

CURRICULUM VITAE



PERSONAL INFORMATION

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Nationality Italian
Date of Birth 05/09/53

WORK EXPERIENCE

- Dates (from – to) Since 1997
- Name and address of Employer Kinetika Sardegna, Quartu Sant'Elena, Italy
 - Team manager of Spinal Surgery Unit and Scoliosis Center
Casa di Cura Policlinico Sant'Elena, Gruppo Korian Kinetika Sardegna www.kinetikasardegna.it,
Quartu Sant'Elena, Italy
Surgical treatment of spinal diseases, with particular reference to degenerative diseases and
deformities
6000 operations carried out as principal surgeon.
 - Team manager Orthopedics Unit 6, Private Accredited Hospital Villa Erbosa GSD,
Bologna (Italy)
- Main roles and responsibilities

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

- Name and type of education or training institute
 - 04/1981
Degree in Medicine and Surgery from the University of Cagliari, Italy
Thesis on "Femoral shaft fractures"
 - 05/1981
Practising certificate and enrollment in the Medical Board of Cagliari, Italy
 - 07/1988
Specialization in Orthopedics and Traumatology from the University of Cagliari, Italy
 - 2000
Specialization in Diagnostic Radiology from the University of Cagliari, Italy

PERSONAL SKILLS

TRAINING

- Post degree attendance at the University of Cagliari Orthopedics Clinic, Cagliari, Italy
- 09/1981-03/1982 Practical hospital apprenticeship at the Traumatology Orthopedic Center, Iglesias, Italy
- 03/1982-12/1984 Medical intern at the University of Cagliari, Cagliari, Italy
- 12/1984-09/1988 Registrar at the Orthopedic division of San Francesco Hospital, Nuoro, Italy
- Registrar at the Orthopedic division of the Marino Hospital, Cagliari, Italy
- 1992 Medical consultant of Orthopedics at the Orthopedic Division at the Marino Hospital, Cagliari, Italy
- 1987-1992 Periodic attendance at the Rizzoli Orthopedic Institute, Scoliosis Center, Director Professor R. Savini, Bologna, Italy
- 09/1996-03/1997 Hospital attendance at the Scoliosis Center, Villa Serena Hospital, Director Professor S. Cervellati, Forli. Italy
- 03/1997-1998 Surgical activity at the Scoliosis Center, Villa Serena Hospital, Director Professor S. Cervellati, Forli. Italy

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

- 11/2016 Presence in Operating Theater at New York University Langone, Chief Spine Surgery Unit Dr Thomas Errico
- 2013 Presence in Operating Theater at New York University Langone, Chief Spine Surgery Unit Dr Thomas Errico
- 05/2011 Surgeon to Surgeon (Visitor) – Presence in Operating Theater at Boston University (USA), internship on mini-invasive surgical treatment of adult scoliosis surgery
- 12/2010 Cadaveric Labs, Depuy Institute Raynham (Ma, USA) – mini-invasive surgery and new technology
- 05/2009 Internship at Saint Louis Washington University with Lawrence Lenke
- 2006 Attendance at Shulthess Klinik, Zurich – Spinal Surgery with Dr Jezzensky
- 2005 Attendance at Hospital for Special Surgery with Dr Boatchie
- 2004 Attendance at Zentralklinik Bad Berka (Germany) at the Spinal Surgery and Paraplegiology with Dr H. Bohm
- 2003 Attendance at Hospital for Special Surgery, New York
Attendance at Institute directed by Prof. Harms, Germany
- 2000 Attendance as a fellow at New York University Spine Center
- 1996-1997 Attendance at Scoliosis and Vertebral Diseases Center, Villa Serena, Forli, Italy
Attendance at the Orthopedics Division of Maggiore Hospital, Bologna, Italy
- 1994 Attendance at the operating theater in Cleveland (USA) with Prof. A. Steffe, Techniques in surgical stabilization in lower back diseases
Course in endoscopic discectomy, Portland, Maine, USA
- 1993 National course in CD instrumentation (Eve Cotrel e Jean Dubousset) in the treatment of spinal disease, Bologna, Italy
National course on Steffe techniques in the surgical treatment of spinal diseases
- 1992 National theoretical/practical course on the spine with Prof. R. Louis, Marseilles, France

