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Personal information

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Date of birth: October 30, 1974

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Education

Master's Degree in Telecoomunication Engineering (Laurea in Ingegneria delle Telecomunicazioni), University of Parma, Italy

Work experience

- July 2017 – present
Head of Research Area, “II livello – Responsabile di Area di ricerca”, PNTLab, Consorzio Nazionale Interuniversitario per le Telecomunicazioni (CNIT), Pisa, Italy.
- Dec 2012 – June 2017
Head of Research, “III livello – Responsabile di ricerca”, National Lab. of Photonic Networks, Consorzio Nazionale Interuniversitario per le Telecomunicazioni (CNIT), Pisa, Italy.
- Aug 2005 – Dec 2012 (permanent position at CNIT since 2006)
Researcher , “IV livello – Ricercatore”, National Lab of Photonic Networks, Consorzio Nazionale Interuniversitario per le Telecomunicazioni (CNIT), Pisa
- Jul 2001 - Jun 2005
Junior Researcher, “V livello - Collaboratore di ricerca senior”, National Lab of Photonic Networks, CNIT, Pisa.

Academic Degree

National habilitation as **Full Professor (Professore di I Fascia)** Settore Concorsuale 09/F2 Telecommunications, from 19/11/2020 to 19/11/2029

Scientific activities

Main research interests include theoretical and experimental studies in the field of communications and networking. In particular, the focus is on optical networking, software defined networking (SDN), network programmability, P4, survivability and traffic engineering in IP over optical networks, Segment Routing, cloud/edge networking and cyber security.

He served as co-chair of several international symposia, including the Optical Networks and Systems (ONS) Symposium at GLOBECOM 2010, the workshop on Flexible Optical Networks at GLOBECOM 2012, the Access Network and System (ANS) Symposium at GLOBECOM 2013, the ONDM 2015 Conference, the OFC 2019 N3 Subcommittee. He served as Editorial Board Member of the Elsevier Optical Switching and Networking journal and IEEE Communication Magazine.

He participated, including coordination role, to more than ten FP7/H2020 Projects. He currently serves as Coordinator of the ECSEL BRAINE Project (EU-funded project aiming at boosting Artificial Intelligence at the network Edge, 27 Partners, 16M€

budget). Furthermore, he serves as Technical Coordinator of the B5G-OPEN Project (H2020 EU-funded project aiming at redesigning next generation packet-optical networks, 15 Partners, 5.5M€).

Languages

Italian, English

IT skills

MS Windows, Linux, Juniper JUNOS, C, C++, XML, MS Office, P4.

Scientific publications

297 scientific publications:

- **96** international peer-reviewed journals
- **201** International peer-reviewed conferences

Full list included in the last section of this document

Google Scholar: >**5600**citations, h-index:**38**

<https://scholar.google.it/citations?user=ABnt4RQAAAAJ&hl=en>

Scopus: >**4300** citations, h-index:**34**

<https://www2.scopus.com/authid/detail.uri?authorId=14031056700>

Patents

15 patents.

Full list included in the last section of this document

Visiting and international collaborations

Visiting:

- Visiting researcher at KTH Royal Institute of Technology in Stockholm, Kista (Stokholm), Sweden, from 11-06-2005 to 19-06-2005
- Visiting researcher at National Institute of Information and Communications Technology (NICT), Tokyo, Japan, from 11-10-2007 to 14-12-2007
- Visiting researcher at National Institute of Information and Communications Technology (NICT), Tokyo, Japan, from 09-10-2008 to 01-11-2008
- Visiting researcher at Adolfo Ibáñez University, Viña del Mar, Chile, from 10-08-2015 to 14-08-2015
- Visiting researcher at British Telecom, Adastral Park, Ipswich, UK from 13-07-2018 to 03-08-2018

International collaborations, confirmed by joint publications:

- Universitat Politècnica de Catalunya, Spain
- CTTC, Spain,

- Telefónica I+D, Spain,
- Nokia (Alcatel-Lucent), France
- Infinera/Coriant R&D, Germany,
- Infinera/Coriant, Portugal
- Redzinc, Dublin, Ireland
- Budapest University of Technology and Economics, Hungary
- Atos, Spain
- University of Bristol, UK,
- Eindhoven University of Technology (TU/e), Netherlands
- Technische Universität München, Germany
- KTH Royal Institute of Technology in Stockholm, Sweden
- Universidad Carlos III de Madrid, Madrid, Spain
- iMinds, Gent, Belgium
- Computer Technology Institute and Press, Greece
- National Technical University of Athens, Greece
- Sumitomo Electric Industries Ltd., Japan
- Telecom Bretagne, Brest, France
- Old Dog consulting, UK
- Huawei, Germany
- Naudit, Spain
- Universidad Adolfo Ibáñez, Chile
- Deutsche Telekom, Germany
- University College London, UK
- Fraunhofer Institute for Telecommunications, Germany
- Ericsson, Hungary
- Orange Lab. / France Telecom, France
- University of Cambridge, UK
- Cisco Systems Inc., Israel
- AGH University of Science and Technology, Cracow, Poland
- Athens Information Technology, Athens, Greece
- Ericsson, Sweden

