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Education

2010 PhD in Healthcare Management - Economia e Gestione delle Aziende Sanitarie, Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore (UCSC), Rome, Italy
2007 Specialization (cum laude) in Public Health - Igiene e Medicina Preventiva, UCSC, Rome, Italy
2003 Degree (cum laude) in Medicine and Surgery, University 'G. D'Annunzio', Chieti, Italy

Main courses

2014 Systems Biology and Bioinformatics. University of Insubria, Busto Arsizio – VA, Italy - 4 dd
2010-12 Ethics and Humanities. Percorso Pastorale Sanitaria, Scuola Teologico Pastorale S. Pietro Celestino, Diocesi di Campobasso-Boiano, Campobasso, Italy – 2yy
2008 Evidence-Based Genome Research in Medicine: From Genetic Epidemiology to Public Health (Proff. CM van Duijn, ACJW Janssens). Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore (UCSC), Rome, I–5dd
2007 Epidemiologic Principles & Methods (Prof. Rothman KJ). UCSC, Rome, Italy – 5dd
2007 Regression Analysis (Prof. Lemeshow S). UCSC, Rome, Italy – 5dd
2007 Survival Analysis (Prof. Hosmer DW). UCSC, Rome, Italy – 5dd
2007 Clinical Epidemiology (Prof. Hofman A). UCSC, Rome, Italy – 5dd
2007 Genetic Epidemiology (Prof. Clayton D). EEPE Summer Course, Florence, Italy – 5dd
2007 Epidemiology and Bibliographic Search. CNESPS, ISS, Rome, Italy – 3dd
2006 Basic Genetic Epidemiology. CNESPS, ISS, Rome, Italy – 3dd
2006 Healthcare Services Management. Istituto di Igiene, UCSC, Rome, Italy – 4mm
2006 Food Safety. Istituto di Igiene, UCSC, Rome, Italy – 4mm
2005 Molecular Biology in Public Health. Istituto di Igiene, UCSC, Rome, Italy – 4mm

Experience

2014-on Researcher in Public Health, University of Insubria, Varese, Italy: (i) MONICA-Brianza Project (cohort study), epidemiologic analysis and reporting; CAMUNI Project (CVD Population Registry), data collection; (iii) NMU Project (genetic risk factors for obesity, in collaboration with IRCCS Istituto Neurologico Mediterraneo Neuromed di Pozzilli - IS), Principal Investigator
2014-on Research consultant at IRCCS Istituto Neurologico Mediterraneo Neuromed, Pozzilli – IS, Italy: (i) NMU Project (genetic risk factors for obesity, in collaboration with University of Insubria)
2012–13 Postdoctoral fellow, EPIMED, University of Insubria, Varese, Italy: AAA-RoCAV Project (survey on aortic aneurisms funded by Lombardy Region), responsible for data collection
2008 – 12 Postdoctoral fellow, Lab. of Genetic and Environmental Epidemiology, “Giovanni Paolo II” Center, Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore (UCSC), Campobasso, Italy: (i) IDEFICS Consortium (multicenter survey on childhood obesity), analyses of genetic data; (ii) Moli-family Project (linkage study), data management and analysis; (iii) Moli-sani Project (cohort study), data collection; (iv) CV Epidemiologic Observatory – OEC (survey on CV health in Italy - ISS), data collection.
2004 – 07 Research Fellow, Laboratory of Genetic Epidemiology and Molecular Biology, Istituto di Igiene, UCSC, Rome, Italy: (i) case-control studies and meta-analyses (on gene polymorphisms,

environmental exposures and their interactions in gastric cancer risk), data management and analysis; (ii) methodologic study on systematic reviews and meta-analyses.

