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Work Experience

IRCCS SAN RAFFAELE HOSPITAL, MILAN, ITALY

IVF Laboratory Supervisor

Sep-24 – present

IRCCS SAN RAFFAELE HOSPITAL, MILAN, ITALY

Senior Embryologist

Aug-23 – Sep-23

9.BABY GENERALIFE IVF, BERGAMO, ITALY

Laboratory Director

Feb-22 – Jul-23

9.BABY FAMILY AND FERTILITY CENTER, BERGAMO, ITALY

Senior Embryologist

Dec-20 – Jan-22

CMR S.R.L. BIOGENESI, MONZA, ITALY

Embryologist

May-18 – Nov-20

IRCCS SAN RAFFAELE HOSPITAL, MILAN, ITALY

Embryologist

Oct-16 – Apr-18

IRCCS SAN RAFFAELE HOSPITAL, MILAN, ITALY

Trainee Embryologist

Dec-15 – Oct-16

Education

MASTER'S DEGREE IN REPRODUCTIVE BIOTECHNOLOGIES

Università degli Studi di Teramo – Italy

Oct-2015

Final grade: 110/110 with honours

BACHELOR'S DEGREE IN BIOTECHNOLOGY

Università degli Studi di L'Aquila – Italy

Dec-2012

Final grade: 107/110

DIPLOMA SCIENTIFICO

Liceo Scientifico M. Curie – Italy

Jul-2006

Final grade: 87/100

Language skills

Mother tongue: Italian

Other: English

Publications

The new ice age: the promise and challenges of rapid oocyte warming protocols.

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The Task Matters: A Comprehensive Review and Proposed Literature Score of the Effects of Chemical and Physical Parameters on Embryo Developmental Competence.

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Endometriosis affects the number of retrieved oocytes but not early embryonic development and live birth: a retrospective analysis of 716 IVF cycles.

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Does morphological assessment predict oocyte developmental competence? A systematic review and proposed score

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Early embryo morphokinetics is a better predictor of post-ICSI live birth than embryo morphology: speed is more important than beauty at the cleavage stage

Bartolacci A, Dal Canto M, Guglielmo MC, Mura L, Brigante C, Mignini Renzini M, Buratini J. Zygote. 2021

Faster fertilization and cleavage kinetics reflect competence to achieve a live birth after intracytoplasmic sperm injection, but this association fades with maternal age.

Dal Canto M, **Bartolacci A**, Turchi D, Pignataro D, Lain M, De Ponti E, Brigante C, Mignini Renzini M, Buratini J. Fertil Steril. 2021.

The first report of pregnancies following blastocyst automated vitrification in Europe.

Dal Canto M, Moutier C, Brambillasca F, Guglielmo MC, **Bartolacci A**, Fadini R, Renzini MM, Buratini J. J Gynecol Obstet Hum Reprod. 2019.

Maternal body mass index affects embryo morphokinetics: a time-lapse study.

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