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Titoli di studio

- 1 gennaio 2014- 4 aprile 2017: Dottorato di ricerca in Medicina Sperimentale presso l'Università degli Studi di Genova, Genova, Italia. Titolo del progetto: “Tomografia a coerenza ottica ad altissima risoluzione nell'encefalomielite autoimmune sperimentale – un modello per la comprensione del ruolo clinico dell'OCT nella sclerosi multipla”.
- 27 marzo 2013: Specializzazione in Neurologia presso l'Università degli Studi di Genova, Genova, Italia: completata con lode.
- 1 gennaio 2009 - 6 aprile 2013: Specializzazione in Terapia Cognitivo Comportamentale. Istituto Miller, Genova.
- 1 marzo 2008: Ammissione al Corso di Specializzazione in Neurologia presso l'Università degli Studi di Genova.
- 19 ottobre 2007: Laurea in Medicina e Chirurgia, Università degli Studi di Genova, Italia. Titolo della tesi: “Utilizzo di GDX e HRT nella valutazione dello strato di cellule nervose retiniche nei pazienti affetti da sclerosi multipla”. Relatore prof. G.L. Mancardi.

Attività di ricerca

- 1° marzo 2023 – oggi – Ricercatore part-time, Università di Genova, finanziato per la ricerca dalla Fondazione Italiana Sclerosi Multipla (FISM), borsa Rita Levi Montalcini (grant n. 2019/BC/002)
- 14 agosto 2014- oggi: Visiting Scholar, poi Post-Doctoral Research Fellow (a partire dal 1 ottobre 2016, quindi Associate Researcher (a partire dal 1 novembre 2021) presso il laboratorio del Dr. Ari Green, all'interno della Divisione di Neuroinfiammazione e Biologia Gliale (precedentemente Divisione di Neuroimmunologia) presso l'Università della California, San Francisco (UCSF), finanziato inizialmente da una borsa di studio della Fondazione Italiana Sclerosi Multipla (FISM) fino ad agosto 2016.

Il mio lavoro si concentra sulle alterazioni elettrofisiologiche visive nell'encefalomielite autoimmune sperimentale e in numerosi altri modelli animali di demielinizzazione (compresi modelli transgenici), nel tentativo di caratterizzare il decorso delle alterazioni elettrofisiologiche e del danno neuronale a seguito della demielinizzazione, nonché l'effetto delle terapie riparative nella sclerosi multipla (SM). Ho anche lavorato a studi di ricerca clinica incentrati sulla dinamica dell'atrofia retinica nella SM, misurando l'efficacia dell'OCT nel predire il peggioramento della disabilità nella SM, sia da solo che in combinazione con metriche di risonanza magnetica. Il mio lavoro più di recente si è concentrato sui biomarcatori preclinici di rimielinizzazione e su secondary analysis (principalmente imaging) dello studio clinico REBUILD.

- 7 aprile 2013 - 13 agosto 2014: borsa di studio in Neuroimmunologia, laboratorio Dr. Antonio Uccelli, Università di Genova, Genova, Italia.
- 1 marzo 2008 - 6 aprile 2013: Gruppo di ricerca sulla sclerosi multipla, Università di Genova, Genova, Italia. Referente: Gianluigi Mancardi, MD, Antonio Uccelli, MD.
- 1 febbraio 2010- 6 Aprile 2013: Gruppo di ricerca sul Parkinson e sui disturbi del movimento, Università di Genova, Genova, Italia. Referente: Giovanni Abbruzzese, MD.

