

Francesca Balconi

Contatti

📍 Cagliari

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Esperienze Lavorative E Professionali

02.2024 - Attuale

Dirigente Medico Oncologia

Ospedale Businco - Cagliari

11.2018 - 11.2023

Medico Specializzando

Policlinico Universitario di Monserrato - Monserrato

09.2022 - 02.2023

Fellowship

Oncologia Gastrointestinale Hospital Vall D'Hebron - Barcellona

09.2015 - 07.2016

Erasmus studio

Hospital de Bellvitge - Barcellona

Istruzione E Formazione

2023

Specializzazione in Oncologia Medica, Università degli studi di Cagliari

2017

Laurea magistrale, Medicina e Chirurgia, Università degli studi di Cagliari - Cagliari

- Abilitazione Iscrizione all'albo dei Medici e Chirurghi della provincia di Cagliari, 2018

2009

Diploma , Liceo Classico Dettori - Cagliari

Certificazioni

-21-22 February 2024 (Roma) Preceptorship il percorso multidisciplinare della paziente con tumore della mammella. Management, standard di cura, prospettive terapeutiche attuali e future

-13/12/2023 (FAD) Gestione dell'HCC nel 2023: cosa è cambiato, Accmed Fad
ESMO EXAMINATION CERTIFICATE 21 October 2023, Madrid

-24 November 2023 (Webinar) Dalle linee guida alla pratica clinica nel carcinoma del colon retto metastatico

-17-18 November 2023 (Zurich) ESMO Advanced course on biomarkers for precision Immuno-Oncology Across tumours

-22 September 2023 (Cagliari) Efficacia dello screening e nuove prospettive nella terapia adiuvante per il tumore del polmone

-18-20 August 2023 (Zurich) Esmo accademy 2023

-28,29,30 June- 1 July 2023: Esmo World Congress on Gastrointestinal Cancer
2023-Barcelona

-9-10 June 2023 (Barcelona) Esmo Advanced Course on precision oncology in breast cancer 2023

-5-6 May 2023 (Palermo) 2023 Cancer Research: from Orlando to Palermo

-25 April (Webinar) ESMO Guidelines: Real World Cases Webinar Oncogene Addicted
NSCLC

-8 March 2023 (Webinar) ESMO Deep Dive Webinar Series on Lower Digestive Cancers A
Deep Dive into molecular selection & monitoring of adjuvant strategies for patients with CRC

-1 March 2023 (Webinar) Neoplasie gastroenterobiliari complicate da ittero ostruttivo e carcinosi peritoneale: problemi aperti nelle cure simultanee