Teaching

- 2016-on Epidemiology (Scuole di specializzazione in: Igiene e Medicina Preventiva, University of Insubria Varese and Milano Bicocca, Italy; Medicina del Lavoro, University of Insubria, Italy)
- 2013-on Public Health (Corsi di laurea in: Medicina e Chirurgia, Odontoiatria e Protesi Dentaria, Professioni Sanitarie; Scuole di specializzazione in Valutazione e gestione rischio chimico; University of Insubria, Varese, Italy;)
- 2008-on Bibliographic Search and Evidence Based Practice (Master in Epidemiology; Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore, Rome, Italy)
- 2007-13 Public Health, Epidemiology, Statistics, Health Education (Università del Molise - Termoli, and Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore, Rome and Campobasso, Italy)

Speaker at events

International meetings

- 2017 Annual Congress of the European Association of Preventive Cardiology - Europrevent 2017, Malaga (ESP) 6-8/04/2017; Gianfagna F, 'Cardiovascular risk scores and discrimination of abdominal aortic aneurysms. Preliminary results from an Italian population-based study'
- 2017 The 7th ICOH international conference on work environment and cardiovascular diseases, Varese (ITA) 3-5/05/2017; Gianfagna F, 'Association between job strain and biomarkers of glucose homeostasis: results from the MONICA-Brianza cohort study'
- 2013 Annual Congress of the European Association for Cardiovascular Prevention and Rehabilitation (EACPR) EuroPrevent, Rome (ITA) 18-20/4/2013; Gianfagna F, 'Do apolipoproteins improve cardiovascular risk prediction in subjects with cardiometabolic risk? Insights from the North Italian Brianza cohort study'.
- 2011 Meeting 'IDEFICS General Assembly', IDEFICS Consortium, Institute for Epidemiology and Prevention Research, Bremen (GER), 14-16/11/2011; 'Preliminary analyses on genetic data'
- 2010 Workshop FAR 'Welfare and Health Cooperation in the Balkans'. Convitto Nazionale Mario Pagano, Campobasso (ITA) 4-5/11/2010. Gianfagna F 'Presentazione dei risultati della ricerca condotta in Albania'
- 2009 Meeting '3rd IDEFICS General Assembly', Copenhagen (DEN), 9-11/11/-2009. Gianfagna F, 'Proposals for new analyses in the IDEFICS study'

National meetings

- 2016 49° Congresso Nazionale SItI, Napoli 16-19/11/2016; Gianfagna F, 'Ruolo degli aplotipi del gene della neuromedina U nello sviluppo dell'obesità infantile. Impatto e potenziale utilizzo nella predizione del rischio'
- 2015 48° Congresso Nazionale SItI, Milano 14-17/10/2015; Gianfagna F, 'Alterazioni della qualità e della durata del sonno e rischio di primo evento cardiovascolare. Risultati degli studi di coorte MONICA Brianza e PAMELA'
- 2014 Meeting SIES - Società Italiana di Ematologia Sperimentale 'Discutiamone insieme: coagulazione e infiammazione', Firenze, 20/3/2014; Gianfagna F, 'Polimorfismi genici di molecole pro-infiammatorie e rischio di malattie tromboemboliche'
- 2012 Terzo corso di genetica cardiovascolare 'GENETICARCA', Napoli, 19-20/10/2012; Gianfagna F, 'La genetica ha modificato la predizione del rischio cardiovascolare?'
- 2011 XXXVII Corso di aggiornamento Alterazioni congenite ed acquisite della coagulazione. Focus su: Prove di emostasi "point-of-care": a che punto siamo? Milano, 18/11/2011; Gianfagna F, 'Ereditabilità delle funzioni piastriniche e leucocitarie'
- 2010 XXI Congresso Nazionale Siset, Bologna, 28-31/10/2010. Gianfagna F 'Genetic determinants of platelet parameters in families with juvenile myocardial infarction'

