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FORMAT



PERSONAL INFORMATION

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WORK EXPERIENCE

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Dates (from - to)</b></li></ul>                    | From November 2011 to now  |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Name and address of the employer</b></li></ul>     | University of Palermo – Piazza Marina, 61 – 90133 Palermo  |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Type of business or sector</b></li></ul>           |  |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Occupation or position held</b></li></ul>          | Associate Professor of Analytical Chemistry (SSD CHIM/01)  |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Main activities and responsibilities</b></li></ul> | Research and education in the field of Environmental and Marine Science / Coordinator of Lab. of Environmental Analytical Chemistry                    |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Dates (from - to)</b></li></ul>                    | from April 2002 to November 2011   |
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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Type of business or sector</b></li></ul>           | Analytical and Environmental Chemistry   |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Occupation or position held</b></li></ul>          | University researcher of environmental chemistry (SSD CHIM/12)   |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Main activities and responsibilities</b></li></ul> | Research and education in the field of Environmental and Marine Science  |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Dates (from - to)</b></li></ul>                    | from March 1999 to April 2002  |
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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Type of business or sector</b></li></ul>           | Analytical and Environmental Chemistry   |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Occupation or position held</b></li></ul>          | Post Doc Fellow (SSD CHIM/01) – Laboratory of Analytical Chemistry – Dept. of Inorganic and Analytical Chemistry – Supervisor: Prof. Antonio Gianguzza |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Main activities and responsibilities</b></li></ul> | Research in the field of Environmental and Marine Science  |

## EDUCATION AND TRAINING

<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Dates (from - to)</b></li><li>• <b>Name and type of organisation providing education and training</b></li></ul>	From November 1995 to December 1998 PhD Research Course in Chemical Science (SSD CHIM/01) – Laboratory of Analytical Chemistry – Dept. of Inorganic Chemistry – Supervisor: Prof. Antonio Gianguzza University of Palermo
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Principal subjects/occupational skills covered</b></li><li>• <b>Title of qualification awarded</b></li></ul>	Chemical speciation models of polyelectrolytes in natural waters / Application of Analytical Chemistry to main topics of environmental marine science -  PhD in Chemical Science
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Dates (from - to)</b></li><li>• <b>Name and type of organisation providing education and training</b></li><li>• <b>Principal subjects/occupational skills covered</b></li><li>• <b>Title of qualification awarded</b></li></ul>	June 1995 University of Palermo - Laboratory of Analytical Chemistry – Dept. of Inorganic Chemistry – Supervisor: Prof. V. Romano  Electrochemical investigations in aqueous solution of $U^{4+}/U^{3+}$  Preparation of experimental degree thesis – Lab. Degree in Chemistry
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Dates (from - to)</b></li><li>• <b>Name and type of organisation providing education and training</b></li><li>• <b>Principal subjects/occupational skills covered</b></li><li>• <b>Title of qualification awarded</b></li></ul>	July 1989 Liceo Classico “Giovanni Meli” - Palermo  Classical Studies  Diploma

## PERSONAL SKILLS AND COMPETENCES

<b>MOTHER TONGUE</b>	ITALIAN
<b>OTHER LANGUAGES</b>	ENGLISH

### SCIENTIFIC SKILLS AND COMPETENCES

- I've got great communication skills
- I'm always looking for a new challenge.
- I prefer to work in national and international team, sharing information and competences
- I prefer a multi-disciplinary environment

### RELEVANT ROLES AND COMPETENCES

Scientific and administrative Coordinator for University of Palermo of the following National Research Projects for the for University of Palermo:

1. 2007–2013 STI-TAM: “Development of innovative technologies for the treatment of fluid wastes from shipping activities and for marine environment protection” (PON02\_00153\_2849085 “Ricerca e competitività 2007–2013, asse 1”)
2. 2015-2020 – TETI: “Innovative technologies for control, monitoring and safety at sea” (PNR 2015-2020 Specialization area Blue Growth”)

