

## **CURRICULUM VITAE DI MARCO BONIFAZI**

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### **CURRICULUM DEGLI STUDI**

- 1983 Laurea in Medicina e Chirurgia presso l'Università di Siena.  
1986 Specializzazione in Medicina dello Sport presso la stessa Università.

### **CURRICULUM ACCADEMICO**

- 1999 Ricercatore nella Facoltà di Medicina e Chirurgia dell'Università di Siena nel ssd E06A-Fisiologia Umana.  
2003 Idoneo alla valutazione comparativa per professore di II fascia indetta dall'Università di Modena e Reggio Emilia, per il ssd BIO/09-Fisiologia.  
2005 Professore associato nella Facoltà di Medicina e Chirurgia dell'Università di Siena nel ssd BIO/09-Fisiologia, a tempo definito dal 2014.  
2017 Abilitazione scientifica nazionale a professore di I fascia nel s.c. 06/N2 – Scienze dell'esercizio fisico e dello sport.

### **ATTIVITA' DIDATTICA**

Attualmente, insegna Fisiologia nei Corsi di Laurea di Medicina e Chirurgia e di Fisioterapia dell'Università di Siena 1240.

- 2003 Membro del Comitato per la Didattica del Corso di Laurea in Fisioterapia, ad oggi;  
2010 Presidente dello stesso Comitato sino al 2014.  
2012 Coordinatore della sede di Siena della Scuola di Specializzazione aggregata di Medicina dello Sport, con sede amministrativa a Firenze, sino al 2020.

### **ATTIVITA' SCIENTIFICA**

#### **Collaborazioni attuali**

- Dipartimento di Scienze Mediche, Chirurgiche e Neuroscienze, Siena (prof. Alessandro Rossi, prof. Simone Rossi, prof.ssa Annamaria Aloisi).
- Dipartimento di Biotecnologie Mediche, Siena (prof. Flavio D'Ascenzi).
- Istituto di Scienza dello Sport, CONI, Roma (dr. Antonio Pelliccia).
- Dipartimento di Neuroscienze, Biomedicina e Movimento, Verona (prof.ssa Paola Zamparo).
- Dipartimento di Scienze per la Qualità della Vita, Bologna (prof. Giorgio Gatta).
- Dipartimento di Medicina dei Sistemi, Roma Tor Vergata (prof. Giovanni Melchiorri).
- Dipartimento di Scienze Motorie Umane e della Salute, Roma Foro Italico (prof.ssa Maria Francesca Piacentini).
- Centre d'Etude des Transformations des Activités Physiques et Sportives, Rouen (prof. Ludovic Seifert).
- Laboratoire de Modélisation des Activités Sportives Bâtiment Beaufortain, Savoie (prof. ssa Annie Rouard).

### **Linee di ricerca**

- Variazioni ormonali indotte dall'esercizio e dall'allenamento.
- Effetti degli ormoni sul sistema nervoso.
- Valutazione funzionale degli atleti di diverse discipline, in particolare delle discipline natatorie, in relazione alla prestazione sportiva.
- Adattamenti funzionali cardiaci negli atleti indotti dall'allenamento.
- Identificazione dei fattori di rischio cardiaci nei praticanti attività sportiva
- Effetti dell'attività fisica sulla prevenzione primaria e secondaria

Autore di oltre 100 pubblicazioni su riviste internazionali

### **Finanziamenti per progetti di ricerca**

- 2000 Coordinatore e responsabile scientifico del progetto "Effetti centrali e periferici del testosterone sul sistema motorio" finanziato dal PAR, Università di Siena.
- 2004 Coordinatore e responsabile scientifico del progetto "Effetti dell'allenamento sugli ormoni anabolizzanti e catabolizzanti endogeni nei nuotatori" finanziato dal Ministero della Salute – Commissione per la vigilanza e il controllo sul doping e per la salute nelle attività sportive.

### **Premi per la ricerca scientifica**

- 1993 Premio C.U.S.I. per lo studio originale "Effetti della somministrazione di aminoacidi a catena ramificata sui livelli ormonali di giovani atlete".
- 2008 *ISICO Award* per la ricerca in riabilitazione.

### **Revisore di riviste internazionali**

Psychoneuroendocrinology, International Journal of Sports Medicine, European Journal of Applied Physiology, British Journal of Sports Medicine e Medicina dello Sport.

### **ATTIVITA' ORGANIZZATIVA E DI ASSISTENZA SANITARIA**

- 1988 Coordinatore Tecnico Scientifico del Centro Studi e Ricerche della Federazione Italiana Nuoto, ad oggi.
- 1992 Medico Federale della stessa Federazione, sino al 2000.
- 1999 Dirigente medico di I livello presso l'Unità Operativa di Medicina dello Sport di Siena, sino al 2008.
- 2001 Presidente Commissione Medica della Federazione Italiana Nuoto, ad oggi.
- 2014 Coordinatore tecnico dei Settori agonistici della stessa Federazione, ad oggi.

Ha partecipato, assistendo le squadre nazionali della Federazione Italiana Nuoto, a otto edizioni consecutive dei Giochi Olimpici, dal 1988 al 2016.

### **ONORIFICENZE**

- 2005 Onorificenza di Commendatore Ordine al Merito della Repubblica Italiana conferita dal Presidente della Repubblica su proposta del Presidente del Consiglio dei Ministri.
- 2007 Stella di Bronzo al Merito sportivo conferita dal Comitato Olimpico Nazionale Italiano.
- 2015 Stella d'Argento al Merito sportivo conferita dallo stesso Comitato.

## LAVORI SU RIVISTE INTERNAZIONALI CON IF

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4. Baldassarre R, Ieno C, Bonifazi M, Piacentini MF. Pacing and Hazard Score of Elite Open Water Swimmers During a 5-km Indoor Pool Race. *Int J Sports Physiol Perform.* 2021; 12:1-6. doi: 10.1123/ijspp.2020-0197.
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6. Di Florio A, Fusi C, Anselmi F, Cavigli L, Focardi M, Cameli M, Felici A, Capitani M, Valente S, Bonifazi M, Zorzi A, Corrado D, Mondillo S, D'Ascenzi F. Clinical management of young competitive athletes with premature ventricular beats: A prospective cohort study. *Int J Cardiol.* 2021; 1;330:59-64. doi: 10.1016/j.ijcard.2021.02.021.
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8. Melchiorri G, Viero V, Tancredi V, Del Bianco R, Bonifazi M. Actual Playing Time of Water Polo Players in Relation to the Field Position. *Journal of Human Kinetics,* 2020; 73(1), 241-249.
9. Cavigli L, Olivotto I, Fattoriolli F, Mochi N, Favilli S, Mondillo S, Bonifazi M, D'Ascenzi F. Prescribing, dosing and titrating exercise in patients with hypertrophic cardiomyopathy for prevention of comorbidities: Ready for prime time. *Eur J Prev Cardiol.* 2020. doi: 10.1177/2047487320928654.
10. Guignard B, Rouard A, Chollet D, Bonifazi M, Dalla Vedova D, Hart J, Seifert L. Coordination Dynamics of Upper Limbs in Swimming: Effects of Speed and Fluid Flow Manipulation. *Res Q Exerc Sport.* 2020; 91(3):433-444. doi: 10.1080/02701367.2019.1680787.
11. D'Ascenzi F, Anselmi F, Ceccan C, Baccani B, Sisti N, Gismondi A, Sciaccaluga C, Aprile F, Fiorentini C, Graziano F, Franchini A, Berti B, Mandoli GE, Cameli

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