Attività clinica e di insegnamento

- 1 marzo 2023 – oggi – Docente part-time in Neurologia e Neuroscienze, Università di Genova (scuole: Medicina, Scienze Motorie, Ortottica, Formazione Professionale, Fisioterapia, Infermieristica, Dottorato di Neuroscienze)
- Febbraio – giugno 2022 – Docente part-time, Dipartimento di Biologia, University of San Francisco (USF)
- 1 marzo 2008 - 13 luglio 2014: Servizio ambulatoriale e ospedaliero di Neurologia, presso la Clinica Neurologica dell'Università degli Studi di Genova, Genova, Italia. Sono stato coinvolto nelle prestazioni ambulatoriali sub-specialistiche di pazienti con Sclerosi Multipla (mentore: Prof. Antonio Uccelli), Malattia di Parkinson (mentore: Prof. Giovanni Abbruzzese) e patologie Neuro-Oftalmologiche (mentore: Dott. Fabio Bandini). Contatto: Gianluigi Mancardi, MD ed Antonio Uccelli, MD.
- 1 gennaio 2009 - 13 luglio 2014: Insegnante di Neuroanatomia e Fisiologia Generale presso l'Istituto Europeo di Medicina Osteopatica (IEMO). 1 ottobre 2012- 13 luglio 2014: Insegnante di Neurofisiologia presso l'Istituto Europeo di Medicina Osteopatica (IEMO). Contatto: Prof. Luigi Ciullo (luigi.ciullo@univerosteo.it)
- 7 aprile 2013 - 13 luglio 2014: neurologo presso il Dipartimento GCLA (gravi lesioni cerebrali) che si occupa di patologia neurologica e psichiatrica in pazienti con gravi lesioni cerebrali presso il Centro di Riabilitazione R.S.A. Città di Genova situato in Via Bolzano, Genova. Contatto: Prof. Giovanni Regesta (giovanniregesta@grupprofides.it)
- 1 luglio 2013 - 30 luglio 2014: Direttore Sanitario della Residenza Protetta/Centro Riabilitativo “Villa San Pietro” sito in Salita Sup. San Rocchino 49, Genova, Italia.
- 1 luglio 2013 - 30 luglio 2014 e agosto 2016 - ottobre 2016: neurologo consulente presso l'Associazione Italiana Sclerosi Multipla (AISM)
- Agosto 2016-Ottobre 2016: Direttore Sanitario della Residenza Protetta/Centro Riabilitativo “Villa San Pietro” sita in Salita Sup. San Rocchino 49, Genova, Italia.
- Febbraio 2022- Giugno 2022: Part-time Faculty presso il Dipartimento di Biologia dell'Università di San Francisco (USF)

Esperienze come Editore/Referee/Revisore:

Guest Editor per il research topic di *Frontiers in Neurology*: “CSF and blood biomarkers in COVID-19 and other neuroinfectious diseases”

Review Editor per:

- *Frontiers in Neurology*,
- *Frontiers in Immunology*.

Revisore “ad hoc” per:

- *JAMA Neurology*,
- *Brain*,
- *Brain Communications*,
- *Annals of Clinical and Translational Neurology*,
- *Journal of Neurology*,
- *Journal of Neurological Sciences*,
- *Experimental Neurology*,
- *Journal of Clinical Neurology*,
- *Journal of Controlled Release*,
- *Journal of NeuroVirology*,
- *Clinical neurology and neurosurgery*,
- *Disability and Rehabilitation*,
- *Multiple Sclerosis and Related Disorders*,
- *Multiple Sclerosis Journal*,
- *Medicine*,
- *Neurology, Neuroimmunology and Neuroinflammation*,
- *Neurological Research*,
- *Diagnostics*,
- *Vaccines*.

Grant reviewer per:

ARSEP Foundation, the French Multiple Sclerosis Research Society.

NIH/OD oculomics

Affiliazioni Professionali & Ruoli di Leadership

- Società Italiana di Neurologia (SIN) – dal 2009
- International Multiple Sclerosis Visual System Consortium (IMSVISUAL) – dal 2015
- Membro del Board of Directors (Junior) IMSVISUAL – dal marzo 2025

