Curriculum vitae

Franchi, Martino Vladimiro

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DOB: 23/10/1984, Italian

Manchester

Metropolitan University

EDUCATION

2010-2014 PhD in skeletal muscle physiology

Institute for Biomedical Research into Human Movement and Health, Manchester

Metropolitan University, UK. PhD Supervisor: Prof Marco Narici

2008-2010 Master by Research (MRes) in skeletal muscle physiology

IRM, Manchester Metropolitan University, UK

2003-2008 BSc and MSc in Exercise & Sports Sciences

Catholic University of the Sacred Heart, Milan, IT

• CURRENT POSITIONS

2019- Assistant Professor (Tenure Track)

Department of Biomedical Sciences, University of Padua, IT

& GUELPH

Special Graduate Faculty (2021-) Department of Human Health & Nutritional

Sciences, University of Guelph, CAN

• PREVIOUS POSITIONS

2017-2019 Postdoctoral Research Fellow in skeletal muscle plasticity & sports medicine

Der Balgrist University Hospital, Department of Orthopedics, University of Zürich

(UZH) and Swiss Federal Institute of Technology (ETH), Zürich, CH



2013 - 2017

Postdoctoral Research Associate and Fellow (2014-2017)



MRC/ARUK Centre for Musculoskeletal Ageing Research, University of Nottingham, UK

TEACHING ACTIVITIES

2020–2021 Lecturer- "Muscles as motors" modules- English Institute of Sport (teaching coaches of

British Olympic and Paralympic teams)

2019- Lecturer- Football Science Institute Master in Football injury, reconditioning and

prevention - "Tendon and muscle adaptations in response to eccentric training"

2019– Asst. Professor- Degree of Sports Sciences, Subject: Physiology, University of Padua, IT

ORGANISATION OF SCIENTIFIC MEETINGS

2019– European College of Sports Science (ECSS) 2025 "Sport and Wellness in Riviera", Rimini,

IT. Local organisational committee and Head of Media and Marketing. ECSS Annual Conference is the biggest European scientific conference for Muscle & Exercise Physiology

• INSTITUTIONAL RESPONSIBILITIES

2021– Special Graduate Faculty, Department of Human Health & Nutritional Sciences, University

of Guelph, Canada

2020– School of Doctorate in Biomedical Sciences committee, University of Padua, Italy

2019– Faculty member, Football Science Institute, Granada, Spain

REVIEWING ACTIVITIES

2022- Editorial board member of "Journal of Physiology" and "Medicine & Science in Sports &

Exercise"

2020– Associate Editor for "Translational Sports Medicine", "Biology (Basel)", "Science &

Medicine in Football" journals

2015– Reviewer for 50+ peer reviewed international journals including *Journal of Cachexia*

Sarcopenia and Muscle (IF 12.9), Sports Medicine (IF 11.1)

MEMBERSHIPS OF SCIENTIFIC SOCIETIES

2011- Member & Fellow of the European College of Sport Science (ECSS)

2023- Member of ECSS Reviewing Panel

2018– Member of the American College of Sports Medicine (ACSM)

2020– Member of the International Society of Electrophysiology and Kinesiology (ISEK)

• GRANTS AWARDED (Total so far- 1'351'137.54 Euros)

2019- Balgrist Stiftung, CH – 222'407.54 Euros

Italian Ministry of education, IT – 678'305.00 Euros
Italian Ministry of education, IT – 205'229.00 Euros
Italian Ministry of education, IT – 245'196.00 Euros

Track Record

PUBLICATIONS (source: Scopus)

Total Publications number (started in <u>2014</u>): **80 Total Citations Number** (CN): **2221**; h-index: **23**

Top 5 articles

- 1. Franchi MV et al. Architectural, functional and molecular responses to concentric and eccentric loading in human skeletal muscle *Acta Physiol*, 2014, CN 248
- **2. Franchi MV** et al. Regional regulation of focal adhesion kinase after concentric and eccentric loading is related to remodelling of human skeletal muscle *Acta Physiol.*,2018, CN 58
- **3. Franchi MV** et al. Skeletal muscle remodeling in response to eccentric vs. concentric loading: Morphological, molecular, and metabolic adaptations. *Front Physiol.*, 2017, CN 201
- **4. Franchi MV** et al. Ultrasound-derived Biceps Femoris Long Head Fascicle Length: Extrapolation Pitfalls *Med Sci Sport Exerc*, 2020, CN 54
- **5.** Pincheira P, Boswell M, **Franchi MV**, Delp SL, Lichtwark G. Biceps femoris long head sarcomere and fascicle length adaptations after three weeks of eccentric exercise training *J Sport Heal Sci*,2021, CN 21

Invited presentations to internationally established conferences and/or international advanced schools:

Total number of invited presentations: 25

Noteworthy:

- 2022 European College of Sports Science invited symposium.
- 2022 International Society of Electrophysiology and Kinesiology Invited Symposium, CAN.
- 2021 European College of Sports Science webinar. The art of Ultrasound for imaging muscle-tendon
- 2020 & 2021 ASPETAR Orthopaedic & Sports Medicine Hospital, Qatar. Muscle adaptations to exercise
- 2019 Berlin Autumn PhD School 2019, HUB, GER. From molecules to morphology and function: an overview of skeletal muscle adaptations to eccentric loading

Prizes/ Awards

Acta Physiologica Award 2020 Finalist (top 20 articles)- <u>Franchi et al. Acta Physiol 2018</u>. Winner yet to be decided (2022)

European College of Sports Science Fellow (FECSS, from 2017) supporting the goals of ECSS by distinguished activities. FECSS made a significant contribution to the development of sports science through research

Mognoni Prize 2013, 1st place for young investigator in exercise physiology (1500 € prize). 10th National Sports Medicine Conference, Saronno, IT

Article of the month, Balgrist University Hospital (Zürich, CH) (x2) – <u>Franchi et al. Scientific Reports</u> 2020, Sarto et al. *Sports Med* 2021 (Last Author)