- Grotto Networking, USA
- Technische Universität Wien, Austria
- NICT, Japan
- Osaka University, Japan
- Czech Technical University, Prague, Czech Republic
- Librimind, Israel
- Secure-IC S.A.S., Paris, France
- Alum, Tulcea, Romania
- Orange Labs, Warsaw, Poland
- NVIDIA/Mellanox, Israel
- Fraunhofer HHI, Berlin, Germany
- ADVA, Germany
- Qognify, Germany
- Naudit, Spain
- Universidad Politécnica de Cartagena, Spain
- Deutsche Telekom, Germany
- Zeetta Networks Limited, UK
- OpenLightComm Ltd., UK
- University of Peloponnese, Greece
- University of California (UC Davis), USA
- IIT Dharwad, Dharwad, India
- Budapest University of Technology and Economics, Hungary
- Leibniz University, Germany
- DELL, Ireland

Paper presentations

Keynote speaker:

- Cugini, F.; “PCE Architecture Implementation: Challenges and Open Issues”, Workshop on GMPLS, co-located with ONDM 2008 Conf., Vilanova i la Geltrú (Spain), March 10th, 2008

Invited talks:

- COIN 2008 Conf., Tokyo, Japan, 2008 “Physical impairments-aware transparent optical networks”

- MANGO Project Workshop, May 8th, 2009 “PCE in multi-layer MPLS over WSON networks”
- *Optical Fiber Communication Conference (OFC)*, Anaheim (USA), March 2014 “Benefits of active stateful PCE for Flexgrid networks”
- *European Conference on Optical Communication (ECOC)*, Valencia (Spain), September 2015 “Towards Plug-and-Play Software-defined EONs: Field Trial of Self-Adaptation Carrier Spacing”
- 21st European Conference on Networks and Optical Communications (NOC), Lisbon, Portugal, June 2016 “Adaptation and monitoring for elastic alien wavelengths”
- Optical Network Design and Modeling (ODNM) Conference, May 15-18, 2017 Budapest, Hungary, “Bit Index Explicit Replication (BIER) Multicasting in Transport Networks”
- Optical Network Design and Modeling (ODNM) Conference, May 18-21, 2020 Spain “Designing Disaggregated Optical Networks”
- LEGaTO: Low-Energy Heterogeneous Computing Workshop, co-located with FPL2020 Conference, “BRAINE project - Big data pRocessing and Artificial Intelligence at the Network Edge: overview and use cases”,
- IEEE ICCCN 2021 Conference, July 19 - 22, 2021, Athens, Greece, “P4 Programmability at the Network Edge: the BRAINE Approach [Invited]”,
- Asia Communications and Photonics (ACP) Conference, Shanghai (China), Oct. 24-27 2021, “Open Packet-Optical Edge Node: State of Art and Challenges [Invited]”
- OFC 2022, “Applications of P4-based Network Programmability in Optical Networks”, invited

Presenter:

- GLOBECOM 2003, oral presentation, from 01-12-2003 to 05-12-2003
- GLOBECOM 2004, oral presentation, from 29-11-2004 to 03-12-2004
- HPSR Workshop 2005, Hong Kong, oral presentation, from 12-05-2005 to 14-05-2005
- ECOC 2005 Conf., Glasgow, Scotland, oral presentation, from 25-09-2005 to 29-09-2005
- OFC 2006 Conf., Anaheim, USA, poster presentation, from 05-03-2006 to 10-03-2006
- ICTON 2007 Conf. Rome, Italy, oral presentation, from 01-07-2007 to 05-07-2007
- ECOC 2007 Conf., Berlin, Germany, oral presentation, from 16-09-2007 to 20-09-2007

- OFC Conf. 2008, San Diego, USA, oral presentation, from 24-02-2008 to 28-02-2008
- Workshop on GMPLS, co-located with ONDM 2008, Vilanova i la Geltrú, Spain, Keynote speaker, oral presentation, from 12-03-2008 to 15-03-2008
- COIN Conf. 2008, Tokyo, Japan, Invited talk, oral presentation, from 14-10-2008 to 16-10-2008
- Mango Project Workshop 2009, Invited talk, oral presentation, from 08-05-2009 to 08-05-2009
- IEEE INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON COMMUNICATIONS (ICC) 2010, Cape Town, South Africa, oral presentation, from 23-05-2010 to 27-05-2010
- Photonics in Switching (PS) 2012 Conf., Ajaccio, France, oral presentation, from 11-09-2012 to 14-09-2012
- GLOBECOM 2012 Conf., Anaheim, USA, oral presentation, from 03-12-2012 to 07-12-2012- 25
- GLOBECOM 2013 Conf., Atlanta, USA, oral presentation, from 09-12-2013 to 13-12-2013
- OFC 2014 Conf. Los Angeles, USA, oral presentation (invited talk), from 09-03-2014 to 14-03-2014
- ECOC 2015 Conf., Valencia, Spain, oral presentation (invited talk), from 27-09-2015 to 01-10-2015
- OFC 2016 Conf., Anaheim, USA, oral and poster presentations, from 20-03-2016 to 24-03-2016
- NOC 2016 Conf., Lisboa, Portugal, oral presentation (invited talk), from 01-06-2016 to 03-06-2016
- OFC 2017 Conf., Los Angeles (USA), two oral presentations, from 19-03-2017 to 23-03-2017
- ONDM 2017 Conf., Budapest (Hu), oral presentation (invited), from 15-05-2017 to 18-05-2017
- OFC 2018 Conf., San Diego (USA), oral presentation, from 11-03-2018 to 15-03-2018
- OFC 2019 Conf., San Diego (USA), demo presentation, from 03-03-2019 to 07-03-2019
- OFC 2020 Conf., San Diego (USA), oral presentation, from 08-03-2020 to 12-03-2020
- ONDM 2020 Conf, Barcelona (Spain), two oral presentations, including an invited talk, from 18-05-2020 to 21-05-2020
- OFC 2021, Jun 6-10, 2021, oral presentation
- IEEE ICCCN 2021 Conference, July 19 - 22, 2021, Athens, Greece, invited oral presentation

