

Curriculum Vitae

of

Gianluca Susi

Electronics Engineer, Ph.D

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Professional sectors

Electronics Engineering - Biomedical Engineering - Audio Engineering

Awards and grants

Awards and recognition

- 2018 "Reconocimiento tecnologia sanitaria 2018" to the Laboratory of Cognitive and Computational Neuroscience" (Centro de Tecnologia Biomedica), received from *Fundacion tecnologia y Salud*. Madrid, 20/09/2018.
- 2017-2018 "Seal of excellence" to Gianluca Susi and Complutense University of Madrid, received from the *European Commission*, for the proposal "CHASING-AD"(n.793355), submitted under the Horizon 2020's *Marie Skłodowska-Curie Actions* call (H2020-MSCA-IF-2017).
- 2016-2017 "Seal of excellence" to Gianluca Susi and Complutense University of Madrid, received from the *European Commission*, for the proposal "CRISP"(n.747912), submitted under the Horizon 2020's *Marie Skłodowska-Curie Actions* call (H2020-MSCA-IF-2016).
- 2013 "Best Poster" award received at the 29th Annual Meeting of Electrical Engineering Researchers (Padova University, IT). Padova, 06/2013 (Recipient: G.Susi).
- 2012 "Best Paper Category" award received at the International Conference on computer science and communication devices "ACEEE, ACE 2012" (Amsterdam, NL). Amsterdam, 06/2012 (Recipient: G.Susi).

Grants

- 2017 Recipient of a travel grant funded by the *Human Brain Project*, for the participation to the event YRE2017. 12-13/09/2017 Campus Biotech, Geneva (Switzerland).
- 2016 Recipient of the grant "*Gathering and processing of brain signals (Almacenamiento y procesamiento de señales cerebrales)*" at the UPM-UCM *Laboratory of Cognitive and Computational Neuroscience - Centre for Biomedical Technology of Madrid, Technical University of Madrid*. Funding institution: *Spanish Ministry of Economy and Competitiveness*.
- 2015-2016 Recipient of the grant "*Modeling of spontaneous neuroelectric activity*" (6-months) at the *University of Rome "Tor Vergata" - Dept. of Electronic Engineering*. Funding institution: *University of Rome "Tor Vergata" - Dept. of Electronic Engineering*.
- 2015 Recipient of the grant "*Pulsed neural networks (Reti Neurali Impulsate)*" (6-months) at the *University of Rome "Tor Vergata" - Dept. of Electronic Engineering*. Funding institution: *University of Rome "Tor Vergata" - Dept. of Electronic Engineering*.

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| | <p>2014 Recipient of the grant "Spiking neural network characterization" (6-months) at the <i>University of Rome "Tor Vergata" - Dept. of Electronic Engineering</i>. Funding institution: <i>University of Rome "Tor Vergata" - Dept. of Electronic Engineering</i>.</p> <p>2013-2014 Recipient of the grant "Asynchronous spiking neural networks" (2 x 6-months) at the <i>University of Rome "Tor Vergata" - Dept. of Electronic Engineering</i>. Funding institution: <i>University of Rome "Tor Vergata" - Dept. of Electronic Engineering</i>.</p> <p>2009-2012 Recipient of a 3-year grant for Ph.D. in "Engineering of sensor and learning systems" at the <i>University of Rome "Tor Vergata"</i>. Funding institution: <i>Italian Ministry of Education, Universities and Research</i>.</p> |
| <p>Professional experience</p> | <p><u>Teaching experience:</u></p> <p>2013-2018 Adjunct professor of <i>Electrical Circuits (professore a contratto di Elettrotecnica, titolare)</i> at the <i>University of Rome "Tor Vergata" - Dept. of Civil Engineering and Computer Science</i>. Afferent university sections: <i>Ingegneria Civile e Ambientale 6CFU (2013-2018)</i>, <i>Ingegneria Informatica 6CFU (2013-2018)</i>, <i>Ingegneria Medica 12CFU (2015-2018)</i>, <i>Ingegneria Informatica "online" 6CFU (from 2014)</i>.</p> <p>2011-2015 Teaching assistant of the course <i>Electrical Circuits (assistente di Elettrotecnica)</i> at the <i>University of Rome "Tor Vergata" - Depts: Civil Engineering and Computer Science, Mechanical Engineering, Management Engineering</i>. Afferent university sections: <i>Ingegneria Medica (2011-2015)</i>, <i>Ingegneria Civile e Ambientale (2011-2013)</i>, <i>Ingegneria Meccanica (2011-2013)</i>.</p> <p>2010-2017 Lecturer (docente) of the courses <i>Audio-data coding and compression systems (from 2010)</i>, <i>Basic mathematics for audio (from 2010)</i>, <i>Signal processing theory (from 2013)</i>, for the <i>MIS (Master in Ingegneria del Suono e Spettacolo) - Master in Audio Engineering</i> at the <i>University of Rome, "Tor Vergata" - Dept. of Electronic Engineering</i>.</p> <p>2012-2017 Lecturer (docente) of the courses <i>Audio-data coding and compression systems</i>, <i>Basic mathematics for audio</i>, <i>Signal processing theory</i> for the <i>training school in Audio and Entertainment Engineering Program</i> at the <i>University of Rome, "Tor Vergata" - Dept. of Electronic Engineering</i>.</p> <p>2010-2015 Lecturer (docente) of the course <i>Audio/video editing</i> at <i>UPTER (Popular University of Rome)</i>.</p> <p><u>Academic activities:</u></p> <p>2010-2018 Coordinator (2010-2013), <i>Scientific committee member (2010-2018)</i> and <i>Coordinating member (2013-2018)</i> of the <i>MIS (Master in Ingegneria del Suono e dello Spettacolo) - Audio Engineering Program</i> at the <i>University of Rome, "Tor Vergata" - Dept. of Electronic Engineering</i>.</p> <p>2013-2018 Didactic organizer (2013-2018) of the "Training school in Audio engineering techniques" at the <i>University of Rome, "Tor Vergata" - Dept. of Electronic Engineering</i>.</p> <p><u>Other:</u></p> <p>2006-2009 Informatics and organizational consultant for the <i>Mathesis (Italian Society of Physical and Mathematical sciences)</i>.</p> |
| <p>Patents, publications, invited presentations</p> | <p><u>Patents</u></p> <p>Patent application: "<i>Traduttore aptico di scena tridimensionale dinamica, real-time portatile, per navigazione pedestre senza l'uso della vista</i>" (Haptic portable system for pedestrian blind navigation, based on depth camera) - ID: RM2012U000199 - RM2014A000669. Author: Gianluca Susi. Status: transformed from modello di utilità to patent for industrial invention. Pending.</p> <p><u>Publications</u> (please refer to my "list of dissemination-tutoring activities")</p> <p>Author or co-author of: 9 articles presented in <i>international conferences</i>; 8 articles published in <i>international journals</i> (+ 1 under review);</p> |

