Session ‘Novel therapies for ADPK: the road forward’ – “Long acting Somatostatin Analogue”, “Closing remarks of the congress”, Cape Town, South Africa
- WCN 2015 Satellite CKHDP Symposium: Key lecture: “AKI: an unacceptable death sentence globally”, Cape Town, South Africa
- 10a Conferenza Nazionale GIMBE: “Forum: “Scienza, ricerca e sanità: quando innovazione fa rima con sostenibilità”, Bologna, Italy
- Scuola Sant’Anna, “ Siamo preparati a sapere quello che c’è da sapere del nostro DNA? Forse no”, Pisa, Italy
- Congresso Cardionefrologia 2015: “Lettura Magistrale: “ Progressione delle nefropatie: come ritardarla per proteggere l’apparato cardiovascolare”, Rome, Italy
- Spring Conference 2015 ‘Pharmacogenetics and global health, strengthening a global rare diseases

- system', "Malattie Rare e farmaci orfani: un problema di salute globale?", Verona, Italy
- Hot Topics in renal transplantation – Transplant tolerance, "Mesenchymal stromal cells to promote tolerance in kidney transplantation", Genua, Italy
 - RELOAD – Il futuro dei trapianti di oggi: "I progressi dell'ingegneria tissutale e organogenesi nella medicina dei trapianti", Padua, Italy
 - Third International Renal Meeting and Mayo Clinic Day, "aHUS, differential diagnosis and therapy of C-M HUS", Cagliari, Italy
 - 14 Corso di formazione avanzata "Cellule rare circolanti", Lettura magistrale: "Le verità sulle cellule staminali", Pavia, Italy
 - Università degli Studi di Milano, "Sindrome emolitico uremica: abbiamo fatto molta strada negli ultimi 10 anni ma c'è n'è almeno altrettanta prima di fermarci", Milan, Italy
 - Corso di aggiornamento Continuo in Nefrologia: "Dialisi e trapianto: da dove siamo partiti e dove vorremmo (forse) arrivare, Chieti, Italy
 - ERA-EDTA Congress, "Regression of renal lesions in diabetic and non diabetic renal diseases", "ISN AKI 0 by 25: A human rights case for nephrologists", "Novel therapeutic approaches in glomerular diseases", London, UK
 - SRC 2015 Conference, HUS-TTP everything has changed in the last ten years but still a lot to do", "New insights in definition, pathophysiology and treatment options for MPGN". Moscow, Russia
 - Convegno SPERA: Conoscere e comunicare I valori della ricerca. Il caso degli animali modello per la ricerca biomedica, "Sperimentazione animale, serve davvero? Se sì come farlo capire ai nostri politici e alle istituzioni?", Rome, Italy
 - SLANH Online Course: The ISN 0 by 25 initiative"
 - 7th Hydration for Health Scientific Conference Danone, Session: Preventing Kidney Disease, "Origins, today and tomorrow", Evian, France
 - Le due culture "La Bellezza", "La bellezza dell'ignoto: e' utile sapere quello che c'è da sapere del nostro DNA", Ariano Irpino, Italy
 - Evento SUN, "Medicina di domani e etica di ieri", Napoli, Italy
 - Meeting Regeneron, " The changing world of thrombotic microangiopathies after complement inhibitors: nothing will be the same any longer", New York, USA
 - Rene policistico: conoscere per riconoscere 10 anni di lotta raccontati da medici e pazienti, "Il ruolo della somatostatina", Rome, Italy
 - Lezione Ordine Avvocati Bergamo, "Scienza e diritto: dalle direttive di fine vita a Stamina alla colpa medica: riflessioni su un rapporto difficile", Bergamo, Italy
 - XIII Convegno del CICAP: L'arte del disinganno. 25 anni di avventure ai confini della scienza. "Farmaci: fra mito e realtà", Cesena, Italy
 - 56 Congresso Nazionale della Società Italiana di Nefrologia (SIN), Lettura magistrale: "Dicono che I nefrologi facciamo meno studi degli altri e così siamo indietro: è vero?", Rimini, Italy
 - Bergamo Scienza: Introduzione: Controllo delle Malattie Degenerative", Bergamo, Italy
 - 56 Congresso Nazionale della SIN: Moderatore: "L'organizzazione della Nefrologia del futuro: come il Ministero della Salute e le Regioni vedono il ruolo dei nefrologi nella sanità ospedaliera e territoriale, Rimini, Italy
 - Safety Quality Day - La sicurezza del paziente. "Ospedale per intensità di cure o no?", Florence, Italy
 - XXII Congresso Nazionale AIBT 2015. "Dialisi e trapianto: da dove siamo partiti e dove vorremmo (forse) arrivare", Matera, Italy
 - 116 Congresso Nazionale Società Italiana di Medicina Interna. "Le cure a fine vita: sceglie il medico o il paziente?", Rome, Italy
 - Seminario Collegio Ghislieri, "Siamo preparati a sapere quello che c'è da sapere del nostro DNA? Forse no", Pavia, Italy
 - 4th. Nephrology and Transplantation Update. "Complement targeted therapies in glomerular diseases", "Retarding renal disease progression: the ingredients of a successful story", Dubai, UAE
 - Sana Rivoluzione. "I confini tra etica ed evoluzione tecnologica e il ruolo della ricerca nell'individuazione di nuove soluzioni gestionali", Milan, Italy
 - Cerimonia di Inaugurazione dell'anno accademico 2015/2016 Università di Roma. Lettura Magistrale: "Medicina di domani ed etica di ieri", Rome, Italy
 - University of Alabama: "Progression, remission and regression of chronic renal diseases and the case of kidney repair", Alabama, USA
 - Riunione Tecnica Scientifica NITp, "Immunosoppressione e tolleranza", Verona, Italy
 - Convegno Il trapianto del rene e del fegato, da donatore vivente in Italia: Da favolosa prospettiva a

