



# Andrea Tacchino

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## ● WORK EXPERIENCE

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17/12/2023 – CURRENT

**NATIONAL SCIENTIFIC QUALIFICATION TO FULL PROFESSOR IN HEALTH PROFESSIONS SCIENCES AND APPLIED MEDICAL TECHNOLOGIES (CODE 06/N1)**

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12/12/2023 – CURRENT

**NATIONAL SCIENTIFIC QUALIFICATION TO ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR IN PSYCHOLOGY, PSYCHOBIOLOGY AND PSYCHOMETRY (CODE 11/E1)**

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15/10/2018 – CURRENT

**NATIONAL SCIENTIFIC QUALIFICATION TO ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR IN HEALTH PROFESSIONS SCIENCES AND APPLIED (CODE 06/N1)**

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04/05/2011 – CURRENT Genoa, Italy

**RESEARCHER ITALIAN MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS FOUNDATION**

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Member of the Scientific Rehabilitation Area of the Italian Multiple Sclerosis Foundation.

My interests are focused on:

- the impact of motor and cognitive rehabilitation on behavioural and neural correlates.
- the impact of physical activity on behavioural and neural correlates.
- models applied to bigdata of Patient Centered Outcomes to predict disease evolution.
- social cognition.
- unmet needs and quality of life in people with multiple sclerosis and caregivers.
- validation of clinical scales for the evaluation of people with multiple sclerosis.
- use of devices for the rehabilitation of neurological diseases.

**Business or Sector** Professional, scientific and technical activities |

**Address** Via Operai 40, Genoa (Italy), 16149, Genoa, Italy | **Website** [www.aism.it](http://www.aism.it)

03/05/2009 – 03/05/2011 Genoa

**POST DOC EXPERIMENTAL MEDICINE DEPARTMENT, UNIVERSITY OF GENOA**

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Motor control in healthy and neurological populations

**Business or Sector** Professional, scientific and technical activities |

**Address** Via Leon Battista Alberti, 2, 16132, Genoa | **Website** [www.dimes.unige.it](http://www.dimes.unige.it)

01/01/2006 – 27/03/2009 Genoa, Italy

**PHD STUDENT EXPERIMENTAL MEDICINE DEPARTMENT, UNIVERSITY OF GENOA**

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Motor control in healthy and neurological populations

**Business or Sector** Professional, scientific and technical activities | **Address** Via L. B. Alberti 2, 16132, Genoa, Italy |

**Website** [www.dimes.unige.it](http://www.dimes.unige.it)

15/05/2007 – 30/06/2007 United States

**RESEARCH FELLOW DEPARTMENT OF PHYSIOLOGY AND PHARMACOLOGY OF CUNY (NEW YORK)**

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At the Laboratory of Prof. Maria Felice Ghilardi.

Aim: Motor learning during fine finger movements.

01/05/2005 – 31/12/2005 Genoa, Italy

**RESEARCH ASSISTANT** EXPERIMENTAL MEDICINE DEPARTMENT, UNIVERSITY OF GENOA

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Transcallosal inhibition in patients with multiple sclerosis

**Business or Sector** Professional, scientific and technical activities | **Address** Via L. B. Alberti 2, 16132, Genoa, Italy |

**Website** [www.dimes.unige.it](http://www.dimes.unige.it)

01/05/2005 – 03/05/2011 Genoa, Italy

**TECHNICAL MANAGER, TUTOR AND TEACHER** UNIVERSITY OF GENOA

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Technical manager, Tutor and Teacher for the Master of ICT applied to Medicine

**Business or Sector** Professional, scientific and technical activities | **Address** Via L. B. Alberti 2, 16132, Genoa, Italy |

**Website** [www.matam.it](http://www.matam.it)

09/2005 – CURRENT

**UNIVERSITY TEACHER**

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**2013 - 2024: Rehabilitation engineering and prosthetic devices** for the *Master degree for Biomedical Engineering - University of Genoa*

**2021 - 2024: Devices and Technologies for Rehabilitation** for the *Bachelor's degree for Biomedical Engineering - University of Cagliari*

**2006 - 2009 (and 2013 - 2024): Information and Communication Technology** for the *Bachelor's degree for Sport Science - University of Genoa*

**2005 - 2009 (and 2017 - 2024): Computer Assisted Design** for the *Bachelor's degree for Orthopedic technicians - University of Genoa*