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| | <p>1 <i>book</i>; 3 <i>chapters</i>; 5 <i>posters</i> presented in <i>conferences</i> or <i>workshops</i>; 8 <i>contributions</i> presented in <i>national conferences / meetings</i>.</p> <p><u>Selected oral communications</u> (please refer to my "<i>list of dissemination-tutoring activities</i>")</p> <p>7 <i>invited talks/presentations/seminars</i>; 2 <i>selected talks</i>;</p> |
| <p>Memberships and committees</p> | <p><u>Membership in scientific societies</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>Member of IEEE - Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers.</i> (Society affiliations: <i>Computational Intelligence Society, Signal Processing Society, IEEE brain community</i>) - <i>Full member of AES - Audio Engineering Society.</i> - <i>Ordinary member of SIREN (Società Italiana REti Neuroniche).</i> - <i>Member of ET - National group of ElecTrical Engineering Researchers.</i> <p><u>Participation in national and international Committees</u></p> <p><u>International dissertation committees:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>Doctoral committee member as International expert, at the Complutense University of Madrid (UCM), 14 Sept 2015.</i> <p><u>Other evaluation committees:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>Honorary fellowship (cultore della materia) for the disciplinary sectors Electrical Circuits (Elettrotecnica), Industrial Electrical Technology (Elettrotecnica Industriale), Industrial Electromagnetic Compatibility (Compatibilità Elettromagnetica Industriale), from 2010. University of Rome "Tor Vergata".</i> - <i>Committee member for State examination. Fields: Maths, Physics, Electrical Circuits, Electrical and Electronic Systems. Organization: "Ministero dell'Istruzione, dell'Università e della Ricerca" Period: 2011-2013.</i> - <i>Committee member of nearly all the dissertation sessions of the Master in Audio Engineering, held at the University of Rome "Tor Vergata" - Dept. of Electronics Engineering, in the period 2010-2016.</i> <p><u>Editorial review boards:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>Review Editor for "Frontiers in Human Neuroscience" (part of Frontiers in Neuroscience), - from year 2018.</i> - <i>Reviewer for "Neurocomputing", Elsevier - year 2018.</i> - <i>Reviewer for "Transactions on Emerging topics in Computing (TETCSI)", IEEE - from year 2016.</i> - <i>Reviewer for "Transactions on Neural Networks and Learning Systems (TNNLS)", IEEE - from year 2015.</i> - <i>Reviewer for "Smart Innovation, Systems and Technologies", Springer - year 2015.</i> - <i>Reviewer for "Journal of Pattern Recognition and Intelligent Systems (PRIS)", The World Academic Publishing - from year 2013.</i> - <i>Reviewer for "Asian Journal of Computer and Information Systems (AJCIS)", Asian Online Journals - from year 2013.</i> <p><u>Conference committees:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>Program Committee member at MET 2017 (4rd International Conference on Materials and</i> |

