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Department of Environmental Medicine and Public Health, University of Padova.



Education

- Registered Nurse Diploma Veneto Region, Verona-Italy
- Head Staff Nurse Diploma Veneto Region, Verona-Italy
- Master Science in Education, University of Verona-Italy
- Ph.D Nursing Science- CWR University, Cleveland, USA
- Master in Teaching and Management-La Sapienza University- Rome-Italy

Academic Appointments

- Lecturer of Nursing, CWR University di Cleveland - USA
- Assistant Professor School of Nursing CWR University Cleveland - USA
- Adjunct Professor School of Nursing, CWR University Cleveland – USA
- Teaching Professor of Nursing, University of Padova
- present, Associate Professor of Nursing with institutional teaching in graduate and post-graduate programs for Nursing and Medicine:
 - *Clinical methodology of Nursing* in: a) Bachelor of Nursing; b) Master Nursing Science – School of Medicine;
 - *Philosophy and Theory of Nursing* in: a) Bachelor of Nursing; b) Master Nursing Science – School of Medicine;
 - *Ethno-anthropology of Health* in: Bachelor of Nursing– School of Medicine;
 - *Inter-professional relationships* in: School of Medicine.
- 2009 – present, appointed Coordinator of 17 Schools for Professional Health Sciences – Faculty of Medicine
- 2008 – present, Dean of Master Science in Nursing “Corso di Laurea Magistrale in Scienze Infermieristiche ed Ostetriche”, Faculty of Medicine and Surgery.
- 2008 – present, Director of Post-graduate program in Health Management (Master in Coordinamento delle Professioni Sanitarie) Faculty of Medicine and Surgery.
- 2008 – present, Director of Laboratory in Nursing Studies and EBN, Dpt. Of Environmental Medicine and Public Health, Faculty of Medicine.
- 2006 – 08, member of the Steering Committee of Erasmus Mundus Master of Bioethics (EMMB), International Master promoted by University of Leuven, University of Nijmegen and University of Padova and Local Coordinator of the Paduan session.

Research Activity

Research Projects at European level:

- 2007 – 2009 *E-PsychoNurse –Psychiatric Nursing in Europe*. EU grant FI-06-B-F-PP-160701 (Ireland, UK, Portugal, Finland, Latonia, Italy) Project coordinator for Padova University

- 2005-2008 *AGE-NICE - FIPSE* Founded by EU-USA (Padova, Ulster, Kalmar, East Tennessee, Otterbein e Hampton Universities) Gerontology and Dependency. Project coordinator for Padova University.
- 2005-09 *Project Marie-Curie (EU) ASCEND* - Advanced Summer Schools for European Nursing Doctorates. EU Grant MSCF-CT-2005 (York, Dublin, Maastricht and Padova Universities)
- 1996- 98 Appraisal, Coping and Adaptation in Italian and Irish Women with Breast Cancer: An International Study. Founded by the EU Commission, program: Europe Against Cancer. Project coordinator.

Current research interests

The main fields of his research on bioethics concern both anthropological and ethical issues, including:

- Person and Bioethics;
- Human Dignity and Bioethics
- Theoretical models in Clinical Bioethics;
- Methodologies for the ethical analysis in Health Care Ethics Committees;
- Ethical issues in palliative care;
- Ethical issues in long term care;
- Ethical issues in neonatal intensive care;
- Bioethics education.

Professional experiences and Scientific Collaborations

- 1976-81 Nurse and Head staff nurse in Intensive Care Unit University Hospital-Verona
- 1981-85 Nurse Teacher and Coordinator. Verona Health Authority
- 1985-95 Director of ISIRI-International Center of Nursing Research-Padova,Italy
- 1995-2004 Director of CEREF-Center for Research and Advanced Education, Padova

Peer Review

- Editorial Board: *Nursing Philosophy*. Blackwell Editions (UK); Italian Journal of The Management of the Pain & Palliative Care (IT)
- Reviewer: Journal of International Nursing Studies (UK), Western Journal of Nursing Research (Australia), EDTNA/ERCA Journal - F-TWEE (B),

Selected Publications

Books (author):

- Poletti P., Vian F., Zanotti R. *Introduzione alla Metodologia della Ricerca Infermieristica* SUMMA: Padova 1989.
- Poletti P., Vian F., Zanotti R. *Introduzione alla Metodologia del Processo di Nursing*. SUMMA: Padova 1991.
- Modly D. M., Zanotti R., Poletti P, Fitzpatrick J.J., *Broadening Nursing Boundaries Through Nursing Education and Nursing Education Research. Advancing Nursing Education Worldwide*. Springer: New York 1995.