- difficile realtà. “Impiego delle cellule mesenchimali per indurre tolleranza nel trapianto da vivente: dall'uomo al topo e poi di nuovo all'uomo”, Bologna, Italy
- CME Course of the DIABESITY working group. “Should we still believe in RCTs in nephrology and why so many have failed?”, Ranica (BG), Italy
 - 47 Corso di aggiornamento in nefrologia e metodiche dialitiche. Moderatore Simposio: Prevenzione della malattie renale e delle complicanze”, “Come curo il mio paziente”, Milan, Italy
- 2016
- Master di II livello in Anestesia, Terapia Intensiva Neonatale e Pediatrica, “Come vorremmo morire (e come invece ci costringono a morire)”, Brescia
 - Inaugurazione anno accademico 2016-2017 Università degli Studi di Milano, “Una volta gli inglesi venivano a studiare in Italia poi però si è perso tutto, perché?”, Milano
 - Grandangolo in nefrologia, dialisi e trapianto, “Metanalisi e trials randomizzati: servono ancora?”, Bologna
 - 7th Chapters on Narrative Medicine, “Science, medicine, profession: a narration”, Firenze
 - 9° Seminario Scientifico: “L'invecchiamento vascolare nel soggetto uremico: uptodate 2016”, “Progressione della malattia renale: cosa è cambiato negli ultimi 10 anni?”, Milano
 - Elite Nephrologists School (ENES), “Thrombotic microangiopathies: everything has changed in the last 10 years, still more to do before giving up”, “Nephrology : a look into the future”, Praga
 - 4° Convegno Nazionale sulla Ricerca Indipendente in Italia, “Ricerca clinica: come? Il segreto di una storia finita bene”, Roma
 - Unistem Day 2016, “Come cambia la medicina”, Milano
 - Pomeriggi della medicina, “Cominciare e finire – non scegliamo come nascere, possiamo scegliere come morire”, Brescia
 - 10th Latin American Congress of Acute Kidney Injury, “ISN AKI Oby25: a human rights case for nephrologists”, “Retarding renal disease progression: the ingredients of a successful story”, Punta Cana
 - ISN Nexus, “What it needs to set up a translational kidney research program”, Berlino
 - Convegno “Scienza e Benessere”, “Il SSN il nostro bene più prezioso, riusciremo a sostenerlo?”, Università Tor Vergata, Roma
 - Convegno ISMET “Sfide e Opportunità per la Cura e la Ricerca delle Insufficienze Terminali d'Organo”, “Trapianto di organi: da dove siamo partiti, dove vorremmo (forse) arrivare...e poi?”, Palermo
 - Nephrology Update West Lake Forum, “Pathophysiology of membranous nephropathy and novel therapeutic approaches”, “Retarding renal disease progression: the ingredients of a successful story”, Hangzhou, Cina
 - Seconda edizione del Festival della Scienza Medica, “Perché il medico deve dire la verità anche ai bambini?”, Bologna
 - ERA-EDTA Congress, “New ways to interfere with the complement system”, Vienna
 - KDIGO Controversies Conference on Common Elements in Uncommon Kidney Disease, “How to build a Reference Center”, Amsterdam
 - Convegno “Mind the gap”, “Una nuova governance per la ricerca: l'agenzia italiana per la ricerca scientifica”, Milano
 - Eupolis Lombardia, Cerimonia di inaugurazione dei corsi di formazione manageriale 2016-2017, “Prendersi cura di chi si prende cura: come accompagnare l'implementazione del cambiamento”, Milano
 - Scuola di Specializzazione in Nefrologia, “La sindrome emolitico uremica”, Bologna
 - FORUM “Il valore della Ricerca Clinica per il Paese”, “Ricerca clinica, perchè? E perchè nell'ambito del Servizio Sanitario Nazionale, non se ne può fare a meno”, Roma
 - Tavola Rotonda “Vorremmo un mondo senza dialisi”, “La pillola antidialisi adesso convince anche gli scettici”, Roma
 - Triestenext, “Dai trapianti agli organi in provetta”, Trieste
 - WHO - Setting Priorities for Global Patient Safety, “Patients' role in their own safety”, Firenze
 - 57° Congresso Nazionale SIN, “Una nuova visione per la nefrologia. cura delle malattie renali: così non va. Intervendiamo troppo tardi quando le malattie sono troppo avanti e spendiamo troppo”, Milano
 - BergamoScienza “Viaggio intorno al sangue: dalla conoscenza al dono come valore etico condiviso”, San Pellegrino, Bergamo

- Convegno Policlinico TorVergata, Diagnostica per immagini un difficile equilibrio tra appropriatezza diagnostica e logiche di bilancio le nuove evidenze gestionali, "Servizio Sanitario Nazionale, il nostro bene più prezioso: riusciremo a sostenerlo?", Roma
- MISOT The 6th Expert Meeting in Therapeutics MSCs for Immune Modulation, "Mesenchymal stromal cells to promote tolerance in kidney transplantation: from mice to men and back", Regensburg
- Conferenza "The Kidney in genetic and Rare Diseases", "Retarding renal disease progression and the case of kidney self repair", Napoli
- Fondazione GIMBE, La campagna Lancet-REWARD, "Rilevanza delle priorità di ricerca", "Accessibilità ai dati e usabilità dei report della ricerca", Bologna
- Stati Generali della rete trapiantologica italiana 2016, "Nuovi orizzonti della terapia immunosoppressiva dei trapianti", Roma
- American Society of Nephrology, Kidney Week 2016, "Evolving Therapeutic Approach in Membranous Nephropathy", Chicago, USA
- Seventh Astellas Nephrology Horizon Scanning Advisory Board, "A state-of-the-art overview of advances in cell therapy in kidney", Chicago, USA
- Congresso ASST Papa Giovanni XXIII, Fondazione A.N.O.M.O. e FADOI, Tavola Rotonda, "Prendersi cura fino in fondo. Medicina appropriata, proporzionata o futile?" Bergamo
- XXXVII Congresso SIFO (Società Italiana di Farmacia Ospedaliera), "Il servizio sanitario nazionale, la cosa più preziosa che abbiamo. Riusciremo a difenderlo?", Milano
- "Prendiamoci a cuore il rene – Nuove prospettive basate su attuali certezze", "La terapia rigenerativa in nefrologia: le prospettive future", Milano
- Meeting Pediatrico triveneto, "35 anni dopo: un modo nuovo di guardare al complemento nelle malattie renali", Padova

- 2017
- Aferetica - Workshop "Purification Therapies, "Sangue: assassinio e medicina e come si sono intrecciati ai tempi della rivoluzione scientifica", Milano
 - Grandangolo 2017 in nefrologia, dialisi e trapianto, "Uno sguardo al futuro: ma allora per rigenerare del rene con le staminali e per lo scaffold ci vogliono sempre 5 anni? E' meglio seguire un'altra strada?", Bologna
 - Lezione UKE - Universitäre Transplantations Centrum (UTC), "Atypical hemolytic uremic syndrome – a systemic disease and multidisciplinary approach", Amburgo
 - AFRAN-APNA Congress, "Where are we with the AKI 0by25 proposal?", Cameroon
 - Lezione Università di Milano "Approccio del paziente con malattia renale", Milano
 - Thomas Starzl Memorial Lecture, "Davvero riusciremo un giorno a costruire organi in Laboratorio?", Bari
 - Master in Pharmaceutical Medicine "Controlled clinical studies: a double-edged sword", Bergamo
 - WCN 2017 Congress, "0by25: A Vision Unfolding", Città del Messico
 - 5th Fabry Nephropathy Update, "Progression of Proteinuric CKD", Città del Messico
 - The Fourth International Renal Meeting with Mayo Clinic in Sardinia, "Thrombotic Microangiopathies", Cagliari
 - Symposium in renal Pathology, "Membranoproliferative glomerulonephritis and C3 glomerulopathies: toward a consensus", Ranica, Italy
 - XXII Congresso Nazionale FADOI, "Molte malattie cominciano in utero, anche quelle renali", Sorrento, Italy
 - 6° Congresso Internazionale Infections & Transplantations, "'E' possibile creare un ambiente tollerogenico dopo il trapianto d'organo utilizzando cellule staminali come se fossero farmaci?", Varese, Italy
 - Biophysics@Rome 2017, "Can we really create organs in the lab?", Rome, Italy
 - Futuro Remoto 2017, "La scienza medica e il futuro dell'umanità", Naples, Italy
 - Festival dell'Economia 2017, "La salute, ad ogni costo?", Trento, Italy
 - 54th ERA-EDTA Congress 2017, "Targeting complement in aHUS and C3 glomerulopathy", "Organoid models and applications in biomedical research", "Is there still a place for dual RAS blockade in nephroprotection of diabetic patients?", Madrid, Spain
 - "The Future of Medicine starts now - How Science and New Technology are reshaping Health Science", "How therapeutic approaches change in the new era of New medicine", Genoa, Italy
 - C3G Satellite Meeting, "Clinical Phenotype: Challenges and messages from the clinic", Copenhagen, Denmark
 - EU MSC2 2017: Contributing to MSC Knowledge-Sharing, Research & Development, "Challenges in