**2013 - 2023: Information and Communication Technology** for the *Master degree for Sport Science - University of Genoa*

**2022: Neurorehabilitative treatments for neurological pathologies. Focus on Multiple Sclerosis** for *Scuola IANUA - University of Genoa*

**2019 - 2021: Multiple Sclerosis: Clinical, cognitive and motor aspects of the disease** for the *Master in Clinical Neuroscience - Catholic University of Sacro Cuore*

**2012 - 2017: Electronic and electric measurements** for the *Bachelor's degree for Orthopedic technicians - University of Genoa*

**2005 - 2013: Human Physiology** for the *Bachelor's degree for Biomedical Engineering - University of Genoa*

**2011: Human Physiology** for the *Bachelor's degree for Physical Therapy - University of Genoa*

**2011: Information and Communication Technology** for the *Master in Management of Health Systems - University of Genoa*

**2007 - 2010: Bioengineering, Electronics and Information and Communication Technology** for the *Master degree for Sport Science - University of Genoa*

**2007 - 2009: Information and Communication Technology** for the *Fitness Trainers Course - University of Genoa*

2009 – CURRENT

**OTHER TEACHING AND RESPONSIBILITIES**

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**2024: Invited Speaker** for the webinar “**Frontiere innovative nella Sclerosi Multipla**” organized by the Italian Multiple Sclerosis Society (AISM), online, Italy

**2023: Scientific responsibility and Speaker** for “**Teleriabilitazione nella Sclerosi Multipla: dalla valutazione al trattamento**” organized by AISM, Genoa, Italy

**2023: Invited Speaker** for “**ECTRIMS Summer School 2023: From biological basis to ecological implications of rehabilitation in MS**” organized by the ECTRIMS, Gdansk, Poland

**2022: Scientific responsibility and Speaker** for “**Stabilometria nella Sclerosi Multipla dalla valutazione alla misura di outcome**” organized by AISM, Genoa, Italy

**2021: Scientific Committee and Speaker** for “**Medicina digitale e teleriabilitazione durante ed oltre l'emergenza sanitaria focus su patologie neurologiche**” organized by AISM, online, Italy

**2020: Invited Speaker** for “**Recenti acquisizioni nella sclerosi multipla**” organized by AISM, Genoa, Italy

**2019: Scientific responsibility and Speaker** for “**Education in specific biomedical devices classes**” for the “**Management of biomedical technologies**” organized by the LIUC Business School, Aosta, Italy

**2019: Scientific responsibility and Speaker** for “**Misure di outcome per la SM: aggiornamento della letteratura e training di somministrazione**” organized by AISM, Genoa, Italy

**2019: Scientific responsibility and Speaker** for “Recenti acquisizioni nella sclerosi multipla: le tecnologie ambulatoriali e domiciliari per il trattamento riabilitativo della sclerosi multipla” organized by AISM, Genoa, Italy

**2018: Invited Speaker** for “La riabilitazione cognitiva ed in dual-task nella SM” organized by AISM, Genoa, Italy

**2018: Invited Speaker** for “Recenti acquisizioni nella sclerosi multipla” organized by AISM, Padua, Italy

**2018: Invited Speaker** for “Recenti acquisizioni nella sclerosi multipla” organized by AISM, Genoa, Italy

**2017: Scientific responsibility and Speaker** for “Ricerca nella SM: le tecnologie al servizio della riabilitazione” organized by AISM, Genoa, Italy

**2012: Invited Speaker** for “Una ricerca di qualità: analisi degli aspetti metodologici della ricerca psicologica nella Sclerosi Multipla” organized by AISM, Genoa, Italy

**2009: Teacher** for “Information and Communication Technology” for the Ordine dei medici, Genoa, Italy

2012 – CURRENT

## REVIEWER

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### Reviewer for manuscripts for the following international journals:

Journal of Neural Transmission, Clinical Rehabilitation, Disability and Rehabilitation, PlosONE, British Journal of Occupational Therapy, Multiple Sclerosis and Related Disorders, Multiple Sclerosis International, Multiple Sclerosis Journal: Experimental, Translational and Clinical, Journal of NeuroEngineering and Rehabilitation, Archives in Physiotherapy, Scientific Report, Applied Neuropsychology, Computational Intelligence and Neuroscience, Brain Science, Frontiers in Psychology, Frontiers in Neurology, Frontiers in Human Neuroscience, JMIR Serious Games, Neurology, NeuroImage, Experimental Brain Research, Journal of Neurologic Physical Therapy

2021 – CURRENT

## EDITOR

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### Associate editor:

■ Frontiers in Human Neuroscience

2018 – CURRENT

## SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEES

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Member of the Scientific Committee of “Rete Psicologi”, an initiative organized by the Italian Multiple Sclerosis Society (AISM) to share scientific knowledge among psychologists expert of Multiple Sclerosis.

