

Francesco Angelucci

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Researcher: BioGEM group, UAntwerpen (Antwerpen, BE), 08/2017 – 11/2017
I prepared my application for the FWO SB Doctoral Grant for Basic Research with a project in “One-step Production Platform of Functionalized Nanofibrillated Cellulose (NFC) aided by Ionic Liquids”.

I also carried out some lab work on the acid catalyzed oligomerization of oil fractions from pyrolyzed plastics.

Trainee: Farmacia Minucci Snc (Pisa, IT), 12/2015 – 06/2016

Internship in a private pharmacy (<http://www.farmaciaminucci.it>). I worked as sales assistant and aided in the organization of the incoming stocks but my core tasks were carried out in the galenical lab. I prepared creams, capsules and solutions, controlled the legal paper work, managed lab ware and substances.

Article writer: Farmacia Torrevecchia (Roma, IT), 2015 – 2016

I wrote original articles, translated and edited healthcare articles for the pharmacy's online website (www.farmaciatorrevecchia.it) and facebook page.

Volunteer: Amka Onlus (Roma, IT) 2009 - 2010

As a volunteer in Rome I helped with the fundraising initiatives, the preparation of information campaigns, the preparation of the projects on malnutrition and HIV in Lubumbashi, DR of Congo.

Mission in Lubumbashi (DRC): In September 2009 I had the opportunity to work in various settings like a census of a village, a vaccination campaign and a fair trade deal with the malachite workers.

EDUCATION

MPharm Pharmaceutical Technologies

Università di Pisa (Pisa, IT), 10/2011 – 03/2017

Thesis: *Rational design and synthesis of novel acadesine-like modulators of AMPK* – Laboratory of prof. La Motta **vote: 110/110 with honors**

BA Political Science: Università RomaTre (Rome, IT), 2008 - 2011 Thesis on the Ethiopian Resistance (1935-1941)

<http://www.tesionline.it/default/tesi.asp?id=48582> **vote: 110/110**

LANGUAGES AND SKILLS

LANGUAGES: Though my native language is Italian, I am **fluent in English** as from kindergarten to High school I went to an English school. There I also took classes in French, that I continued to study from then on and of which I can say I have a very good command. I've also learnt Spanish, studying it both at school and independently to a working knowledge level

SOFTWARE: MS OFFICE; Discovery Studio; ChemDraw15

ANALYTICAL TECHNIQUES: NMR, IR, UV/Vis spectroscopy and Mass Spectrometry.

SOFT SKILLS: Crammed with 5 people in a small house in Congo with little water and electricity has taught me how to be **good team player** and avoid conflicts with stressed out partners. Long nights of study preparing exams from law to pharmacology have taught me to **deal with deadlines** and to **work independently**. A failed attempt to participate in a regional startup competition has given me the opportunity to work on my **communication skills**.