3. Coordinator of the Natural and Environmental Sciences courses from October 2016 to October 2019.
4. Component of the Scientific Council of “Centro Sostenibilità e Transizione Ecologica” dell’Università di Palermo from March 2022
5. Contact person for the Earth and Sea Science Department of the activity of *Sicilian Micronanotech Research And Innovation Center (SAMOTHRACE)* - *National Recovery and Resilience Plan (NRRP), Mission 4, Component 2 - Investment 1.5, funded from the European Union – Next Generation EU*
6. Person in Charge for the activities of Earth and Marine Science Department with Aten Center (Advanced Technologies Network Center) of University of Palermo – 2022
7. Person in charge of the teaching of the School of Basic and Applied Sciences – 2016
8. Person in charge of University of Palermo for the training activities established by agreement with the Distretto Navtec Sicilia (Consorzio di Ricerca per l’Innovazione Tecnologica, Sicilia, Trasporti Navali, Commerciali e da Diporto S.C.A.R.L) – 2014

**Relevant International Partners:**

Prof. Constantinos Athanassopoulos

University of Patras (GR)

Prof. Pierpaolo Zuddas

University of Sorbonne (France)

Prof. Nadav Lesnky

Geological Survey of Israel

**Collaboration with** the Italian company Ambiente S.P.A. (Toscana)

**PUBLICATION INDEXES**  
(SCOPUS)

- NUMBER OF PUBLICATIONS: 58
- TOTAL NUMBER OF CITATIONS: 1171
- H-INDEX: 21

**MOST RELEVANT  
PUBLICATIONS IN THE  
BIODIVERSITY FIELDS**

1. Corsino, S.F., Di Trapani, D., Torregrossa, N., Piazzese, D. Preliminary evaluation of biopolymers production by mixed microbial culture from citrus wastewater in a MBR system using respirometric techniques (2021) *Journal of Water Process Engineering*, 41, art. no. 102003.
2. Piazzese, D., Bonanno, A., Bongiorno, D., Falco, F., Indelicato, S., Milisenda, G., Vazzana, I., Cammarata, M. Co-inertia multivariate approach for the evaluation of anthropogenic impact on two commercial fish along Tyrrhenian coasts (2019) *Ecotoxicology and Environmental Safety*, 182, art. no. 109435.
3. Cammarata, M., Benenati, G., Dara, M., Parisi, M.G., Piazzese, D., Falco, F., Stabili, L. *Sabella spallanzanii* mucus contain a galactose-binding lectin able to agglutinate bacteria. Purification and characterization (2019) *Invertebrate Survival Journal*, 16 (1), pp. 15-24.
4. Piazzese, D., Corsino, S.F., Torregrossa, M., Bongiorno, D., Indelicato, S., Viviani, G. Effect of a co-substrate supply in a MBR treating shipboard slop: Analysis of hydrocarbon removal, biomass activity and membrane fouling tendency (2018) *Biochemical Engineering Journal*, 140, pp. 178-188.
5. Indelicato, S., Bongiorno, D., Ceraulo, L., Emmanuello, C., Mazzotti, F., Siciliano, C., Piazzese, D. One-pot analysis: A new integrated methodology for determination of TAG and FA determination through LC/MS and in-silico saponification (2018) *Food Analytical Methods*, 11 (3), pp. 873-882.
6. Bellante, A., D'Agostino, F., Traina, A., Piazzese, D., Milazzo, M.F., Sprovieri, M. Hg and Se exposure in brain tissues of striped dolphin (*Stenella coeruleoalba*) and bottlenose dolphin (*Tursiops truncatus*) from the Tyrrhenian and Adriatic Seas (2017) *Ecotoxicology*, 26 (2), pp. 250-260.
7. Parrinello, D., Bellante, A., Parisi, M.G., Sanfratello, M.A., Indelicato, S., Piazzese, D., Cammarata, M. The ascidian *Styela plicata* hemocytes as a potential biomarker of marine pollution: In vitro effects of seawater and organic mercury (2017) *Ecotoxicology and Environmental Safety*, 136, pp. 126-134.
8. Bellante, A., Piazzese, D., Cataldo, S., Parisi, M.G., Cammarata, M. Evaluation and comparison of trace metal accumulation in different tissues of potential bioindicator organisms: Macrobenthic filter feeders *Styela plicata*, *Sabella spallanzanii*, and *Mytilus galloprovincialis* (2016) *Environmental Toxicology and Chemistry*, 35 (12), pp. 3062-3070.
9. Falcone, G., Foti, C., Gianguzza, A., Giuffrè, O., Napoli, A., Pettignano, A., Piazzese, D. Sequestering ability of some chelating agents towards methylmercury(II) (2013) *Analytical and Bioanalytical Chemistry*, 405 (2-3), pp. 881-893.
10. Cammarata, M., Parisi, M.G., Benenati, G., Arizza, V., Cillari, T., Piazzese, D., Gianguzza, A., Vazzana, M., Vizzini, A., Parrinello, N. In vitro effects of methylmercury on ascidian (*Styela plicata*) immunocyte responses (2007) *Applied Organometallic Chemistry*, 21 (12), pp. 1022-1028