Premi

- **Travel grant-in-aid, ECTRIMS Congress** (Barcelona, October **2015**) (500 euro)
- **Miglior Poster al congresso nazionale della Fondazione Italiana Sclerosi Multipla (FISM)** (Roma, maggio **2016**) titolo *“Ultra-High resolution optical coherence tomography in experimental autoimmune encephalomyelitis – a model for understanding the clinical role for OCT in MS”*
- **Miglior Progetto scientifico di Ricerca, Societa’ Italiana di Oftalmologia (SOI) 2016:** 2nd place
- **Travel grant-in-aid, ACTRIMS Congress** (Orlando, February **2017**) (500 \$) per la presentazione orale: *“Predicting visual function clinical outcome in MS: a MRI and OCT metrics study”*.
- **Miglior Progetto scientifico di Ricerca, Societa’ Italiana di Oftalmologia (SOI) 2017:**1st place (15.000 euro). Co-authors: Prof. Michele Iester and Prof. Antonio Uccelli.
- **Research award A.I.S.G. - Omikron** “In memoria di Marco Centofanti" su neuroprotezione e glaucoma **2018** (30.000 euro) per il progetto *“OCT evaluation of the neuroprotective potential of mesenchymal stem cell transplantation in an animal model of open-angle glaucoma”*
- **“Summa cum Laude” prize alla 27th ISMRM conference (Montreal, May 11-16 2019)** (top 3% delle presentazioni orali) per il progetto *“Metabolic imaging of brain inflammation using hyperpolarized 13C MRSI of pyruvate and urea in a mouse model of multiple sclerosis”* (2nd author).
- **Fondazione Italiana Sclerosi Multipla (FISM) 2020 – Rita Levi Montalcini Career Fellowship** con il progetto *“Visual evoked potential and optical coherence tomography in EAE – a model for understanding the neuropathology of the immune reaction to different antigens in multiple sclerosis”*. (420.000 euro)
- **Top-ranked poster at ECTRIMS 2021** per il progetto *“Differences in age-related retinal and cortical atrophy rates in multiple sclerosis”*
- **AAN Abstract Invited Paper at the AAN 2022 in Seattle** per il progetto *“Differences in age-related retinal and cortical atrophy rates in multiple sclerosis”* (Gli editori di Neurology revisionano e scelgono un limitato numero di “outstanding abstract” invitando a pubblicare il progetto relativo all’abstract su Neurology).

- **Best Poster prize** (5 su circa 1500 abstract) all' **ECTRIMS 2022** (26-28 October, Amsterdam) per il progetto *“Myelin water fraction of the corpus callosum is a robust measure of remyelination in a double-blind placebo-controlled clinical trial”* (1200 euro)

Grant

- **Training Fellowship (2 anni) finanziata dalla Fondazione Italiana Sclerosi Multipla (FISM 2013/B/4)** con il progetto *“Ultra-High resolution optical coherence tomography in experimental autoimmune encephalomyelitis – a model for understanding the clinical role for OCT in MS”*
- Ho sviluppato un nuovo approccio per eseguire potenziali evocati visivi (VEP) longitudinali nei topi con riproducibilità e affidabilità eccezionali [deviazione standard media su 3 registrazioni ripetute in giorni consecutivi in topi sani di 1,47 ms (range 0,45-2,40 ms)]. I miei esperimenti dimostranti che il ritardo di latenza VEP migliora dopo il trattamento con un composto rimielinizzante in diversi modelli di demielinizzazione, rispecchiando analisi sia quantitativa che qualitativa della mielina, hanno contribuito a un grant **NIH RO1 per il dottor Ari J Green. "Establishing VEP as a quantitative biomarker for remyelination using transgenic models for gain and loss of function NIHR01NS105741 15 maggio 2018 - 28 febbraio 2023"**, nel quale sono indicato come collaboratore.
- Sono indicato come collaboratore nel grant **NIH RO1 per il Dr. Michael Geschwind “Tracking longitudinal change in presymptomatic genetic prion disease (TLC-Pre-gPrD)” NIHR01AG062562 (Aug 1, 2019 - May 31, 2024)**, essendo responsabile dello studio delle anomalie retiniche nelle malattie da prioni pre-sintomatiche e sintomatiche.
- Principal investigator del grant **Fondazione Italiana Sclerosi Multipla (FISM) 2020 – Rita Levi Montalcini Career Fellowship** con il progetto *“Visual evoked potential and optical coherence tomography in EAE – a model for understanding the neuropathology of the immune reaction to different antigens in multiple sclerosis”*. (420.000 euro)