- 7 February 2023 (Webinar) ESMO Deep Dive Webinar Series on Lower Digestive Cancers
- 31 January 2023 (Webinar) ESMO Guidelines: Real World Cases Webinar Metastatic Colorectal Cancer
- 23 January 2023 (Barcelona) Reuniones locales GETNE Noreste – Integrando la oncologia de precision en la practica clinica en cancer de tiroides
- 15-16 December 2022 (Santander) 30 Simposio International TTD avances en el tratamiento de tumores digestivos
- 19 November 2022(Webinar) Corso di formazione FAD ACCMED HCC: state of art in clinical practice
- 11 November 2022 (Barcellona) Gastrointestinal cancer and neuroendocrine malignancies program
- 06 October 2022: (Badalona) XX Convegno di ricerca traslazionale e neoplasie dell'apparato digerente
- 1-2-3 October 2022: (Roma) XXIV Congresso Nazionale Aiom 2022
- 24 September 2022: (Webinar) Novità nel trattamento del carcinoma renale avanzato- Area Sardegna
- 22 September 2022: (Barcellona) Corso di formazione: carcinoma del colon-retto, stadio localizzato
- 11-12 July 2022: Esmo Preceptorship on Metastatic Bladder and Kidney Cancer- Lugano
- 8-9 July 2022: (Perugia) Congresso Nazionale AIOM giovani 2022: multidisciplinarietà e nuove sfide
- 17-18 June 2022: (Bologna) AIOM: News in Oncology: from USA to ITALY
- 13 April 2022 ESMO Deep Dive Webinar Series on Upper Digestive Cancers A deep dive into gastric cancer: from molecule to medicine
- 03 April 2022 (Webinar) Corso di formazione FAD ACCMED Grandangolo 2021: focus sui tumori rari
- 15 March 2022 ESMO Webinar on Oesophageal Cancer 1 ESMO-MORA category 1 points
- 4-5 March 2022 (Online) Young Onco GU 2022 Digital event
- 20 February 2022 (Online) Corso di formazione FAD ACCMED Il carcinoma gastrico: nuove opportunità e nuove problematiche
- 18 February 2022 (Cagliari) Il ruolo di trifluridina-tipiracil nel management clinico del paziente con mCRC avanzato
- 17 February 2022 (Online) Corso di formazione FAD ACCMED NSCLC avanzato oncogene addicted: stato dell'arte e prospettive
- 15 February 2022 (Online) Corso di formazione FAD ACCMED L'immunoterapia nel carcinoma del colon retto
- 14 February 2022 (Online) ESMO Deep Dive Webinar Series on Upper GI Cancers A deep dive into prevention, screening and early diagnosis. 1 ESMO-MORA category 1 points
- 08 February 2022 (Online) Corso di formazione FAD ACCMED La medicina di precisione: nuove sfide in oncologia
- 07 February 2022 (Online) Corso di formazione FAD ACCMED Grandangolo 2021 Un anno di Oncologia
- 10-11 December 2021 (Sassari) Tumori dell'apparato gastroenterico. Multidisciplinarietà e trattamenti integrati in oncologia
- 03 December 2021 (Online) Corso FAD “La salute dell'osso in oncologia: management delle metastasi ossee”
- 02 December 2021 (Online) Corso di formazione FAD ACCMED Carcinoma de colon retto BRaf mutato: diagnosi e terapia
- 28 November 2021 (Online) Corso di formazione FAD ACCMED Nuove opzioni terapeutiche per l'epatocarcinoma: esperienze di pratica clinica a confronto
- 20 November 2021 (Cagliari) Breast Cancer Update 2021
- 22-23 October 2021 Esmo Virtual Preceptorship on Gastric Cancer
- 11 October 2021 (Cagliari): Lungonline digital meeting (in quality of speaker)
- 10 July 2021 (Cagliari) Corso regionale terapia del dolore: Consensus meeting per il controllo del dolore nel paziente oncologico
- 10 December 2020 (Cagliari): Cure Simultanee: aggiornamenti 2020 (in quality of speaker)
- 30 October- 1 November 2020 (Webinar) AIOM NAZIONALE 2020
- 23-24 May 2020 : ESMO Breast cancer virtual meeting 2020
- 15 February 2020 (Vicenza): News in GI oncology 2020
- 19 November 2019 (Cagliari): Aggiornamenti 2019 sui Tumori Polmonari (in quality of Speaker)
- 25-26-27 October 2019 (Roma): XXI AIOM National Conference
- 16 October 2019 (Cagliari): Strategy of treatment in mCRC patients
- 09 September 2019: (Online) Corso di formazione FAD ACCMED La gestione multidisciplinare dei pazienti con melanoma in trattamento con immunoterapia
- 5-6 July 2019 (Perugia): 13° Young National Conference AIOM 2019 News in oncology

-28 June 2019 (Cagliari): Cure Simultanee: esperienze a confronto. Simultaneous care, simultaneous play
 -14-15 June 2019 (Verona): AIOM Review: From Chicago to Verona
 -31 May 2019 (Cagliari): Focus on diagnosis and therapy in cholangiocarcinoma
 -17 May 2019 (Cagliari): L'accademia del saper fare. Casi clinici in oncologia
 - 9 February 2019 (Bologna): AIOM Post ASCO GI Review. Updates and news from the Gastrointestinal Cancer Symposium in San Francisco, CA, USA
 - 24 Novembre 2018 (Cagliari): Breast cancer update 2018
 - 04 June 2013 Antibiotico resistenza (Cagliari)
 - 04 February 2013 Prevenire è meglio che curare! Mai arrendersi, lottare! (Cagliari)
 - 26 March 2015 PUBLIC HEALTH PHARMACOGENOMICS (Cagliari)