**MOST RELEVANT  
PUBLICATIONS IN THE  
EMERGING POLLUTANTS  
AND ENVIRONMENTAL  
DEGRADATION FIELDS**

Sasmaz, A., Zuddas, P., Cangemi, M., Piazzese, D., Ozek, G., Venturi, M., Censi, P. Zirconium and hafnium fractionation and distribution of Rare Earth Elements in neutral-alkaline waters: Case study of Lake Van hydrothermal system, Turkey (2021) *Journal of Geochemical Exploration*, 226, art. no. 106784

Corsino, S.F., Di Trapani, D., Torregrossa, N., Piazzese, D. Preliminary evaluation of biopolymers production by mixed microbial culture from citrus wastewater in a MBR system using respirometric techniques (2021) *Journal of Water Process Engineering*, 41, art. no. 102003.

Censi, P., Sirota, I., Zuddas, P., Lensky, N., Merli, M., Saiano, F., Piazzese, D., Sposito, F., Venturelli, M. Trace element fractionation through halite crystallisation: Geochemical mechanisms and environmental implications (2020) *Science of the Total Environment*, 723, art. no. 137926.

Piazzese, D., Bonanno, A., Bongiorno, D., Falco, F., Indelicato, S., Milisenda, G., Vazzana, I., Cammarata, M. Co-inertia multivariate approach for the evaluation of anthropogenic impact on two commercial fish along Tyrrhenian coasts (2019) *Ecotoxicology and Environmental Safety*, 182, art. no. 109435.

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Cataldo, S., Ianni, A., Loddo, V., Mirenda, E., Palmisano, L., Parrino, F., Piazzese, D. Combination of advanced oxidation processes and active carbons adsorption for the treatment of simulated saline wastewater (2016) *Separation and Purification Technology*, 171, pp. 101-111.

Cataldo, S., Cavallaro, G., Gianguzza, A., Lazzara, G., Pettignano, A., Piazzese, D., Villaescusa, I. Kinetic and equilibrium study for cadmium and copper removal from aqueous solutions by sorption onto mixed alginate/pectin gel beads (2013) *Journal of Environmental Chemical Engineering*, 1 (4), pp. 1252-1260.

Cavallaro, G., Gianguzza, A., Lazzara, G., Milioto, S., Piazzese, D. Alginate gel beads filled with halloysite nanotubes (2013) *Applied Clay Science*, 72, pp. 132-137.

**5 KEY-WORDS REPRESENTING  
SCIENTIFIC ACTIVITY**

1. Predictive models in natural waters and biosorption processes
2. Analysis of contaminants
3. Bioplastics and biomaterials
4. Analytical methods and procedures
5. environmental monitoring