- 2010 Convegno Monotematico SIF 'Prospettive e innovazione nella ricerca cardiovascolare: dalla ricerca di base a quella clinica', Napoli, 6-7/10/2010. Relatore: Gianfagna F 'Potenzialità della ricerca genetica sulle piastrine per lo sviluppo di nuovi farmaci'
- 2010 Giornata di studio 'Giornate della cooperazione internazionale allo sviluppo della Regione Molise'. Convitto Nazionale Mario Pagano, Campobasso, 3-4/5/2010. Gianfagna F 'Presentazione dei Progetti: Welfare and Health Cooperation in the Balkans'
- 2009 Giornata di studio 'Problematiche assistenziali nel paziente anziano: focus sulle demenze', Università del Molise, Campobasso, 14/11/2009. Gianfagna F, Donati MB 'Risk factors for cardiovascular disease and dementia'
- 2009 X meeting del Gruppo di Studio sulle Piastrine, Termoli, 4-5/10/2009. Relatore: Gianfagna F 'Parametri piastrinici in famiglie con familiarità per infarto miocardico prematuro: ereditabilità e linkage con la regione 9p21 del DNA'
- 2007 X Conferenza Nazionale di Sanità Pubblica, Pisa, 14-16/10/2007. Relatore: Gianfagna F 'Meta- e pooled analisi dei polimorfismi C677T e A1298C del metilene-tetraidrofolato riduttasi (MTHFR) e rischio di carcinoma gastrico: una HuGE-GSEC review'
- 2006 42° Congresso Nazionale SItI, Catania 27-30/10/06. Relatore: Gianfagna F, 'Rischio di cancro gastrico e polimorfismi dei geni GSTT1, SULT1A1 e NAT2'

Awards

- 2016 The conference abstract 'Preliminary results of a screening program for abdominal aortic aneurysms in Italy' ([Gianfagna F](#) et al.). Awarded as one of the 4 top scored abstracts in the topic 'Aortic disease' during the European Society of Cardiology (ESC) Congress 2016.
- 2015 The conference abstract 'Alterazioni della qualità e della durata del sonno e rischio di primo evento cardiovascolare. Risultati degli studi di coorte MONICA Brianza e PAMELA' ([Gianfagna F](#) et al.) was listed among the 33 best scored abstracts of 48° Congresso Nazionale SItI 2015
- 2013 The conference abstract 'Do apolipoproteins improve cardiovascular risk prediction in subjects with cardiometabolic risk? Insights from the North Italian Brianza cohort study' ([Gianfagna F](#) et al.) was selected among the 12 finalists of the EuroPrevent Young Investigation Award presentation during the European Society of Preventive Cardiology (EuroPrevent) Congress 2013
- 2009 Best publication of *Tumori* in 2009: La Torre G, Chiaradia G, Gianfagna F, et al.
- 1998-2003 Exempted for merit from university fees

Grants

- 2016 ERA-HDHL (Healthy Diet for Healthy Life) Cofund (H2020 and MIUR for Italy), "Biomarkers for Nutrition and Health": grant for 3-yrs project 'Circulating Bile Acids as biomarkers of metabolic health - Linking microbiota, Diet and Health'. PI: Kieran Tuohy – Fondazione Edmund Mach, S. Michele all'Adige (TN), Italy; partner (1 out of 4): [Gianfagna F](#), Università degli Studi dell'Insubria, Italy.
- 2014 Young Investigator Research Programme award from Fondazione Umberto Veronesi: grant for 2-yrs project 'Neuromedin U gene pathway in the control of obesity and other hypothalamus-regulated phenotypes' in an Italian population. PI: [Gianfagna F](#), IRCCS Istituto Neurologico Mediterraneo NEUROMED, Pozzilli (IS), Italy
- 2012 Ricerca Finalizzata – Giovani Ricercatori 2012 from Italian Ministry of Health: grant for 3-yrs project 'Neuromedin U gene pathway in the control of obesity and other hypothalamus-regulated phenotypes' in a European population of children and adults; PI: [Gianfagna F](#), IRCCS Istituto Neurologico Mediterraneo NEUROMED, Pozzilli (IS), Italy

