

## ***Curriculum Vitae (abridged version)***

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### **Qualifications**

July 2014	PhD, Sheffield Hallam University (UK)
July 2003	Master of Science (Sports Injuries and Therapy), Manchester Metropolitan University (UK)
July 2001	Postgraduate Certificate (Sports Sciences), MMU
November 1998	Bachelor of Science (Honours) in Physiotherapy, University of Malta

### **PhD Thesis**

***The Bologna Process and physiotherapy education across Europe***

### **Registration**

Principal List of the Physiotherapists' Register held by the Health Department (Malta),  
CPCM Reg. No. 114, & Licensed to Practice

### **Work, experience and responsibilities**

#### **❖ Education**

- Full Time Academic / Senior Lecturer within the Physiotherapy Department, Faculty of Health Sciences, University of Malta, 2010 –

#### **❖ Practice**

- Physiotherapist as a liberal professional:
  - Self-employed on a part-time basis since 1999
- Physiotherapist within the Department of Health (Malta) 1998 - 2010

## ❖ Leadership and Management

- World Physiotherapy ([www.world.physio](http://www.world.physio))
  - Executive Committee Member 2014 – 2015
  - Executive Board Member 2015 - 2019
  - Executive Board Member 2019 – 2021
  - Chair Accreditation Committee
- Europe Region of World Physiotherapy (ER-WCPT) ([www.erwcpt.eu](http://www.erwcpt.eu))
  - Executive Committee Member (2014)
  - Executive Committee Member (2014 - 2020)
  - Working Group Participant
- Council for the Professions Complimentary to Medicine (CPCM) Malta
  - Elected Board Member (2013 – 2016)
  - Elected Board Member (2016 – 2019)
- Member on the Scientific Committee of the 4<sup>th</sup> European Congress organized by the ER-WCPT held in Liverpool in November 2016
- Chair of the Scientific Committee of the 5<sup>th</sup> European Congress on Physiotherapy organized by the World Physiotherapy Europe Region
- Accreditation and Education Reviewer
- Part-time assistant to the Consultant on Staff Training and Retraining within the Office of the Permanent Secretary, Ministry for Health, Elderly and Community Care, 2009 - 2010
- President of the Malta Association of Physiotherapists      2000/2001, 2007 to 2012
- Consultant to the Malta Association of Physiotherapists      since 2012
- European Network of Physiotherapy in Higher Education (Enphe)
  - Substitute coordinator for Malta      2009 - 2011
  - Lifelong learning Focus Group Leader      2010 - 2012
  - Coordinator for Malta      2013 - 2016