Member of the Organizing Committee of “RIMS Conference: Translating Knowledge into Practice: Embracing the Complexity of MS Rehabilitation” - RIMS - Genoa

2017

## WORKGROUPS

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Member of the workgroup for the “**MANIFESTO PER UNA SANITA' “INTELLIGENTE”**”, an initiative organized by **i-com** organization on the role of Artificial Intelligence in Public Health.

## ● EDUCATION AND TRAINING

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2019 Turin, Italy

### MASTER DEGREE IN PSYCHOLOGY (BODY AND MIND SCIENCES) (FINAL MARK 110/110)

University of Turin

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**Field of study** Psychology | **Final grade** 110/110 |

**Thesis** Social cognition decline in people with Multiple Sclerosis. Evidences from movement intention recognition.

2015 Turin, Italy

### BACHELOR DEGREE IN PSYCHOLOGICAL SCIENCES (FULL MARKS WITH HONORS) University of

Turin

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**Field of study** Psychology | **Final grade** 110/110 Cum laude |

**Thesis** Cognitive disorders in Multiple Sclerosis. From diagnosis to treatment.

01/01/2006 – 27/03/2009 Genoa, Italy

**PHD IN BIOENGINEERING** University of Genoa

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**Field of study** Engineering | **Level in EQF** EQF level 8 |

**Thesis** The future is in our hands: a neuroengineering approach to study the neurophysiology of finger movements.

2004 Genoa, Italy

**MASTER DEGREE IN BIOENGINEERING (FINAL MARK 110/110)** University of Genoa

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**Field of study** Engineering | **Final grade** 110/110 |

**Thesis** Design and Development of a tool for the quantitative evaluation of the fine finger movements.

2002 Genoa, Italy

**BACHELOR DEGREE IN BIOMEDICAL ENGINEERING (FINAL MARK 104/110)** University of Genoa

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**Field of study** Engineering | **Final grade** 104/110 |

**Thesis** Software development for the impedance featuring of matrices of electrical micro-transducers.

1994 – 1999 Genoa, Italy

**HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA (CLASSICAL STUDIES)** Liceo classico statale Giuseppe Mazzini

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## ● LANGUAGE SKILLS

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Mother tongue(s): **ITALIAN**

Other language(s):

	UNDERSTANDING		SPEAKING		WRITING
	Listening	Reading	Spoken production	Spoken interaction	
<b>ENGLISH</b>	C2	C2	C2	C1	C2
<b>FRENCH</b>	C1	C2	B1	B1	B1

*Levels: A1 and A2: Basic user; B1 and B2: Independent user; C1 and C2: Proficient user*

## ● DIGITAL SKILLS

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Instagram | Microsoft Office | Microsoft Excel | Microsoft Powerpoint | Google Docs | Social Media | Skype | Google Drive | Outlook | LinkedIn | Visual Studio - Visual C# | Experience in MATLAB, python, and R

## ● DRIVING LICENCE

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**Driving Licence:** B

## ● HONOURS AND AWARDS

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**Honours and awards**

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**Awards as First author:**

**2014: Award for best platform presentation** "Social cognition decline in Multiple Sclerosis. Evidences from intention recognition" at **The CONSORTIUM of Multiple Sclerosis Centers 2014** – Dallas, Texas, **US**

**2012: Young Research Award for Best contribute Basic Knowledge and Methodologies** "III National Bioengineering Congress" – Rome, Italy

**2009: National Award for PhD Thesis** - "National Bioengineering Group"

**Awards as Participant:**

**2023: Award for Best contribute to Clinical Research** "Exergames a domicilio per migliorare la funzione cognitive nella Sclerosi Multipla: uno studio multicentrico, randomizzato, controllato con sham, ion singolo cieco, a bracci paralleli (EXTREMUS)." **International Scientific Congress AIFI** – Bologna, Italy

**2017: Award for Second best oral presentation** "Responsiveness of upper limb outcome measures in people with multiple sclerosis: an European RIMS multi-center study." **RIMS congress 2017** – Barcelona, Spain

**2013: Award for poster presentation** "Motor rehabilitation impacts the white matter microstructure of corpus callosum in patients with multiple sclerosis" at **RIMS congress 2013** – Copenhagen, Denmark

**2009: Award for poster presentation** "Unimanual and bimanual fingers movements analysis in patients affected by Tourette Syndrome" at XXXVI Congresso Nazionale LIMPE– Genoa, Italy

## ● **ORGANISATIONAL SKILLS**

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### **Organisational skills**

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Good organizational and leadership skills.

