

## Elections to Council Nucleus and Nominating committee 2024-2026

**Motivation letter: What would you do if successfully elected? (250 words max)**

Dear Colleagues,

It is my pleasure to submit my application as education & scientific programme coordinator of the ESC Council on Stroke for 2024 to 2026.

During last years, we observed several changes in the epidemiology of stroke and its risk factors. With the progressive ageing of the population, we will have more challenges to face in the prevention and treatment of stroke in the next decades.

I believe that multidisciplinary cooperation and involvement is crucial to increase our understanding of stroke mechanisms, and to reduce the burden of stroke in terms of morbidity and mortality; indeed, the stroke-heart interaction and the need for holistic and integrated approach to the management of stroke have emerged as key areas of development in recent years, and I believe that further developments in these areas will be needed in the next future.

If elected, I will commit myself to promote and develop such perspectives in the educational and scientific activities of the council, in line with the aim and the scope of the body, with specific attention to the most recent developments on the epidemiology, prevention and interventions for treatment of stroke, as well as to educational activities developed and tailored for the council young community.

I hope to have the opportunity to contribute to the activities of the council, with the overarching aim of reducing the burden of stroke.

With best wishes,  
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## TRAINING AND EDUCATION

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- From 2022 **Honorary Research Fellow** - Liverpool Centre for Cardiovascular Science at University of Liverpool, Liverpool John Moores University and Liverpool Heart and Chest Hospital (UK)
- From 2021 **PhD Fellow** - Sapienza - University of Rome (IT)
- 2017-2022 **Residency in Internal Medicine** - Sapienza - University of Rome (IT)
- 2010-2016 **Medical School** - Sapienza - University of Rome (IT)

## SCIENTIFIC ACTIVITIES

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### Research

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Publications: 110 (MEDLINE)

H-Index: 26 (Scopus)

Total Citations: 2146 (Scopus)

### ESC and National Societies

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Fellow of the European Society of Cardiology (from 2024)

Nucleolus Member of the ESC Working Group on Thrombosis - Young Researchers (2022-2024)

Member of the ESC Council on Stroke (From 2021)

Member of the ESC Working Group on Thrombosis (From 2021)

Co-Coordinator of the Working Group on Research of Young Fellows of the Italian Society of Internal Medicine (From 2023)

Regional Coordinator of the Young Fellows of the Italian Society of Internal Medicine (From 2021)

### Journal and Editorial Activities

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Section Editor of Thrombosis and Haemostasis (From 2024)

Editorial Consultant for Europace (From 2023)

Editorial Board Member of BMC Medicine (From 2022)

Associate Editor of Frontiers in Cardiovascular Medicine (From 2022)

Editorial Board Member of PLoS ONE (From 2021)

Peer-Reviewer activity for European Heart Journal, Nature Medicine, Annals of Internal Medicine, JACC and other journals, with more than 500 peer-reviews completed

## CONGRESS ACTIVITIES

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- 2023 EUROPEAN SOCIETY OF CARDIOLOGY (ESC) CONGRESS: Late-Breaking Science Presentation “GLORIA-AF: Multimorbidity Phenotypes in AF”
- 2022 EUROPEAN SOCIETY OF CARDIOLOGY (ESC) CONGRESS: Late-Breaking Science Presentation “GLORIA-AF: Integrated Care in AF Patients”
- 2021 EUROPEAN HEART RHYTHM ASSOCIATION (EHRA) CONGRESS: Abstract Presentation “Prevalence of new onset atrial fibrillation and associated outcomes in patients with sepsis: a systematic review and meta-analysis”

## MOST RELEVANT PUBLICATIONS

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- ▶ Romiti GF, Proietti M, Bonini N, et al. Adherence to the Atrial Fibrillation Better Care (ABC) pathway and the risk of major outcomes in patients with atrial fibrillation: A post-hoc analysis from the prospective GLORIA-AF Registry. *EClinicalMedicine*. Jan 2023;55:101757. doi:10.1016/j.eclinm.2022.101757
- ▶ Romiti GF, Corica B, Proietti M, et al. Patterns of oral anticoagulant use and outcomes in Asian patients with atrial fibrillation: a post-hoc analysis from the GLORIA-AF Registry. *EClinicalMedicine*. Sep 2023;63:102039. doi:10.1016/j.eclinm.2023.102039
- ▶ Romiti GF, Corica B, Mei DA, et al. Impact of chronic obstructive pulmonary disease in patients with atrial fibrillation: an analysis from the GLORIA-AF registry. *Europace*. Dec 28 2023;26(1)doi:10.1093/europace/ueae021

- Romiti GF, Proietti M, Vitolo M, et al. Clinical complexity and impact of the ABC (Atrial fibrillation Better Care) pathway in patients with atrial fibrillation: a report from the ESC-EHRA EURObservational Research Programme in AF General Long-Term Registry. *BMC Med.* Sep 2 2022;20(1):326. doi:10.1186/s12916-022-02526-7
- Romiti GF, Proietti M, Bonini N, et al. Clinical Complexity Domains, Anticoagulation, and Outcomes in Patients with Atrial Fibrillation: A Report from the GLORIA-AF Registry Phase II and III. *Thromb Haemost.* Dec 2022;122(12):2030-2041. doi:10.1055/s-0042-1756355
- Romiti GF, Pastori D, Rivera-Caravaca JM, et al. Adherence to the 'Atrial Fibrillation Better Care' Pathway in Patients with Atrial Fibrillation: Impact on Clinical Outcomes-A Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis of 285,000 Patients. *Thromb Haemost.* Mar 2022;122(3):406-414. doi:10.1055/a-1515-9630
- Proietti M, Romiti GF, Vitolo M, et al. Epidemiology and impact of frailty in patients with atrial fibrillation in Europe. *Age Ageing.* Aug 2 2022;51(8)doi:10.1093/ageing/afac192
- Proietti M, Romiti GF, Raparelli V, et al. Frailty prevalence and impact on outcomes in patients with atrial fibrillation: A systematic review and meta-analysis of 1,187,000 patients. *Ageing Res Rev.* Aug 2022;79:101652. doi:10.1016/j.arr.2022.101652
- Corica B, Romiti GF, Raparelli V, Cangemi R, Basili S, Proietti M. Epidemiology of cerebral microbleeds and risk of adverse outcomes in atrial fibrillation: a systematic review and meta-analysis. *Europace.* Oct 13 2022;24(9):1395-1403. doi:10.1093/europace/euac028
- Romiti GF, Corica B, Pipitone E, et al. Prevalence, management and impact of chronic obstructive pulmonary disease in atrial fibrillation: a systematic review and meta-analysis of 4,200,000 patients. *Eur Heart J.* Sep 14 2021;42(35):3541-3554. doi:10.1093/eurheartj/ehab453
- Proietti M, Romiti GF, Romanazzi I, et al. Restarting oral anticoagulant therapy after major bleeding in atrial fibrillation: A systematic review and meta-analysis. *Int J Cardiol.* Jun 15 2018;261:84-91. doi:10.1016/j.ijcard.2018.03.053