- nephrology: From prevention to precision medicine in regenerative therapy”, Leiden, The Netherlands
- Lectio Magistralis scuola psicoterapia, Don Belotti "Il rapporto medico paziente", Bergamo, Italy
 - 58° Congresso Nazioanle SIN2017, "Recurrence and genetics" Sessione Genetics and mechanisms del Consensus Conference on post transplant recurrence of SRNS”, “L’importanza del SSN Pubblico e Universalista come garanzia di qualità in un contesto di rapidi cambiamenti organizzativi e gestionali”, Rimini, Italy
 - 33° Congresso Nazionale SINEPE, “Le glomerulopatie”, Marsala, Italy
 - American Society of Nephrology, Kidney Week 2017, " Role of B7-1 in podocyte integrity implications for treatment in glomerular disease”, New Orleans, USA
 - Critical Issues in the management of polytrauma with traumatic brain injury (TBI), "Clinical Research is it really useful? And when?", Bergamo, Italy
 - 12° Forum Risk Management in Sanità, “La salute ad ogni costo?”, Florence, Italy
 - Conference in honor of Prof Luis Hernando, Fundación Jiménez Díaz, “Doing research in nephrology. Lessons from Prof. Luis Hernando”, Madrid, Spain
 - International Conference on “Onco Nephrology: an emerging field in medicine“, “How we wish to die and how they force us to die”, Naples, Italy
 - Symposium on Precision Medicine in Diabetic Kidney Disease, “Albuminuria: a renal risk marker and target for treatment”, groningen, The Netherlands
 - 48th Annual Conference of Indian Society of Nephrology (ISNCON 2017), “What is MPGN? New ventures”, “APKD: finally a treatment, but is it worthwhile?”
- 2018
- Oman International Nephrology Conference, “Challenges in MPGN and C3 related nephropathies”, “Hyperfiltration and renal disease progression in Diabetes”, Muscat, Oman
 - Diabetes: At the forefront of kidney disease, “Bioengineered kidney: How close are we?”, London, UK
 - 11° Giornata Vastese delle malattie renali, “Trapianto di organi: da dove siamo partiti e dove vorremmo (forse) arrivare”, Vasto, Italy
 - Biomed Day, Centro Didattico Morgani, "Il futuro dell'umanità attraverso le lenti della scienza medica", Florence, Italy
 - Frontiers in Transplantation, “La necessità di trapianti: la medicina rigenerativa è la risposta?”, Foggia, Italy
 - 20° Congresso Nazionale Agora’ SIMP, “The fault is not in our stars, but may be in our embryos: the legacy of development on chronic adult diseases”, Catania, Italy
 - 2018 Korean Society of Hematology International Conference & 59th Annual Meeting, “Complement mediated glomerular disease (focusing on aHUS): everything has changed in the last 10 years but still a lot to do”, Seoul, South Korea
 - 30th Annual Meeting European renal cell study group, “The long journey of renal cells from Homer Smith to Juan Carlos Izpisua Belmonte”, Florence, Italy
 - Accademia Nazionale dei Lincei, “I trapianti di organo: da dove siamo partiti e dove vorremmo (forse) arrivare”, Rome, Italy
 - 9th Award Ceremony Lennox K. Black International Prize for Excellence in Medicine, “Retarding Renal Disease Progression: what we have done so far and what the future holds”, Philadelphia, USA
 - Membranous Nephropathy Conference, “Rituximab, Ofatumumab and plasma cell-targeted approaches”, Bergamo, Italy
 - XXIII Congresso Nazionale FADOI, “Molte malattie dell’adulto cominciano in utero, anche quelle renali?”, “Le malattie rare: impatto organizzativo e clinico”, Bologna, Italy
 - 25th Biennial International Congress on Thrombosis, “Why do renal disease progress and how not to reach end-stage”, Venice, Italy
 - 55th ERA-EDTA Congress 2018, “Treatment of complement related glomerulopathies including HUS”, Copenhagen, Denmark
 - XII Congreso Latinoamericano de nefrología - injuria renal aguda (IRA-SLANH) - curso internacional de nefrología, “Injuria Renal Aguda: Perspectiva global de un asesino silencioso”, “Nefropatía Lúpica”, “Hipertensión y Embarazo”, Santa Cruz della Sierra, Bolivia
 - 15th Conference of Albanian Society of Nephrology, “Transplant tolerance: is this really feasible?”, “ADPKD: finally a treatment, but is it worthwhile?”, Tirana, Albania
 - 14th Update in Nephrology and Transplantation, “Retarding renal disease progression: the ingredients of a successful story”, “The role of complement in renal diseases: focused on Thrombotic microangiopathies”, Ras Al Khaimah, United Arab Emirates
 - Renal Pathology Society Symposium, “C3 glomerulopathy vs immune complex MPGN”, Paris, France

