

PhD student

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Education

Jan 2017 - Present	PhD student , Experimental and Molecular Immunology. LIH/University of Luxembourg, Esch-sur-Alzette, Luxembourg .
2013 - 2015	MSc in Medical Biotechnology and Molecular Medicine , Università Degli Studi di Milano. Milan, Italy .
2010 - 2013	BSc in Biotechnology , Università Degli Studi di Milano-Bicocca. Milan, Italy .

Research experience and Training

Mar 2017	Laboratory Animal Science training , Humboldt-Universität Zu Berlin. Berlin, Germany .
Sept 2016	Scientific Writing Academy (SWA) , Mario Negri - Institute for Pharmacological research. Ranica, Italy
Oct 2015 - Dec 2016	Research Assistant , Transplantation Research and Immunology Group (TRIG). Nuffield Department of Surgical Sciences. University of Oxford, Oxford, UK .
Sept 2014 - Sept 2015	MSc Internship , Adaptive Immunity Lab. Humanitas Research Hospital. Rozzano, Italy .
Jan 2015 - May 2015	Erasmus+ Internship , Translational Immunology Lab. KU Leuven. Leuven, Belgium .
Nov 2012 - Feb 2013	BSc Internship , Laboratory of Cellular and Molecular Immunology. Università Degli Studi di Milano-Bicocca. Milan, Italy .

Memberships

- yEFIS Task Force member
- PhD student representative of the Doctoral Programme in Systems and Molecular Biomedicine
- Lindau Alumni Network
- SIICA - Società Italiana di Immunologia, Immunologia Clinica e Allergologia
- BSI - British Society for Immunology
- SIB - Società Italiana di Biochimica e Biologia Molecolare
- NextImmune PhD student representative
- Member of the organizing committee for the PhD Days 2017 at the University of Luxembourg
- German Society of Immunology (DGfI) - Biology of B lymphocytes study group

Publications

- Kurniawan H et al. Glutathione Restricts Serine Metabolism to Preserve Regulatory T Cell Function. Cell Metabolism (2020).
- Franchina DG et al. Reactive Oxygen Species: Involvement in T Cell Signaling and Metabolism. Trends in Immunology (2018).
- Franchina DG et al. B-cell metabolic remodeling and cancer. Trends in Cancer (2018)
- Franchina DG et al. Survival of the fittest: Cancer challenges T cell metabolism. Cancer Letters (2017).
- Garetto, S et al. Tailored chemokine receptor modification improves homing of adoptive therapy T cells in a spontaneous tumor model. Oncotarget (2016).