## ● **COMMUNICATION AND INTERPERSONAL SKILLS**

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### **Communication and interpersonal skills**

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I establish good relations both at work and in the free time. I am used to teamwork and to opinion sharing.

## ● **PATENTS**

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### **Patents**

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**2013: Structured Cognitive Functions Training Kit** (Scientific-Clinical App for Android mobile devices) – N° 008950, Ordinativo D008111, 20/08/2013

## ● **CITATIONS**

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### **Citations**

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## ● **SCIENTIFIC PROFILE**

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### **Publications, Poster presentations, Oral presentations, Chairman position, Projects**

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Number of publications: 101

Si autorizza il trattamento dei propri dati personali ai sensi del D. Lgs. n. 196 del 30/06/2003. Il presente CV ha funzione di autocertificazione ai sensi dell'art. 13 GDPR 679/16.

24/05/2024

In fede  
Andrea Tacchino

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## Detailed scientific profile

### LIST OF PUBLICATIONS ON INTERNATIONAL JOURNALS WITH PEER-REVIEW

2024	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Rocca MA, Valsasina P, Romanò F, Tedone N, Amato MP, Bricchetto G, Boccia VD, Chataway J, Chiaravalloti ND, Cutter G, Dalgas U, DeLuca J, Farrell RA, Feys P, Freeman J, Inglese M, Meza C, Motl RW, Salter A, Sandroff BM, Feinstein A, Filippi M; <b>Cogex Research Team. Cognitive rehabilitation effects on grey matter volume and Go-NoGo activity in progressive multiple sclerosis: results from the CogEx trial.</b> J Neurol Neurosurg Psychiatry. 2024 May 16;jnnp-2024-333460.</li> <li>Albanese GA, Bucchieri A, Podda J, <b>Tacchino A</b>, Buccelli S, De Momi E, Laffranchi M, Mannella K, Holmes MWR, Zenzeri J, De Michieli L, Bricchetto G, Barresi G. <b>Robotic systems for upper-limb rehabilitation in multiple sclerosis: a SWOT analysis and the synergies with virtual and augmented environments.</b> Front Robot AI. 2024 Feb 27;11:1335147.</li> <li>Podda J, Pedullà L, Bricchetto G, <b>Tacchino A. Evaluating Cognitive-Motor Interference in Multiple Sclerosis: A Technology-Based Approach.</b> Bioengineering (Basel). 2024 Mar 14;11(3):277.</li> <li>Ponzio M, <b>Tacchino A</b>, Verri A, Battaglia MA, Bricchetto G, Podda J. <b>Profile and burden of the family caregiver: the caring experience in multiple sclerosis. An observational study.</b> BMC Psychol. 2024 Mar 26;12(1):173.</li> <li>Kirk C, Küderle A, Micó-Amigo ME, Bonci T, Paraschiv-Ionescu A, Ullrich M, Soltani A, Gazit E, Salis F, Alcock L, Aminian K, Becker C, Bertuletti S, Brown P, Buckley E, Cantu A, Carsin AE, Caruso M, Caulfield B, Cereatti A, Chiari L, D'Ascanio I, Garcia-Aymerich J, Hansen C, Hausdorff JM, Hiden H, Hume E, Keogh A, Kluge F, Koch S, Maetzler W, Megaritis D, Mueller A, Niessen M, Palmerini L, Schwickert L, Scott K, Sharrack B, Sillén H, Singleton D, Vereijken B, Vogiatzis I, Yarnall AJ, Rochester L, Mazzà C, Eskofier BM, Del Din S; <b>Mobilise-D consortium. Mobilise-D insights to estimate real-world walking speed in multiple conditions with a wearable device.</b> Sci Rep. 2024 Jan 19;14(1):1754.</li> <li><b>Tacchino A</b>, Skjerbæk AG, Podda J, Prada V, Monti Bragadin M, Bergamaschi V, Susini A, Hvid LG, Pedullà L, Bricchetto G. <b>The role of sensory systems in the association between balance and walking in people with multiple sclerosis.</b> Mult Scler Relat Disord. 2024 Mar;83:105440.</li> <li>Solaro C, Di Giovanni R, Grange E, Bricchetto G, Mueller M, <b>Tacchino A</b>, Bertoni R, Patti F, Pappalardo A, Prosperini L, Rosato R, Cattaneo D, Marengo D. <b>Influence of cognition on the correlation between objective and subjective upper limb measures in people with multiple sclerosis.</b> Neurol Sci. 2024 Jun;45(6):2783-2789.</li> <li>Podda J, Marchesi G., Bellosta A., Squeri V., De Luca A., Pedullà L., <b>Tacchino A.</b>, Bricchetto G. <b>Testing Dynamic Balance in People with Multiple Sclerosis: A Correlational Study between Standard Posturography and Robotic-Assistive Device.</b> Sensors. 24, 3325.</li> </ol>
