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Current Position Resea

Researcher at the Water Research Institute (National Research Council, Rome).

Education	
2001- 2005	PhD in Earth Sciences , University of Milan (Italy). Thesis title: "Development and calibration of water flow models at the soil-atmosphere interface and in the unsaturated zone". Advisor: prof. Mauro Giudici. Final grade: excellent.
2000-2001	Master in " Hydrodynamics in porous media ", University of Milan (Italy). Advisor: prof. M. Giudici. Thesis title: "Nested models: theoretical basis and applications".
1991-1999	Degree in Physics , University of Milan (Italy). Thesis title: Study of the water flow in mountains slopes. Supervisor: prof. Giansilvio Ponzini. Final grade: 109/110
1986-1991	High School Degree in Humanities , Liceo Classico "Cesare Beccaria", Milan. Final grade: 60/60

Research Activities	
2008 - present	Researcher at the Water Research Institute (National Research Council, Rome).
2019-present	
Occupation or position held	Work Package Leader and Scientific Coordinator of the project INOPIAQGIS. "Agreement between Civil Protection Department and Water Research Institute." - Research line 1: computer systems for the early detection of water shortage conditions. Funding Institution: National Civil Protection Department
Main activities and responsibilities	Coordinator of the scientific activities
2016-present	
Occupation or position held	Work Package Leader of the Project SWARMNET . OR8 Development of innovative monitoring and management systems of extreme weather events (floods, drought, snow, etc.)
Main activities and responsibilities	Coordinator of the scientific activities in the areas of Perugia (Umbria region) and Lecce (Apulia region)
2013-2015	

Member of the research team of the project DRINKADRIA . Funding Institution: EU
Assessment of the impact of climate change on the Ostuni aquifer (Apulia)
Scientific Coordinator of the research project PETRIGNANO . Funding Institution: Umbria Region (Italy).
Numerical model for assessing path of contamination in the alluvial aquifer of the Valle Umbra and biological characterization aiming at verifying possible natural decontamination.
Scientific Coordinator of the project VALLAGARINA. Funding Institution: SWS Engineering srl (Trento, Italy).
Development of a 3D groundwater flow model of the aquifer located in the areas of Nomi, Chiusole and Volano (TN).
Work Package Leader of the project "Agreement between Civil Protection Department and Water Research Institute." Funding Institution: National Civil Protection Department
Methodologies for monitoring water resources and forecasting water scarcity conditions. Project Coordinator: eng. Michele Vurro (IRSA-CNR)
Member of the research team of the project SECLI. Funding Institution: Umbria Region
Drought and Climate change. Forecasting the water resources of the Umbria Region under changing climate conditions. Work Package Leader: Elisabetta Preziosi (IRSA-CNR). Scientific Coordinator: eng. Tommaso Moramarco (IRPI-CNR)
Member of the research team of the project SICCITA '. Funding Institution: Umbria Region
Vulnerability of water supply systems in the Tiber basin related to possible scarcity conditions. Assessment of prevention and mitigation activity". Research leaders: dr. Elisabetta Preziosi (IRSA-CNR); eng. Remo Pelillo (Tiber Basin Authority)
Member of the research team of the European Project AQUASTRESS Mitigation of water stress through new approaches integrating management, technical, economic and institutional instruments. Project coordinator: dr. Alberto Puddu (IRSA-CNR). Funding Institution: European Committee.

2005- 2007	Post-doc position at the Water Research Institute (National Research Council, Rome).
2005 - 2007	
Occupation or position held	Member of the research team of the project "Agreement on education, research and methodological support for quantitative groundwater monitoring activity by means of hydrogeological modelling". Funding Institution: Umbria Region
Main activities and responsibilities	Numerical simulation of the water flow in the Petrignano d'Assisi Aquifer. Research coordinators: dr. Elisabetta Preziosi (IRSA-CNR), dr. Angiolo Martinelli (ARPA Umbria)

2000 – 2001	Research Assistant at the Department of Earth Sciences (University of Milan)
2000 - 2001	
Occupation or position held	Member of the research team of the project ""Study of the aquifer systems by experimental and modelling techniques."
Main activities and responsibilities	Development and calibration of groundwater flow models of the aquifer of Milano at different space scales. Research coordinators: prof. Giansilvio Ponzini (University of Milan); dr. Cristina Arduini (Groundwater Information System, Province of Milan)