Attività di supervisione e tutoraggio

Ho fatto da mentore per 2~4 anni ciascuno a diversi studenti post-diploma di laurea (college) lavorando come assistenti alla ricerca e coordinatori clinici presso il Green lab. Hao Yiu ha iniziato 4 anni fa un programma di dottorato presso l'Università del Maryland, College Park; Garrett Timmons inizierà presto la sua specializzazione in Neurologia presso la Stanford University dopo la laurea in medicina conseguita presso la UCSD Medical School; Sam Arnold; Michael Devereaux, Nicholas Baker, Justin Inman e Daniel Bennett sono attualmente iscritti o laureati in medicina. Jung Hyung Sin e Tracy Tran hanno recentemente lasciato il laboratorio. Attualmente sto facendo da mentore ad Alexandra Beaudry-Richard, studentessa di dottorato presso l'Università di Ottawa/UCSF, Shivany Condor Montes, Nora Jabassini e Kirtana Ananth, studenti post laurea.

Partecipazione a Innovazione Industriale

Ho lavorato eseguendo esperimenti (in particolare VEP su modelli murini) presso Inception Science (azienda Biotech) a San Diego (CA, US). Ho partecipato alla descrizione del profilo rimielinizzante di 2 composti scoperti di recente. Contatti: Brian Stearns (bstearns@inceptionsci.com) e Daniel Lorrain (dan@pipeline-

[tx.com](https://www.tx.com)). Almeno due società (Pipeline, San Diego e Roche) hanno avviato di recente un laboratorio VEP preclinico per lo studio di farmaci rimielinizzanti come conseguenza del mio lavoro.

Invited talks

- **“Neuro-ophthalmological emergencies: comparing experiences:”** webinar SIN, 28–29 maggio 2022.
- **“Longitudinal study of optic atrophy in multiple sclerosis”** nel contesto del webinar SIN su “OCT and Neurological diseases”, 23 febbraio 2022.
- **Lectio magistralis: “The anterior visual pathway as a model for studying neurodegeneration and remyelination in multiple sclerosis and demyelinating diseases”** alla conferenza “Malattie neuroimmunologiche, dal sintomo alla terapia”, Lecco, 23 settembre 2022.
- **“Demyelinating optic neuritis,”** 4 dicembre 2022, SIN 2022, Milano.
- **“Remyelination: a journey from basic science to clinical research”**, 17 marzo 2023, Università dell’Insubria, Varese.
- **“The anterior visual pathway as a model for studying neurodegeneration and remyelination”**, Neurophthalmology Update for Clinicians 2023, Siena, 16 settembre 2023.
- **“Fostering endogenous repair of the CNS in multiple sclerosis: the clemastine story”**, 4 dicembre 2023, Auditorium del Centro Congressi del Policlinico San Martino, Università di Genova.
- **“The retina as a model for the study of neurodegeneration in demyelinating pathology”**, 18 gennaio 2024, nell’ambito della sessione “Multimodal imaging in neuroscience”, Macula Conference, Genova.
- **“Ongoing trials in Neuro-Ophthalmology Symposium. Remyelination: optic neuritis and internuclear ophthalmoplegia”**, 4 giugno 2024, UNOS 2024, Rotterdam, Paesi Bassi.
- **“Synaptic injury in the inner plexiform layer of the retina is a predictor of progression in multiple sclerosis”**, nel contesto del “Neuro-ophthalmological update for clinicians 2024”, 22–23 giugno 2024, Palermo.
- **“Functional Markers in Pre-clinical Research”**, nel contesto dell’“IMSVISUAL Summer School”, Toronto, 18 luglio 2024.
- **“Synaptic injury as a predictive marker for neuronal loss and functional outcome in acute optic neuritis”**, conferenza IMSVISUAL durante ECTRIMS, Copenaghen, 18 settembre 2024.
- **“Assessing Synaptic Injury through Retinal Inner Plexiform Layer Thickness”**, Università di Siena, 20 dicembre 2024.
- **“Retinopathy and progression in multiple sclerosis”**, nel contesto della conferenza “Optic nerve diseases: diagnostic challenges and multidisciplinary approach”, Ferrara, 27–28 febbraio 2025.
- **“The visual pathway as a model for studying neurodegeneration and remyelination in demyelinating diseases”**, Neurology Grand Rounds, University Hospitals Cleveland Medical Center, Cleveland, 13 marzo 2025.