- 59° Congresso Nazionale SIN, "Filosofia della scienza e cura dell'uomo", Rimini, Italy
 - XLVIII National Congress of the Spanish Society of Nephrology and IX Iberoamerican Congress of Nephrology, "Update in Hemolytic Uremic Syndrome", "Diverse progressions of diabetic nephropathy. Type 1 vs. type 2 diabetes", Madrid, Spain
 - 2018 Onco-Nephrology Symposium, "Thrombotic Microangiopathy and Role of Complement", Houston, USA
- 2019
- Padova Festival of Global Health, "Il nostro sistema sanitario: diagnosi e terapie", Padoa, Italy
 - 7th International Congress Infections and transplantation, "Is it possible to create a tolerogenic environment following solid organ transplantation by using stem cells as if they were drugs?", Varese, Italy
 - Visiting Professor, University of Cape Town, "Mesenchymal stromal cell immunotherapy and other options to improve tolerance in kidney transplantation", Cape Town, South Africa
 - XVIII Latin-Americans Congress of Nephrology and Hypertension, "El futuro de la humanidad a traves de la lente de la ciencia médica", "Genética de las glomerulopatias Autoinmunes: papel del complemento", Lima, Peru
 - Second Annual International meeting for the Global Eradication of Rh Disease, 4th Annual "John Gorman Lecture in Transfusional Medicine ": "Tolerance induction in organ transplantation: still an unmet need", Florence, Italy
 - 16th Update in Nephrology and Transplantation, "The role of complement in renal diseases: focused on thrombotic microangiopathies", "Precision medicine for management of membranous nephropathy", "How the first 9 months in your life shape the rest of your life", Ras Al Khaimah, United Arab Emirates
 - Update in transplantation and organ donation congress, "MSC to induce tolerance in organ transplantation", Ras Al Khaimah, United Arab Emirates
 - American Society of Nephrology (ASN) Kidney Week 2019 Annual Meeting, "Mesenchymal Stem Cells for DKD", Washington, DC, USA
 - 37th Convegno SIN Lombardia, La salute (non) è in vendita: 40 anni di Servizio Sanitario Nazionale, Milan, Italy
 - 14th Forum Risk Management in Sanità, "La salute ad ogni costo", Florence, Italy
 - LXVII IMIN Annual Congress 2019, "Trasplante Renal: ¿De dónde vinimos y qué nos gustaría lograr?", "Medicina Personalizada: ¿Pronto en la GMN- MP?", Zacatecas, Mexico
- 2020
- Scienza della divulgazione e divulgazione della scienza, "La divulgazione della scienza: che cosa divulgare e perché", Milan, Italy
 - La sfida: 2025-2050, Un rinascimento scientifico a prova di sostenibilità per far vincere il paziente, "La ricerca e l'innovazione come motori di sviluppo e sostenibilità del sistema Paese", Milan, Italy
 - Biogem Congress, "Una volta gli inglesi venivano a studiare in Italia...", Ariano Irpino, Italy
 - 57th ERA-EDTA Congress, "Complement inhibition in glomerular diseases: is it enough or too much?", "Complement inhibition in glomerular diseases: is it enough or too much?", Milan, Italy
 - Purification Therapies al tempo del Covid-19, "Virus, sistema Immunitario, tempesta citochinica", Virtual Congress
 - ISTH 2020 Congress, "Differential Diagnosis of thrombotic microangiopathies", Virtual Congress
 - Le Due Culture, Il future interrotto: l'umanità dopo il Covid, "Scienziati divisi (o no?). La scienza va in televisione e forse i cittadini cominciano a capire che è tutto molto più complicato", Virtual Congress
 - Covid-19 – Il virus ignorante, Fondazione The Bridge, "Il contesto italiano e l'unicità della Lombardia", Milan, Italy
 - 61st Congresso Nazionale SIN, "Risultati della terapia con octreotide", Virtual congress
 - ITMAT 15th Annual International Symposium, University of Pennsylvania, "Be prepared for the worst - a lesson from Italy", Virtual Congress
 - Foresight Digital Summit, "Covid-19", Virtual Congress
 - International Conference on Laboratory Medicine, Pathology and Laboratory medicine: the promise, the hope, the peril, "In the last two years treatment has changed thanks to those who spend all their days in the laboratory", Virtual Congress
 - American Society of Nephrology (ASN) Kidney Week 2020 Annual Meeting, "A Practical Approach to Using SGLT2 Inhibitors for Cardiorenal Protection", Virtual Congress

- Menarini Webinar, OncoNephrology: an evolving field in medicine, “Thrombotic Microangiopathy associated with bone marrow transplantation: the role of complement”, Virtual Congress
- Festival della Salute Globale, “Planetary Health”, Virtual Congress

2021

- Bologna Academy of Sciences, “Covid-19: qualcosa sappiamo, ma sono forse ancora di più le cose che non abbiamo capito”, online
- 57th ERA-EDTA Congress, “Rituximab as first line therapy”, online
- XIX International Forum of Pneumologia, "Verso la medicina del futuro", online
- Annual meeting of Asia Pacific Association of Medical Bio-immunology, “Future of Humanity”
- ESOT Congress, “Expanding the organ transplant pool: the role of ex vivo perfusion” and Panel discussion on research and career development with grant winners and invited experts, Milan
- 8th International Congress Infections & Transplantation, “Is it possible to create a tolerogenic environment following solid organ transplantation by using stem cells as if they were drugs?”, Varese
- 24th Meeting on immunopathology and orphan diseases, “Should we always believe in RCTs” and “Thrombotic microangiopathy: an update on treatment”, Turin
- 54th National congress of Nephrology, National nephrology congress of Mexico, “Should Covid concern nephrologists? And why?”, online
- BIC International Conference, “Thrombotic microangiopathies (TMAs) and atypical haemolytic uremic syndrome (aHUS), Venice
- 14th Congresso Mineiro de Nefrologia, Brazilian society of nephrology, “Should Covid-19 concern nephrologists worldwide?”, online
- 62nd National congress Italian Society on Nephrology (SIN), Moderator session “Complemento e rene”, speaker “Le microangiopatie trombotiche”, Rimini
- XXXVIII Chilean annual congress of nephrology, “A new era in the treatment of membranous nephropathy”, online

2022

- Pulmonary Expert Forum on Covid-19 and the Impact on Pulmonary Disease, Lectio magistralis “L’approccio globale alla malattia da Covid-19: perché anche i nefrologi dovrebbero occuparsene?”, virtual
- ERA-EDTA 2022, “Targeting the alternative complement pathway in IgA nephropathy and C3 glomerulopathy: clinical and therapeutic perspectives”, Paris
- ISN Frontiers Meeting, Chairman and Speaker “Rare Renal Disease of Complement Dysregulation: Open a Window on the Future of Medicine” e “Eculizumab in Primary and Secondary aHUS: Who, When and How Long?”, Bergamo
- 48th annual meeting on the EURO Working Group on Operational Research Applied to Health Services”, Speaker “What does it mean to have a health service”, Bergamo
- Belarus Nephrology Meeting “Relevant issues of nephrology, renal replacement therapy and kidney transplantation” Speaker “MSC to induce tolerance in organ transplantation”, virtual
- Mexico 55th Annual National Congress of Nephrology, “How to treat IgA nephropathy in 2022 And Newer Therapies in ANCA Vasculitis”, virtual
- KDIGO Controversies Conference on the Role of Complement in Kidney Disease, State of the art lecture, Florence
- Aferetica - Workshop “Purification Therapies – From Research to Clinical Evidence”, opening lecture”, Milan
- Annual Congress of Italian Society of Nephrology, Chairman and Speaker “Anti-complement therapies in nephrology”, Rimini
- Online Course “New strategies in the prevention of cardiovascular and metabolic disorders”, “Long covid and cardiovascular and renal risk”
- Saudi Nephrology Conference, Speaker for two lectures “Membranous nephropathy: after so many years finally a cure, for whom and how” and “A new look for complement and complement inhibitors in ICMPGN and C3G”, online

2023

- Transplant Grand Rounds for Cleveland Clinic Hospital, “Renal transplantation: what next?”, online
- Accademia Nazionale dei Lincei, “Quale futuro per il trapianto d'organo”, Rome, Italy
- DECODE meeting, “MPGN and C3 glomerulopathies”, Bergamo. Italy

- SEUa Simulation Experience in a Multidisciplinary Approach, “Il ruolo della disregolazione del complemento nella SEUa: dalla genetica ai biomarcatori”, Baveno, Italy
- National Conference of Nepal Society of Nephrology 2023, “Renal Transplantation: Where are we coming from and what we would like (possibly) to achieve”, online
- Turkish Society of Current Renal Diseases, 12th Annual Congress of Contemporary Issues in Renal Diseases, Hypertension and Transplantation with International Participation: Update 2023, “Glomerular hyperfiltration as determinant of renal disease progression (and cardiac failure)”, online
- International School of Precision Medicine and Laboratory Medicine, 1st Course Clinical Laboratory Medicine in the Era of Precision Medicine, “COVID-19: why did it happen and how can we protect ourselves against it happening again?”, Erice (Sicily)
- ESAO meeting, "The future of organ replacement therapy: will xenograft eventually help clinical practices?", Bergamo, Italy
- TEDX, ““Why is it that we humans are different from chimpanzees, bonobos, Denisovans and Neanderthals?”, Bergamo, Italy
- Annual Meeting of the American Society of Nephrology, “Complement Inhibition: Towards Translation”, Philadelphia
- ACCP, Meeting on Antimicrobial Chemotherapy in Clinical Practice, “Perché mai i nefrologi dovrebbero occuparsi di Covid?”, Genova, Italy
- International Conference on Brain-Kidney interaction the brain and kidney: from physiology to clinics, “Why we humans are different from chimpanzees, bonobos, Denisovans and Neanderthals?”, Napoli, Italy