Institutional Activities	
2018-present	Member of the Coordination Committee of the Italian Hydrographic Districts Permanent Observatories
2017-present	Member of the Permanent Observatory of the South Apennine Hydrographic District
2017-present	Member of the Permanent Observatory of the Central Apennine Hydrographic District

University Teaching Activities	
A.Y. 2018-2019 A.Y. 2017-2018 A.Y. 2016-2017 A.Y. 2015-2016 A.Y. 2014-2015 A.Y. 2013-2014	Teaching of the class "Hydrogeological Modeling" for the Degree in Engineering Geology at the University "La Sapienza" of Rome
A.Y. 2009-2010	Teaching of the class "Hydrological Mapping and GIS" for the Degree in Earth Sciences at the University "La Sapienza" of Rome
A.Y. 2008-2009	Teaching of the class "Data processing" for the Degree in Earth Sciences at the University "La Sapienza" of Rome
A.Y. 2010 - present	Research and thesis advisor and co-advisor at the University Rome 3, Civil Engineering Department
A.Y 2005 - present	Research and thesis advisor and co-advisor at the University "La Sapienza" of Rome, Earth Science Department
	Teaching assistant for the following courses:
A.Y.2001 - 2004	Earth Physics for the Degree in Physics (University of Milan; professor: Giansilvio Ponzini)
	Introduction to flow groundwater modelling (Geological Survey of the Emilia-Romagna Region. Organizer: dr. Paolo Severi)
	Laboratory of Earth Physics for the Degree in Physics (University of Milan; professor: Mauro Giudici)
	Groundwater Hydrology for the degree in Environmental Engineering (Politecnico of Milan; professor: Mauro Giudici)
	Numerical Modelling for the Master "Professione Geologo" (University of Milan)
A.Y. 2001-2004	Research and thesis co-advisor at the University of Milan, Dept. of Physics

Professional Activities	
June – November 2006	
Occupation or position held Main activities and responsibilities	Scientific consultant for the University "La Sapienza" of Rome. Development of a groundwater numerical model of the aquifer of the area "exchimica Bianchi" (Rho, MI). Activity leaders: prof. Francesca Bozzano, prof. Marco Petitta.
October 2005	
Occupation or position held Main activities and responsibilities	Scientific consultant for the geological office "Idrogeologia Ambientale (Eboli)". Development of a groundwater numerical model of the coastal area "ex Yard Belleli" (Taranto). Activity leader: Sviluppo Italia Aree Produttive S.p.A
October 2004 – March 2005	
Occupation or position held Main activities and responsibilities	Scientific consultant for the University "La Sapienza" of Rome. Development of a groundwater numerical model of the Gela plain aquifer". Activity leaders: prof. Francesca Bozzano, prof. Marco Petitta, prof. Gabriele Scarascia-Mugnozza.
February-May 2002 Occupation or position held	Scientific consultant for the information office "AES Automation Engineering Services (Milano)".

Training	
July 2011	Advanced course: International Summer School on Monitoring and Modeling Surface Hydrological Processes, Department of Environmental Engineering and Physics – UniBas (40 hours)
June 2010	Advanced course: CoMeVala ricerca. Management of Research course. CNR, Genova (40 hours)
September 2006	Advanced course : Advanced numerical modelling of flow and transport in soils and aquifers at the Geotechnologies. Center of the University of Siena (Italy) (40 hours)
October 2003	Advanced course: Hydrofacies Modelling with TProGS, a geostatistical approach based on Transition Probability and Markov Chains presso FIVA, International Research School of Water Resources, Copenaghen, DK. (40 hours)
January-March 2003	Advanced course: Cycle de Formation Spécialisée en Géostatistique at the Centre of Geostatistics of the Ecole des Mines de Paris (Fr). Final grades: Nonlinear Geostatistics: 18/20. Multivariate Geostatistics: 19/20 (250 hours)
November 2002	Advanced course: The Fortran 90 at the Consorzio Interuniversitario Lombardo per l'Elaborazione Automatica, Segrate (Milano) (35 hours)
April-June 2001	Training at the Groundwater Information System of the Province of Milano. Activity leader: dr. Cristina Arduini
May-July 1998	Training at the Earth Science Institute of the Scuola Universitaria Professionale della Svizzera Italiana (Cadenazzo, CH). Activity Leader: dr. Giorgio Beatrizzotti

Publications

Guyennon, N., M. Valt, F. Salerno, A.B. Petrangeli, **E. Romano** (submitted). *Estimating the snow water equivalent from snow depth measurements in the Italian Alps*. Cold Regions