2023	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Tacchino A</b>, Podda J, Bergamaschi V, Pedullà L, Bricchetto G. <b>“Cognitive rehabilitation in multiple sclerosis: Three digital ingredients to address current and future priorities.”</b> Front Hum Neurosci. 2023 Feb 23;17:1130231.</li> <li>Pedullà L, Santoyo-Medina C, Novotna K, Moumdjian L, Smedal T, Arntzen EC, van der Linden ML, Learmonth Y, Kalron A, Güngör F, Nedeljkovic U, Kos D, Jonsdottir J, Coote S, <b>Tacchino A. “Physical Activity in Multiple Sclerosis: Meeting the Guidelines at the Time of the COVID-19 Pandemic.”</b> J Neurol Phys Ther. 2023 Apr 1;47(2):112-121.</li> <li>Jonsdottir J, Santoyo-Medina C, Kahraman T, Kalron A, Rasova K, Moumdjian L, Coote S, <b>Tacchino A</b>, Grange E, Smedal T, Arntzen EC, Learmonth Y, Pedulla L, Quinn G, Kos D. <b>“Changes in physiotherapy services and use of technology for people with multiple sclerosis during the COVID-19 pandemic.”</b> Mult Scler Relat Disord. 2023 Mar;71:104520.</li> <li>Carpinella I, Anastasi D, Gervasoni E, Di Giovanni R, <b>Tacchino A</b>, Bricchetto G, Confalonieri P, Rovaris M, Solaro C, Ferrarin M, Cattaneo D. <b>“Balance Impairments in People with Early-Stage Multiple Sclerosis: Boosting the Integration of Instrumented Assessment in Clinical Practice.”</b> Sensors (Basel). 2022 Dec 6;22(23):9558.</li> <li>Ponzio M, Monti MC, Mallucci G, Borrelli P, Fusco S, <b>Tacchino A</b>, Bricchetto G, Tronconi L, Montomoli C, Bergamaschi R. <b>“The economic impact of comorbidity in multiple sclerosis.”</b> Neurol Sci. 2023 Mar;44(3):999-1008.</li> <li>Solaro C, Di Giovanni R, Grange E, Bricchetto G, Mueller M, <b>Tacchino A</b>, Bertoni R, Patti F, Pappalardo A, Prosperini L, Castelli L, Rosato R, Cattaneo D, Marengo D. <b>“Correlation between patient-reported manual ability and three objective measures of upper limb function in people with multiple sclerosis.”</b> Eur J Neurol. 2023 Jan;30(1):172-178.</li> <li>Podda J, <b>Tacchino A</b>, Verri A, Battaglia MA, Bricchetto G, Ponzio M. <b>Development and psychometric properties of a self-assessed knowledge questionnaire for caregivers of people with multiple sclerosis (CareKoMS): a cross-sectional study.</b> BMJ Open. 2023 Jun 30;13(6):e071657.</li> <li>Podda J, Marchesi G, Squeri V, De Luca A, Bellosta A, Pedullà L, Konrad G, Battaglia MA, Bricchetto G, <b>Tacchino A. Standard versus innovative robotic balance assessment for people with multiple sclerosis: a correlational study.</b> Eur J Med Res. 2023 Jul 26;28(1):254.</li> <li>Feinstein A, Amato MP, Bricchetto G, Chataway J, Chiaravalloti ND, Cutter G, Dalgas U, DeLuca J, Farrell R, Feys P, Filippi M, Freeman J, Inglese M, Meza C, Motl RW, Rocca MA, Sandroff BM, Salter A; <b>CogEx Research Team. Cognitive rehabilitation and aerobic exercise for cognitive impairment in people with progressive multiple sclerosis (CogEx): a randomised, blinded, sham-controlled trial.</b> Lancet Neurol. 2023 Oct;22(10):912-924.</li> <li><b>Tacchino A</b>, Pedullà L, Podda J, Monti Bragadin M, Battaglia MA, Bisio A, Bove M, Bricchetto G. <b>Motor imagery has a priming effect on motor execution in people with multiple sclerosis.</b> Front Hum Neurosci. 2023 Sep 7;17:1179789.</li> <li><b>Tacchino A</b>, Di Giovanni R, Grange E, Spirito MM, Ponzio M, Battaglia MA, Bricchetto G, Solaro CM. <b>The administration of the paper and electronic versions of the Manual Ability Measure-36 (MAM-36) and Fatigue Severity Scale (FSS) is equivalent in people with multiple sclerosis.</b> Neurol Sci. 2024 Mar;45(3):1155-1162.</li> <li>Lotti N, Missiroli F, Galofaro E, Tricomi E, Di Domenico D, Semprini M, Casadio M, Bricchetto G, De Michieli L, <b>Tacchino A</b>, Masia L. <b>Soft Robotics to Enhance Upper Limb Endurance in Individuals with Multiple Sclerosis.</b> Soft Robot. 2024 Apr;11(2):338-346.</li> </ol>