ORGANISATION OF COURSES AND CONGRESSES

- 04/2017 Course “Giornata Ogliastrina” on diseases of the spinal column, Hotel Ia Bitta, Arbatax, Italy
- 06/2016 Course on diseases of the spinal column: diseases and deformities at the Doctors and Dentists Medical Board, Cagliari, Italy
- 04/2016 Interactive course on diseases of the spinal column, Hotel Su Gologone, Oliena, Italy
- 2016 Long distance course on degenerative diseases of the spinal column as the scientific manager of the project SpinEd

- 06/2015 International Meeting Spine Surgery: evidence and experience, Hotel Regina Margherita, Cagliari, Italy
- 10/2015 XXXVI NsoSOT Congress, VII OTODI Congress Sardinia, T-hotel, Cagliari, Italy
- 10/2014 Interactive course for doctors of general medicine, orthopedics, physiatrics, physiotherapy, nurses and healthcare workers in the field of spinal conditions and their treatment, Sala Consiliare, Palazzo Viceregio, Cagliari, Italy
- 10/2013 3rd meeting of Spinal Surgery: deformities and degenerative conditions, Course for young surgeons, Alghero, Italy
- 11/2013 Interactive course for doctors of general medicine, orthopedics, neurosurgery, radiology, physiatrics, geriatrics, physiotherapy and nurses: Spinal surgery in patients over 75, Sala Consiliare, Palazzo Viceregio, Cagliari, Italy
- 09/2012 2nd meeting of Spinal surgery: deformities and degenerative conditions, Villa Erbosa and Savoia Hotel Regency, Bologna, Italy
- 12/2012 3rd interactive course for doctors of general medicine, orthopedics, physiatrics, physiotherapy and nursing staff on spinal diseases and their treatment, Conventi S. Giuseppe, Cagliari, Italy
- 04/2011 Spinal Surgery: deformities and degenerative conditions, Su Gologone Country Resort, Oliena, Italy
- 10/2011 Course for doctors of general medicine, orthopedics, physiatrics, physiotherapy and nursing staff on spinal diseases and their treatment, Caesar Hotel, Cagliari, Italy
- 06/2010 Interactive course for doctors of general medicine, physiotherapists and nursing staff on spinal diseases and their treatment, Lazzaretto of S. Elia, Cagliari, Italy
- 11/2009 International Consensus Course, Surgical Treatment of Spondylolisthesis, Sardegna Ricerca, Pula, Italy
- 05/2007 XXX GIS National Congress, Spinal conditions, T-hotel, Cagliari, Italy
- 06/2003 Scoliosis and other deformities. Congress Center, Hotel Sighientu, Loc. Capitana, Cagliari, Italy
- 09/2001 Spondylolisthesis, Casa di Cura Polispecialistica S.Elena, Quartu Sant'Elena, Italy
- 05/2000 Diseases of the vertebral column: indications for surgical treatment, Congress Lounge, Hotel Baia di Nora, Pula (Italia)

RATIONAL SKILLS

- During the years associated with his role, Pier Paolo has acquired skills in training colleagues whilst listening to and discussing with them with absolute respect for others' constructive ideas in a productive relationship and team.
- Volunteer work as a member of LIONS for 14 years

ORGANIZATIONAL SKILLS

- Coordination skills of medical and nursing staff; design skills in the health and scientific-medical fields; health management
- Carries out monthly meetings with staff to inform them of all pre, during and post operative phases of surgery.
- Conducts free lessons in middle schools and high schools with information about adolescent scoliosis

TECHNICAL SKILLS

- Use of advanced technology in the surgical field
- Base knowledge of Windows, Vista and MAC operating systems
- Good skills in the use of Windows Pack (Word, Excel and PowerPoint)
- Use of Open Office

ARTISTIC SKILLS

- Passionate about pop and classical music
- Art collector, especially of Sardinian art
- Passionate reader of Italian and foreign literature

OTHER COMPETENCIES

- Numerous scientific publications in national and international journals, most of which have also been presented during national and international congresses.
- Ability to transmit skills and knowledge throughout the arc of his working life.

MOTHER TONGUE	Italian
OTHER LANGUAGES	English
• Reading level	B2
• Writing level	B2
• Oral expression level	B2
	French
• Reading level	B2
• Writing level	B2
• Oral expression level	B2
LICENCES	A and B Boat licence
OTHER INFORMATION	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Referenced at a number of Italian and overseas spinal surgery centers. • Reference point in Sardinia for the Italian Society of Spinal Surgery (GIS) which is known for its numerous national and international courses