2024

- Renal Grand Rounds for Johns Hopkins University, “Post Kidney transplant TMA”, online
- 1st International Conference on Diabetic Kidney Disease, “Role of the Complement System in Diabetic Kidney Disease”, Naples, Italy
- Talk about Mario Negri Research Institute during Edinburgh Medal Ceremony at Edinburgh Science Festival, Edinburgh
- Edinburgh Science Festival, "Why we humans are different from chimpanzees, bonobos, Denisovans and Neanderthals", Edinburgh
- National conference on nephrology “Kidney transplantation: where we started from and where we would like (perhaps) to arrive”, Tirana, Albania
- First meeting of Lancet Commission on Rare Diseases, Geneva

VIII. Membership in Editorial Boards

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| 1986 - 1996 | - American Journal of Kidney Diseases
- Archives Internationales de Pharmacodynamie et de Thérapie |
| 1986 - 2004 | - Nephrology Dialysis Transplantation |
| 1988 - 1990 | - Journal of Nephrology |
| 1989 - 1994 | - Kidney International |
| 1990 | - International Yearbook of Nephrology |
| 1991 | - The Lancet: International Advisory Board
- Nephron |
| 1991 - 1998 | - Experimental Nephrology: Deputy Editor
- Kidney |
| 1992 - 1996 | - American Journal of Kidney Diseases: Associate Editor
- Journal of Nephrology: Editor in Chief |
| 1993 | - Current Opinion in Nephrology and Hypertension: Pathophysiology: Section Editor
- 2nd ed. The Principles and Practice of Nephrology: Renal Disease in Pregnancy: Section Editor |
| 1995 | - Expert Opinion on Therapeutic Patents, Cardiovascular & Renal Section: Section Editor
- Journal of Cardiovascular Pharmacology |
| 1995 | - Critical Care in Nephrology: Kidney in Sepsis: Section Editor |
| 1995 | - Renal Protective Effect of ACE inhibitors - Supplement of Experimental |

- Nephrology: **Guest Editor**
- 1995 - Therapy in Nephrology and Hypertension: A Companion to Brenner and Rector's The Kidney: Chronic renal Failure and its Systemic Manifestation: **Section Editor**
- 1997 - 1998 - Journal of the American Society of Nephrology: **Associate Editor**
- 1998 (sept) - 2001 - Journal of the American Society of Nephrology: **Consulting Editor**
- 1997 - Current Opinion in Nephrology and Hypertension
- 1998 - Brazilian Transplantation Journal: **International Advisory Board**
- Graft
- 1998 - 2013 - New England Journal of Medicine
- 1999 - European Journal of Internal Medicine
- 2000 - 2004 - American Journal of Kidney Diseases
- 2001 - 2003 - Clinical and Experimental Medicine
- 2003 - Kidney International, **Consulting Editor**
- 2003 (june) - American Journal of Transplantation, **Consulting Editor**
- 2004 (nov) – 2005 (july) - The Lancet, Italian version, **Scientific Director**
- 2005 - Current Hypertension Reviews, **Member of Editorial Advisory Board**
- Nature Clinical Practice Nephrology, **Member of Editorial Advisory Board**
- 2005-2010 - Clinical Journal of American Society of Nephrology (CJASN), **Associate and International Editor (Europe)**
- Archives of Medical Science
- Current Patents on Cardiovascular Drug Discovery
- 2005 (aug) - 2007 - The Lancet, Italian version, **Editor**
- 2005-2008 - The Cochrane Renal Group, **Editorial Board Member**
- 2006-2012 - The Journal of Clinical Investigation, **Consulting Editor**
- 2007 - Transplant Immunology
- 2008 - Transplantation
- Islets
- 2009 - International Journal of Artificial Organs
- Journal of the American Society of Nephrology
- World Journal of Hepatology
- 2012 - PLoS One, **Academic Editor**
- 2013-2014 - Current Opinion in Organ Transplantation, **Section Editor**, Section Stem Cell Transplantation
- 2015 - Nephron, **Consulting Editor and Member of Editorial Advisory Board**
- 2015 - Kidney Diseases, Consulting Editor
- 2018 - International Journal of Immunology, **Editorial Board Member**
- 2018 - Frontiers in Pharmacology – Renal Pharmacology, **Chief Editor**
- 2019 - Journal of the American Society of Nephrology (JASN), **Editorial Board Member**
- 2020 - Plos Medicine, **Editorial Board Member**
- 2020 - 2023 - Cells, **Editorial Board Member**
- 2023 - Scientific Reports, **Editorial Board Member**

IX. Ad Hoc Reviewer

- 1982 - 1987 - Pharmacological Research Communications
- 1982 - International Journal of Artificial Organs
- 1983 - 1987 - Thrombosis Research
- Clinical Nephrology
- 1983 - 1984 - International Journal of Pediatric Nephrology
- 1984 - Journal of Clinical Investigation
- American Journal of Kidney Diseases
- British Journal of Hematology
- Kidney International
- 1985 - Nephron
- 1986 - Nephrology Dialysis Transplantation
- 1987 - American Journal of Nephrology
- American Journal of Physiology

- 1988 - Blood Purification
- Journal of Nephrology
- 1989 - Journal of Laboratory and Clinical Medicine
- Thrombosis Research
- Pharmacological Research
- 1990 - European Journal of Hematology
- The New England Journal of Medicine
- Renal Physiology and Biochemistry
- Obstetrics and Gynecology
- Pediatric Nephrology
- Clinical and Experimental Rheumatology
- Journal of the American Society of Nephrology
- Diabetologia
- The Lancet
- 1994 - Annual ASN Congress - Abstract Reviewer section: Hemodynamics and Vascular regulation
- 1995 - Journal of Cardiovascular Pharmacology
- 1996 - Annual ASN Congress - Abstract Reviewer section: Immunology and Pathology
- 1997 - The American Journal of Pathology
- 1999 - European Journal of Internal Medicine
- 2000 - Clinical Science
- American Journal of Transplantation
- Diabetes Care
- 2005 - Hemodialysis International Journal
- Nature Clinical Practice in Nephrology
- PNAS
- Journal of Experimental Medicine
- PLoS Medicine
- Brazilian Journal of Medical and Biological Research
- Current Diabetes Reviews
- Hypertension
- Transplant Immunology
- 2008 - The Open Urology & Nephrology Journal
- Transplant International
- Transplantation
- Journal of the Renin Angiotensin Aldosterone System
- Clinical Transplantation
- Expert Opinion on Emerging Drugs
- Vascular Pharmacology
- Circulation
- Translational Research
- 2009 - International Journal of Artificial Organs
- 2017 - Nature
- 2017 - Frontiers in Pharmacology
- 2021 - Alloimmunity and Transplantation (section of Frontiers in Immunology)

X. Major Clinical and Research Interests

- Pathophysiology and biochemistry of blood platelets
- Pathophysiology and pharmacology of platelet and vascular prostaglandins
- Coagulation and renal diseases
- Pathogenesis and management of uremic bleeding
- Prostaglandins and renal diseases

- Pathogenesis of pre-eclampsia and hypertension in pregnancy
- Experimental models of glomerular damage
- Non-immunological mediators of glomerular injury
- Factors influencing the evolution of experimental renal diseases to glomerulosclerosis
- Pathophysiology of renal disease progression
- Immunology of transplantation
- Innovative anti-rejection strategies
- Transplant tolerance

XI. Selected Scientific Results

Contribution to the understanding of the pathogenesis of the bleeding tendency in patients with renal failure:

- Evaluation of quantitative and qualitative abnormalities of factor VIII and von Willebrand factor in patients with renal failure.
- Description of abnormalities of platelet and endothelial cell arachidonic acid metabolism in patients with renal failure.
- Demonstration that parathyroid hormone can affect platelet function.
- Description of the role of anemia in the uremic bleeding.

