

**EUROPEAN  
CURRICULUM VITAE  
FORMAT**



**PERSONAL INFORMATION**

Name **CLAUDIA PROTO**

**WORK EXPERIENCE**

- Dates (from – to)

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- Type of business or sector
- Occupation or position held
- Main activities and responsibilities

**1 APRIL 2021 - PRESENT**

Fondazione IRCCS – Istituto Nazionale Tumori

Milan, Italy

Public Hospital

Medical oncologist, permanent contract

Departmental activities, day-hospital and clinical ambulatory

Areas of interest: Medical Thoracic Oncology (lung cancer, pleural mesothelioma, thymic tumors). Diagnostic and therapeutic iter management: diagnosis and staging of disease. Use of chemotherapy, biological agents, immunotherapy and supportive care. Management of clinical and experimental trials. Translational research.

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**21 NOVEMBER 2014 – 31 MAY 2019**

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Milan, Italy

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Professional Scientific Collaborator – Consultant Oncologist

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**30 JUNE 2009 – 30 JUNE 2014**

Residency Program in Medical Oncology - University of Messina c / o Policlinico "G. Martino" and AOOR Papardo-Piedmont e- UOC Medical Oncology, Director Prof. V. Adamo - Messina.

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dates (from – to)</li> <li>• Name and type of organisation providing education and training</li>   <li>• Title of qualification awarded</li> </ul>	<p>2010</p> <p>Trinity College – London</p> <p><b>Certificate of Spoken English for Speakers of Other Languages</b></p>
<p><b>PERSONAL SKILLS AND COMPETENCES</b></p> <p>MOTHER TONGUE</p> <p>OTHER LANGUAGES</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Reading skills</li> <li>• Writing skills</li> <li>• Verbal skills</li> </ul>	<p><b>ITALIAN</b></p> <p><b>ENGLISH</b></p> <p>EXCELLENT</p> <p>EXCELLENT</p> <p>EXCELLENT</p>
<p><b>ORGANISATIONAL SKILLS AND COMPETENCES</b></p> <p>(<b>EXPERIENCE AS PRINCIPAL-INVESTIGATOR IN ABOUT 30 CLINICAL TRIALS FOCUSING ON THORACIC TUMORS</b>)</p>	<p>Excellent interpersonal and teamwork skills.</p> <p>Management of clinical trial (Phase I, II and III)</p> <p>Competence in clinical activities and in relationships with the patients</p> <p>Realization of research projects</p>
<p><b>TECHNICAL SKILLS AND COMPETENCES</b></p> <p>GRANTS</p>	<p>Excellent ability to use PC (Word, Power Point, Outlook, Internet, Excel) and to research in public databases</p> <p>BLSD and ADVANCED LIFE SUPPORT</p> <p>Bando per la Ricerca Istituzionale (BRI) 2021 as PI of the research project entitled "Circulating</p>

	<p>microRNAs to choose the IO strategy in PD-L1 ≥50% NSCLC patients: the Ark clinical trial “.</p> <p>Bando per la Ricerca Finalizzata 2019 as co-PI of the research project entitled “<i>Exosomal-PD-L1 as determinant of treatment with immunecheckpoints inhibitors in advanced NSCLC</i>”</p> <p>Bando per la Ricerca Finalizzata 2016 as co-PI of the research project entitled “<i>Altered hedgehog pathway in malignant pleural mesothelioma as source for new prognostic biomarkers and therapeutic targets</i>”</p>
SCIENTIFIC AFFILIATIONS	ITALIAN ASSOCIATION OF MEDICAL ONCOLOGY – AIOM EUROPEAN SOCIETY OF MEDICAL ONCOLOGY - ESMO
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**Abstract:**

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  40. G. Lo Russo, D. Signorelli, **C. Proto**, G. Galli, A. Prelaj, R. Ferrara, M. Sommariva, M. Moro, V. Cancila, M. Ganzinelli, S. Brich, S. Sangaletti, G. Pruner, C. Tripodo, M.P. Colombo, L. Rivoltini, A. Balsari, G. Sozzi, M. Boeri, M. Garassino. OA14.06 HYPERPROGRESSIVE DISEASE IN ADVANCED NON-SMALL CELL LUNG CANCER PATIENTS TREATED WITH IMMUNE CHECKPOINT INHIBITORS. (Oral presentation WCLC 2019 Barcellona)
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- EVALUATION OF A PROGNOSTIC CLINICO-MOLECULAR SCORE (DEMO) TO PREDICT OUTCOME OF ADVANCED NSCLC PATIENTS TREATED WITH IMMUNOTHERAPY. (Minioral WCLC 2019 Barcellona)
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## ORAL PRESENTATIONS

- Yokohama, 30/10 – 01/11/24 Japan 14<sup>th</sup> International Thymic Malignancies Interest Group Annual Meeting. Focus on Thymic carcinoma – What is Different from Thymoma. Present options and future directions for Thymic Carcinoma
- Madrid, Spain 20-24/10/23, ESMO congress 2023 #LBA98 Efficacy and safety of ramucirumab plus carboplatin and paclitaxel in untreated metastatic thymic carcinoma: RELEVANT phase II trial Proffered Paper Presentation
- Milano, 22-24/06/23 Italia, VII Convengo Nazionale della rete oncologica SIFACT. Oltre il modello mutazionale e l'oncologia di precisione: la medicina personalizzata.Keynote News from ASCO: la medicina personalizzata
- Roma, 16-19/11/22 Italia 41° Congresso della società italiana di farmacologia, il valore scientifico e l'uso appropriato del farmaco “The evolutiona of early stage non-small-cell lung cancer treatmente and the new role of immunotherapy”
- Vienna, Austria 06-09/08/2022WCLC 2022 Phase II Trial of Sunitinib in Patients with Type B3 Thymoma or Thymic Carcinoma in Second and Further Lines – STYLE Trial (NCT03449173) (Minioral presentation)
- Milano, 07-08/09/2020 The Best of the year in lung cancer-Virtual conference
- Barcelona, 07-10/09/19 WCLC 2019 A plasma microRNA classifier as biomarker of primary and secondary resistance in PD-L1≥50% NSCLC treated with immunotherapy
- Milano, 17/12/2018 Expert Strategies. How to use immunotherapy in advanced lung cancer.
- San Benedetto del Tronto, 10/11/18 Marcangolo 2018, “Prima o poi dobbiamo tutti affrontare la scelta tra ciò che è giusto e ciò che è facile...”
- Palermo, 02/10/2018 Salute donna Onlus- Salute UomoTumore al polmone e Tumori della testa e del collo. News in immuno-oncologia: overview degli studi clinici e prospettive terapeutiche nel tumore polmonare
- Milano, 28-29/06/2018 MASTERLUNG
- Bergamo, 04-05/05/18 Le nuove sfide professionali nell'immunoterapia dei tumori polmonari
- Messina, 12-13/10/2017 2nd Sicilian Oncologist day: linee guida AIOM, appropriatezza e medicina di precisione
- Siena, 05-07/10/2017 XV NIBIT Meeting Anti-PD-1 mAbs for the treatment of NSCLC patients
- Milano, 09/02/2016. Tutto quello che avresti voluto chiedere.
- Catania, 1-2/04/2016. Focus sul carcinoma del polmone: assistenza e ricerca
- Milano, 19/4/2016. Fondazione IRCCS Istituto Nazionale dei Tumori. Insieme per le neoplasie toraciche.... Tra sogno e realtà.
- Messina 14/04/2013 SCCHN: decidere, sostenere, curare insieme.
- Messina, Hospital meetings

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