- Asia Communications and Photonics (ACP) Conference, Shanghai (China), Oct. 24-27 2021, invited oral presentation
- OFC 2022, “Applications of P4-based Network Programmability in Optical Networks”, invited oral presentation

Awards

- **CHARLES KAO AWARD 2017** for the best optical communications and networking paper, "Sliceable Transponder Architecture Including Multiwavelength", Journal of Optical Communications and Networking (JOCN), Vol. 6, Issue 7, pp. 590-600, 2014, <https://www.comsoc.org/about/awards/paper-awards/ieee-communications-society-charles-kao-award-best-optical-communications>
- CORNING STUDENT AWARD, also awarded with invited submission at Journal of Lightwave Technology (JLT). A. Sgambelluri, A. Giorgetti, F. Cugini, G. Bruno, and P. Castoldi, “First demonstration of SDN-based segment routing in multi-layer networks,” presented at the Opt. Fiber Commun. Conf., Los Angeles, CA, USA, 2015, Paper Th1.A.5, from 22-03-2015 to 26-03-2015
- OUTSTANDING SERVICE AWARD as TPC chair of the Optical Networks and Systems (ONS) Symposium, IEEE GLOBECOM 2010, from 06-12-2010 to 10-12-2010
- OUTSTANDING SERVICE AWARD as Industry Liaison Officer for IEEE COMSOC Transmission, Access, and Optical Systems Technical (TAOS) Committee, from 01-01-2014 to 31-12-2015
- TOP SCORED PAPER, also awarded with invited submission at Journal of Optical Communications and Networking (JOCN). M. Dallaglio, A. Giorgetti, N. Sambo, F. Cugini, and P. Castoldi, “Impact of slice-ability on dynamic restoration in GMPLS-based flexible optical networks” in OFC Conf., Mar. 2014, from 09-03-2014 to 14-03-2014
- PAPER AWARDED with invited submission at IEEE/OSA Journal of Optical Communications and Networking (JOCN). F. Paolucci, F. Fresi, A. Castro, L. Velasco, F. Cugini, N. Sambo, A. Giorgetti, L. Potì, and P. Castoldi, “Filter optimization in SDN-based flexgrid networks” in Optical Fiber Communication Conf. (OFC), 2014, from 09-03-2014 to 14-03-2014
- PAPER AWARDED with invited submission at Journal of Optical Communications and Networking (JOCN). A. Giorgetti, F. Paolucci, F. Cugini, and P. Castoldi, “Fast restoration in SDN-based flexible optical networks” in Proc. OFC, Mar. 2014, from 09-03-2014 to 14-03-2014
- TOP SCORED PAPER, also awarded with invited submission at Journal of Optical, Communications and Networking (JOCN). N. Sambo, G. Meloni, F. Cugini, A. D’Errico, L. Potì, P. Iovanna, and P. Castoldi, “Routing, code, and spectrum assignment (rcsa) in elastic optical networks,” in Proc. of OFC 2015, Mar. 2015, from 22-03-2015 to 26-03-2015
- TOP SCORED PAPER, also awarded with invited submission at Journal of Optical Communications and Networking (JOCN) .A.

Giorgetti, F. Paolucci, F. Cugini and P. Castoldi, "Proactive Hierarchical PCE based on BGP-LS for Elastic Optical Networks," 2015 Optical Fiber Communications Conference and Exhibition (OFC), Los Angeles, CA, 2015, pp. 1-3. doi: 10.1364/OFC.2015.Th1A.3, from 22-03-2015 to 26-03-2015

