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EDUCATION – WORK EXPERIENCE

Guido Amoretti studied at the University of Pavia, earning a degree in Philosophy, a specialization in Medical Statistics with an emphasis on epidemiology, and a PhD in Cognitive and Language Psychology under the guidance of Ornella Andreani Dentici.

Having become a researcher in General Psychology at the same university, he moved to the University of Genoa as an associate professor, later becoming a full professor in the same discipline.

He has held various management roles: coordinator of the degree courses in Psychology for two terms, Dean of the Faculty for one term, Director of the Department for two terms, coordinator of the Master's Degree Course in Territorial Development and Sustainable Tourism, and again Head of the Department for one term.

He was a member of the Academic Senate, first as Dean of the Faculty and then as a representative of the Directors of the Departments of the School of Social Sciences, for a total of 13 non-continuous years. He is currently the Rector's Delegate for the Sarzano-Carignano Pole with responsibility for safety in the workplace, Director of the Museum of Ethnomedicine, the Rector's Delegate for Central Asia and the contact person for several cooperation agreements with non-European countries.

His main research interests, which have produced more than 80 national and international publications, focus on cognitive processes and their aging, on pathologies of old age, on methodological issues, on the construction of psychometric tools, on the psychology of tourism.

He is the Managing Editor of the international open access journal Geopolitical Social Security and Freedom Journal [GSSFJ] published by De Gruyter. He has been and is the contact person for numerous European projects.

He has taught General Psychology, Psychology of Aging and Psychology of Tourism for years in the courses of Psychology, Educational Sciences, Tourism Sciences and in the Master's Degree in Valorisation of Territories and Sustainable Tourism

Relevant PUBLICATIONS

- 1 (with G. Murialdo, C.A. Galimberti, S. Fonzi, R. Manni, P. Costelli, C. Parodi, G.P. Solinas, A. Tartara) Sex Hormones and Pituitary Function in Male Epileptic Patients with Altered or Normal Sexuality, *Epilepsia*, 36 (4), 1995, pp. 360-365.
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- 8 Aged people and tourism. *Geopolitical, Social Security and Freedom Journal*, vol.4, no.2, 2021, pp.112-119. <https://doi.org/10.2478/gssfj-2021-0015>
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- 11 Technologies and the elderly. *Geopolitical, Social Security and Freedom Journal*, vol.7, no.1, 2024, pp.39-48. <https://doi.org/10.2478/gssfj-2024-0003>
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INTERNATIONAL PROJECTS EXPERIENCE

1. Project TEMPUS CTAE JPHE544517 coordinated by University of Genova (with Ukr, Ru). 2014-2017;
2. Erasmus- Ka 107 with IMI-NOVA and Tiraspol State University, UNIGE coordinator 2018-2021.
3. Contact person EU project Erasmus + 598243-EPP-1-2018-1- SE-EPPKA2-CBHE-JP «DIGIHEALTH» <http://digihealth-eu.aiu.edu.sy>
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10. Erasmus- Ka 171 with IMI-NOVA and Ion Creanga Pedagogical State University, UNIGE coordinator 2022-2025.
11. Erasmus- Ka 171 with IT Astana University and Sarsen Amanzholov University, UNIGE coordinator 2024-2027.