Lingue

ENGLISH: writing listening speaking
 B1 B1 B1
 SPANISH C1 C1 C1

Additional Information

Digital skills:

- Good command of Microsoft Windows OS and Mac OS.
- Good command of the use of computers and Microsoft Office tools (Word, Excel, PowerPoint), OpenOffice, Adobe Reader and iWork.
- Good command of Microsoft Explorer Web Browser, internet browsing and e-mail.
- Good knowledge of graphic and photographic design applications (Photoshop).

Good command of the use of communication machinery and equipment: I pods, I Phones, digital cameras, fax machines and major social media platforms

Competenze Linguistiche

Italiano: LINGUA MADRE

Inglese:

B1

Intermedio

Spagnolo:

C1

Avanzato

Catalano:

A2

Elementare

Tutoraggio

15.03.2020-16.04.2020 Tutoring for the Medicine and Surgery Degree Course of the University of Cagliari during the attendance for the training internship at day hospital structure breast cancer and urogenital pathologies
 31.01.2021- 31.08.2021 Tutoring for the Medicine and Surgery Degree Course of the University of Cagliari during the attendance for the training internship at the oncology department
 01.10.2021- 31.05.2022 Tutoring for the Medicine and Surgery Degree Course of the University of Cagliari during the attendance for the training internship at day hospital structure gastrointestinal tumor

Clinical Trial Experience

Co-Investigator in Studio NIVO-COLLECT Nivolumab in Oncology Practice: Data collection on safety and effectiveness. Principal Investigator: Professoressa Clelia Madeddu. SC Oncologia Medica Azienda Ospedaliera Universitaria di Cagliari – Presidio Policlinico di Monserrato "Duilio Casula" 17.10.2019
 Co-Investigator in Studio AtTend - Phase III double-blind randomized placebo controlled trial of atezolizumab in combination with paclitaxel and carboplatin in women with advanced/recurrent endometrial cancer. Principal Investigator: Dottoressa Elena Massa. SC Oncologia Medica Azienda Ospedaliera Universitaria di Cagliari- Presidio Policlinico di Monserrato "Duilio Casula" February 2019
 Co-Investigator in TIDE-A trial- Phase II, prospective, multicentre, first line with Avelumab in combination with axitinib in metastatic renal cell carcinoma
 Co-Investigator in PRESERVE trial

Pubblicazioni Scientifiche

1. Inflammation, cancer and prognosis: a single center retrospective study in breast cancer and lung cancer patients

F.M Manca, E.Lai,P.Ziranu, V.Impera, A.Pretta, F.Musio,C.Donisi, M.Persano, F.Balconi, S.Mariani, N.Liscia, G.Pinna,A.Pireddu, C.Madeddu, M.Dessi, E.Massa, F.Atzori, P.A Ferrari, R.Churchi, G.Astara, M.Scartozzi
 Tumori journal. Abstract book of the 22th National Congress og Italian Association of

2. Introducing immunotherapy for advanced hepatocellular carcinoma patients: Too early or too fast?

E.Lai, G.Astara, P. Ziranu, A.Pretta, M.Migliari, M.Dubois, C.Donisi, S. Mariani, N. Liscia, V.Impera, M.Persano, S.Tolu, **F.Balconi**, G.Pinna,D.Spanu, A.Pireddu, G.Saba, S.Camera, M.Scartozzi Critical Reviews in Oncology/hematology, 12 Nov 2020, 157:103167

3. Molecular-Biology-Driven Treatment for Metastatic Colorectal Cancer

E.Lai, N.Liscia, C.Donisi, S. Mariani, S.Tolu, A.Pretta, M.Persano, G. Pinna, **F.Balconi**, A.Pireddu, V.Impera, M.Dubois, M.Migliari, D.Spanu, G.Saba, S.Camera, F.Musio, P.Ziranu, M.Puzzoni, L.Demurtas, V.Pusceddu, M.Dettori, E.Massa, F.Atzori, M.Dessi, G.Astara, C. Madeddu, M.Scartozzi

