

## PERSONAL INFORMATION



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## PERSONAL STATEMENT

Paolo Fabrizio Fagone obtained his BS degree in Biological Sciences at the University of Catania in 2004 and then graduated with an MS degree in Health Biology. Afterwards, he completed his Residency training in Microbiology and Virology. He has been a Research Fellow at the Stellar-Chance Laboratories at the University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, for two years, after which he attended the School of Medicine of the University of Catania and graduated in Medicine and Surgery. He has been a Senior Scientist in the Immunopathology and Translational Immunopharmacology Laboratory, in the Department of Biomedical and Biotechnological Sciences at the University of Catania, where he worked since 2005. The research field of Paolo Fabrizio Fagone is mainly focused on the immunopathological mechanisms involved in immuno-inflammatory, autoimmune and cancer diseases. Main scientific skills: in vitro and in vivo preclinical models; expertise in biostatistics and in silico analysis of "whole-genome profiling" data. Paolo Fabrizio Fagone was Principal Investigator of a 12-months study, funded by the Lega Italiana per la Lotta contro i Tumori (LILT). Paolo Fabrizio Fagone actively participates in national and international scientific congresses, as a speaker and chairman. He is reviewer of 10+ international peer-reviewed scientific journals. Paolo Fabrizio Fagone is co-author of 76 publications (of which, 21 as first author; 3 as last author), H-index 22 and 2434 citations (as of 23/10/2019 in Scopus). He is Assistant Professor from May 2020

## EDUCATION AND TRAINING

- 05/12/2017–Present National Scientific Qualification (ASN) for Associate Professor in 06/A2
- 31/03/2017–Present National Scientific Qualification (ASN) for Associate Professor in 06/N1
- 30/10/2010–19/03/2019 Medicine and Surgery (110/110 with honors)  
University of Catania, Catania (Italy)
- 10/10/2006–22/10/2010 Residency in Microbiologia e Virologia (70/70 with honors)  
University of Catania, Catania (Italy)
- 10/10/2004–07/07/2006 MS in Health Biology (110/110 with honors)  
University of Catania, Catania (Italy)
- 10/10/2001–08/10/2004 BS in Biological Sciences (110/110)  
University of Catania, Catania (Italy)

## WORK EXPERIENCE

- 04/05/2020–Present** **Assistant Professor**  
Department of Biomedical and Biotechnological Sciences - University of Catania, Catania (Italy)
- 01/03/2018–02/2019** **Participation in a research project**  
University of Catania, Catania (Italy)  
Project title: "Epigenetic regulation of age-related neovascular degeneration: identification of potential therapeutic targets" ("Regolazione epigenetica della degenerazione neovascolare correlata all'età: identificazione di potenziali target terapeutici")
- 10/10/2016–10/10/2017** **Teaching activity**  
University of Catania  
Integrative teaching activity in the international PhD course in "Basic and Applied Biomedical Sciences"
- 12/05/2016–13/05/2016** **Teaching activity**  
University of Catania  
Seminar activity on "Molecular bases and diagnostics of the pathology of the immune system" as part of the II level Master in "Insights into the diagnostic application of cellular and molecular methodologies in human pathology"
- 28/07/2017–27/07/2018** **Principal Investigator of the study "Evaluation of KCNMA1 as a biomarker and therapeutic target in colorectal cancer" ("Valutazione di KCNMA1 come biomarker e target terapeutico nel tumore colorettale")**  
Funded by Lega Italiana per la Lotta contro i Tumori (LILT), Catania (Italy)
- 15/09/2015–15/02/2016** **Participation in a research project**  
University of Catania, Catania (Italy)  
Project title: "Biological evaluation of modified azaribonucleoside compounds as anticancer and immunomodulatory molecules" ("Valutazione biologica di composti azaribonucleosidi modificati come molecole antitumorali e immunomodulanti")
- 01/08/2014–01/06/2015** **Participation in a research project**  
University of Catania, Catania (Italy)  
Project title: "Pharmacological effects on a model of chronic liver fibrosis" ("Effetti farmacologici su un modello di fibrosi epatica cronica")
- 17/09/2012–17/07/2013** **Participation in a research project**  
University of Catania, Catania (Italy)  
Project title: "Development of Carbon Monoxide Releasing Molecules for the treatment of rheumatoid arthritis"
- 01/06/2011–01/04/2012** **Participation in a research project**  
University of Catania, Catania (Italy)  
Project title: "Development of Carbon Monoxide Releasing Molecules for the treatment of rheumatoid arthritis"
- 01/07/2010–01/01/2011** **Participation in a research project**

