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## ***Gitana Scozzari***

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- born 10.03.1975 in Ivrea, Torino, Italy

### **Education**

- 2002 **Degree** in Medicine, University of Torino
- 2008 **Diploma** in General Surgery, University of Torino, cum laude
- 2009 **Master** in Laparoscopic Surgery, University of Torino

### **Clinical Experience**

- from 03.02.03 to 02.02.04 **faisant fonction d'interne** at the Digestive Surgery Department and Liver Transplantation Center, Archet 2 Hospital, Nice (France), Prof. J. Gugenheim
- from 01.03.04 to 03.04.04 **resident** at the Emergency Medicine Department, S. Agostino Hospital, Modena (Italy), Dott. S. Zucchelli
- from 05.04.04 to 03.10.04 **resident** at the General Surgery Department, S. Andrea di Vercelli Hospital, Vercelli (Italy), Dott. G. Nanni
- from 04.10.04 to 31.10.07 **resident** at the Center for Minimally Invasive Surgery, University of Torino (Italy), Prof. M. Morino
- from 02.11.07 to 04.07.08 **resident** at the General Surgery Department, Aosta Valley Hospital, Aosta (Italy), Dott. R. Allieta
- from 07.07.08 to 31.12.08 **resident** at the Center for Minimally Invasive Surgery, University of Torino (Italy), Prof. M. Morino
- since 01.01.09 **visiting fellow** at the Center for Minimally Invasive Surgery, University of Torino (Italy), Prof. M. Morino

### **Research Experience**

- from 03.02.03 to 02.02.04 scientist at the Surgical Research Laboratory, University of Nice (France); research on liver ischemia-reperfusion damage in the normal and steatotic liver
- from 01.03.09 to 01.09.09 investigator of a research project on bariatric surgery for the treatment of type II diabetes

### **Prizes**

- 01.03.09 research fellowship of the Regione Piemonte, Italy, for a research project on bariatric surgery for the treatment of type II diabetes

## **Stages, Congresses & Courses**

- 2002 ATLS course (Advanced Trauma Life Support) of the American College of Surgeons, Committee on Trauma, ATLS Italian Regional Faculty
- 2005 AMLS course (Advanced Medical Life Support) of the National Association of Emergency Medical Technicians, AMLS Italian Regional Faculty
- 2006 ATLS Update of the American College of Surgeons, Committee on Trauma, ATLS Italian Regional Faculty
- 2007 Advanced Laparoscopic Surgery Workshop at the Tyco Center of Excellence, Elancourt (Paris, France)
- 2008 BLS – ACLS course (Advanced Cardiac Life Support) of the American Heart Association
- 2008 Bariatric Surgery Course at the European Surgical Institute, Hamburg Norderstedt (Germany)
- 2008 National Bariatric Surgery Course of the ACOI (Associazione Chirurghi Ospedalieri Italiani)
- 2008 Coloproctology Training of the Colorectal Eporediensis Centre, Società Italiana di Chirurgia Colo-Rettale
- 51 Congresses, 11 International

## **Publications**

- 2 books chapters
- 11 journal publications in extenso,
  - 5 on Index Medicus (Medline), 2 as first author
  - 6 not on Index Medicus (Medline), 3 as first author
- 30 abstracts to Congresses,
  - 25 for International Congresses in foreign language,
  - 6 as first author

### **Books Chapters**

1. Morino M, Scozzari G. *Morbid obesity – Update 2006*. In: EAES Guidelines for Endoscopic Surgery, twelve years evidence-based surgery in Europe. Neugebauer EAM, Sauerland S, Fingerhut A, Millat B, Buess G Editors Ed. Springer 2006; pagg 269-264
2. Morino M, Scozzari G. *Appendicite Acuta*. In: “Medicina d’Urgenza. Pratica e progresso – 2a edizione” (a cura del prof. V. Gai – in press)

### **Journal Publications in extenso on Index Medicus**

1. Laurens M, Defamie V, Scozzari G, Schmid-Alliana A, Gugenheim J, Crenesse D. *Hypoxia-reoxygenation-induced chemokine transcription is not prevented by preconditioning or intermittent hypoxia, in mice hepatocytes*. *Transplant International* 2005; 18:444-452
2. Laurens M, Scozzari G, Patrono D, St-Paul MC, Gugenheim J, Huet PM, Crenesse D. *Warm ischemia-reperfusion injury is decreased by Tacrolimus in steatotic rat liver*. *Liver Transplantation* 2006; 12:217-225

3. Scozzari G, Toppino M, Bonnet G, Morino M. *Disappointing results with a 5 cm calibrating device for laparoscopic vertical banded gastroplasty*. Surgical Endoscopy 2008; 22:763-766
4. Scozzari G, Farinella E, Bonnet G, Toppino M, Morino M. *Laparoscopic adjustable silicone gastric banding versus laparoscopic vertical banded gastroplasty in morbidly obese patients: long-term results of a prospective randomized controlled clinical trial*. Obesity Surgery 2009; 19:1108-1115
5. Mistrangelo M, Cassoni P, Scozzari G, Castellano I, Gavello G, Corno F, Morino M. *Perianal granular cell tumour: report of a case and review of the literature*. Tumori (in press)

#### **Journal Publications in extenso not on Index Medicus**

1. Toppino M, Scozzari G, Parini D, Garrone C, Morino M. *Les fistules gastriques dans la chirurgie restrictive gastrique pour obésité morbide*. Le Journal de Coelio-chirurgie 2005; 54:52-59
2. Garrone C, Parini D, Scozzari G, Toppino M, Morino M. *Nouvelle technique pour l'anastomose gastro-jéjunale dans le bypass gastrique coelioscopique*. Le Journal de Coelio-chirurgie 2006; 58:13-17
3. Scozzari G, Rocchietto S, Toppino M, Morino M. *Gastroplastie verticale calibrée pour obésité morbide: a-t-elle un rôle à jouer en 2007?* Le Journal de Coelio-chirurgie 2007; 62:22-25
4. Allieta R, Millo P, Dabroi J, Scozzari G, Brachet Contul R, Fabozzi M, Nardi JR M, Persico F, Lale-Murix E, Gatti A, Roveroni M, Cornaglia S, Lo Russo R, Parini U. *Bypass gastrique: notre expérience de 300 cas*. Le Journal de Coelio-chirurgie 2008; 66:46-53
5. Scozzari G, Rebecchi F, Miglietta C, Toppino M, Morino M. *L'anastomose gastro-jéjunale robotique n'influence pas les résultats du bypass gastrique laparoscopique*. Le Journal de Coelio-Chirurgie 2009; 70:62-67
6. Scozzari G, Famiglietti F, Bonnet G, Toppino M, Morino M. *Laparoscopic vertical banded gastroplasty: our experience*. Ospedali d'Italia Chirurgia (in press)

#### **Presentations**

- 8 presentations at Congresses

#### **Membership**

- Member of SICE (Società Italiana di Chirurgia Endoscopica e Nuove Tecnologie)

#### **Interests**

- laparoscopic surgery
- bariatric surgery
- new technologies for endoscopic surgery

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