



Dr. med. Dario Giunchi

Specialist in orthopaedic surgery and traumatology of the locomotor apparatus, member FMH

Languages

IT,EN,FR

Competences

Orthopaedics and Traumatology:

- over 1300 as an operator (13% prosthetic, 28% arthroscopic, 46% trauma, 13% other)
- almost 600 as an assistant (14% prosthetic, 39% arthroscopic, 25% trauma, 22% other)

Work Experience

- since 2023 Head of Clinic, Ospedale Beata Vergine di Mendrisio, Orthopaedics and Traumatology.
Areas of interest knee and hip, arthroscopy and prosthetics.
- 2021-2023 Chef de clinique adjoint, University Hospital HFR Fribourg, Orthopaedics and Traumatology. Areas of interest knee and hip, arthroscopic and prosthetic
- 2019-2021 Acting head clinic, Regional Hospital of Lugano and Bellinzona and Valleys, Orthopaedics and Traumatology. Areas of interest knee and hip, arthroscopic and prosthetic
- 2016-2019 Assistant, Lugano Regional Hospital, Orthopaedics and Traumatology.
Rotations:
Orthopaedics and Traumatology; Hand Surgery, Surgical Emergency Department, Visceral Surgery, Vascular Surgery, Neurosurgery, Paediatric Orthopaedics.
- 2015-2016 Assistant, C.O.F. Physiatric Orthopaedic Clinic, Lanzo d'Intelvi (Como, Italy).
FMH Recognition.

Education

- 2023 FMH in orthopaedic surgery and traumatology of the locomotor apparatus
- 2023 Swiss Insurance Medicine qualification
- 2013 Degree in Medicine and Surgery, Alma Mater Studiorum Bologna, grade 110/110.
Experimental graduation thesis, Rizzoli Orthopaedic Institute, Bologna.
"Instrumental assessment of dynamic knee laxity with inertial systems".
Rapporteurs: Prof. Marcacci Maurilio, Prof. Zaffagnini Stefano

Research

Voluntary attendance (2012-2015) at Il Clinica Istituto Ortopedico Rizzoli and Sant Orsola, Bologna, under the supervision of Prof. Marcacci and Prof. Zaffagnini, contributing to the realisation of protocols and scientific articles.

Published articles:

1. De Spirito D, **Giunchi D** (2017). *The Pull-out K-wire Anchorage: The "Shepherd's Crook" Technique*. *Techniques in Hand & Upper Extremity Surgery* 2017 Sep;21(3):85-90
2. [Giunchi D](#), [Marcoli N](#), [Deabate L](#), [Delcogliano M](#), [Testa E](#), [Candrian C](#), [Gaffurini P](#) (2018). *Isolated knee arthritis as early and only symptom of Whipple's disease*. [Case Reports in Medicine](#). 2018 May 27;2018:3417934
3. [by Laura Frattura G](#), [Filardo G](#), [Giunchi D](#), [Fusco A](#), [Zaffagnini S](#), [Candrian C](#) (2018). *Risk of falls in patients with knee osteoarthritis undergoing total knee arthroplasty: A systematic review and best evidence synthesis*. *Journal of Orthopaedics* 2018 Aug 24;15(3):903-908.
4. Odorizzi M, FitzGerald M, Gonzalez J, **Giunchi D**, Hamitaga F, De Rosa V (2020). *Posttraumatic Pseudoarthrosis of a Clavicle Fracture in an 11-Year-Old Girl: A Case Report and Analysis*. *Case Reports in Orthopaedics* 2020 Apr 23;2020:4069431
5. **Giunchi D**, Gonzalez J, Odorizzi M, Mendoza MS, De Rosa V. Simultaneous Bilateral Avulsion of Tibial Anterior Tubercle in Adolescent: Two Case Reports and Narrative Review of the Literature. *Case Rep Orthop*. 2023 Feb 9;2023:1035705. doi: 10.1155/2023/1035705. PMID: 36819845; PMCID: PMC9935908.
6. Matos M, Thuerig M, Barrera Uso M, Bluemel S, **Giunchi D**, Petek D, Case Report: Proximal Tibiofibular Joint Instability. A Forgotten Cause in Revision Total Knee Arthroplasty? *In publication*

Congresses, speaker:

- **FIFA Isokinetic Football Medicine Conference, London 2015**, (GM. Marcheggiani-Muccioli) 'In-vivo assessment of rotatory knee laxity after ACL reconstruction with inertial sensors in football player', *Marcheggiani Muccioli GM, Lopomo NF, Signorelli C, Bonanzinga T, Grassi A, Raggi F, Roberti Di Sarsina T, Giunchi D, Marcacci M, Zaffagnini S*
- **Le atologie dell'avampiede 2017**, Ospedale Regionale di Lugano, April 2017, oral presentation on forefoot anatomy.
- **104ème Congrès annuel de la Société Suisse de Chirurgie 2017**, Isolated knee arthritis as early and only symptom of Whipple's disease: a case report, **Giunchi D** *Testa E Deabate L Delcogliano M Candrian C Gaffurini P*
- **77th Annual Congress Swiss Orthopaedics 2017**, Isolated knee arthritis as early and only symptom of Whipple's disease: a case report, **Giunchi D** *Testa E Deabate L Delcogliano M Candrian C Gaffurini P*
- **79th Annual Congress Swiss Orthopaedics 2019**, "Evaluation of factors influencing proprioception in patients with knee osteoarthritis undergoing total knee arthroplasty: a Systematic Review and Best Evidence Synthesis", *Frattura G, Giunchi D, Deabate L, Delcogliano M, Filardo G, Candrian C*
- **51nd Annual SIOP Congress 2019**, "Simultaneous bilateral avulsion of tibial anterior tubercle in adolescent: a case", **Giunchi D**, *Gonzalez J, Odorizzi M, Verzellotti S, Maurice F, MS Mendoza, Bordoni V, Candrian C, De Rosa V*