Evaluation of new therapeutic approaches for the treatment and prevention of uremic bleeding:

- Description of the efficacy of desmopressin infusion in shortening the prolonged bleeding time in uremic patients.
- Evaluation of the therapeutic value of red blood cell transfusions in improving the hemostasis of patients with uremia.
- Description of conjugated estrogen "hemostatic" effect in uremic patients.

Observation of a plasmatic defect leading to a reduced vascular prostacyclin production in patients with thrombotic thrombocytopenic purpura of hemolytic uremic syndrome, and description of the therapeutic value in these syndromes of plasmapheresis and plasma infusions.

Contribution to the establishment of the International Registry for Hemolytic Uremic Syndrome.

Contribution to the understanding of the pathogenesis of pre-eclampsia and evaluation of prostaglandin metabolism in normal and complicated pregnancy.

Contribution to the understanding of the pathogenesis of glomerulonephritis:

- Description of an experimental model of nephrotic syndrome induced in rats by adriamycin.
- Development of a model of unilateral kidney disease induced in rats by adriamycin injection.
- Characterization of the temporal sequence of the events leading to glomerulosclerosis in adriamycin-induced nephrotic syndrome in rats.
- Description of increased glomerular thromboxane synthesis as a possible cause of proteinuria in experimental nephrosis.
- Evaluation of the effects of dietary and pharmacological manipulation on the progression of glomerular damage.

Contribution to clarify the role of protein trafficking as a major determinant of renal disease progression in proteinuric renal diseases including the first description of genes that are upregulated in vitro and in vivo as a consequence of tubular protein overloading.

Demonstration - throughout the results of the REIN Study performed by the GISEN-group - that in chronic nephropathies with proteinuria of more than 3 g/24 hours ramipril safely reduces proteinuria and GFR decline

and reduces by 50% of the combined risk of doubling if serum creatinine or endstage renal failure.

First description of an experimental model of donor-specific unresponsiveness to renal allograft between major - histocompatibility - complex incompatible rats without immunosuppressants after intrathymic injection of donor antigens.

Contribution to understand the anti-rejection properties of antagonizing co-stimulatory signals delivered throughout CD28 B7 pathway.

Contribution to the prevention of renal and cardiovascular damage in diabetes (BENEDICT Study)

XII. Funded Research Projects

- 'Hemostatic effectiveness of DDAVP and development of new analogues'.
Funding source: NIH.
Grant no. HL 41136
Amount of award: 1st year 55,348 US \$ -2nd year 58,059 US \$
Entire project period: From 07.01.1988 - Through 06.30.1991
Principal Investigator: Pier Mannuccio Mannucci
Co-Investigator: Giuseppe Remuzzi

- 'Characterization of estrogen action on improvement of uremic bleeding'.
Funding source: NIH.
Grant no. HL 37491
Amount of award: 155,337 US \$
Entire project period: From 09.30.1986 - Through 09.29.1989
Principal Investigator: Giuseppe Remuzzi

- 'Gene transfer to the rat kidney using the in vitro amplification expression system to elucidate the role of endothelin-1 in glomerulosclerosis'
Funding source: TELETHON
Grant no. D26
Amount of award: 1st. year: It. Lire 35.000.000/2nd. year: It. Lire 35.000.000
Entire project period: From 09.01.1995 - Through 08.31.1997
Principal Investigators: Ariela Benigni, Lucia Monaco
Co-Investigator: Giuseppe Remuzzi

- 'Gene expression and mutations of von Willebrand Factor and of oxygen radical generating enzymes in familial hemolytic uremic syndrome and thrombotic thrombocytopenic purpura'
Funding source: TELETHON
Grant no. E-359
Amount of award: 1st. year: It. Lire 70.000.000/2nd. year: It. Lire 70.000.000
Entire project period: From 03.01.1996 - Through 02.28.1998
Principal Investigators: Giuseppe Remuzzi, Enrico Garattini

- 'Differential neutrophil gene expression in familial HUS/TTP'
Funding Source: Baxter Extramural Grant
Amount of Award: 1st. year: 39,650 US \$/2nd. year: 39,820 US \$/3rd. year 39,980 US \$
Entire project period: From 02.01.1996 - Through 01.31.1999
Principle Investigator: Piero Ruggerenti
Co-Investigator: Giuseppe Remuzzi

- 'A European rare diseases information network - Eurarenet'
Funding Source: CEE
Grant no. PL 963715
Amount of Award: 420,000 ECU
Entire project period: From 1998 - Through 2001
Principle Investigator: Arrigo Schieppati
Co-Investigator: Giuseppe Remuzzi

- 'A multicenter randomized pilot study on the effect of mycophenolate mofetil plus steroids versus cyclophosphamide plus steroids in patients with active diffuse proliferative lupus nephritis'
Funding Source: TELETHON
Amount of Award: It. Lire 150.000.000
Entire project period: From 01/02/1999-Through 31/1/2001
Principle Investigator: Eliana Gotti
Co-investigator: Giuseppe Remuzzi

- 'Organ Transplant Tolerance by Infusion of Large Numbers of Donor Hemopoietic Stem Cells'
Funding Source: CEE
Amount of Award: 103,100 ECU
Entire project period: From 1998 - Through 2000
Principle Investigator: Gerard Wagemaker (Erasmus University, Rotterdam)
Co-investigator: Giuseppe Remuzzi and Yair Reisner (Weizmann Institute, Israel)

- 'Donor Peripheral Blood Mononuclear Cells Homing the Thymus of Recipients to Induce Graft Tolerance'
Funding source: ROTRF
Grant no. 872933093
Amount of Award: 200,000 CHF
Entire project period: From May 2001 - Through May 2003
Principle Investigator: Giuseppe Remuzzi

- 'Reno and Cardio Protective Effects of Statins in Patients with Progressive Chronic Nephropathies'
Funding Source: REGIONE LOMBARDIA
Grant no. 3897/RCC
Amount of Award: 222,000 Euro
Entire project period: From July 2001 - Through July 2003
Principal Investigator: Giuseppe Remuzzi

- 'An European Educational Program on Rare Diseases'
Funding Source: CEE
Amount of Award: 98,473,77 Euro
Entire Project period: From 01/10/2001 - 01/10/2003
Principle Investigator: Giuseppe Remuzzi