- TOP SCORED PAPER, also awarded with invited submission at Journal of Lightwave Technology (JLT). N.Sambo, F. Cugini, A. Sgambelluri, and P. Castoldi, "Hierarchical monitoring architecture and OAM" presented at the ECOC Conf., Valencia, Spain, 2015 from 27-09-2015 to 01-10-2015
- TOP SCORED PAPER, also awarded with invited submission at Journal of Lightwave Technology (JLT). A. Giorgetti, A. Sgambelluri, F. Paolucci, F. Cugini and P. Castoldi, "Demonstration of dynamic restoration in segment routing multi-layer SDN networks," 2016 Optical Fiber Communications Conference and Exhibition (OFC), Anaheim, CA, 2016, from 20-03-2016 to 24-03-2016
- PAPER AWARDED (as post-deadline paper) with invited submission at IEEE Journal of Lightwave Technology: L. Velasco, L. Gifre, F. Paolucci, F. Cugini, "First experimental demonstration of autonomic slice networking", Proc. Optical Fiber Communications Conference and Exhibition (OFC 2017), Los Angeles (USA), Mar 2017.
- PAPER AWARDED with invited submission at Journal of Optical Communications and Networking (JOCN). F. Paolucci, F. Cugini, P. Castoldi, "P4-based Multi-Layer Traffic Engineering encompassing Cyber Security", Proc. Optical Fiber Communications Conference and Exhibition (OFC 2018), Los Angeles (USA), Mar. 2018.
- PAPER AWARDED with invited submission at Journal of Optical Communications and Networking (JOCN). F Cugini et al. "Single-Fiber Bidirectional Filterless Metro Network", ONDM 2020, 18-21-05-2020
- PAPER AWARDED with invited submission at Journal of Optical Communications and Networking (JOCN): A. S. Muqaddas, et al., "Field Trial of Multi-Layer Slicing Over Disaggregated Optical Networks Enabling End-to-End Crowdsourced Video Streaming", ECOC Conf 2020
- PAPER AWARDED with invited submission at Journal of Optical Communications and Networking (JOCN): D. Scano et al, "Augmented In-Band Telemetry to the User Equipment for Beyond 5G Converged Packet-Optical Networks", ECOC 2020

**Editorial, chairing
and organizing
activities**

Editor:

- Book Chapter Editor: "Software Defined Networking (SDN) in Optical Networks" in the book "Elastic Optical Networks", ISBN 978-3-319-30174-7, DOI 10.1007/978-3-319-30174-7, Publisher Springer International Publishing from 01-01-2015 to 01-01-2016
- Book Chapter Editor: "The path computation element" in the book "Handbook of Research on Redesigning the Future of Internet

Architectures”, published by IGI Global, Release Date: May 2015, ISBN: 9781466683716, from 01-01-2015 to 01-05-2016

- Book Chapter Editor: “Optical Networks evolution: from programmability to Machine Learning and Spatial Division Multiplexing”, published by Texmat, November 2020
- Editorial board member for the Journal on Optical Switching and Networking (OSN), Elsevier, <https://www.journals.elsevier.com/optical-switching-and-networking/editorial-board>, from 01-01-2010 to present
- Editor of the Special issue based on selected ONDM 2015 Conference papers, Journal of Photonic Network Communication 2016, Springer, DOI 10.1007/s11107-016-0639-y from 10-05-2015 to 01-06-2016
- Editorial board member for the Communications Magazine, Associate Technical Editor, from 27-03-2018 to 01-02-2021.

Journal Reviewer (selection):

- IEEE/OSA Journal of Lightweight Technology,
- IEEE/OSA Journal of Optical Communication and Networking,
- IEEE Communications Magazine,
- Elsevier Journal on Optical Switching and Networking (OSN),
- IEEE Transactions on Communications.

Technical Program Committee (TPC) Chair:

- TPC Chair of the Optical Networks and Systems (ONS) Symposium, IEEE GLOBECOM 2010, from 06-12-2010 to 10-12-2010. Awarded with: “Outstanding service award”.
- TPC Chair and Organizer of the Workshop on Flexible Optical Networks (FON), IEEE GLOBECOM 2012, from 07-12-2012 to 07-12-2012.
- TPC Chair of the Access Networks and System (ANS) Symposium on Selected Areas in Communications (SAC), IEEE GLOBECOM 2013, from 09-12-2013 to 13-12-2013
- TPC Chair of the Optical Networks Design and Modelling (ONDm) 2015 Conference, Pisa, Italy, from 11-05-2015 to 14-05-2015
- TPC Chair of the Demo Track, International Conference on High Performance Switching and Routing (HPSR), from 30-06-2015 to 4-07-2015
- Organizer of the Workshop “White Box Optics: Will it Kill or Encourage Innovations?”, Optical Networking and Communication Conference & Exhibition (OFC), Los Angeles, California, USA, 2017, 20-03-2017
- Organizer and TPC Chair for the Demo Zone at the European Conference on Optical Communication (ECOC), Rome, Italy, from 23-09-2018 to 27-09-2018

