

Curriculum Vitae



Personal information

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Nationality Italian
Date of birth 15 December 1991

Work experience

Dates	2006 - Today
Occupation or position held	Parrot's breeder
Main activities and responsibilities	Hand reared and normal breed of several species of parrots
Dates	October 2014 – Today
Occupation or position held	Concept and involvement in an international conservation project about genetic variation in a population of <i>Ara ambiguus</i> that live in "Santuario de lapas NATUWA", Costa Rica
Dates	01 December 2019 - Today
Occupation or position held	Freelance service of endoscopies and avian clinical visits throughout Italy, in collaboration with Prof. Lorenzo Crosta too
Dates	01 November 2021 - Today
Occupation or position held	Medical director of an exotic pet shop
Name and address of employer	Coral's Garden srls, Via Sestio Calvino 127/129, 00174, Roma (RM)
Dates	07 December 2021 - Today
Occupation or position held	Medical director of an exotic pet shop
Name and address of employer	Preistoria Roma srl, Via di Portonaccio 146/150, 00159, Roma (RM)
Dates	07 September 2021 - Today
Occupation or position held	Medical director of an exotic pet shop
Name and address of employer	Coral Academy srls, Via Giovanni Andrea Badoero 76, 00154, Roma (RM)
Dates	01 August 2022 - Today
Occupation or position held	Avian and exotic animals vet
Name and address of employer	Sudtiroi Exotic Vets, Clinica veterinaria Centro Storico, Via dei Vanga 51, Bolzano (BZ), Italy
Dates	22 September 2023 – 22 October 2023
Occupation or position held	Visiting in one of the most specialized clinics in the world in avian medicine and surgery
Name and address of employer	Medical Center for Birds, 3807 Main St A, Oakley, California 94561 (USA), medical director: dr. Brian Speer

Date	24 January 2023
Occupation or position held	Speech at the natural sciences museum in Bolzano, regarding the management of exotic pet mammals
Dates	01 April 2020 – 01 August 2022
Occupation or position held	Avian and exotic animals vet
Name and address of employer	Clinica veterinaria Borghesiana, Via di Vermicino 96, Rome (Italy)
Dates	01 December 2018 – 01 April 2020
Occupation or position held	Avian, exotic and small animals vet
Name and address of employer	Ospedale veterinario Emergency Vet, Via Braccianese km 19.200, Bracciano (RM, Italy)
Dates	01 October 2019 – 08 February 2020
Occupation or position held	External veterinary consultant for avian medicine
Name and address of employer	Polivet, Via Salaria 1317, Rome (Italy)
Dates	August – September 2019
Occupation or position held	Author of an article entitled "PDD – Proventricular dilatation disease in parrots" published in the monthly journal of scientific, technical and practical ornithology "Italia Ornitologica"
Dates	17 May – 30 November 2018
Occupation or position held	Avian, exotic and small animals vet
Name and address of employer	Clinica veterinaria Guidonia, Via dell'Universo 18, Albuccione (Rome, Italy)
Dates	April 2018
Occupation or position held	Author of an article entitled "Medical approach to the hand rearing of psittaciformes" published in the monthly scientific, technical and practical ornithology magazine "Italia Ornitologica"
Dates	03 March – 30 April 2018
Occupation or position held	Graduate intern in a veterinary clinic called "Clinica per Animali Esotici" that works with exotic animals,
Name and address of employer	CVS, Via Sandro Giovannini 51-53, Rome (Italy)

