# Irene D'Arsiè

# **Experience**

25/10/2022 - 31/05/2023

Master thesis research internship – Prof. Carmen Sandi's group, Laboratory of Behavioural Genetics (BMI), Station 19, SV, EPFL, Lausanne, Switzerland.

**Research project:** Impact of mitofusin 2 on accumbens-associated behaviours and underlying neurobiological mechanisms.

Technical skills and competences: Immunohistochemistry, correlative-light electron microscopy, behavioural tests on mice, neuronal primary cultures, image acquisition with fluorescence microscope.

01/10/2020 - 30/09/2021

Research fellowship – Prof. Stefano Piccolo's group, Department of Molecular Medicine, Via Ugo Bassi 58/b, University of Padova, Italy.

Research project: Transgenic mice genotyping.

Technical skills and competences: Mouse colonies management, DNA extraction form tissue, PCR, DNA electrophoresis. DNA, RNA and protein extraction from cell cultures, cDNA and RT-PCR, cloning, immunofluorescence staining.

01/02/2020 - 30/06/2020

**Erasmus + for Traineeships** – Prof. Lill-Tove Rasmussen Busund's group (Translational Cancer Research group),

## **Education**

09/2020 - 07/2023

Master of Science in Cellular and Molecular Biotechnology – Neurobiology curriculum University of Trento, Italy

**Principal subjects**: pharmacology, neurodegenerative processes, neurogenesis, cellular and molecular neurobiology, plasticity mechanisms of the CNS.

Advisor: Prof. Luciano Conti

Thesis title: A potential mechanism behind depressive-like behaviour: the impact of accumbal mitofusin2 loss on mitochondrial morphology and DRD1 medium spiny neurons

function.

Final grade: 105/110

10/2016 - 10/2019

Bachelor's Degree in Biomedical Laboratory Techniques

University of Padova, Italy

**Principal subjects:** cellular biology, physiology, pathology, laboratory techniques.

Advisor: Prof. Gianmaria Pennelli

Thesis title: Immunological landscape of

follicular cell derived PDTC

and ATC.

Final grade: 108/110

Department of Medical Biology, Hansine Hansens veg 18, The Artic University of Norway, Tromsø, Norway.

Technical skills and competences: Immunohistochemistry, In situ Hybridisation, RNAscope, assessment of functional features of commercial cell lines from breast-, colon-, lung- and prostate cancer.

## 04/03/2019 - 15/10/2019

**Bachelor thesis research internship** – Unit of Pathological Anatomy and Cytodiagnostics, University of Padova, Italy.

Technical skills and competences: Sectioning of paraffin blocks (microtome and cryostat), manual and automatic immunochemical staining, immunohistochemistry, RT-PCR, manual DNA extraction from FFPE tissue, sequencing techniques, cyto-diagnostics techniques.

#### 21/05/2018 - 27/07/2018

**Curricular internship** - Department of Immunohematology and Transfusion Medicine, University Hospital of Padova, Italy.

**Technical skills and competences:** Direct and Indirect antiglobulin test (DAT/IAT), antibody titration, processing of blood, plasma and platelet, blood type assay.

#### 22/05/2017 - 28/07/2017

**Curricular internship** - Unit of Laboratory Medicine, University Hospital of Padova, Italy.

**Technical skills and competences:** internal quality controls, external quality assessment, enzyme immunoassay, cytofluorimetry, haematology and coagulation.

## 09/01/2017 - 03/03/2017

Curricular internship - Unit of Microbiology, University Hospital of Padova, Italy.

**Technical skills and competences:** bacteriology and virology department, molecular biology, rapid serological tests, seeding techniques.

## Language Skills

• Italian: mother tongue

English: B2French: A2

# **Computer skills**

Microsoft office

QuPath

FUI

## Reference

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