- 'Donor Stem Cell Infusion to Induce Allospecific Graft Tolerance'
Funding Source: ROTRF
Grant nr.: 848262810
Amount of Award: 100,000 CHF
Entire Project period: From November 2002 - October 2003
Principle Investigator: Marina Noris
Co-investigator: Giuseppe Remuzzi

- 'Genetic and functional Study of ADAMTS13 in Hemolytic Uremic Syndrome and Thrombotic Thrombocytopenic Purpura'
Funding Source: TELETHON
Grant nr. GGP02162
Amount of Award: 100,110 Euro
Entire Project period: From October 2002 - September 2004
Principle Investigator: Miriam Galbusera
Co-investigator: Giuseppe Remuzzi

- 'Complement Genetic Alterations in Hemolytic Uremic Syndrome'
Funding Source: TELETHON
Grant nr. GGP02161
Amount of Award: 197,800 Euro
Entire Project period: From October 2002 - September 2005

Principle Investigator: Jessica Caprioli
Co-investigator: Giuseppe Remuzzi

- 'ADAMTS13 in Atypical Hemolytic Uremic Syndrome'
Funding Sources: - Foundation for Children with Atypical HUS, USA
- The Nando Peretti Foundation, Italy
Amount of Award: 50,000 US \$
Entire Project period: From December 2002 - February 2004
Principle Investigator: Giuseppe Remuzzi

- 'Gene delivery by 2nd generation adenovirus or adeno associated virus to donor kidney to prolong survival and induce donor-specific tolerance in a rat renal allograft model'
Funding Source: GENZYME Renal Innovations Program
Amount of Award: 98,340 US\$
Entire Project period: 08/2002- 07/2004
Principal Investigator: Ariela Benigni
Co-Investigator: Giuseppe Remuzzi

- 'Role of complement in tubulointerstitial injury of proteinuric nephropathy'
Funding Source: GENZYME Renal Innovations Program
Amount of Award: 98,505 US\$
Entire Project period: 07/2003- 08/2005
Principal Investigator: Marina Morigi
Co-Investigator: Giuseppe Remuzzi

- 'Donor Engineered Dendrit Cells to Generate Tolerogenic Regulatory T Cells for Renal Transplantation'
Grant no. 522445815
Funding Source: ROTRF
Amount of Award: 100,000 CHF
Entire Project period: 04/2004- 03/2005
Principal Investigator: Giuseppe Remuzzi

- 'Donor engineered dendritic cells to generate tolerogenic regulatory T cells for renal transplantation'
Funding Source: GENZYME Renal Innovations Program
Amount of Award: 147,455 US\$
Entire Project period: 07/2004 – 08/2007
Principal Investigator: Marina Noris
Co-Investigator: Giuseppe Remuzzi

- 'European Renal Genome Project (EuReGene)'
Grant no. LSGH-CT-2004-005085
Funding Source: European Commission
Amount of Award: 493.000 Euro
Entire Project period: 01/01/2005 – 31/12/2008
Principal Investigator: Giuseppe Remuzzi – Ariela Benigni

- 'A Systems approach to tissue engineering processes and products (STEPS)'
Grant no. FP6-500465
Funding Source: European Commission
Amount of Award: 456.000 Euro
Entire Project period: 01/03/2005 – 28/02/2012
Principal Investigator: Giuseppe Remuzzi – Andrea Remuzzi

- 'Pathophysiology of Von Willebrand Factor (VWF) processing in Thrombotic Thrombocytopenic Purpura with congenital ADAMTS13 deficeincy: in search of a novel VWF cleaving protease'
Grant no. GGP05097
Funding Source: Comitato TELETHON Fondazione Onlus
Amount of Award: 137.000 Euro

Entire Project period: 09/2005- 09/2007
Principal Investigator: Miriam Galbusera
Co-Investigator: Giuseppe Remuzzi

- 'A randomized, prospective, double blind trial to evaluate whether, at comparable blood pressure control, combined therapy with an ACE inhibitor and an Angiotensin II receptor blocker (ARB) reduces progression to ESRD more effectively than ACE inhibitor or ARB therapy alone in high risk patients with type 2 diabetes and overt nephropathy'
Grant N. FARM5PWB9L
Funding Source: AIFA – Agenzia Italiana del Farmaco
Amount of Award: 490.000 Euro
Entire Project period: 01/09/2006 - 31/08/2009
Principal Investigator: Giuseppe Remuzzi
- 'Developing a stem cell based therapy to replace nephrons lost through reflux nephropathy (KidStem)'
Grant N. MRTN-CT-2006-036097
Funding Source: European Commission
Amount of Award: 371.169 Euro
Entire Project period: 01/09/2006 - 31/08/2010
Principal Investigator: Giuseppe Remuzzi
- 'Applied Genomic Strategies for Treatment and Prevention of Cardiovascular death in Uremia and End stage renal Disease (GENECURE)'
Grant N. 037697(LSHM-CT-2006-037697)
Funding Source: European Commission
Amount of Award: 268.500 Euro
Entire Project period: 01/01/2007 - 31/12/2009
Principal Investigator: Marina Noris
Co-Investigator: Giuseppe Remuzzi
- 'Mesenchymal stem cells to protect islet allografts in diabetic rats'
Grant N. 678864716
Funding Source: ROTRF
Amount of Award: 100.000 CHF
Entire Project period: 01/2007 – 12/2007
Principal Investigator: Ariela Benigni
Co-Investigator: Giuseppe Remuzzi
- 'Phenotype correction of ADAMTS13 deficiency and protection from the development of thrombotic thrombocytopenic purpura through intravascular and skeletal muscle ADAMTS13 gene delivery in mice'
Grant N. 526D/7
Founding Source: Istituto Superiore di Sanità
Amount of Award: 90.000 Euro
Entire Project period: 05/2007 – 05/2009
Principal Investigator: Giuseppe Remuzzi
- 'Genetic abnormalities of complement regulatory molecules in hemolytic uremic syndrome'
Grant N. GGP07193
Founding Source: Comitato Telethon Fondazione Onlus
Amount of Award: 292.000 Euro
Entire Project period: 09/2007 – 09/2010
Principal Investigator: Jessica Caprioli
Co-Investigator: Giuseppe Remuzzi
- 'Studio prospettico, multicentrico, randomizzato per confrontare l'effetto di un trattamento con ACE inibitori rispetto ad un trattamento che non includa inibitori del sistema renina angiotensina

sull'incidenza di eventi cardiovascolari in pazienti in emodialisi cronica con ipertrofia ventricolare sinistra'

