



CURRICULUM VITAE

Stefano BONASSI was born in Genoa, Italy, on January, 3, 1956. He received his degree in Biological Sciences at the University of Genova (1981), and became specialist in Medical Statistics and Epidemiology at the University of Pavia (1987)

Stefano BONASSI is currently Full professor of Hygiene and Preventive Medicine at the San Raffaele University in Rome, and Head of the Unit of Clinical and Molecular Epidemiology at the IRCCS San Raffaele Pisana in Rome, Italy. He worked previously in Genoa as Director of the Unit of Epidemiology and Biostatistics at the National Research Cancer Institute in Genoa, Italy. Since 2006 he is adjunct Professor of Molecular Epidemiology at the University of Genoa. He is currently teaching Methods in Nutritional Epidemiology and Epidemiology in Nutrition.

His main scientific interest is focused on the use of biomarkers in human population and clinical studies. In particular he has been actively involved in assessing the role of chromosomal damage in the early stages of carcinogenesis and other chronic diseases. He has been largely involved in the coordination of international collaborative projects, such as ESCH on chromosomal damage, HUMN and HUMNxl on the micronucleus assay, and ComNet on DNA damage. He is active in designing and coordinating epidemiological studies, often based on high throughput techniques, such as gene expression profile and genotype. His appointment in Rome includes research on neurodegenerative disorders, COPD, aging, pharmacoepidemiology, and rehabilitation. More recently he started a collaborative project on the validation of a systems medicine approach for the collection and evaluation of clinical and biological information of patients affected by non communicable diseases.

Teacher of Epidemiological Methods in several international courses for postgraduate students Dr. Bonassi has supervised many specialization theses and postgraduate research projects in Europe. His research has been funded by several national and international agencies. From 2009 to 2013 Dr. Bonassi has served as President of the *International Association of Environmental Mutagenesis and Genomics Societies* (IAEMS) an international association with 6.000 members all over the world. He is member of the editorial board of several journal in the field of epidemiology and genetics

Stefano Bonassi is often invited to speak at international meetings. Overall he has published over 250 papers and has been cited over 10.000 times with a *h* index of 54 (Scopus).