4. Why precision medicine should be applied across the continuum of care for metastatic colorectal cancer patient?

M.Puzzoni, P.Ziranu, L.Demurtas, E.Lai, S.Mariani, N.Liscia, P.Soro, A.Pretta, V.Impera, S.Camera, F.Musio, M.Persano, C.Donisi, S.Tolu, **F.Balconi**, M.Scartozzi. Future Oncol.2020 Jan; 16(2): 4337-4339.doi: 10.2217/fon-2019-0624.Epub 2019 Dec 3

5. New therapeutic targets in pancreatic cancer. 11 November 2019

E. Lai, M.Puzzoni, P.Ziranu, A.Pretta, V.Impera, S.Mariani, N.Liscia, P.Soro, F.Musio, M.Persano, C.Donisi, S.Tolu, **F.Balconi**, A.Pireddu, L.Demurtas, V.Pusceddu, S.Camera, F.Scalafani, M.Scartozzi.

Cancer Treat Rev.2019 Nov 11;81: 101926

6. Real-life data on the peri-operative FLOT regimen in in locally advanced resectable gastric/GEJ adenocarcinoma.

S. Camera, F. Musio, V. Impera, A. Pretta, S. Mariani, N. Liscia, P. Soro, S. Tolu, M. Persano, **F. Balconi**, C. Donisi, A. Pireddu, E. Lai, M. Puzzoni, G. Astara, P. Ziranu, M. Scartozzi. Tumori Journal, Volume 105, number 6S, November 2019. Abstract Book of the 21th National Congress of Italian Association of Medical Oncology (AIOM). Abstract n°B3

7. Safety of anthracyclines regimens in patients with early breast cancer and glucose-6-phosphate-dehydrogenase (G6PD) deficiency.

C. Donisi, M. Persano, **F. Balconi**, S. Camera, V. Impera, N. Liscia, S. Mariani, F. Musio, A. Pretta, P. Soro, S. Tolu, E. Lai, M. Dessi, M. Scartozzi, F. Atzori. Tumori Journal, Volume 105, number 6S, November 2019. Abstract Book of the 21th National Congress of Italian Association of Medical Oncology (AIOM). Abstract e poster n°C32

8. A non standardized questionnaire to investigate adverse events during endocrine therapy in patients with early breast cancer.

M. Persano, C. Donisi, **F. Balconi**, S. Camera, V. Impera, N. Liscia, S. Mariani, F. Musio, A. Pretta, P. Soro, S. Tolu, E. Lai, M. Dessi, M. Scartozzi, F. Atzori. Tumori Journal, Volume 105, number 6S, November 2019. Abstract Book of the 21th National Congress of Italian Association of Medical Oncology (AIOM). Abstract n°C59

9.Safety and efficacy of immunotherapy in elderly patients with NSCLC : our experience

S.Tolu, E.Massa, **F.Balconi**,S.Camera, A.Pretta, V.Impera, N.Liscia,M.Persano,C.Donisi, S.Mariani, E.Lai, G.Astara, P.Ziranu,C.Madeddu,M.Scartozzi. Tumori Journal, Volume 105, number 6s, November 2019. Abstract book of the 21th National Congress of Italian Association of Medical Oncology (AIOM). Abstract N°D56

10.Overall survival and progression-free survival in metastatic colorectal cancer patient with concomitant RAS and BRAF mutations: a single center experience.

A.Pretta, E.Lai, N.Liscia, V.Impera,S.Camera, F.Musio, S.Mariani, M.Persano,C.Donisi, S.Tolu, **F.Balconi**, F.Azori, M.Dessi,,E.Massa, C.Madeddu,V.Pusceddu,L.Demurtas,M.Puzzoni,S.Cascinu, M.Scartozzi. Annals of Oncology, Volume 30,Issue Supplement_4, July 2019, mdz155.295, <http://doi.org/10.1093/annonc/mdz155.295>

11.Effectiveness of CA 19.9 in predicting prognosis In metastatic cancer patients treated with nab-paclitaxel plus gemcitabine