- Organizer of the Symposium on Network Automation, Optical Networking and Communication Conference & Exhibition (OFC), San Diego, California, USA, from 06-03-2019
- TPC Chair of the N3 Symposium on “Architectures and software-defined control for metro and core networks”, Optical Networking and Communication Conference & Exhibition (OFC), San Diego, California, USA, from 03-03-2019 to 07-03-2019
- Organizer and TPC Chair for the Demo Zone at Optical Networking and Communication Conference & Exhibition (OFC), San Diego, California, USA, from 8-03-2020 to 12-03-2020
- Organizer and TPC Chair of the Workshop “Reliability in Disaggregated Optical Networks”, DRCN Conference, Milan, Italy, from 27-03-2020 to 27-03-2020
- Organizer and TPC Chair of the Workshop “Disaggregated Optical Networks: hype, huge potential or somewhere in the middle?”, ONDM Conference, Barcelona, Spain, from 18-05-2020 to 18-05-2020
- Organizer and Chair of the Open Networking Summit, OFC 2021, San Francisco (USA), from 28-03-2021 to 01-04-2021
- Organizer and Chair of the Workshop entitled "Are multi-band optical networks simple extensions of traditional C-band networks?" at the European Conference on Optical Communication (ECOC 2022), Basel Switzerland, from 18-09-2022 to 22-09-2022

Session Chair:

- Session Chair at IEEE INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON COMMUNICATIONS (ICC) ON03 Session “Optical Device and Node Architectures”, 25-05-2013
- Session Chair at IEEE Globecom 2012 Conference, SAC ASN1 Session “DSL, RoF & Misc.”, 04-12-2012
- Session Chair at IEEE Globecom 2012 Conference, ONS05 Session “Miscellaneous Topics in Optical Networks & Systems”, 05-12-2012
- Session Chair at FON Workshop, IEEE Globecom 2012 Conference, 07-12-2012
- Session Chair at IEEE Globecom 2012 Conference, SA-ANS1 Session “Optical and Hybrid Access Networks”, 11-12-2013
- Session Chair at ONDM 2015, Keynote Lecture Session, 12-05-2015
- Session Chair at European Conference on Networks and Optical Communications (NOC), session "Network Control and Energy Efficiency", 01-07-2016
- Session Chair at Optical Networking and Communication Conference & Exhibition (OFC), Session on “Control of Disaggregated Networks”, Tu3H, San Diego, California, USA, from 03-03-2019 to 07-03-2019

- Session Chair at ONDM Conference, Session “S9: Converged Optical and Wireless Networks”, Barcelona (Spain), from 21-05-2020 to 21-05-2020

University Service — Recruitment Committees:

- Expert member of the Committee for the assignment of a Research Scholarship, Scuola Superiore Sant'Anna, Nov 2014 (Assegno di ricerca su "Affidabilità in reti di accesso di nuova generazione")
- Expert member of the Committee for the assignment of a Research Scholarship, Scuola Superiore Sant'Anna, Nov 2014 (Assegno di ricerca su "Affidabilità delle reti e dei servizi di comunicazione")
- Expert member of the Committee for the assignment of a Research Scholarship, Scuola Superiore Sant'Anna, May 2016 (Assegno di ricerca su “Tecniche di elaborazione ottica del segnale per comunicazioni e radaristica”)
- Expert member of the Committee for the assignment of a Research Scholarship, Scuola Superiore Sant'Anna, Oct 2016 (Assegno di ricerca su “Reti dati ad alta velocità e alta affidabilità”)
- Expert member of the Committee for the assignment of a Research Scholarship, Scuola Superiore Sant'Anna, June 2017 (Assegno di ricerca su “Testbed federato per reti 5G”)
- Expert member of the Committee for the recruitment of University Researcher, Scuola Superiore Sant'Anna, Feb 2019 (Contratto di ricercatore tipo A presso la Scuola Superiore Sant'Anna)
- Expert member of the Committee for the assignment of a Research Scholarship, Scuola Superiore Sant'Anna, March 2021 (Assegno di ricerca su “In-network computation using P4 programmable forwarding”)
- Expert member of the Committee for the assignment of a Research Scholarship, Scuola Superiore Sant'Anna, April 2021 (Borsa di studio su “Riconoscimento e tracking di oggetti in scenari stradali supportato da sistemi radiomobili 5G”)
- Member of the Committee for the assignment of a Research Scholarship, Scuola Superiore Sant'Anna, Sept 2021 (Assegno di ricerca su “Zero touch networking”)
- Member of the graduate commission for thesis dissertations (Commissione di Laurea), Mercatorum Univeristy, on 23/06/2021, 27/10/2021
- Member of the commission for final assessment for the granting of the Research Doctor to PhD candidate Alessio Ferrari (Commissione di Dottorato), Politecnico di Torino, on 19/11/2021
- Expert member of the Committee for the recruitment of University Researcher, Scuola Superiore Sant'Anna, June 2022 (Contratto di ricercatore tipo A presso la Scuola Superiore Sant'Anna)

Technical Program Committee (TPC) member:

