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WORK EXPERIENCE

01/05/2024 – CURRENT

RESEARCH FELLOWSHIP HEALTH SCIENCE INTERDISCIPLINARY RESEARCH CENTRE - SANT'ANNA SCHOOL OF ADVANCED STUDIES

Research within the Tuscany Health Ecosystems (THE) project - Spoke 10, Population Health. Funded by the Italian National Recovery and Resilience Plan (PNRR), THE is the only ecosystem dedicated to Life Sciences, which focuses on the needs of the population of Tuscany Region. Currently, within Spoke 10, i.e. Population Health, an analysis of socio-sanitary data of the Elba and Casentino (Tuscany) inner districts is being undertaken to identify innovative organizational and technological solutions that support the health needs of the resident population.

01/01/2022 – CURRENT

PROXIMITY CARE PROJECT HEALTH SCIENCE INTERDISCIPLINARY RESEARCH CENTRE - SANT'ANNA SCHOOL OF ADVANCED STUDIES

Project management and research within the inner area of Valle del Serchio health district (Tuscany) on:

- Proxy Screening: new cancer screening delivery model designed to deliver proximity of care using a mobile multi-screening unit to maximize social benefits and minimize environmental waste.
- Population Experience Observatory: questionnaire destined to the population of the project area, with the aim of systematically collecting the viewpoint and experiences of residents on local healthcare and other public services. The aim is also to monitor the progress of the Proximity Care projects and their impact.

Website <https://www.proximitycare.it>

01/10/2021 – CURRENT

INTER-REGIONAL PERFORMANCE EVALUATION SYSTEM HEALTHCARE AND MANAGEMENT LABORATORY - SANT'ANNA SCHOOL OF ADVANCED STUDIES

Assessment of Italian regional and intra-regional healthcare performance indicators within outpatient care.

01/08/2018 – 28/08/2018

INTERNSHIP AT DEPARTMENT OF INNOVATION, RESEARCHES AND UNIVERSITIES AUTONOMOUS PROVINCE OF BOLZANO

Summarisation of all the funding disbursed from 2014 to 2020 from the department 34 of the Autonomous Province of Bolzano in favour of the main research institutions of South Tyrol, e.g. Free University of Bolzano and European Academy of Bolzano (EURAC).

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

01/10/2021 – CURRENT

PHD IN HEALTH SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY AND MANAGEMENT Sant'Anna School of Advanced Studies

2023 – 2024

VISITING RESEARCH PERIOD Collaborative Centre for Climate, Health and Sustainable Care, University of Toronto

15/09/2019 – 21/07/2021

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN INNOVATION MANAGEMENT (LM-77) University of Trento & Sant'Anna School of Advanced Studies**Final grade** 110L/110

03/10/2016 – 17/09/2019

BACHELOR IN ECONOMICS & MANAGEMENT Free University of Bozen-Bolzano

- Trilingual courses (English, German and Italian)

24/06/2015 Verona, Italy

CERTIFICATE FROM THE CONSERVATORY OF OBTAINMENT OF THE FORMERLY KNOWN AS THE EIGHTH YEAR (OUT OF TEN) IN PIANO. Conservatory Felice Evaresto Dall'Abaco

● **LANGUAGE SKILLS**

Mother tongue(s): **ITALIAN** | **GERMAN**
Other language(s):

	UNDERSTANDING		SPEAKING		WRITING
	Listening	Reading	Spoken production	Spoken interaction	
GERMAN	C2	C1	C1	C1	C1
ENGLISH	C2	C1	C2	C1	C1

Levels: A1 and A2: Basic user; B1 and B2: Independent user; C1 and C2: Proficient user

● **DIGITAL SKILLS**

R and Rstudio | Stata Software for Statistics and Data Science | SAS Data Analysis | Latex Software | Windows, macOS, Android, iOS Operating Systems | Microsoft Office | Apple Logic Pro X

● **PUBLICATIONS**

2024
Including environmental and social sustainability in the planning process of healthcare services: A case study of cancer screening programs in an inner area in Italy