Presidente di sessione (Session Chair)

Internazionale:

- ECTRIMS 2023, Milano, Italia. Sessione “Free Communications 6: Real world evidence (RWE) - Clinical course”, 13 ottobre 2023.
- EUNOS 2024, Rotterdam, Paesi Bassi. Sessione “New treatments in neuro-ophthalmology symposium”, 6 giugno 2024.

Pubblicazioni su riviste internazionali:

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2. Bsteh G, Hegen H, Albrecht P, Havla J, **Cordano C**, Yeh EA, Saidha S. Emphasizing complementary in "Investigating the complementary value of OCT to MRI in cognitive impairment in relapsing-remitting multiple sclerosis". *Mult Scler*. 2025 Apr 12:13524585251329800. doi: 10.1177/13524585251329800. Epub ahead of print. PMID: 40219832.
3. Beaudry-Richard A, Abdelhak A, Saloner R, Sacco S, Montes SC, Oertel FC, **Cordano C**, Jabassini N, Ananth K, Gomez A, Keihani A, Chapman M, Javvadi S, Saha S, Staffaroni A, Songster C, Warren M, Boscardin JW, Kramer J, Miller B, Miller JW, Green R, Green AJ. Vitamin B12 Levels Association with Functional and Structural Biomarkers of Central Nervous System Injury in Older Adults. *Ann Neurol*. 2025 Feb 10. doi: 10.1002/ana.27200. Epub ahead of print. PMID: 39927551.
4. **Cordano C**, Waubant E, Nourbakhsh B. The observation of seasonal variation of fatigue in multiple sclerosis depends on the measurement instrument. *Mult Scler Relat Disord*. 2024 Dec 28;94:106252. doi: 10.1016/j.msard.2024.106252. Epub ahead of print. PMID: 39742689.
5. Duncan GJ, Ingram SD, Emberley K, Hill J, **Cordano C**, Abdelhak A, McCane M, Jabassini N, Ananth K, Ferrara SJ, Stedelin B, Sivyer B, Aicher SA, Scanlan T, Watkins TA, Mishra A, Nelson J, Green AJ, Emery B. Remyelination protects neurons from DLK-mediated neurodegeneration. *Nat Commun* 15, 9148 (2024). <https://doi.org/10.1038/s41467-024-53429-5>
6. Tan LX, Oertel FC, Cheng A, Cobigo Y, Keihani A, Bennett DJ, Abdelhak A, Montes SC, Chapman M, Chen RY, **Cordano C**, Ward ME, Casaletto K, Kramer JH, Rosen HJ, Boxer A, Miller BL, Green AJ, Elahi FM, Lakkaraju A. Targeting complement C3a receptor resolves mitochondrial hyperfusion and subretinal microglial activation in progranulin-deficient frontotemporal dementia. *bioRxiv* [Preprint]. 2024 Jun 1:2024.05.29.595206. doi: 10.1101/2024.05.29.595206. PMID: 38854134; PMCID: PMC11160746.
7. **Cordano C**, Werneburg S, Abdelhak A, Bennett DJ, Beaudry-Richard A, Duncan GJ, Oertel FC, Boscardin WJ, Yiu HH, Jabassini N, Merritt L, Nocera S, Sin JH, Samana IP, Condor Montes SY, Ananth K, Bischof A; UCSF MS EPIC Team; Nourbakhsh B, Hauser SL, Cree BAC, Emery B, Schafer DP, Chan JR, Green AJ. Synaptic injury in the inner plexiform layer of the retina is associated with progression in multiple sclerosis. *Cell Rep Med*. 2024 Apr 16;5(4):101490. doi: 10.1016/j.xcrm.2024.101490. Epub 2024 Apr 3. PMID: 38574736; PMCID: PMC11031420.