- TPC Member, IEEE GLOBECOM 2008 Conference, Optical Networks and Systems (ONS) Symposium, from 30-11-2008 to 04-12-2008
- TPC Member, IEEE GLOBECOM 2009 Conference, Optical Networks and Systems (ONS) Symposium, from 30-11-2009 to 04-12-2009
- TPC Member, IEEE ICC 2011, Optical Networks and Systems (ONS) Symposium, from 05-06-2011 to 09-06-2011
- TPC Member, IEEE GLOBECOM 2011 Conference, Optical Networks and Systems (ONS) Symposium, from 05-12-2011 to 09-12-2011
- TPC Member, IEEE ICC 2012, Optical Networks and Systems (ONS) Symposium, from 10-06-2012 to 15-06-2012
- TPC Member, IEEE GLOBECOM 2012 Conference, Optical Networks and Systems (ONS) Symposium, from 03-12-2012 to 07-12-2012
- TPC Member, IEEE ICC 2013, Optical Networks and Systems (ONS) Symposium, from 09-06-2013 to 13-06-2013
- TPC Member, IEEE GLOBECOM 2013 Conference, Optical Networks and Systems (ONS) Symposium, from 09-12-2013 to 13-12-2013
- TPC Member, IEEE ICC 2014, Optical Networks and Systems (ONS) Symposium, from 10-06-2014 to 14-06-2014
- TPC Member, EuCNC 2014 Conference, Track "Optical Networks", from 23-06-2014 to 26-06-2014
- TPC Member, IEEE GLOBECOM 2014 Conference, Optical Networks and Systems (ONS) Symposium, from 08-12-2014 to 12-12-2014
- TPC Member, IEEE ICC 2015, Optical Networks and Systems (ONS) Symposium, from 08-06-2015 to 12-06-2015
- TPC Member, EuCNC 2015 Conference, Track "Optical Networks", from 29-06-2015 to 02-07-2015
- TPC Member, IEEE GLOBECOM 2015 Conference, Optical Networks and Systems (ONS) Symposium, from 06-12-2015 to 10-12-2015
- TPC Member, IEEE GLOBECOM 2015 Conference, SAC - Access Networks and Systems (ANS) Symposium, from 06-12-2015 to 10-12-2015
- TPC Member, OFC 2016 Conference, Sub-committee N3, from 20-03-2016 to 24-03-2016
- TPC Member, IEEE ICC 2016, Optical Networks and Systems (ONS) Symposium, from 23-05-2016 to 27-05-2016
- TPC Member, EuCNC 2016 Conference, Track "Optical Networks", from 27-06-2016 to 30-06-2016

- TPC Member, Asia-Pacific Conference on Communications (APCC), from 25-08-2016 to 27-08-2016
- TPC Member, IEEE GLOBECOM 2016 Conference, Optical Networks and Systems (ONS) Symposium, from 04-12-2016 to 08-12-2016
- TPC Member, IEEE GLOBECOM 2016 Conference, SAC - Access Networks and Systems (ANS) Symposium, from 04-12-2016 to 08-12-2016
- TPC Member, OFC 2017 Conference, Sub-committee N3, from 19-03-2013 to 23-03-2017
- TPC Member, IEEE ICC 2017, Optical Networks and Systems (ONS) Symposium, from 21-05-2017 to 25-05-2017
- TPC Member, EuCNC 2017 Conference, from 12-06-2017 to 15-07-2017
- TPC Member, Photonics in Switching (PS) 2017 Conference, Optical Networking Category, 24-07-2017 to 27-07-2017
- TPC Member, IEEE GLOBECOM 2017 Conference, SAC - Access Networks and Systems (ANS) Symposium, from 04-12-2017 to 08-12-2017
- TPC Member, OFC 2018 Conference, Sub-committee N3, from 11-03-2018 to 15-03-2018
- TPC Member, IEEE ICC 2018, Optical Networks and Systems (ONS) Symposium, from 21-05-2018 to 25-05-2018
- TPC Member, Optical Networking Category, Photonics in Switching (PS) 2018, from 19-9-2018 to 21-9-2018
- TPC Member, Optical Networks and Systems (ONS) Symposium, IEEE GLOBECOM 2018 Conference, 9-12-2018 to 13-12-2018
- TPC Member, SAC - Access Networks and Systems (ANS) Symposium, IEEE GLOBECOM 2018 Conference, 9-12-2018 to 13-12-2018
- TPC Member, Optical Networking Category, Photonics in Switching (PS) 2018, Sept. 2018
- TPC Member, IEEE ICC 2019, Optical Networks and Systems (ONS) Symposium, 20-24 May 2019
- TPC Member, IEEE International Conference on Communication, Networks and Satellite (ComNetSat), Aug. 2019
- TPC Member, Photonics in Switching and Computing (PSC) 2019, Sett. 2019
- TPC Member, Demo Session, ECOC Conf. 2019, 22-26 Sept. 2019
- TPC Member, Asia-Pacific Conference on Communications (APCC 19), November 2019