Editorial activity

Consulting Editor for *Epidemiology, Biostatistics and Public Health* (<http://ebph.it/about/editorialTeam>)

Invited reviews were performed for many journals on Epidemiology and Public Health

Publications [H-index 19, sum of times cited without self-cit. 916; ISI Web - upd. 26/05/2017]

International Journal Articles (as author)

1. Mezzacappa A, Lasica PA, Gianfagna F, Cazas O, Hardy P, Falissard B, Sutter-Dallay AL, Gressier F. Risk for Autism Spectrum Disorders According to Period of Prenatal Antidepressant Exposure: A Systematic Review and Meta-analysis. *JAMA Pediatr* 2017, in press. doi: 10.1001/jamapediatrics.2017.0124.
2. Gianfagna F, Grippi C, Ahrens W, Bailey ME, Börnhorst C, De Henauw S, Foraita R, Koni AC, Krogh V, Mårild S, Molnár D, Moreno L, Pitsiladis Y, Russo P, Siani A, Tornaritis M, Veidebaum T, Iacoviello L. The role of neuromedin U in adiposity regulation. Haplotype analysis in European children from the IDEFICS Cohort. *PLoS One* 2017;12(2):e0172698.
3. Veronesi G, Giampaoli S, Vanuzzo D, Gianfagna F, Palmieri L, Grassi G, Cesana G, Ferrario MM. Combined use of short-term and long-term cardiovascular risk scores in primary prevention: an assessment of clinical utility. *J Cardiovasc Med (Hagerstown)* 2017;18(5):318-324.
4. Gregson JM, Freitag DF, Surendran P, Stitzel NO, Chowdhury R, Burgess S, Kaptoge S, Gao P, Staley JR, Willeit P, Nielsen SF, Caslake M, Trompet S, Polfus LM, Kuulasmaa K, Kontto J, Perola M, Blankenberg S, Veronesi G, Gianfagna F, Männistö S, Kimura A, Lin H, Reilly DF, Gorski M, Mijatovic V; CKDGen consortium, Munroe PB, Ehret GB; International Consortium for Blood Pressure, Thompson A, Uria-Nickelsen M, Malarstig A, Dehghan A; CHARGE inflammation working group, Vogt TF, Sasaoka T, Takeuchi F, Kato N, Yamada Y, Kee F, Müller-Nurasyid M, Ferrières J, Arveiler D, Amouyel P, Salomaa V, Boerwinkle E, Thompson SG, Ford I, Wouter Jukema J, Sattar N, Packard CJ, Shafi Majumder AA, Alam DS, Deloukas P, Schunkert H, Samani NJ, Kathiresan S; MICAD Exome consortium, Nordestgaard BG, Saleheen D, Howson JM, Di Angelantonio E, Butterworth AS, Danesh J; EPIC-CVD consortium and the CHD Exome+ consortium. Genetic invalidation of Lp-PLA(2) as a therapeutic target: Large-scale study of five functional Lp-PLA(2)-lowering alleles. *Eur J Prev Cardiol* 2017;24(5):492-504.
5. NCD Risk Factor Collaboration (NCD-RisC). Worldwide trends in blood pressure from 1975 to 2015: a pooled analysis of 1479 population-based measurement studies with 19·1 million participants. *Lancet* 2017;389(10064):37-55
6. Gianfagna F, Veronesi G, Bertù L, Tozzi M, Tarallo A, Ferrario MM, Castelli P; RoCAV Project Investigators.. Prevalence of abdominal aortic aneurysms and its relation with cardiovascular risk stratification: protocol of the Risk of Cardiovascular diseases and abdominal aortic Aneurysm in Varese (RoCAV) population based study. *BMC Cardiovasc Disord* 2016;16:243.
7. Ehret GB, Ferreira T, Chasman DI, Jackson AU, Schmidt EM, Johnson T, Thorleifsson G, Luan J, Donnelly LA, Kanoni S, Petersen AK, Pihur V, Strawbridge RJ, Shungin D, Hughes MF, Meirelles O, Kaakinen M, Bouatia-Naji N, Kristiansson K, Shah S, Kleber ME, Guo X, Lyytikäinen LP, Fava C, Eriksson N, Nolte IM, Magnusson PK, Salfati EL, Rallidis LS, Theusch E, Smith AJ, Folkersen L, Witkowska K, Pers TH, Joehanes R, Kim SK, Lataniotis L, Jansen R, Johnson AD, Warren H, Kim YJ, Zhao W, Wu Y, Tayo BO, Bochud M; CHARGE-EchoGen Consortium.; CHARGE-HF Consortium.; Wellcome Trust Case Control Consortium., Absher D, Adair LS, Amin N, Arking DE, Axelsson T, Baldassarre D, Balkau B, Bandinelli S, Barnes MR, Barroso I, Bevan S, Bis JC, Bjornsdottir G, Boehnke M, Boerwinkle E, Bonnycastle LL, Boomsma DI, Bornstein SR, Brown MJ, Burnier M, Cabrera CP, Chambers JC, Chang IS, Cheng CY, Chines PS, Chung RH, Collins FS, Connell JM, Döring A, Dallongeville J, Danesh J, de Faire U, Delgado G, Dominiczak AF, Doney AS, Drenos F, Edkins S, Eicher JD, Elosua R, Enroth S, Erdmann J, Eriksson P, Esko T, Evangelou E, Evans A, Fall T, Farrall M, Felix JF, Ferrières J, Ferrucci L, Fornage M, Forrester T, Franceschini N, Franco OH, Franco-Cereceda A, Fraser RM, Ganesh SK, Gao H, Gertow K, Gianfagna F, Gigante B, Giulianini F, Goel A, Goodall AH, Goodarzi MO, Gorski M, Gräßler J, Groves CJ, Gudnason V, Gyllenstein U, Hallmans G, Hartikainen AL, Hassinen M, Havulinna AS, Hayward C, Hercberg S, Herzig KH, Hicks AA, Hingorani AD, Hirschhorn JN, Hofman A, Holmen J, Holmen OL, Hottenga JJ, Howard P, Hsiung CA, Hunt SC, Ikram

