

BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH OF NICOLA COPPOLA

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Date of birth: November 04th 1971, Caserta, Italy

Married and father of four daughters

Current position:

- Associate professor in Infectious Diseases, Second University of Naples (SUN), ITALY.
- Chief of Infectious Diseases Unit, Azienda Ospedaliera Sant'Anna e San Sebastiano, Caserta, ITALY
- Coordinator of Antimicrobial stewardship program of University of Campania, L Vanvitelli from 2017

Degree

- 1996, Degree in Medicine (with honour), SUN
- 2000, Specialization in Infectious Disease (with honour), SUN
- 2003, Doctor of Research in Microbiology, SUN

Awards and Honors:

He won three scientific activity awards

He won as coordinator of the following grants:

- Regione Campania. Progetti per il miglioramento della qualità dell'assistenza, diagnosi e terapia del paziente affetto da AIDS, year 2008. Project "Ruolo dei fattori virologici del virus dell'epatite B (HBV) e del virus dell'epatite C (HCV) sul decorso clinico e sulla risposta alla terapia in pazienti affetti da infezione da HIV" (national scientific head). Grant: 80.000 euro
- Fellowship Award Programme 2011: "Studio della prevalenza e dei fattori di rischio dell'infezione da HBV in una popolazione di soggetti immigrati irregolari o clandestini residenti nell'area metropolitana Napoli-Caserta" (national scientific head). Grant: 20.000 euro
- Fellowship Award Programme 2013: "HIV e sommerso: individuazione di strategie per la prevenzione, diagnosi e cura dell'infezione da HIV in una popolazione di soggetti immigrati irregolari e rifugiati residenti nell'area metropolitana NAPOLI-CASERTA" (national scientific head). Grant: 25.000 euro
- Goshape program 2014: "Innovative procedures in HBV screening and linkage to care for irregular and refugee migrants to Italy (Western Europe) from geographic areas at high or intermediate HBV endemicity" (national scientific head). Grant: 122.000 euro

- Fellowship Award Programme 2016: “Caratteristiche epidemiologiche e bio-molecolari delle infezioni da HBV e HCV in una popolazione di soggetti immigrati irregolari e/o rifugiati nel sud-Italia” (national scientific head). Grant: 20.000 euro

Teaching activity: Assistant professor in Infectious Diseases (SUN) for

- Medicine School
- Infectious Diseases Postgraduate School
- Hygiene Postgraduate School
- Internal Medicine Postgraduate School
- Pediatrics Postgraduate School
- Doctorate in Microbiology

Scientific activity

- Coppola’s research activity has contributed to improve the knowledge on hepatitis viruses (A, B and C) infection and on HIV infection and AIDS
- He coordinate or has coordinated to many investigations projects (Second University of Naples; Regione Campania)
- He has been speaker and moderator at 85 national and international Congresses.

He has published 169 papers on international Med-Line index journals (Hepatology, GUT, Clinical Infectious Diseases, Journal of Hepatology, Clin Gastroenterology and Hepatology, Journal of Infectious Diseases, Eurosurveillance, OncoTarget, AIDS, Journal of AIDS; Clin Microbiol and Infection, Antiviral Therapy, Journal of Infection, Journal of Medical Virology, Journal of Viral Hepatitis, Journal of Clinical Virology, Infection, Digestive and Liver Diseases, etc). The total Impact Factor (JCR 2016) is 498; H-Index is 29; (from Scopus 26/01/2018)

He is Editorial reviewer for: Lancet Infect Dis, Hepatology, Gastroenterology; ClinMicrob Infect, Liver Intern. J BiolRegulHom Agent, J Vir Hep, J ClinVirol, J Infect, J Med Virol, BMC Infect Dis, Dig Liv Dis, BMC Gastroenterol, Infection, Eur J ClinMicrobiol Infect Dis , J Gastroenterol Hep, J MolEpidemiolEvol Genet Infect, Ann Hepatol; J Viral Methods, Dis, Int Emerg Med

He is Associate Editor for Infezioni in Medicina from 2011, Journal of Medical Virology from 2015, World Journal of Virology from 2017