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## **EMPLOYMENT**

**Head of Peritoneal Dialysis and Interventional Nephrology Units** - Department of Nephrology, Dialysis and Kidney Transplant, Fondazione IRCCS Ca' Granda Ospedale Maggiore Policlinico, Milan (Italy)  
2005 – 30.04.2023

**Consultant Nephrologist** - Department of Nephrology, Dialysis and Kidney Transplant, Fondazione IRCCS Ca' Granda Ospedale Maggiore Policlinico, Milan (Italy)  
1988 – 30.04.2023

**Assistant Nephrologist** - Department of Nephrology, Dialysis and Kidney Transplant, Fondazione IRCCS Ca' Granda Ospedale Maggiore Policlinico, Milan (Italy)  
1986 – 1987

**Fellow in Nephrology** - Department of Medicine and Surgery, University of Missouri, Harry S. Truman Veteran Administration Hospital and Dialysis Clinics, Columbia, Mo., (USA)  
1984 – 1985

**Assistant Nephrologist** - Department of Nephrology, Dialysis and Kidney Transplant, Fondazione IRCCS Ca' Granda Ospedale Maggiore Policlinico, Milan (Italy)  
1980 – 1983

## **CLINICAL EXPERIENCE**

- **Peritoneal Dialysis**
  - Peritoneal dialysis clinic
  - Tenckhoff catheter placement and removal
    - .semi-surgical technique
    - .surgical technique
  - Mini-invasive surgical intervention for PD catheter rescue
- Hemodialysis
- Vascular Access
  - short-term CVC placement and substitution
  - long-term CVC placement, substitution and removal
  - creation of forearm and arm AVF

## **EDUCATION**

**Residency** – Odontostomatology Unit, Fondazione IRCCS Ca' Granda Ospedale Maggiore Policlinico, Università Degli Studi di Milano, Milan (Italy)  
1991 (*Graduation Year*)

**Residency** - Department of Nephrology, Dialysis, and Kidney Transplant, Fondazione IRCCS Ca' Granda Ospedale Maggiore Policlinico, Università Degli Studi di Milano, Milan (Italy)  
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**M.D., Magna cum Laude** - Università Degli Studi di Milano, Milan (Italy)  
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## PUBLICATIONS

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