

# *Curriculum vitae*

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Laurea in Matematica *cum laude*, Università di Lecce, 1984  
1985-1987 Contratto di insegnamento, Università della Basilicata  
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1993-1994 Professore Associato - Università della Basilicata  
1994-2000 Professore Associato - Università di Lecce  
2000- Professore ordinario - Università di Lecce

### 3. ORGANIZZAZIONE DI CONGRESSI

1. Summer school ”Operator Methods for Evolution Equations and Approximation problems”, Monopoli (Bari), 16–20 settembre 2002.
2. “Metodi matematici per la segmentazione d’immagini”, Lecce, 24 gennaio 2003.
3. “Incontro di Calcolo delle Variazioni e Teoria geometrica della misura”, Lizzanello (Lecce), 30 settembre - 2 ottobre 2004.
4. ”European-Maghrebian Workshop on Evolution Equations”, 4<sup>th</sup>, Freudenstadt (Germania) 2004, 5<sup>th</sup>, Hammamet (Tunisia) 2006, 6<sup>th</sup>, Luminy (Francia) 2008, 7<sup>th</sup>, Annaba (Algeria) 2010, “8<sup>th</sup>, Lecce, 11-15 giugno 2012.
5. “Analytic semigroups and reaction-diffusion equations”, Casalmaggiore, giugno 2005.
6. “Infinite dimensional Analysis”, Casalmaggiore, giugno 2016.
7. “Lecce Conference in Calculus of Variations and Partial Differential Equation”, Lecce, 4-7 ottobre 2016, in preparazione.

### 4. AMMINISTRAZIONE

1. 1994-2008 Direttore scientifico della Biblioteca del Dipartimento di Matematica, Lecce
2. 1994-2008 Coordinatore del “seminario di Analisi” del Dipartimento di Matematica
3. 1994-2007 Membro della commissione d’Ateneo “SOCRATES” per gli scambi internazionali di docenti e studenti.
4. Membro delle commissioni giudicatrici per Ricercatore (Università di Padova, Firenze, Lecce) e Professore ordinario (Bologna).
5. 1<sup>o</sup> novembre 2008 al 2 marzo 2012: Direttore del Dipartimento di Matematica “Ennio De Giorgi” dell’Università del Salento.
6. Dal marzo 2012: Membro della giunta del Dipartimento di Matematica e Fisica “Ennio De Giorgi”, Università del Salento.
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9. Dal marzo 2014: Membro della Commissione Master, Università del Salento.

#### 5. ALCUNE CONFERENZE SU INVITO

1. Regularity of Minimizers of the Mumford-Shah Functional, Rio de Janeiro, 1997.
2. Trace Formulas for Some Singular Differential Operators, Ulm, 1997.
3. Variational Problems in Image Segmentation, Tübingen, 1997.
4. An introduction to *SBV* functions (corso di dottorato), Yokohama, 1997.
5. Semi-groupes de Feller et processus de diffusion (corso di dottorato), Marrakech, 2001.
6. On the approximation of *SBV* functions and non occurrence of the Lavrentiev phenomenon in some free discontinuity problems, Riokoku University, Kyoto, 2002.
7. Existence and compactness of semigroups generated by second-order elliptic operators, Tsukuba, 2002.
8. The sector of analyticity of the Ornstein-Uhlenbeck semigroup in  $L^p$  spaces with respect to the invariant measure, Halle 2003.
9. Metodi diretti nel calcolo delle variazioni (corso di dottorato), Universidad Austral di Rosario (Argentina).
10. Sets with finite perimeter and the heat semigroup, Bristol, 2010.
11. Some connections between geometric measure theory and semigroups, Metz, 2011.
12. Degenerate elliptic and parabolic operators, Bielefeld, 2012.
13. Bounded variation functions in Hilbert spaces and related semigroups, Sapporo, 2012.
14. Sets of finite perimeter in Wiener spaces, ERC Workshop on Geometric Partial Differential Equations, Pisa, Centro De Giorgi, 2012.

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- [7] D. PALLARA: Some New Results on Functions of Bounded Variation, *Rend. Accad. Naz. Sci. XL, Mem. Mat.* **(5)14** (1990), 295-321.
- [8] D. PALLARA: On the Lower Semicontinuity of Certain Integral Functionals, *Rend. Accad. Naz. Sci. XL, Mem. Mat.* **(5)15** (1991), 57-70.
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