

Europass Curriculum Vitae



Personal information

First name(s) / Surname(s) Luigi Fiorenzo Festi

Occupational field **Emergency Surgery, Thoracic Surgery, General Surgery, Mini-Invasive Surgery, in Oncologic and Emergency Field. Mountain Emergency and Expedition Medicine.**

Work experience

Dates 2019-July Senior Surgeon, Deputy Chief Emergency Surgery and Transplantation Unit – Varese University Hospital
 2003-June 2019 Senior Surgeon, Deputy Chief of Thoracic Surgery – Hospital of Varese, Italy
 1993-2003 Assistant Surgeon, Deputy Chief in General Surgery – Hospital of Varese, Italy
 1991-1993 Assistant Surgeon General Surgery – Hospital of Varese, Italy
 1991 Assistant Surgeon Emergency Medicine – Hospital of Varese, Italy
 Senior Surgeon, Deputy Chief

Main activities and responsibilities **Emergency Surgery, Thoracic and General Surgery;**
 past member of Varese Hospital Ethical Committee 2003-2014;
 member and vice-president of Insubria Ethical Committee 2017 –July 2023.
 past member of the executive committee of the New Hospital operating room.
 Coordinator of the Accidental Hypothermia Intra-Hospital Italy-Swiss Transborder Center.
Mountain Doctor.

Name and address of employer Hospital of Varese , Via Guicciardini 9 – 21100 Varese, Italy
 Type of business or sector Healthcare, University Hospital Varese

Education and training

Dates 1977-85 (medical graduation); 1985-90 (Emergency Surgery specialization)
 Title of qualification awarded M.D.; Emergency Surgery specialization
 Principal subjects/occupational skills covered General, oncologic, laparoscopic, vascular and thoracic surgery. Mountain medicine and emergency surgery.
 Name and type of organisation providing education and training University of Pavia - Italy

Personal skills and competences

Emergency, Thoracic and General Surgeon active in the field of emergency.
 Specific skills in minimally invasive surgery (thoracic and general).
 Mountain emergency medicine with particular expertise in the abdominal and thoracic trauma surgery.
 International Expert Intra-Hospital Treatment of Accidental Hypothermic Patients.
 Organizer of international conferences and international academic master courses; hospital reference for the management of operating rooms.

Mother tongue(s) Italian

Other language(s) **German, English**

Self-assessment

European level (*)

German

English

Understanding		Speaking				Writing			
Listening		Reading		Spoken interaction		Spoken production			
	B1		B2		B1		B2		B1
	B1		B1		B1		B2		A2

(*) Common European Framework of Reference for Languages

Organisational skills and competences

Management Degree (2002). Eligibility for Surgery Chief, Ospedale di Circolo Varese (2003) and Eligibility for Surgery Chief, Ospedale Santa Chiara, Trento (2009)

Technical skills and competences

More than 2700 Major surgical procedures in general, thoracic, minimally-invasive and vascular surgery (elective and emergency/urgency) as first operator; surgical tutor

Computer skills and competences

Microsoft Office (basic)

Other skills and competences

Past-President of the National Medical Committee of Club Alpino Italiano (CAI)
Past-President Medical Lombardy Committee of Club Alpino Italiano (CAI)
Past-President of Italian Alpine Club of Malnate (VA) – Italy (CAI Malnate)
Member of International Committee - International Mountain Summit, Brixen
Auditor and Consultant of ICAR Medcom (International Commission Alpine Rescue).
Vice-President Italian Society Mountain Medicine (SiMeM)
UIAA Medcom member

Additional information

Director of the 1st International Congress on Mountain Medicine and Emergency (Varese, 2011)
Director of the 1st Italian –Swiss Course on Mountain Emergency (Aimed at Italian and SwissGuides, Instructors and Mountaineering Professionals)
Program Director, Ideator and Coordinator of the International Master Course in Mountain Medicine (University of Insubria Varese-EURAC Bolzano, Italy), 1st, 2nd, 3th and 4th edition.
Program Director, Ideator and Coordinator of International Master Course in Mountain Emergency Medicine (University of Insubria Varese-EURAC Bolzano, Alpine Rescue Center-Air Zermatt, Zermatt), 2nd edition
Program Director, Ideator and Coordinator of the International Master Course in Mountain Expedition Medicine (University of Insubria-EURAC Bolzano-University of New Mexico) 1st edition.
Director of the 2nd International Congress on Mountain Medicine and Emergency (Varese 2013).
Program Director, Ideator and Coordinator, International Master Course in Mountain Emergency Medicine, University of Insubria/University of Milano Bicocca 2019-2021

Author of more than 100 scientific publications on nutrition, sepsis, oncological surgery, laparoscopic surgery, vascular surgery, thoracic surgery, general surgery, mountain medicine.

Speaker and organizer of national and international conferences and conventions, trauma and mountain emergency medicine courses.

Editor of Mountain Emergency Medicine Book, Edra Publisher, Milano 2021.

Annexes