## Paolo Ruscito, MD

## Curriculum Vitae

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### **Education**

#### Fellowship

- Oto-rhino-laryngology: Catholic University of Rome "Agostino Gemelli", Rome (1985-1988)
- Audiology: University of Perugia, Perugia / Terni (1989–1993)

#### Residency

 Oto-rhino-laryngology: Catholic University of Rome "Agostino Gemelli, Rome (1985-1988)

#### Internship

- General Surgery
- Oto-rhino-laryngology: Catholic University of Rome "Agostino Gemelli"

#### Medical School

• Catholic University of Rome "Agostino Gemelli", Rome (1979-1985)

## Current position

2013-present Chief of the Department of Otolaryngology, Head and Neck Surgery,

General Hospital of Rieti (Italy)

2014-present Chief of the Department of Surgery, General Hospital of Rieti (Italy)

#### Position held

2002-2013	Deputy Chief of the Department of Otolaryngology, Head and Neck
	Surgery, Chief of the Service of Audiology and Phoniatrics, National
	Cancer Institute "Regina Elena" , Rome (Italy)
1993-2002	Associate Med. Doct., Department of Otolaryngology, Head and Neck Surgery, National Cancer Institute "Regina Elena", Rome (Italy)
1989-1993	Assistant Professor at the 2 <sup>nd</sup> Otorhinolaryngology Clinic of Perugia

University, "S. Maria" Hospital, Terni (Italy)

# Professional organizations / societies

1988-present	member of the Italian Society of Otolarynolaryngology, Head and Neck Surgery
2003-2005	member of the Italian Society of Medical Oncology
1996-2000	member of the European Society of Laryngology
2003	member of the Italian Society of Oncology

## **Committees**

 Regional Coordinator (Central Italy) for Informatization of the Italian Society of Otolarynolaryngology (AOOI) (1996-1999)

- Member of the Board for Permanent Training of the Italian Society of Otolarynolaryngology, Head and Neck Surgery (AOOI) (2008-2010)
- Secrectary of the Disease Management Team of "Thyroid Tumors" at the National Cancer Institute "Regina Elena" of Rome, Italy (up to 2013).
- Member of the Board of the Rome & Lazio Academy of Otorhinolaryngology (2014-present)
- Member of the Board of the Italian Society of Otolarynolaryngology (AOOI)
  (2014-present)
- President of the Association of Otolarynolaryngology of Central and Southern Italy (AOICO) (2016-present)

#### Honors

 1989 "Giuseppe Toniolo" Prize for studies concerning nasal polyposis etiopathogenesis (Rome).

## **Projects**

- Minimally Invasive Video-Assisted Thyroidectomy. Study of feseability. National Cancer Institute of Rome (Coordinator)
- IORT in the treatment of advanced head & neck tumors National Cancer Institute of Rome
- IORT in the treatment of oral cancer close to or marginally infiltrating the mandible National Cancer Institute of Rome (Coordinator)
- IORT as boost treatment in advanced head & neck tumors National Cancer Institute of Rome
- Neo-adiuvant bifaactioned accelerated radiotherapy in association to low dose prolonged chemotherapy in operable advanced head and neck cancer: phase II study. National Cancer Institute of Rome

## Publications / chapters

- Author of 128 publications (25 Medline indexed);
- Scientific coordinator of: "Oncologic Surgery of the Head and Neck" (2 vol., 598 pg.): de Campora E, Marzetti M, Pacini Ed. Pisa 1996;
- Author of "Surgery of the Hypopahrynx" in: "Cancers of the Larynx and Hypopharynx: Integrated Treatments" Lucioni M, Serafini I, Vittorio Veneto, 2000 (e-book);
- Author of "Horizontal Supraglottic Laryngectomy". In: Cohen James I.; Clayman Gary L.: "Atlas of Head and Neck Surgery" Jul- 2011, Elsevier Science;
- Author of "Partial Pharyngectomy". In: Gil Zim; Fliss Dan M: "Atlas of Head and Neck Surgery" 2013, Jaypee;
- Author of "Horizontal Supraglottic Laryngectomy". In: Gil Zim; Fliss Dan M: "Atlas of Head and Neck Surgery" 2013, Jaypee;

## Surgical activity

He performed more than 5000 procedures, 2500 concerning major head & neck surgery. They comprehend:

- open head and neck procedures with particular regard to:
  - major salivary gland diseases;
  - thyroid and parathyroid tumors;
  - oral cavity and maxillary diseases;
  - pharyngo-laryngeal tumors (partial/functional and radical surgery);
  - neck masses
  - maxillectomy
  - orbital traumatic and neoplastic deseases
- endoscopic surgery:
  - endoscopic CO<sub>2</sub> laser surgery of the larynx;
  - trans-oral robotic surgery (TORS) for pharyngo-laryngeal tumors.