S.Mariani, P.Soro, N.Liscia, **F.Balconi**, S.Camera, C.Donisi, V.Impera, F.Musio, M.Persano,A.Pireddu, A.Pretta, S.Tolu, V.Pusceddu, E.Lai, L.Faloppi, L.Demurtas,P.Ziranu, M.Puzzoni, M.Scartozzi. Annals of Oncology, Volume 30, Issue Supplement_4, July 2019, mdz155,229, <http://doi.org/10.1093/annonc/mdz155.229>

12. BEST OF ASCO 2019- Oral Abstract Session-Gastric Cancer.

E.Lai,P.Soro,S.Mariani,N.Liscia,S.Camera,M.Persano,S.Tolu,C.Donisi,**F.Balconi**,V.Impera,L.Demurtas,A.Pireddu,F.Musio,V.Pusceddu,A.Pretta,P.Ziranu,M.Puzzoni,m.Scartozzi. New ERA Opened Medical Oncology Progress & Perspectives NEOMOPP online N°10, Giugno 2019

13. Revisione della letteratura 2018 : I 4 lavori più importanti pubblicati nel 2018 nei tumori dello stomaco.

S.Mariani, N. Liscia, M. Persano, S. Tolu, **F. Balconi**, C.Dionisi, A. Pretta, V. Impera, S. Camera, A. Pireddu, F.Musio, P. Soro, V.Pusceddu, E. Lai, M.Puzzoni, P.Ziranu, L. Demurtas, M.

Scartozzi

New Era Opened Medical Oncology Progress & Perspective NEOMOPP online N°9,
Dicembre 2018

14. Combining immunotherapy with anti-angiogenic therapy: the new standard of care for hepatocellular cancer?

M.Dubois, M.Persano, **F.Balconi**, C.Donisi, V.Impera, N.Liscia, S.Mariani, M.Migliari, F.Musiu, G.Pinna, A.Pireddu, A.Pretta, D.Spanu, G.Saba, S.Tolu, L.Demurtas, M.Puzzoni, P.Ziranu, E.Lai, G.Astara, M.Scartozzi.

Journal of clinical Oncology and Therapeutics. Vol.3.Issue 1. Doi: 10.47275/2690-5663-117.
ISSN 2690-5663

15.Interviste sul carcinoma del colon, del retto, dello stomaco,del pancreas e del fegato. I cambiamenti nella pratica clinica- intervista su stomaco adiuvante: Radioterapia, profilo molecolare,MSI.La scelta della terapia adiuvante sta cambiando?

A.Pretta, P.Ziranu, M.Puzzoni, L.Demurtas, V.Pusceddu, V.Impera, N.Liscia, S.Mariani, F.Musio, C.Donisi, M.Persano, S.Tolu, G.Saba, M.Dubois, M.Migliari, G.Pinna, D.Spanu, A.Pireddu, F.Balconi, E.Lai, M.Scartozzi

New Era Opened Medical Oncology Progress and Perspectives NEOMOPP online N11,
Gennaio 2020.

16. The role of concomitant RAS and BRAF mutations in influencing clinical outcome during BRAF-targeted treatment for metastatic colorectal cancer.A. Pretta , P. Ziranu , D. Spanu , E. Lai , M. Dettori , C. Manai , **F. Balconi** , R. Intini , S. Murgia , A.G. Leone , M. Pozzari , C. Rasola , F. Bardanzellu , G. Maddalena , V. Pusceddu , M. Puzzoni1 , F. Pietrantonio, F. Bergamo , S. Lonardi , M. Scartozzi.

Annals of Oncology, Abstract only,volume 33, supplement 7, S707,September 01,2022
DOI:10.1016/j.annonc.2022.07.511

17. Influence of type 2 diabetes mellitus and concomitant anti-diabetic medications in patients with metastatic pancreatic ductal adenocarcinoma.