	<p>13. <b>Tacchino A</b>, Ponzio M, Confalonieri P, Leocani L, Inglese M, Centonze D, Cocco E, Gallo P, Paolicelli D, Rovaris M, Sabattini L, Tedeschi G, Prosperini L, Patti F, Bramanti P, Pedrazzoli E, Battaglia MA, Brichetto G. <b>An Internet- and Kinect-Based Multiple Sclerosis Fitness Intervention Training With Pilates Exercises: Development and Usability Study.</b> JMIR Serious Games. 2023 Nov 8;11:e41371.</p> <p>14. van der Linden ML, Kos D, Moumdjian L, Kalron A, Coote S, Smedal T, Arntzen EC, Tayfur SN, Pedullà L, <b>Tacchino A</b>, Jonsdottir J, Santoyo-Medina C, Novotna K, Yazgan YZ, Nedeljkovic U, Learmonth YC. <b>Changes in physical activity participation during the COVID-19 pandemic in people with multiple sclerosis: An international survey study.</b> Ann Phys Rehabil Med. 2023 Oct;66(7):101798.</p> <p>15. Gervasoni E, Anastasi D, Di Giovanni R, Solaro C, Rovaris M, Brichetto G, Confalonieri P, <b>Tacchino A</b>, Carpinella I, Cattaneo D. <b>Uncovering Subtle Gait Deterioration in People with Early-Stage Multiple Sclerosis Using Inertial Sensors: A 2-Year Multicenter Longitudinal Study.</b> Sensors (Basel). 2023 Nov 17;23(22):9249.</p>
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<b>2014</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <b>A. Tacchino</b>, G. Bricchetto, R. Teodorescu, L. Roccatagliata, G. Bommarito, C. Cordano, G.L. Mancardi, M.A. Battaglia, M. Inglese – “Brain activity during mental imagery in Multiple Sclerosis” <b>SIPF 2014</b> - Firenze</li> <li>2. <b>A. Tacchino</b>, G. Bricchetto, L. Pedullà, “Il recupero del tempo perduto - La sclerosi multipla e le frontiere della neuro-riabilitazione” <b>Festival della Scienza 2014</b> - Genova</li> <li>3. <b>A. Tacchino</b>, “Riabilitazione cognitiva nella Sclerosi Multipla - Un trattamento personalizzato intensivo a domicilio tramite un’applicazione per tablet non commerciale.” <b>SIMFER 2014</b> - Torino</li> <li>4. <b>A. Tacchino</b>, “Social cognition decline in Multiple Sclerosis. Evidences from intention recognition” <b>The CONSORTIUM of Multiple Sclerosis Centers 2014</b> - Dallas, Texas</li> <li>5. <b>A. Tacchino</b>, “Impairment in motor imagery progressively increases with Multiple Sclerosis disease evolution” <b>The CONSORTIUM of Multiple Sclerosis Centers 2014</b> - Dallas, Texas</li> <li>6. <b>A. Tacchino</b>, “L’immaginazione motoria nella locomozione è preservata in persone con Sclerosi Multipla? Uno studio pilota.” <b>SIRN 2014</b> - Genova</li> <li>7. <b>A. Tacchino</b>, “Immaginazione motoria nella Sclerosi Multipla: dipendenza dall’evoluzione della malattia” <b>SIRN 2014</b> - Genova</li> </ol>
<b>2013</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <b>A. Tacchino</b>, G. Bricchetto, L. Pedullà, “La Bellezza Indispensabile” <b>Festival della Scienza 2013</b> – Genova</li> <li>2. <b>A. Tacchino</b>, “Effects Of Action Observation On Gait In Patients With Multiple Sclerosis A Pilot Study” <b>The CONSORTIUM of Multiple Sclerosis Centers 2013</b> - Orlando, Florida</li> <li>3. <b>A. Tacchino</b>, “La Bioingegneria nella Terapia Occupazionale: passato, presente, futuro” <b>IV Congresso nazionale di Terapia Occupazionale</b> – Roma</li> <li>4. <b>A. Tacchino</b>, “Il possibile ruolo delle Neuroscienze nella Terapia occupazionale del futuro” <b>IV Congresso nazionale di Terapia Occupazionale</b> – Roma</li> </ol>
<b>2012</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <b>A. Tacchino</b>, “A new tool to evaluate superior arm movement in Multiple Sclerosis subjects during rehabilitation” <b>The CONSORTIUM of Multiple Sclerosis Centers 2012</b> – San Diego, California</li> <li>2. <b>A. Tacchino</b>, G. Bricchetto, F. Lugaro, D. Nevoso, “Riabilitare immaginando” <b>Festival della Scienza 2012</b> – Genova</li> <li>3. <b>A. Tacchino</b>, “Mentally simulated motor actions in neurorehabilitation: a new protocol for patients with Multiple Sclerosis” <b>SIRN 2012</b> - Milano</li> </ol>