MA, Illig T, Iribarren C, Jensen RA, Kähönen M, Kang HM, Kathiresan S, Keating BJ, Khaw KT, Kim YK, Kim E, Kivimäki M, Klopp N, Kolovou G, Komulainen P, Kooner JS, Kosova G, Krauss RM, Kuh D, Kutalik Z, Kuusisto J, Kvaløy K, Lakka TA, Lee NR, Lee IT, Lee WJ, Levy D, Li X, Liang KW, Lin H, Lin L, Lindström J, Lobbens S, Männistö S, Müller G, Müller-Nurasyid M, Mach F, Markus HS, Marouli E, McCarthy MI, McKenzie CA, Meneton P, Menni C, Metspalu A, Mijatovic V, Moilanen L, Montasser ME, Morris AD, Morrison AC, Mulas A, Nagaraja R, Narisu N, Nikus K, O'Donnell CJ, O'Reilly PF, Ong KK, Paccaud F, Palmer CD, Parsa A, Pedersen NL, Penninx BW, Perola M, Peters A, Poulter N, Pramstaller PP, Psaty BM, Quertermous T, Rao DC, Rasheed A, Rayner NW, Renström F, Rettig R, Rice KM, Roberts R, Rose LM, Rossouw J, Samani NJ, Sanna S, Saramies J, Schunkert H, Sebert S, Sheu WH, Shin YA, Sim X, Smit JH, Smith AV, Sosa MX, Spector TD, Stančáková A, Stanton AV, Stirrups KE, Stringham HM, Sundstrom J, Swift AJ, Syvänen AC, Tai ES, Tanaka T, Tarasov KV, Teumer A, Thorsteinsdottir U, Tobin MD, Tremoli E, Uitterlinden AG, Uusitupa M, Vaez A, Vaidya D, van Duijn CM, van Iperen EP, Vasani RS, Verwoert GC, Virtamo J, Vitart V, Voight BF, Vollenweider P, Wagner A, Wain LV, Wareham NJ, Watkins H, Weder AB, Westra HJ, Wilks R, Wilsgaard T, Wilson JF, Wong TY, Yang TP, Yao J, Yengo L, Zhang W, Zhao JH, Zhu X, Bovet P, Cooper RS, Mohlke KL, Saleheen D, Lee JY, Elliott P, Gierman HJ, Willer CJ, Franke L, Hovingh GK, Taylor KD, Dedoussis G, Sever P, Wong A, Lind L, Assimes TL, Njølstad I, Schwarz PE, Langenberg C, Snieder H, Caulfield MJ, Melander O, Laakso M, Saltevo J, Rauramaa R, Tuomilehto J, Ingelsson E, Lehtimäki T, Hveem K, Palmas W, März W, Kumari M, Salomaa V, Chen YD, Rotter JI, Froguel P, Jarvelin MR, Lakatta EG, Kuulasmaa K, Franks PW, Hamsten A, Wichmann HE, Palmer CN, Stefansson K, Ridker PM, Loos RJ, Chakravarti A, Deloukas P, Morris AP, Newton-Cheh C, Munroe PB. The genetics of blood pressure regulation and its target organs from association studies in 342,415 individuals. *Nat Genet* 2016;48(10):1171-84