- TPC Member, Optical Networks and Systems (ONS) Symposium, IEEE GLOBECOM 2019 Conference, Dec 2019
- TPC Member, SAC - Access Networks and Systems (ANS) Symposium, IEEE GLOBECOM 2019 Conference, 9-13 Dec 2019
- TPC Member, IEEE ICC 2020, Optical Networks and Systems (ONS) Symposium, 7-11 June 2020
- TPC Member, International Conference on Optical Network Design and Modeling (ONDM) 2020, 18-21 May 2020
- TPC Member, International Conference on Photonics (ICP), July 2020
- TPC Member, ACP Conference 2020, Track 3: Network Architectures, Management and Applications, Oct 2020
- TPC Member, Optical Networks and Systems (ONS) Symposium, IEEE GLOBECOM 2020 Conference, 7-11 Dec 2020
- TPC Member, SAC - Access Networks and Systems (ANS) Symposium, IEEE GLOBECOM 2020 Conference, 7-11 Dec 2020
- TPC Member, ONDM 2021, June 2021
- TPC Member, IEEE ICC 2021, Optical Networks and Systems (ONS) Symposium, 14-18 June 2021
- TPC Member, Optical Networks and Systems (ONS) Symposium, IEEE GLOBECOM 2020 Conference, 7-11 Dec 2021
- TPC Member, IEEE ICC 2022, Optical Networks and Systems (ONS) Symposium, May 2022
- TPC Member, ONDM 2022, May 2022
- TPC Member, IEEE MeditCom 2022, Sept 2022
- TPC Member, Optical Networks and Systems (ONS) Symposium, IEEE GLOBECOM 2020 Conference, Dec 2022

Teaching

- Course on “Laboratory of Networks, Systems and Components”, 16 hours, International Master on Communication Networks Engineering, 2005/06
- Course on “Laboratory of Networks, Systems and Components”, 16 hours, International Master on Communication Networks Engineering, 2006/07
- Course on “Laboratory of Networks, Systems and Components”, 16 hours, International Master on Communication Networks Engineering, 2007/08
- Course on “Laboratory of Network Software”, 16 hours, International Master on Communication Networks Engineering, 2008/09

- Course on “Laboratory of Traffic Engineering”, 16 hours, Laurea Magistrale Computer Science and Networking, 2009/10
- Course on “Laboratory of Traffic Engineering”, 16 hours, Laurea Magistrale Computer Science and Networking, 2010/11
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- Organizer and teacher of the course “Tecnici esperti nella comunicazione in fibra ottica”, 10 hours, December 2015
- Organizer of the course “Sicurezza nelle reti informatiche”, 24 hours, June 2016

- Course on “Netwrok Security”, 20 hours, to PhD students, Scuola Superiore Sant’Anna (Pisa), Graduate Program in Information and Communication Technologies (GPICT) and to students of Master Pixnet Erasmus Mundus, Oct 2019
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- Course on “Programmazione”, 12 CFU, SSD: ING-INF/05, Mercatorum University, 2020/2021
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Supervised Students

- Tutor of PhD students, Scuola Superiore Sant’Anna, Davide Scano (started Oct 1, 2020), Faris Alhamed (started Nov 1, 2021)
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Project

- Participation to the CNIT “Mythos” project, 2001-2003.
- Participation to the project: “Affidabilità in reti di telecomunicazioni ottiche”, Ricerca Scientifica d’Ateneo (ex-60%), Scuola Superiore Sant’Anna, 2003.
- Participation to PRIN “Ingegneria del traffico end-to-end e protezione in reti DWDM (INTREPIDO)”, funded by MIUR, 2003-2004.
- Participation to the project: “Servizi di nuova generazione in reti di telecomunicazioni multi-livello”, Ricerca Scientifica d’Ateneo (ex-60%), Scuola Sant’Anna, 2004.
- Participation to the project “Reconfigurable Add-Drop Multiplexer (ROADM)”, CNIT-Marconi, from 01-01-2005 to 31-12-2005
- Participation to the project COST270 “Reliability of Optical Components and Devices in Communications Systems and Networks”, from 01-01-2005 to 06-06-2006

- Participation to the project: “Infrastrutture di Rete per servizi multimediali”, Ricerca Scientifica d’Ateneo (ex-60%), Scuola Superiore Sant’Anna, 2005.
- Participation to the project: “Qualità del servizio in Reti Fisse e Mobili Integrate”, Ricerca Scientifica d’Ateneo (ex-60%), Scuola Superiore Sant’Anna, 2006.
- Participation to the project: FIRB Italia-Tunisia “Infrastrutture e piattaforme real-time per ambienti di ricerca e e-learning collaborativo”, from 04-05-2005 to 08-05-2009.
- Participation to the project: “Fully Flexible ROADM Architectures based on Innovative Optical Devices”, CNIT-Ericsson from 01-01-2006 to 31-12-2006
- Participation to VD-M “Metro networks: technologies, architectures and protocols”, Network of Excellence “e-Photon/One+”, from 01-03-2006 to 28-02-2008
- Participation to the project “Path Computation Element (PCE)”, in collaboration with National Institute of Information and Communications Technology (NICT), Tokyo, Japan. from 11-10-2007 to 01-11-2007
- Participation to the project: “Path Computation Element (PCE) for WSON and Multi-domain networks”, CNIT, Scuola Superiore Sant’Anna and Ericsson, from 01-01-2008 to 31-12-2008.
- Participation to the project: “ON Planner”, CNIT-Ericsson, from 01-01-2008 to 31-12-2008
- Participation to WP11 “VCE on Network Technologies and Engineering”, Network of Excellence “Building the Future Optical Network in Europe (BONE)”, from 01-01-2008 to 31-12-2010
- Participation to the project: “Network solutions and control plane: (1) multi-domain networks, (2) scalability and performance aspects on PCE”, CNIT, Scuola Superiore Sant’Anna and Ericsson, from 01-01-2009 to 31-12-2009
- Scientific responsibility and participation to the project “FS-LAN” subcontracted to CNIT by Scuola Superiore Sant’Anna, from 09-11-2009 to 30-04-2010
- Participation to the project “Network solutions and control plane: WSON Architectures”, CNIT, Scuola Superiore Sant’Anna and Ericsson, from 01-01-2010 to 31-12-2010- 27
- Participation to the project EU FP7 “Scalable, Tunable and Resilient Optical Networks Guaranteeing Extremely-high Speed Transport (STRONGEST)”, Integrated Project (IP). Scientific responsibility for CNIT in WP3 “Control Plane”, from 01-01-2010 to 31-12-2012
- Scientific responsibility and participation to the project “FS-LAN 2” subcontracted to CNIT by Scuola Superiore Sant’Anna, from 01-05-2010 to 30-07-2010