#### **CHAIRMAN POSITION**

<b>2023</b>	1. <b>RIMS 2023</b> – “RIMS Conference: Translating Knowledge into Practice: Embracing the Complexity of MS Rehabilitation” - Genoa
<b>2019</b>	1. <b>SigMobility RIMS 2019</b> – Tel Aviv

#### **PROJECTS**

<b>2024</b>	1. <b>Co-PI</b> - SERIOUS Soft wEarable Robotics fOr mUltiple Sclerosis. (Funded by FISM Grant 2023)
<b>2023</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <b>Co-PI</b>- Assessment and personalized training of driving skills in people with multiple sclerosis. (Funded by FISM Grant 2022)</li> <li>2. <b>Co-PI</b> - Evaluation of the impact of experimentally induced fatigability on motor and cognitive functions. Effect of high intensity training on motor and cognitive functions: a pilot randomized controlled trial. (Funded by FISM Grant 2022)</li> </ol>
<b>2022</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <b>PARTICIPANT</b> - Psychometric properties of patient reported questionnaires assessing dual-task difficulties in daily life in persons with MS: an international multi-center study. (Funded by RIMS in 2022)</li> <li>2. <b>PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATOR</b> - REhabilitation of cognitive and MOtor functions in the era of digital health: hints of TELerehabilitation for people with Multiple Sclerosis. (REMOTE-MS) (Funded by FISM in 2022 – Special Call)</li> <li>3. <b>PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATOR</b> - FILL the gap in REHAbilitation. A randomized controlled trial using remotely-supported resistance exercises for the continuity-of-care of people with multiple sclerosis (FILL-REHAB)</li> </ol>
<b>2021</b>	1. <b>PARTICIPANT</b> - Validating digital mobility assessment using wearable technology – the Mobilise-D MS STUDY. (Funded by The Newcastle upon Tyne Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust (NuTH)).