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10. NCD Risk Factor Collaboration (NCD-RisC). Worldwide trends in diabetes since 1980: a pooled analysis of 751 population-based studies with 4.4 million participants. *Lancet* 2016;387:1513-30.
11. NCD Risk Factor Collaboration (NCD-RisC). Trends in adult body-mass index in 200 countries from 1975 to 2014: a pooled analysis of 1698 population-based measurement studies with 19.2 million participants. *Lancet* 2016;387:1377-96.
12. Gianfagna F, Veronesi G, Bertù L, Cesana G, Grassi G, Stranges S, Callegari C, Ferrario MM. Influence of sleep disturbances on age at onset and long-term incidence of major cardiovascular events. *The*

MONICA-Brianza and PAMELA cohort studies. *Sleep Med* 2016;21:126-32.

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15. [NCD Risk Factor Collaboration \(NCD-RisC\)](#). Effects of diabetes definition on global surveillance of diabetes prevalence and diagnosis: a pooled analysis of 96 population-based studies with 331 288 participants. *Lancet Diabetes Endocrinol* 2015;3:624-37.
16. Hägg S, Fall T, Ploner A, Mägi R, Fischer K, Draisma HH, Kals M, de Vries PS, Dehghan A, Willems SM, Sarin AP, Kristiansson K, Nuotio ML, Havulinna AS, de Bruijn RF, Ikram MA, Kuningas M, Stricker BH, Franco OH, Benjamin B, Gieger C, Hall AS, Huikari V, Jula A, Järvelin MR, Kaakinen M, Kaprio J, Kobl M, Mangino M, Nelson CP, Palotie A, Samani NJ, Spector TD, Strachan DP, Tobin MD, Whitfield JB, Uitterlinden AG, Salomaa V, Syvänen AC, Kuulasmaa K, Magnusson PK, Esko T, Hofman A, de Geus EJ, Lind L, Giedraitis V, Perola M, Evans A, Ferrières J, Virtamo J, Kee F, Tregouet DA, Arveiler D, Amouyel P, [Gianfagna F](#), Brambilla P, Ripatti S, van Duijn CM, Metspalu A, Prokopenko I, McCarthy MI, Pedersen NL, Ingelsson E; European Network for Genetic and Genomic Epidemiology Consortium. Adiposity as a cause of cardiovascular disease: a Mendelian randomization study. *Int J Epidemiol* 2015;44(2):578-86.
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