Congresses, posters:

- **15th EFORT Congress 2014, London** 'Anatomic and non-anatomic double-bundle anterior cruciate ligament reconstruction. An in vivo kinematic analysis." S. Zaffagnini, G.M. Marcheggiani Muccioli, C. Signorelli, N. Lopomo, A. Grassi, D. Giunchi, T. Bonazinga, M. Marcacci.
- **2015 ISAKOS Biennial Congress ePoster**, "Minimum 12 Months Follow-Up Assessment of Rotatory Knee Laxity by Means of Inertial Sensors", Marcacci M., Zaffagnini S., et al.
- **77th Annual Congress Swiss Orthopaedics 2017**, "Isolated knee arthritis as early and only symptom of Whipple's disease: a case report", Giunchi D Testa E Deabate L Delcogliano M Candrian C Gaffurini P
- **Joint Annual Meeting 2018, Lugano**, "Clinical and radiological outcomes in minimally invasive transforaminal lumbar interbody fusion with expandable cages", Jilch A Giunchi D Scarone P
- **80th Annual Congress Swiss Orthopaedics 2020**, "Post-traumatic pseudoarthrosis of a clavicle fracture in an 11 year old girl", M. Odorizzi, M. FitzGerald, J. Gonzales, D. Giunchi, F. Hamitaga, M. Mendoza Sagaon, V. De Rosa
- **83rd Annual Congress Swiss Orthopaedics 2023**, "Case Report: Proximal Tibiofibular Joint Instability. A Forgotten Cause in Revision Total Knee Arthroplasty?". Matos M, Thuerig M, Barrera Uso M, Bluemel S, Giunchi D, Petek D

Congresses and auditors:

- FIFA Isokinetic Football Medicine Conference Barcelona 2017 78th Annual Congress Swiss Orthopaedics 2018
- **79th Annual Congress Swiss Orthopaedics 2019**
- 80th Annual Virtual Congress Swiss Orthopaedics 2020 81th Annual Virtual Congress Swiss Orthopaedics 2021

Production of:

- 1 **book** on surgical techniques for traumatology of the femur currently being published
- 2 patent applications for surgical instruments

Courses

- **15th Annual Scientific Writing Course**, SGC, December 2016
- **Stryker Mobile Education** - Trauma Workshop, August 2017
- **AOTrauma Course** - Principles of surgical management and treatment of fractures, Lugano, November 2017
- **AOTrauma Course** - Basic Principles of Fracture Management, Davos, December 2017 **AOTrauma Course** - Advanced Principles of Fracture Management, Davos, December 2018 **APO course (Orthopaedic Orthoses)**, Olten, April 2019
- **24th AIOD-OTC Suisse Course** Stryker, endomedicular nail course, September 2019
- **Hip Symposium Bern 2023**, April 2023

Cadaver Labs:

- **SIGASCOT** Knee osteochondral lesions, ICLO Verona Italy, December 2017
- **International Mega Foot & Ankle Course**, Arthrex, München Germany, April 2018
- **International Knee Arthroscopy Course Level II**, Arthrex, München Germany, October 2018
- **WetLab EOC Knee**, DePuy Synthes, Zuchwill Switzerland, January 2019
- **WetLab EOC Hip**, DePuy Synthes, Zuchwill Switzerland, March 2021
- **Cours d'anatomie HFR** Fribourg, Fribourg Switzerland, January 2020
- **Direct Anterior Approach**, DePuy Synthes, Bern Switzerland, October 2021
- **7th Surgical Skills Course & Wet Lab ICRS**, Doha Qatar, January 2023

- **WetLab Femoral Nailing Course**, DePuy Synthes, Zuchwill Switzerland, June 2023

Teacher:

Knee Arthroscopy, DePuy Synthes, Zuchwill Switzerland, October 2019

Cours d'anatomie HFR Fribourg, tutor, Fribourg Switzerland, March 2022

Memberships

FMH: Federation of Swiss Doctors.

Swiss Orthopaedics

OMCT: Ordine dei Medici Cantone Ticino.

SOTi: Society of Ticino Orthopaedists

ESSKA: European Society of Sports Traumatology, Knee Surgery and Arthroscopy

ISAKOS: International Society for Arthroscopy, Bone Surgery and Sports Medicine

ICRS: International Society for Cartilage Regeneration.

SIAGASCOT: Italian Society of Arthroscopy, Knee, Upper Limb, Sport, Cartilage and Orthopaedic Technologies.

SIM: Swiss Insurance Medicine.

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Accreditation

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Specialties

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