A.Pretta, E.Cimbro, R.Giampieri, D.Spanu, E. Lai, F.Pecci, **F.Balconi**, A.Lupi, M.Pozzari, S.Murgia, F.Bardanzellu, A. Maccioni, F. Contu, M.Persano, C.Donisi, V.Pusceddu, M.Puzzoni, P.Ziranu, R.Berardi, M.Scartozzi

Journal of Clinical Oncology 40, no. 16_suppl (June 01, 2022) e16301-e16301 DOI:
10.1200/JCO.2022.40.16_suppl.e16301

18. Association between inflammation index and nutritional status and the effectiveness of immunotherapy in NSCLC treatment S. Tolu, N. Liscia, **F. Balconi**, C. Donisi, M. Persano, S. Mariani, V. Impera, A. Pretta, M. Migliari, M. Dubois, D. Spanu, F. Musio, G. Saba, A. Pireddu, G. Pinna, Piredda R., E. Massa, L. Demurtas, G.Astara, M. Scartozzi, C. Madeddu Esmo Immune-Oncology Virtual Congress 2020

19. The cancer patient between complication and complexity: the external individual world cancer in treatment Podda F., Marchi A.R., Lai E., Ziranu P., Donisi C., Persano M., Pretta A., Spanu D., Dubois M., Migliari M., Pinna G., Saba G., Cimbro E., Balconi F., Scalas P., Melis F., Siddi S., Astara G., Madeddu C., Massa E., Scartozzi M., Medical Oncology Unit, University Hospital and University of Cagliari, Monserrato 09042, Cagliari, Italy Oncologia e Complessità, le nuove sfide per gli Oncologi, Abstract book of the 23th National Congress of Italian Association of Medical Oncology (AIOM) 1-2 Ottobre 2022

20 Potential prognostic factors in metastatic renal cell carcinoma patients treated with immune-checkpoint inhibitors Spanu D., Pretta A., Lai E., Cimbro E., Saba G., Loi F., Codipietro C., Aresu E., Dubois M., Migliari M., Pinna G., Persano M., Donisi C., Balconi F., Pozzari M., Pireddu A., Mariani S. Busonera I., Dessi M, Atzori F., Scartozzi M

21 Advances in immune checkpoint inhibitor combination strategies for microsatellite stable colorectal cancer

Ros. J, **Balconi. F**, Baraibar. I, Saoudi Gonzalez. N, Salva F, Tabernero. J, Elez.E. **Front. Oncol.**, **02 February 2023**

Sec. Cancer Genetics Volume 13 - 2023 | <https://doi.org/10.3389/fonc.2023.1112276>

22. Clinical score for colorectal cancer patients with lung-limited metastasis undergoing surgical resection: Meta-lung score

P.Ziranu,P.AFerrari,F.Guerrera,P.Bertoglio,A.Tamburrini,A.Pretta,P.Lyberis,G.Grimaldi,E.Lai,M.Santorù

Lung Cancer, 2023 Aug 9;184:107342. doi: 10.1016/j.lungcan.2023.107342

23. Prediction of response to anti- angiogenetic treatment for advance colorectal cancer patients: from biological factors to functional imaging

Corrias, G., Lai, E., Ziranu, P., Mariani, S., Donisi, C., Liscia, N., Saba, G., Pretta, A., Persano, M., Fanni, D., Spanu, D., Balconi, F., Loi, F., Deidda, S., Restivo, A., Pusceddu, V., Puzzoni, M., Solinas, C., Massa, E., Madeddu, C., Gerosa, C., Zocolo, L., Faa, G., Saba, L., Scartozzi, M. Cancers 2024, 16, 1364

24. Real-world data of patients (pts) with BRAF V600E-mutated metastatic colorectal cancer (mCRC) treated with Trifluridine/Tipiracil (FTD-TPI).

Javier Ros 1,2 , Eduardo Garcia 2 , Pablo Gómez 3 , Raquel Comas 2 , Giulia Martini 4 , Francesca Balconi 5 , Francesc Salvà 1,2 , Iosune Baraibar 1,2 , Nadia Saoudi 1,2 , Marta

Rodriguez 1,2 , Adriana Alcaraz 2 , Ariadna Garcia 2 , Vicente Alonso 3 , Josep Tabernero
1,2
and Elena Elez 1,2
ESMO Gastrointestinal Cancers Congress 2024