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| | <p><i>Engineering Technology</i>), December 22-24, 2017. Sanya, China.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>Program Committee member at MET 2016 (3rd International Conference on Materials and Engineering Technology)</i>, December 2-4, 2016. Sanya, China. - <i>Review Committee member at IEEE TAECE 2015 (3rd International Conference on Technological Advances in Electrical, Electronics and Computer Engineering)</i>, April 29 - May 1, 2015; Beirut, Lebanon. - <i>Review Committee member at WIRN 2014 (24th Italian Workshop on Neural Networks)</i>, May 15-16, 2014; Vietri sul Mare (Salerno), Italy. <p><u>Organization of events:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Organizador of ≈20 workshops and seminars given by relevant companies (<i>Dolby, Genelec, Shure, Earthworks audio</i>, etc.) and guests (<i>Eric Blackmer</i>, etc.) for the <i>MIS (Master in Ingegneria del Suono e dello Spettacolo) - Audio Engineering Program</i> at the <i>University of Rome "Tor Vergata" - Dipartimento di Ingegneria Elettronica</i>. Field: <i>audio signal processing</i>. Period: 2010-2018. - <i>Technical support at the II Symposium of Magnetoencephalography: from research to clinical Applications</i> (Organized by <i>UCM, Elekta Neuromag and UPM</i>), Madrid, 27 Jan 2017. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Supervision of theses | <p>Supervisor or co-supervisor of more than 20 dissertations in <i>Electronics, Biomedical or Audio Engineering</i> at the <i>University of Rome "Tor Vergata"</i>, from year 2010. Topics: <i>Event-driven simulation of Spiking Neural Networks; autonomous navigation for visually-impaired people; virtual input device-based touchless musical instruments; gesture following-based sound-painting interaction in museums; ANN-based chord- and key-modulation recognition from audio files</i>.</p> <p>(Please refer to my "<i>list of dissemination-tutoring activities</i>")</p> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Music/art | <p><u>Participation to art events:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>Lazio creativo</i> (2017) - Selection of the most innovative and interesting talents and projects of the Latium territory. Interactive installation. Title: "<i>Folies de SeeInteracting</i>". - <i>TerniFestival</i> - International performing arts festival, Terni (2015), as electronics/sound engineer. Interactive installation. Title: "<i>Folies de SeeInteracting</i>". - <i>LPM</i> - International Live Performers Meeting, Rome (2013) as electronics/sound engineer. Interactive installation. Title: "<i>SeeInteracting sound spaces</i>". - <i>FAST</i> - International Festival of Contemporary Art, Terni (2011), as electronics/sound engineer. Interactive installation. Title: "<i>SeeInteracting sound pictures</i>". <p><u>Ongoing projects:</u></p> <p><i>Seeinteracting</i> - research project regarding 3D motion capture technologies applied to music, dance and other performing arts (website: http://www.seeinteracting.com)</p> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Education and training | <table border="0"> <tr> <td style="vertical-align: top; padding-right: 10px;">Qualification</td> <td>Ph.D. in <i>Engineering of sensor and learning systems</i> (winner of a 3-year grant), obtained on 13 Dec 2012.</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="vertical-align: top; padding-right: 10px;">Thesis title</td> <td>"Asynchronous Spiking Neural Networks, general paradigm and applications"</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="vertical-align: top; padding-right: 10px;">Organization</td> <td><i>University of Rome "Tor Vergata"</i></td> </tr> <tr> <td style="vertical-align: top; padding-right: 10px;">Qualification</td> <td>Licensed <i>professional engineer</i> (Italian <i>esame di stato SENIOR</i>), year: 2012.</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="vertical-align: top; padding-right: 10px;">Qualification</td> <td>Master's degree in <i>Electronic Engineering</i>, obtained on 22 Jul 2009. Field: <i>Very large scale integration circuits and systems</i>.</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="vertical-align: top; padding-right: 10px;">Thesis title</td> <td>"<i>Classification of EEG signals for mental task recognition</i>"</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="vertical-align: top; padding-right: 10px;">Organization</td> <td><i>University of Rome "Tor Vergata"</i>.</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="vertical-align: top; padding-right: 10px;">Training</td> <td>Graduation apprenticeship performed in collaboration with the <i>Polyclinic hospital of Rome "Tor Vergata" - division of Neurophysiology</i>.