- **Romano E.**, J. Jiménez-Martínez, A. Parmigiani, X. Z. Kong, I. Battiato (2019). Editorial. Contribution of Pore-Scale Approach to Macroscale Geofluids Modelling in Porous Media, Geofluids, 2019, 6305391. doi: 10.1155/2019/6305391
- Di Palma P.R, N. Guyennon, A. Parmigiani, C. Huber, F. Heβe, **E. Romano** (2019). *Impact of synthetic porous media geometric properties on solute transport using direct 3D pore-scale simulations*. Geofluids, 2019, 6810467. doi: 10.1155/2019/6810467
- Valt M., N. Guyennon, F. Salerno, A. B. Petrangeli, R. Salvatori, P. Cianfarra, **E. Romano** (2018). *Predicting new snow density in the Italian Alps: A variability analysis based on 10 years of measurements*. Hydrological Processes. doi: 10.1002/hyp.13249
- Rossi D., **E. Romano**, N. Guyennon, M. Rainaldi, S. Ghergo, A. Mecali, D. Parrone, S. Taviani, A. Scala, E. Perugini (2019). *The present state of Lake Bracciano: hope and despair*. Rendiconti Lincei. Scienze Fisiche e Naturali. doi: 10.1007/s12210-018-0733-4
- **Romano E.**, N. Guyennon, A. Duro, R. Giordano, A.B. Petrangeli, I. Portoghese, F. Salerno (2018). *A stakeholder oriented Modelling Framework for the Early Detection of Shortage in Water Supply Systems*. Water, 10(7262). doi:10.3390/w10060762
- Guyennon N., F. Salerno, I. Portoghese, **E. Romano** (2017). Climate change Adaptation in a Mediterranean semi-arid catchment: testing Managed Aquifer Recharge and Increased Surface Reservoir Capacity. Water, 9(689). doi: 10.3390/w9090689
- **Romano E.**, N. Guyennon, A. Del Bon, A.B. Petrangeli, E. Preziosi (2017). *Robust method to quantify the risk of shortage for water supply systems*. Journal of Hydrologic Engineering, 22 (8), 04017021 doi: 10.1061/(ASCE)HE.1943-5584.0001540.

- Di Palma P.R., N. Guyennon, F. Hesse, **E. Romano** (2017). *Porous media flux sensitivity to pore-scale geostatistics: A bottom-up approach*. Advances in Water Resources, 102, 99–110. doi: 10.1016/j.advwatres.2017.02.002
- Guyennon N., **E. Romano**, I. Portoghese (2016). *Long-term climate sensitivity of an integrated water supply system: The role of irrigation*. Science of the Total Environment, 565, 68–81. doi: 10.1016/j.scitotenv.2016.04.157
- Salerno F., N. Guyennon, S. Thakuri, G. Viviano, **E. Romano**, E. Vuillermoz, P. Cristofanelli, P. Stocchi, G. Agrillo, Y. Ma, G. Tartari (2016). *Weak precipitation, warm winters and springs impact glaciers of south slopes of Mt. Everest (central Himalaya) in the last 2 decades (1994-2013)*. Cryosphere, 9(3), 1229-1247. doi: 10.5194/tc-9-1229-2015
- Romano E., S. Camici, L. Brocca, T. Moramarco, F. Pica, E. Preziosi (2015). *Assessment of the impact of climate change to alluvial aquifers: un uncertainty analysis*. Advances in Watershed Hydrology (Moramarco, Barbetta, Brocca Eds). Library of Congress Control Number: 2015934502 Water Resources Publications, LLC P. O. Box 630026, Highlands Ranch, Colorado 80163-0026, USA. ISBN-13: 978-1-887-20185-8. ISBN-10: 1-887201-85-8
- Bozzano F., C. Esposito, S. Franchi, P. Mazzanti, D. Perissin, A. Rocca, **E. Romano** (2015). *Understanding the subsidence process of a quaternary plain by combining geological and hydrogeological modelling with satellite InSAR data: The Acque Albule Plain case study.* Remote Sensing of Environment, 168, 219–238. doi: 10.1016/j.rse.2015.07.010
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- Preziosi E., A.Del Bon, **E. Romano**, A.B. Petrangeli (2013). *Vulnerability to Drought of a Complex Water Supply System. The Upper Tiber Basin Case Study (Central Italy)*. Water Resource Management. DOI 10.1007/s11269-013-0434-9
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