Benedetto, V., Ferrè, F., & Nuti, S. (2024). Including environmental and social sustainability in the planning process of healthcare services: A case study of cancer screening programs in an inner area in Italy. Health Policy, 144, 105074. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.healthpol.2024.105074>

2024
A Proximity Care Paradigm for Cancer Screening with a Mobile Multi-Screening Unit in Inner Areas

V. Mainardi, V. Benedetto, A. Damone, L. D. Stefano, G. Ciuti and S. Nuti. A Proximity Care Paradigm for Cancer Screening with a Mobile Multi-Screening Unit in Inner Areas. 2024 IEEE International Conference on Pervasive Computing and Communications Workshops and other Affiliated Events (PerCom Workshops), Biarritz, France, 2024, pp. 63-68. <https://doi.org/10.1109/PerComWorkshops59983.2024.10503159>

2024
Setting priorities in outpatient cardiovascular care to guarantee equitable access: the case of Tuscany region

Benedetto, V., De Vita, E., & Nuti, S. (2024). Setting priorities in outpatient cardiovascular care to guarantee equitable access: the case of Tuscany region. Res Health Serv Reg, 3(1), 11. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s43999-024-00047-9>

2023
Social sustainability of healthcare systems: a scoping review

Paparatto, G., Benedetto, V., Gori, L. and Nuti, S. Social sustainability of healthcare systems: a scoping review. Population Medicine, 5, No. Supplement (2023). <https://doi.org/10.18332/popmed/164287>

2022
The Italian interregional performance evaluation system

Vola, F., Benedetto, V., Vainieri, M., Nuti, S. (2022). The Italian interregional performance evaluation system. Res Health Serv Reg 1, 10. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s43999-022-00010-6>

● **CONFERENCES AND SEMINARS**

2024 Annual Wennberg International Collaborative Meeting

Title of poster presentation:
Variation in outpatient care: introducing the Unfair Distance Index for patient travel times
PerCom 2024 Conference - 3rd international workshop on telemedicine and e-health evolution in the new era of social distancing

Title of presentation:
A proximity of care paradigm for cancer screening with a mobile multi-screening unit in inner areas

2023 Annual Wennberg International Collaborative Meeting

Title of presentation:

Managing equity in chronic disease: setting priorities to reduce unwarranted variation in outpatient cardiovascular care

EURAM 2023 Conference - Transforming Business for Good

Title of presentation

Healthcare services: a paradigm shift towards sustainability

IRSPM 2022 Conference - Facing the future: Evolving social-political-administrative relations and the future of administrative systems

Title of presentations:

- Changing the performance evaluation system to tackle resilience during Covid-19
- Telemedicine in the pandemic era. A solution for a resilient and equitable healthcare system? Empirical evidence from Italy

One Health - Unifying perspectives on Climate Change (Winter School, 2022)

Winter school focussing on the concept of *One Health* and climate change

Toronto

CASCADES Summer Institute on Sustainable Health Systems (2024)

Through guided learning activities, meetings with local sustainability leaders and nation-wide panel discussions, the Summer Institute aimed to develop knowledge, leadership skills and capabilities, and build professional, interdisciplinary networks of trainees and professionals with shared interests related to sustainable health systems

TEACHING ACTIVITIES

23/05/2024

Teaching assistant at Scuola Nazionale dell'Amministrazione - SNA

Teaching assistant of Prof. Nuti at the National School of Administration (Scuola Nazionale dell'Amministrazione - SNA) in Rome during an exercise concerning manoeuvring margins. During the lecture, I organised and led the exercise session.

20/12/2023

Lesson at Master's program in Nursing of the University of Pisa

Lesson title: *Environmental Sustainability in Healthcare*.

25/10/2023

Corso di formazione manageriale per dirigenti di struttura complessa e aspiranti direttori sanitari

Lesson title: *Environmental Sustainability in Healthcare: Impacts on Service Planning and Evaluation*. Lesson held within the *Health Strategies and Planning* class.

15/03/2023

PROREMOTE Seasonal School

Environmental and social sustainability within healthcare systems.

Pisa , 10/10/2024

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