</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="vertical-align: top; padding-right: 10px;">Qualification</td> <td>Laurea degree in <i>Electronic Engineering</i>, obtained on 9 Oct 2006</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="vertical-align: top; padding-right: 10px;">Thesis title</td> <td>"<i>Musical Key-modulation recognition, using Artificial Neural Networks</i>"</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="vertical-align: top; padding-right: 10px;">Organization</td> <td><i>University of Rome "Tor Vergata"</i>.</td> </tr> </table> | Qualification | Ph.D. in <i>Engineering of sensor and learning systems</i> (winner of a 3-year grant), obtained on 13 Dec 2012. | Thesis title | "Asynchronous Spiking Neural Networks, general paradigm and applications" | Organization | <i>University of Rome "Tor Vergata"</i> | Qualification | Licensed <i>professional engineer</i> (Italian <i>esame di stato SENIOR</i>), year: 2012. | Qualification | Master's degree in <i>Electronic Engineering</i> , obtained on 22 Jul 2009. Field: <i>Very large scale integration circuits and systems</i> . | Thesis title | " <i>Classification of EEG signals for mental task recognition</i> " | Organization | <i>University of Rome "Tor Vergata"</i> . | Training | Graduation apprenticeship performed in collaboration with the <i>Polyclinic hospital of Rome "Tor Vergata" - division of Neurophysiology</i> . | Qualification | Laurea degree in <i>Electronic Engineering</i> , obtained on 9 Oct 2006 | Thesis title | " <i>Musical Key-modulation recognition, using Artificial Neural Networks</i> " | Organization | <i>University of Rome "Tor Vergata"</i> . |
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| Training | Graduation apprenticeship performed at the <i>laboratory of Audio Engineering - University of Rome "Tor Vergata"</i> . |
| Participation in other relevant formative courses | |
| Event | <i>1st ACLIMAGEN meeting</i> |
| Date | <i>23-24/5/2018</i> |
| Description | <i>"Teoría de grafos: aplicaciones a las técnicas de neuroimagen" (Dr. Jorge Sepulcre); "Machine Learning aplicado a neuroimagen" (Drs. Joaquim Radua & Aleix Solanes)</i> |
| Organization | <i>Spanish Ministry of Economy and Competitiveness</i> |
| Event | <i>Human Brain Project Young Researcher Event (YRE2017)</i> |
| Date | <i>12-13/09/2017</i> |
| Description | <i>training on the ICT Infrastructure offered and developed by the HBP (~20h)</i> |
| Organization | <i>Campus Biotech (Geneva, Switzerland).</i> |
| Event | <i>Short courses "Executive functions" and "Memory"</i> |
| Date | <i>30/03 and 01/06 2017</i> |
| Description | <i>training in the field of "Cognitive neuroscience"</i> |
| Organization | <i>CTB - Center for Biomedical Technology (Technical University & Complutense University, Madrid)</i> |
| Event | <i>Workshop "CapoCaccia Cognitive Neuromorphic Engineering program";</i> |
| Date | <i>28/04 to 05/10 2014</i> |
| Description | <i>Training in the field of "Neuromorphic engineering" (2-weeks full-immersion).</i> |
| Organization | <i>INI - Institute of Neuroinformatics (ETH University & UZH University, Zurich).</i> |
| Event | <i>Short course "Bioelectric & Biomagnetic signals from the brain.</i> |
| Date | <i>15/06/2011</i> |
| Description | <i>Training in the field of "Brain signal reconstruction"</i> |
| Organization | <i>Doctorate school F.Gasparini (Naples, Italy).</i> |
| Event | <i>Course: "English language"</i> |
| Date | <i>certificate received on 08-15-1997)</i> |
| Description | <i>Communicative skills - comprehension</i> |
| Organization | <i>Dublin language centre - Kilkenny college (Kilkenny, Ireland)</i> |
| Skills and competences | |
| Native language | <i>Italian</i> |
| Other language | <i>English</i> |
| Other language | <i>Spanish</i> |
| Personal skills | <i>Curiosity, determination, self-motivation.</i> |
| Organizational skills | <i>Both interaction and co-ordination substantiated skills.</i> |
| Technical skills and competences | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Electrical and Electronic Engineering. - Simulation of spiking Neural Networks; - 2nd and 3rd generation Neural Networks for pattern recognition; - Bio-, audio-, video- signal processing, both in the time and frequency domains. - Audio Data Compression; |
| Knowledge of softwares: | <p><i>O.S.: Windows, Mac-os.</i></p> <p><i>Programming and simulation: Matlab and related toolboxes, PSpice, Neuron. Moderate knowledge of C++.</i></p> <p><i>Audio analysis and editing: Max/MSP, Avid Pro-tools, Apple Logic, Steinberg Cubase, Spear, Propellerhead Reason, AU & VST technologies, Adobe Audition, Ableton live, etc.</i></p> <p><i>Graphics: Adobe Suite.</i></p> <p><i>Other classic software suites.</i></p> |
| Driving license | <i>Italian B-Category</i> |
| Willingness to travel | <i>Yes. Both short and long stay.</i> |