8. Oertel FC, Casillas D, Cobigo Y, Condor Montes S, Heuer HW, Chapman M, Beaudry-Richard A, Reinsberg H, Abdelhak A, **Cordano C**, Boeve BF, Dickerson BC, Grossman M, Huey E, Irwin DJ, Litvan I, Pantelyat A, Tartaglia MC, Vandevrede L, Boxer A, Green AJ. Scientific commentary on: "Phosphorylated tau in the retina correlates with tau pathology in the brain in Alzheimer's disease and primary tauopathies". *Acta Neuropathol.* 2024 Feb 3;147(1):30. doi: 10.1007/s00401-023-02656-z. PMID: 38308717; PMCID: PMC10838223.
9. Nocera S, Marchena MA, Fernández-Gómez B, Gómez-Martín P, Sánchez-Jiménez E, Macías-Castellano A, Laó Y, **Cordano C**, Gómez-Torres Ó, Luján R, de Castro F. Activation of Shh/Smo is sufficient to maintain oligodendrocyte precursor cells in an undifferentiated state and is not necessary for myelin formation and (re)myelination. *Glia.* 2024 May 21. doi: 10.1002/glia.24540. Epub ahead of print. PMID: 38771121.
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11. Abdelhak A, Benkert P, Schaedelin S, Boscardin WJ, **Cordano C**, Oechtering J, Ananth K, Granziera C, Melie-Garcia L, Montes SC, Beaudry-Richard A, Achtnichts L, Oertel FC, Lalive PH, Leppert D, Müller S, Henry RG, Pot C, Matthias A, Salmen A, Oksenberg JR, Disanto G, Zecca C, D'Souza M, Du Pasquier R, Bridel C, Gobbi C, Kappos L, Hauser SL, Cree BAC, Kuhle J, Green AJ; UCSF, MS EPIC, and the SMSC Study Teams. Neurofilament Light Chain Elevation and Disability Progression in Multiple Sclerosis. *JAMA Neurol.* 2023 Nov 6:e233997. doi: 10.1001/jamaneurol.2023.3997. Epub ahead of print. PMID: 37930670; PMCID: PMC10628837.
12. Mantero V, **Cordano C**, Balgera R, Basilico P, Novi G, Salmaggi A. Serum sickness in a multiple sclerosis patient treated with ocrelizumab. *J Neurol.* 2023 Oct 31. doi: 10.1007/s00415-023-12082-6. Epub ahead of print. PMID: 37907726.
13. Foschi M, Abu-Rumeileh S, Massa F, **Cordano C**, Abdelhak A. Editorial: CSF and blood biomarkers in COVID-19 and other neuroinfectious diseases. *Front Neurol.* 2023 Jul 11;14:1239750. doi: 10.3389/fneur.2023.1239750. PMID: 37497014; PMCID: PMC10368364.
14. Mantero V, Basilico P, Balgera R, Rigamonti A, Sozzi M, Salmaggi A, **Cordano C**. Flu-like syndrome due to interferon-beta injections does not increase anxiety, depression, and lost working days in multiple sclerosis patients during the Sars-CoV-2 pandemic. *Clin Neurol Neurosurg.* 2023 Sep;232:107892. doi: 10.1016/j.clineuro.2023.107892. Epub 2023 Jul 13. PMID: 37454600.
15. Guglielmetti C, **Cordano C**, Najac C, Green AJ, Chaumeil MM. Imaging immunomodulatory treatment responses in a multiple sclerosis mouse model using hyperpolarized ¹³C metabolic MRI. *Commun Med (Lond).* 2023 May 22;3(1):71. doi: 10.1038/s43856-023-00300-1. PMID: 37217574; PMCID: PMC10202949.
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