Grant FARM6WE4PP

Founding Source: AIFA – Agenzia Italiana del Farmaco

Amount of Award: 828.170 Euro

Entire Project period: 11/2007 – 11/2010

Principal Investigator: Giulio Mingardi

Co-Investigator: Giuseppe Remuzzi

- 'A prospective, sequential study to assess the efficacy of rituximab therapy in maintaining remission of nephrotic syndrome after steroid and immunosuppressive therapy withdrawal in patients with steroid-dependent or multirelapsing minimal change disease or focal segmental glomerulosclerosis'.
Grant FARM7EBAJS
Founding Source: AIFA – Agenzia Italiana del Farmaco
Amount of Award: 198.880 Euro
Entire Project period: 11/2008 – 11/2011
Principal Investigator: Mauro Abbate
Co-Investigator: Giuseppe Remuzzi
- 'Consortium for clinical, genetic and experimental research into hereditary diseases (PODONET)'
Source of funding: European Commission/Istituto Superiore di Sanità
Total award: 66.600 €
Entire Project period: 01/04/2008 – 01/04/2011
Principal Investigator: Giuseppe Remuzzi
- 'Set up and comparison of multiple stem cell approaches for kidney repair (STAR-T REK) '
Source of funding: European Commission (HEALTH-F5-2008-223007)
Total award: 450.000 Euro
Funding dates (from November 1, 2008, to October 31, 2011)
Principal Investigator: Giuseppe Remuzzi
- 'Stem cells to repair kidney injury'
Source of funding: Fondazione Cariplo (2007.5549)
Total award: 248.115 Euro
Funding dates (from January 1, 2009, to October 31, 2011)
Principal Investigator: Ariela Benigni
Co-Investigator: Giuseppe Remuzzi
- 'Complement abnormalities in primary membranoproliferative glomerulonephritis'
Source of funding: Fondazione Telethon
Total award: 263.500 €
Entire Project period: 10/2009 – 02/2012
Principal Investigator: Marina Noris
Co-Investigator: Giuseppe Remuzzi
- 'Surrogate markers for Micro- and Macro-vascular hard endpoints for Innovative diabetes Tools (SUMMIT)'
Source of funding: European Commission (IMI Joint Undertaking Initiative)
Total award: 125.600 €
Entire Project period: 01/11/2009 – 31/10/2014
Principal Investigator: Giuseppe Remuzzi
- 'Modello di integrazione tra attività di ricerca sperimentale e pratica clinica: l'approccio alle microangiopatie trombotiche'
Source of funding: Regione Lombardia
Total award: 119.850 €
Entire Project period: 01/02/2010 – 31/07/2012
Principal Investigator: Giuseppe Remuzzi

- 'Studi di allotrapianto di rene nel primate non umano: nuovi approcci nella ricerca sul trapianto cronico'
Source of funding: Fondazione Cariplo
Total award 260.200 Euro
Funding dates (from June 1, 2010, to December 31, 2012)
Principal Investigator: Giuseppe Remuzzi

- 'Genetic biomarkers for a personalized therapy preventing cardiovascular complications in diabetic nephropathy'
Source of funding: Health Ministry
Total award: 70.000 €
Entire Project period: 15/07/2010 – 15/07/2012
Principal Investigator: Giuseppe Remuzzi

- 'Research agreement for projects on renal diseases, particularly, ADPKD, CKD and rare genetic diseases'
Source of funding: F.Hoffmann-La Roche Ltd
Total award: 1.900.000 Euro
Funding dates (from December 10, 2010, to December 31, 2012)
Principal Investigator: Giuseppe Remuzzi

- 'Dreaming of no more renal dialysis: How self-derived tissue and cells can replace renal function'
Source of funding: European Research Council Executive Agency (Grant n. 268632)
Acronym RESET
Total award: 2.493.000 Euro
Funding dates (from May 1, 2011, to April 30, 2016)
Principal Investigator: Giuseppe Remuzzi

- De novo generation of human nephrons for the treatment of experimental DN
Source of funding: JDRF (Grant n. 5-2011-160)
Total award: 103.800.00 \$
Funding dates: (from January 1, 2011 to December 31, 2011)
Principal Investigator: Giuseppe Remuzzi

- 'Piattaforma tecnologica per l'utilizzo del suino in campo biomedico (trapianto d'organo e tessuti) e biotecnologico (modello animale di malattie umane) (SUPERPIG)'
Source of funding: Regione Lombardia
Total award: 449.716 €
Entire Project period: 06/06/2011 – 05/06/2013
Principal Investigator: Giuseppe Remuzzi

- 'Genetic basis of steroid resistant nephrotic syndrome and implications for therapy'
Source of funding: Fondazione Telethon (Grant n. GGP11201)
Total award: 271.500 Euro
Funding dates (from October 15, 2011, to October 14, 2014)
Principal Investigator: Elena Bresin
Co-Investigator: Giuseppe Remuzzi

- 'European consortium for high-throughput research in rare kidney diseases (EURenOmics)'
Source of funding: European Commission
Total award: 650.001 €
Funding dates: 01/10/2012 – 30/09/2017
Principal Investigator: Giuseppe Remuzzi

- 'Stem-cell based therapy for kidney repair (STELLAR)'
Source of funding: European Commission
Total award: 955.360 €
Funding dates: 01/11/2012 – 31/10/2017

Principal Investigator: Giuseppe Remuzzi

- 'Translational research (training) in polycystic kidney disease (TranCYST)'
Source of funding: European Commission
Total award: 243.038 €
Funding dates: 01/12/2012 – 30/11/2016
Principal Investigator: Giuseppe Remuzzi
- 'A Gateway to European Kidney Research Resources (KidneyConnect)'
Source of funding: European Commission (Grant n. 602422)
Total award: 11.000 €
Funding dates: 01/08/2013-31/07/2016
Principal Investigator: Giuseppe Remuzzi
- 'Novel Stromal Cell Therapy for Diabetic Kidney Disease (NEPHSTROM)'
Source of funding: European Commission
Total award: 745.000 €
Funding dates: 01/05/2015 - 30/04/2019
Principal Investigator: Giuseppe Remuzzi
- 'Chronic kidney disease and acute kidney injury – evaluation of EU and global epidemiology (CKD-AKI)'
Source of funding: European Commission (MSCA-IF-2015)
Total award: 168.277 €
Funding dates: 01/09/2016 - 02/11/2018
Supervisor: Giuseppe Remuzzi
- 'Biomarker Enterprise to Attack DKD (BEAt-DKD)'
Source of funding: Innovative Medicine Initiative JTI: IMI 2
Total award: 150.000 €
Funding dates: 01/04/2017 - 31/03/2022
Principal Investigator: Giuseppe Remuzzi
- 'A prospective study to assess safety and efficacy of the use of bone-marrow derived MESenchymal stromal cells as immunomodulatory therapy for children and young adults with severe and difficult-to-treat frequently relapsing or steroid-dependent idiopathic NEPHrotic syndrome (MESNEPH study)'
Source of funding: AIFA Italian Medicines Agency
Total award: Agreement in process
Principal Investigator: Giuseppe Remuzzi
- Combined test for the evaluation of antibody response to SARS-CoV-2 and viral load in population (ImmunoViralTest)
Source of funding: Regione Lombardia
Total award: 358.133 €
 - Funding dates: 01/05/2020 – 31/10/2020
Supervisor: Giuseppe Remuzzi
- 'Nanomedicine for Organ Transplantation Tolerance (PHOENIX)'
Source of funding: European Commission
Total award: 2.090.000 €
Funding dates: 01/04/2023 – 31/03/2026
Coordinator: Giuseppe Remuzzi
- 'One Health Basic and Translational Research Actions addressing Unmet Needs on Emerging Infectious Diseases (INF-ACT)'
Source of funding: Nex Generation EU - European Union
Total award: 1.700.00 €
Funding dates: 01/11/2022 – 31/10/2025

Leader Spoke 1: Giuseppe Remuzzi

9th June, 2025

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Giuseppe Remuzzi', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Giuseppe Remuzzi