- Scientific responsibility and participation to the project: “SR-Secure” subcontracted to CNIT by Scuola Superiore Sant’Anna, from 22-06-2010 to 30-06-2011
- Direction of the project: “Real-Time Networks” subcontracted to CNIT by Scuola Superiore Sant’Anna, from 27-10-2010 to 31-10-2012
- Participation to the project: “Terabit Coherent Wavelength Switched Optical Network”, CNIT-Ericsson, from 01-01-2011 to 31-12-2011
- Participation to the project: “Network solutions and control plane: flex-grid WSONs”, CNIT, Scuola Superiore Sant’Anna and Ericsson, from 01-01-2011 to 31-12-2011
- Direction of the project: “Real-Time Networks 2”, subcontracted to CNIT by Scuola Superiore Sant’Anna, from 19-07-2011 to 31-10-2012
- Scientific responsibility and participation to the project: “Studio per la realizzazione di un’infrastruttura in fibra ottica per la banda larga nella Regione Toscana” (CIG ZDB05E8144) funded by Regione Toscana, from 01-08-2012 to 31-12-2012
- Scientific responsibility for CNIT (i.e., Contact Point) and participation to the project: EU FP7 “Industry-Driven Elastic and Adaptive Lambda Infrastructure for Service and Transport Networks (IDEALIST)”, Integrated Project (IP), from 01-11-2012 to 31-10-2015. Budget for CNIT: 634k€.
- **Project Coordinator** and scientific responsibility of the project: EU FP7 GN3plus “REACTION: Research and Experimental Assessment of Control plane archiTectures for In-Operation flexgrid Network re-optimization”, from 24-10-2013 to 01-11-2015
- Scientific responsibility and participation to the project “Architetture e standard per sistemi tecnologici su backbone proprietario RFI”, Work Package 5, funded by Rete Ferroviaria Italiana (RFI), from 25-09-2014 to 19-10-2015
- Participation to the project: EU H2020 “Optical peRformance monitoring enabling dynamic networks using a Holistic cross-layer, Self-configurable Truly flexible approach (ORCHESTRA)”, Call H2020-ICT-2014, Grant Agreement Number 645360, from 01-02-2015 to 31-01-2018
- Participation to the project: EU 5G-PPP “5GEx”, Call H2020-ICT-2014-2, Type of action: IA). Specific involvement in WP4 on control plane for multi-domain heterogeneous networks, from 01-10-2015 to 30-09-2018
- Scientific responsibility for CNIT (i.e., Contact Point): EU H2020 “METRO-HAUL”, call ICT-07-2017, Grant agreement ID: 761727, Specific involvement in WP3 and WP5, Task T3.4 leader, Budget for CNIT: 363k€. From 1 June 2017 to 30 September 2020.
- Scientific responsibility and participation to Work Package 6 “Analisi architetturale e porposte per la rete dati del nodo di Roma

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- Scientific responsibility for CNIT and participation to the project “BRIC”, funded by Scuola Superiore Sant’Anna. Budget for CNIT: 69.6k€. From 01-07-2020 to 31-06-2022
- **Project Coordinator** of the EU Project “Big data pRocessing and Artificial Intelligence at the Network Edge (BRAINE)”, H2020-ECSEL-2019-2-RIA, Grant agreement ID: 876967. The project includes **27 partners** for an overall budget >**16M€**, of which 715K€ for CNIT. The Project started May 01, 2020, duration 36 months (from 01-05-2020 to 30-04-2023).
- **Project Technical Coordinator** of the EU Project “Beyond 5G Optical Network Continuum B5G-OPEN)”, H2020, Grant agreement ID: 101016663. The project includes **15 partners** for an overall budget >**5.4M€**, of which 380k€ for CNIT. The Project started Nov 01, 2021, duration 36 months (from 01-11-2021 to 31-10-2024).

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