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Education/Training/Experience

Institute and Location	Degree / Function	Year	Field of Study
University of Ancona	MSc	1995-2000	Biological sciences
IAMC (Institute for coastal marine environment)-CNR Messina	Research Contract	2001-2005	Fishery biology
Department of Marine Biology, University of Messina	Ph.D.	2003-2006	Environmental sciences
ICRAM/ISPRA	Research Contract	2005-2018	Marine ecology
Stazione Zoologica Anton Dohrn, Napoli, Italy	III° Researcher	2018-present	Marine Ecology

Appointments and awards

Member of the Governance Team of Local Management Plans for fishery in Sicily (Italy) – FEAMP 2014-2020.

Member of the EcAP Working Group and Marine Strategy with regard to Descriptors D6 Integrity of the seabed.

Fishbase Collaborator

Other

Students' Supervision

Tutor and co-tutor of Master Degree's, Undergraduate and Graduate Degree' students.

Publications

Author of 52 publications on ISI-journals (h index: 14)

List of publications of the last 10 years:

Peer-reviewed

Publications

Galgani, F., Pham, C. K., Claro, F., Consoli, P. (2018). Marine animal forests as useful indicators of entanglement by marine litter. *Marine Pollution Bulletin* 135: 735-738.

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Scotti, G., Consoli, P., Esposito, V., Chemello, R., Romeo, T., Andaloro, F. (2017). Marine caves of the Southern Tyrrhenian Sea: a First Census of Benthic Biodiversity. *Journal Of Marine Science: Research And Development* 7:238.

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Battaglia, P., Perzia, P., Pedà, C., Esposito, V., Consoli, P., Andaloro, F., Romeo, T. (2017). Evolution, crisis and new scenarios of the Italian swordfish harpoon fishery. *Regional Studies In Marine Science* 21: 94-101.

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