Dates	08 January – 02 March 2018
Occupation or position held	Graduate intern in the veterinary clinic of a zoo called "Loro Parque"
Name and address of employer	Loro Parque/Loro Parque fundacion, Av. Loro Parque, s/n, 38400 Puerto de la Cruz, Santa Cruz, Tenerife (Spain)
Dates	January – February 2018
Occupation or position held	Writer of an article about conservation of Great green macaw entitled " <i>Ara ambiguous</i> : a majestic species in a dramatic risk of extinction" published on italian periodical magazine called "Italia Ornitologica"
Dates	23 October – 31 December 2017
Occupation or position held	Graduate intern in a veterinary clinic called "Clinica per Animali Esotici" that works with exotic animals,
Name and address of employer	CVS, Via Sandro Giovannini 51- 53, Rome (Italy)
Dates	December 2017
Occupation or position held	Writer of an article about conservation of Great green macaw entitled " <i>Ara ambiguous Conservation Project</i> , a new international project to save Great green macaw from extinction" published on italian periodical magazine called "Sicania Ornitologica"
Dates	03 April – 02 July 2017 / 16 August 2017 – 30 September 2017
Occupation or position held	Undergraduate intern at the veterinary hospital of the University of Perugia
Name and address of employer	Università degli Studi di Perugia. Via San Costanzo 4, 06126, Perugia (Italy)
Dates	2 July – 29 August 2017
Occupation or position held	Undergraduate intern in a zoo called "Zoomarine"
Name and address of employer	Zoomarine, Via dei Romagnoli, 00071, Rome (Italy)
Dates	15 October 2016
Occupation or position held	Speech at the Third national convention called "Breeding and Ethology of parrots", Rome (Italy)
Dates	4 October 2015
Occupation or position held	Speech at "VI Convegno nazionale della Ricerca nei Parchi" (Conservation Forum), Parco Natura Viva, Bussolengo
Dates	14 August – 7 September 2015
Occupation or position held	Expedition in Costa Rica for research (sampling blood and fecal samples of native animals at Santuario De Lapas NATUWA) and interview at a local television station
Dates	11 April 2015
Occupation or position held	Speech at the Second national convention called "Breeding and Ethology of parrots", Rome (Italy)
Dates	11 March 2015
Occupation or position held	Speech at annual meeting of UIZA (Italian Union of Zoo and Aquaria)
Dates	May – June 2014
Occupation or position held	Voluntary work in a game reserve (Kariega game reserve) in South Africa
Main activities and responsibilities	Maintenance of the reserve and observation of the animals
Dates	25 July – 15 August 2014
Occupation or position held	Voluntary work in a conservation project of <i>Ara macao</i> and <i>Ara ambiguous</i> in Costa Rica
Main activities and responsibilities	Feeding and maintaining of wild and captivity parrots
Name of the project	The Ara Project

Dates	15 August – 22 August 2014
Occupation or position held	Voluntary work in a wildlife refuge of sea turtles in Costa Rica
Main activities and responsibilities	Supervision and census of turtles, remove of the eggs for artificial incubation, supervision of natural nest, liberation of babies
Name of the refuge	Refugio Nacional de vida silvestre Camaronal
Dates	22 August – 02 September 2014
Occupation or position held	Voluntary work in a conservation project of <i>Ara macao</i> and <i>Ara ambiguus</i> in a zoo of Costa Rica
Main activities and responsibilities	Nourishment and ethological observations of parrots, tapirs, toucans, monkeys, jaguars an others
Name of zoo	Macaw Sanctuary "NATUWA"
Dates	June 2014 – December 2016
Occupation or position held	Promoter of Hill's food
Name of employer	Manpower Group
Dates	July – August 2012
Occupation or position held	Writer of an article about the genetic of colour mutations of <i>Nymphicus hollandicus</i> published on italian periodical magazine called "Alcedo"
Dates	20 June – 01 September 2008
Occupation or position held	Lifeguard
Name and address of employer	Grand Hotel "La Playa" Viale Cristoforo Colombo, 04029 Sperlonga LT (Italy)