University of Catania, Catania (Italy)

Project title: "Effects of CORM treatment in models of autoimmunity" ("Effetti del trattamento con CORM in modelli di autoimmunità")

01/11/2007–31/10/2009 **Research Fellow**

University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia (United States)

01/02/2007–30/04/2007 **Participation in a research project**

University of Catania, Catania (Italy)

Project title: "Effects of the immunomodulatory compound COMETA 025 in NOD mouse and SJL mouse" ("Effetti del farmaco immunomodulante COMETA 025 nel topo NOD e nel topo SJL")

01/02/2006–01/03/2006 **Participation in a research project**

University of Catania, Catania (Italy)

Project title: "Evaluation of the immunomodulatory activity of the human transferrin and its use for the therapy of autoimmune and inflammatory disorders" ("Valutazione dell'attività immunomodulante della transferrina umana e del suo impiego per la terapia di patologie autoimmuni e infiammatorie")

02/11/2005–02/12/2005 **Participation in a research project**

University of Catania, Catania (Italy)

Project title: "Evaluation of the immunomodulatory activity of the human transferrin and its use for the therapy of autoimmune and inflammatory disorders" ("Valutazione dell'attività immunomodulante della transferrina umana e del suo impiego per la terapia di patologie autoimmuni e infiammatorie")

Present **Reviewer for**

Antioxidant and Redox Signaling

Molecular Therapy-Nucleic Acids

International Journal of Cancer

Molecules

Oncology Letters

Experimental and Therapeutic Medicine

Molecular Medicine Reports

Oncology Reports

Oncotarget

Evidence-Based Complementary and Alternative Medicine

Brain Research

## PERSONAL SKILLS

Mother tongue(s) Italian

Foreign language(s)

English

|  | UNDERSTANDING |         | SPEAKING           |                   | WRITING |
|--|---------------|---------|--------------------|-------------------|---------|
|  | Listening     | Reading | Spoken interaction | Spoken production |         |
|  | C1            | C1      | C1                 | C1                | C1      |
| Certificado: Grade 12 - Trinity College London |               |         |                    |                   |         |

Levels: A1 and A2: Basic user - B1 and B2: Independent user - C1 and C2: Proficient user  
Common European Framework of Reference for Languages

- Job-related skills**
- Whole-genome profiling database analysis (GEO, ArrayExpress)
  - Elements of Biostatistics (Graphpad Prism; SPSS)
  - Management techniques for mice, rats and hamsters
  - Intraperitoneal, subcutaneous, intracolonic and oral administration of drugs to mice, rats and hamsters
  - Collection of internal organs from laboratory animals
  - Isolation, culture and proliferation techniques of mononuclear cells from blood, spleen and lymph nodes
  - Animal models of autoimmune and immuno-inflammatory diseases: T1DM, SLE, EAE, EAN, RA, IBD
  - Animal models of xenotransplanted tumor
  - Cell cultures
  - ELISA, ELISPOT, Western blot
  - Cytofluorimetry: cell cycle analysis, proliferation, apoptosis, intracellular staining
  - Nucleic acid extraction and RT-PCR
  - Methylation study of DNA: bisulfites and restriction enzymes
  - Transformation of competent bacteria with plasmids
  - Plasmid isolation: mini-prep, maxi-prep
  - Transfection techniques with plasmids, in vitro and in vivo
  - Cell transfection with siRNA by transient knock-out of genes
  - immunocytochemistry

**Digital skills**

| SELF-ASSESSMENT        |                 |                  |                  |                  |
|------------------------|-----------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|
| Information processing | Communication   | Content creation | Safety           | Problem-solving  |
| Proficient user        | Proficient user | Independent user | Independent user | Independent user |

Digital skills - Self-assessment grid

**Driving licence**

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**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

**Publications**

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