<b>2020</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <b>COINVESTIGATOR</b> - To evaluate the activity and the efficacy of traditional swallowing therapy (TST) plus neuromuscular electrostimulation (NMES) vs TST plus sham NMES in MS patients with dysphagia (Funded by FISM Grant 2019)</li> <li>2. <b>PARTICIPANT</b> - Can action observation and motor imagery training cause fatigability in MS? Assessment of their feasibility in the progressive forms. (Funded by FISM Grant 2019)</li> </ol>
<b>2019</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <b>CO-PI</b> - Multiple Sclerosis Fitness Intervention Training with Pilates exercises (MS-FIT) (Funded by FISM Grant 2018 – Special Call)</li> </ol>
<b>2018</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <b>COINVESTIGATOR</b> - MAppingMS Mobile Application for monitoring of motor-cognition-emotion in Multiple Sclerosis (Funded by FISM in 2018 – Special Call)</li> <li>2. <b>COINVESTIGATOR</b> - Monitoring and integrating the rehabilitative process of persons with multiple sclerosis by means of a prosthetic aid with biofeedback (Funded by FISM Grant 2018)</li> <li>3. <b>Co-PI</b> - Using home-based exergames to improve cognitive function in multiple sclerosis a multicenter, randomized, non-inferiority trial (Funded by FISM in 2018)</li> <li>4. <b>COINVESTIGATOR</b> - Costs of comorbidity and cost-effectiveness analysis of an integrated collaborative care program in multiple sclerosis people (Funded by FISM in 2018)</li> </ol>
<b>2017</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <b>COINVESTIGATOR</b> - Unraveling early walking dysfunction in non-disabled MS people: clinical and instrumental assessment of disease progression and potential therapeutic interventions (Funded by FISM in 2017)</li> <li>2. <b>Co-PI</b> - Home-based, computer-assisted cognitive rehabilitation for attention in pediatric onset Multiple Sclerosis using a new dedicated software: a pilot multicenter study (Funded by FISM in 2017 – Special Call)</li> </ol>
<b>2016</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <b>COINVESTIGATOR</b> - Cognitive-motor interference in persons with MS: dual task assessment &amp; training. A multi-center study (MCS-IV-CMI&amp;DTT) (Funded by RIMS in 2016)</li> </ol>
<b>2015</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <b>COINVESTIGATOR</b> - Re-writing in multiple sclerosis: a novel approach to evaluate and cope with the writing deterioration in patients with multiple sclerosis (Funded by FISM in 2015)</li> <li>2. <b>COINVESTIGATOR</b> - Aerobic training as substrate for neural plastic changes in multiple sclerosis: a putative disease-modifying treatment? (Funded by ARSEP in 2015)</li> <li>3. <b>COINVESTIGATOR</b> - Structural and functional brain MRI correlates of upper limb neurorehabilitation in patients with progressive MS (Funded by FISM in 2015 – Special Call)</li> <li>4. <b>COINVESTIGATOR</b> - Early DETECTION of Multiple Sclerosis progression driven by clinical scales and Patient Reported Outcome (DETECT-MS PRO) (Funded by FISM in 2015)</li> </ol>
<b>2014</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <b>COINVESTIGATOR</b> - Psychometric properties of outcome measures for upper limb function, in multiple sclerosis: a multi-center study (MCS-III-UL) (Funded by RIMS in 2014)</li> <li>2. <b>COINVESTIGATOR</b> - Psychometric properties of outcome measures for mobility, in multiple sclerosis: a multi-center study (MCS-III-MOB) (Funded by RIMS in 2014)</li> </ol>
<b>2013</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <b>COINVESTIGATOR</b> - A new functional PROfile to MONitor the PROgression of disability in Multiple Sclerosis PROMOPRO-MS (Funded by FISM in 2013 – Special Call)</li> </ol>
<b>2012</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <b>COINVESTIGATOR</b> - L'impatto della riabilitazione motoria e cognitiva sulle proprietà dinamiche della struttura cerebrale: verso la personalizzazione di interventi terapeutici in pazienti affetti da Sclerosi Multipla (Funded by FISM in 2011)</li> </ol>
<b>2011</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <b>CO-PI</b> – Progettazione e realizzazione di una stampella ingegnerizzata per la valutazione della stabilità posturale e del recupero funzionale nella riabilitazione del cammino attraverso tecniche di biofeedback acustiche e tattili (Funded by POR Liguria in 2011)</li> </ol>
<b>2008</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <b>PARTICIPANT</b> - Rehabilitation impact on the social cost and on the quality of life in MS as a model of physical disability (Funded by Health Italian Minister in 2008)</li> </ol>
<b>2005</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <b>PARTICIPANT</b> - Transcallosal inhibition in patients with multiple sclerosis (Funded by FISM in 2004)</li> </ol>