Education and training

Date	19 March 2023 Participation in the convention called "Corso di Ecofast degli animali esotici", Cremona (Italy)
Dates	18 March 2023 – 19 March 2023 Participation in the convention called "Aggiornamento di medicina degli animali esotici", Cremona (Italy)
Dates	January 2020 – 30 June 2021 University master about avian and exotic animals called "Riproduzione, management, patologia e terapia degli animali non convenzionali" at University of Parma
Dates	26 – 29 September 2022 Participation in X International congress of parrots at Loro Parque in Tenerife (Spain)
Date	17 December 2019 Participation in the convention called "Il Giornata di Medicina della Fauna Selvatica", at University of Milano
Dates	12 October 2019 – 13 October 2019 Participation in the convention called "Aggiornamento di medicina degli animali esotici", Cremona (Italy)
Date	15/09/2019 Participation in the convention called "Pronto soccorso della fauna salvatica: come non nuocere e cosa dice la legge", University of Perugia
Date	13/01/2019 Participation in the convention of SIVAE (Italian Society of Veterinarians for Exotic Animals) called "Reptile Species Approach: from naturalistic keeping to medical management"
Dates	24 – 27 September 2018 Participation in IX International congress of parrots at Loro Parque in Tenerife (Spain)
Date	19 October 2017 Graduation in Veterinary Medicine with a thesis entitled " <i>Ara ambiguous Conservation Project</i> , a new international conservation project for the species" at University of Perugia (Italy)

Dates	September 2011 – 19 October 2017 Student of Veterinary Medicine at University of Perugia (Italy)
Dates	27- 28 May 2017 Participation in the third international convention of SIVAE (Italian Society of Veterinarians for Exotic Animals)
Dates	25 – 29 March 2017 Participation in ICARE (International Conference of Avian Herpetological and exotic mammals medicine), Venice
Dates	18 – 19 February 2017 Participation in the convention SIVAE called “Il benessere degli animali esotici e selvatici in Italia: stato dell'arte”
Dates	10 – 11 May 2016 Participation in EAZA (European association of zoos and aquaria) Conservation forum, Fuengirola (Spain)

Dates	20 – 22 November 2015 Participation in "Parrots international symposium", Brazil
Dates	30 – 31 May 2015 Participation in the first international convention of SIVAE (Italian Society of Veterinarians for Exotic Animals)
Dates	18 – 23 April 2015 Participation in ICARE (International Conference of Avian Herpetological and exotic mammals medicine), Paris
Dates	12 October 2014 Participation in a seminar called "A squame e strisce" about herpetological medicine and surgery (SIVAE seminar) at the University of Perugia
Dates	22 - 25 September 2014 Participation in VIII International congress of parrots at Loro Parque in Tenerife (Spain)
Dates	26 – 28 September 2014 Participation at the workshops: "Hand-rearing", "Parrot Nutrition", "Diseases, prevention and treatments" at the Loro Parque in Tenerife (Spain)
Dates	February 2012 Falconry course at "105 Superzoo" in Perugia (Italy)
Dates	2 – 3 February 2013 Participation in "5° Italian Workshop for parrot's breeders" in Rome
Dates	February 2012 Falconry course at animal's shop called "105 Superzoo" in Perugia
Dates	September 2005 – July 2010
Title of qualification awarded	High school scientific diploma
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	Liceo scientifico Primo Levi Via Morandini, 64, Rome (Italy)
Date	February 2008 – April 2008
Title of qualification awarded	Lifeguard
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	Società nazionale di salvamento (Italy)

Personal skills and competences

Mother tongue(s)	Italian									
Other language(s)										
Autoevaluation	Understanding				Speaking				Writing	
<i>European level (*)</i>	Listening		Reading		Spoken interaction		Spoken production			
English	B2	Independent Sup.	B2	Independent Sup.	B2	Independent Sup.	B2	Independent Sup.	B2	Independent Sup.
Spanish	B2	Independent Sup.	B2	Independent Sup.	B2	Independent Sup.	B2	Independent Sup.	B2	Independent Sup.
	(*) Common European Framework of Reference (CEF) level									
Informatics skills	Advanced use of computer, management of web site, social media, Microsoft Office									
Others skills and competences	Agonistic horse riding									
Driving licence	B									

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