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BIO:

This should be a short bio outlining, your area of expertise

In the last 10 years I have published 227 papers on peer-review journals with impact factor, 154 papers on peer-review journals without impact factor, 12 books as editor, and 1 monograph. My H-Index

(Scopus) is currently 41, and my total Impact Factor is 416.6. At the moment I am the National Coordinator of the Young Section of the Italian Society of Psychiatry.

In the area of Addiction Psychiatry I have produced a considerable amount of papers concerning the treatment of craving in alcohol dependent subjects, promoting new pharmacological strategies. Besides, my publications are related to other typologies of addiction (cocaine, polysubstance abuse, novel psychoactive substances, ketamine), with a specific interest in the assessment and treatment of pathological gambling and the use of brain stimulation techniques (rTMS, tDCS). My experience in these areas has been enriched by two experiences: 1) a scientific attachment as winner of the "WEA" project at the Department of Addictive Behaviour and Psychological Medicine of St. George's University of London, UK; 2) a scientific attachment as winner of the "Leonardo" project at the Faculty of Health and Human Sciences, Of Hertfordshire, UK.

My research activities have also focused on a few themes that are integral to a thorough understanding of the clinical aspects of schizophrenia and major depression.

Finally, I would like to mention my peculiar attention for the use of philosophy in psychiatry. My clinical approach is profoundly phenomenological, and I do consider the empathic relation with the person in front of the clinician as the most important stage of the therapy.

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