- Modly D. M., Zanotti R., Poletti P, Fitzpatrick J.J. *Home Care Nursing Services - International Lessons*. Springer, New York, 1997.
- Zanotti R. *Filosofia e Teoria del Nursing*. Summa: Padova 2003
- Zanotti R., *Filosofia e Teoria nella Moderna Concettualità del Nursing professionale*. PICCIN: Padova 2010

Books (editor):

- Zanotti R. *Coloproctologia, Stomia e Incontinenza: Diagnosi Infermieristica e Percorsi di assistenza*. Carocci Faber Roma – 2006
- Zanotti R. *Uso Ottimale delle Risorse Infermiere ed OTAA nella nuova Organizzazione dell'Assistenza: Regione del Veneto*, 2003

Books (co-editor):

- Viafora C., Furlan E., Zanotti R. *L'etica della cura. Tra sentimenti e ragioni*, FrancoAngeli, Milano 2007

Articles and book chapters (from 2000)

- Bulfone T, Quattrin R, Zanotti R, Regattin L, Brusaferrò S. *Effectiveness of music therapy for anxiety reduction in women with breast cancer in chemotherapy treatment*. *Holist Nurs Pract*. Jul-Aug;23(4):238-42, 2009.
- Seetharam S, Zanotti R. *Patients' perceptions on healthcare decision making in rural India: a qualitative study and ethical analysis*. *J Clin Ethics*. Summer;20(2):150-7, 2009
- Zanotti R. *The Research Proposal*. In: Roger Watson, Hugh Mckenna, Seamus Cowman, John Keady(Edts) *Nursing Research: Designs and Methods*. (pp. 300-325). Edimburgh: Elsevier., 2009
- Zampieron A, Zanotti R. [*Pain and treatment satisfaction: an observational study*]. *Prof Inferm*. Jan-Mar;61(1):3-8, 2008
- Bonaventura M, Zanotti R. [*Effectiveness of IPD treatment for delirium prevention in hospitalized elderly. A controlled randomized clinical trial*]. *Prof Inferm*. Oct-Dec;60(4):230-6, 2007
- Zanotti R. *Evidence or Evident?* *Haematologica*. 91, 176, 2006
- Zanotti R. *Il Modello Diagnostico per l'Infermiere Specialista*. In: *Coloproctologia, Stomia e Incontinenza: Diagnosi Infermieristica e Percorsi di Assistenza* 41-63. Carocci Faber ROMA, 2006
- Zanotti R. *Scientific development*. In: Fitzpatrick J., Wallace M. (Edt) *Encyclopedia of Nursing Research* (3rd ed.) 543-545.: Springer:New York 2006.

- Zanotti R. *Misura e valutazione della qualità di vita del soggetto con problemi pelvi-perineali*. *Pelvi-perineologia*. 24, 178-181, 2005
- Pecile A, Zanotti R. [Nursing Research in Italy, 1998-2001]. *Prof Inferm.* \Jul-Sep;55(3):130-43, 2002.
- Dijkstra A., Dassen T., Zanotti R., Coleman M. *EuRECa: Developing a Common language for use in Elderly Care*. *ACENDIO* 2001, 167-170, 2001
- Lazzarin M., Zanotti R. *Atteggiamento degli Operatori d'Assistenza Italiani e Svedesi nei confronti della capacità funzionale dell'anziano ospite in R.S.A.* *Mondo Infermieristico* 2, 21-24, 2001
- Zanotti R. *Strumenti per l'accertamento e la valutazione di aspetti psicologici*. In *Infermieristica Clinica in Igiene Mentale di Ciambriello, C., Cantelmi T., Pasini A. (Edits.)*. Milano: Ambrosiana. 421-442, 2001
- Lazzarin M., Zanotti R. *Atteggiamento degli Operatori d'Assistenza Italiani e Svedesi nei confronti della capacità funzionale dell'anziano ospite in R.S.A.* *Mondo Infermieristico* 2, 21-24, 2001
- Dijkstra A, Coleman M, Dassen TW, Romoren TI, Välimäki M, Zanotti R. [*Care dependency of nursing home patients with dementia: assessment from European perspective*]. *Tijdschr Gerontol Geriatr*. Dec;31(6):245-51, 2000.
- Dijkstra A, Brown L, Havens B, Romeren TI, Zanotti R, Dassen T, van den Heuvel W. *An international psychometric testing of the care dependency scale*. *J Adv Nurs*. 2000 Apr;31(4):944-52, 2000
- Zanotti, R. *La qualità nell'assistenza infermieristica. L'Ospedale del Futuro*. *Multimediali*, 218-227, 2000