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PROFILE IN BRIEF

Gianluca Serafini is born in Avezzano (L'Aquila), Italy, in 1978 from Italian parents. He took his degree in Medicine and Surgery at Sapienza University of Rome, later becoming psychiatrist. In 2012, he obtained his Ph.D. in Psychiatry: Early Interventions in Psychosis. He is actually Assistant Professor of Psychiatry at University of Genoa, Section of Psychiatry, IRCSS San Martino, Italy.

From over ten years he worked as clinician and researcher at Sant'Andrea Hospital in Rome where from 2007 he is an active member of the Center for Suicide Prevention. His major research interests include: neurobiology and neuroimaging of suicidal behaviour and major affective disorders, psychopharmacology, and neuroplasticity.

He has been included in "2010 Marquis Who's Who in the World", "2011 Marquis Who's Who in the World", "2012 Marquis Who's Who in the World", "2013 Marquis Who's Who in the World", "2014 Marquis Who's Who in the World", "2015 Marquis Who's Who in the World (in press)" and he is a fellow of several scientific Societies (New York Academy of Sciences, International Society for Affective Disorders, International Association for Suicide Prevention, World Suicidology Net, Sociedad Española De Patología Dual, European Psychiatric Association (Secretary of the Neuroimaging section), Società Italiana di Psichiatria, Associazione Italiana Lotta allo Stigma).

He is an active researcher being the author of more than 140 publications scientific contributions (author of more than 90 articles in peer reviewed international and national journals, author of approximately 35 book chapters, author of more than 20 abstract/posters in peer reviewed international journals).

From 2007 he was a speaker in 124 national and international conferences and he is currently Editor-in-Chief of Journal of Life Medicine and Journal of Medical Disorders, Associate Editor of 2 international journals. He actually serves as reviewer for 87 peer-reviewed international journals, and he is Editorial/Advisory Board member of 34 peer-reviewed international journals.

Education and qualifications:

1992-1997	Classic High School “A. Torlonia” of Avezzano (AQ); 60/60 with honours
1997–2003	Degree in Medicine and Surgery Sapienza University of Rome (summa cum laude)
2001-2003	Fellow, Department of Psychiatric Sciences and Psychological Medicine, Umberto I Hospital, Sapienza University of Rome
2003-2007	Training in Psychiatry, Sapienza University of Rome (summa cum laude)
From 2005-pres	Principal investigator, sub-investigator and rater of more than 15 clinical experimental trials.
Current position	Assistant Professor of Psychiatry, Section of Psychiatry, University of Genoa, IRCCS San Martino, Largo Rosanna Benzi 10, 16100, Genoa, Italy.

Professional Experience:

- From 2005-pres principal investigator, sub-investigator and rater of more than 15 clinical studies at Sant’Andrea Hospital, Sapienza University of Rome, Faculty of Medicine and Psychology:
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| 2005-2007 | Sub-investigator of the study “CN138-134: Efficacy of Aripiprazole in combination with Valproate or Lithium in the Treatment of Mania in patients with Bipolar I Disorder partially nonresponsive to Valproate or Lithium monotherapy” for Bristol Myers Squibb; |
| 2008-2009 | Sub-investigator of the study "CN138-502: Study to evaluate the efficacy and safety of Aripiprazole in combination with Lithium or Valproate over 12 weeks in the treatment of patients diagnosed with Bipolar I Disorder Mania" for Bristol-Myers Squibb; |

- 2009-2010 Principal-Investigator and later sub-investigator of the study "PERSpecT in patients with schizophrenia and schizoaffective disorder" for Janssen-Cilag;
- Sub-investigator of the study "Ruby: Comparing Quetiapine XR monotherapy and augmentation with Lithium augmentation in TRD patients in patients with Major Depressive Disorder" for Astra-Zeneca;
- 2010-2011 Sub-investigator of the study "VIVAL-D: Observational Italian Study for eValuAtion of epidemiological features and clinical needs in major Depression" for Servier;
- Sub-investigator of the study "R076477SCH3037: Efficacy and tolerability of flexible doses of Paliperidone ER in symptomatic subjects with schizophrenia with duration of illness <10 years" for Janssen-Cilag;
- Sub-investigator and Rater of the study "AB/PD/21: Multicenter randomized parallel-group, double-blind, study versus placebo to evaluate clinical effects, safety and tolerability of ABIO 08/01 in patients with panic disorder" for Abiogen;
- Sub-investigator and Rater of the study "D1443L00082A: Phase IV Prospective, Double-blind, Double-dummy, Randomized, Crossover Study to Assess the Impact on Daily Cognitive Functioning of Quetiapine Fumarate Immediate Release (Seroquel IR®) Dosed twice Daily and Quetiapine Fumarate Extended Release (Seroquel XR®) Dosed once Daily in the Evening in Patients with Stable Schizophrenia" for Astra-Zeneca;
- Sub-investigator of the study "Seroquel XR Pilot Study" for AstraZeneca;
- 2011-2012 Sub-investigator of the study "C10953/3073: Double-Blind, Placebo-Controlled, Parallel-Group, Fixed-Dosage Study to Evaluate the Efficacy and Safety of Armodafinil Treatment (150 mg/day) as Adjunctive Therapy in Adults With Major Depression Associated With Bipolar I Disorder" for Cephalon.
- Dal 2014 Sub-investigator dello studio Observational Study Description F1D-MC-B034(b) - Post-Injection Syndrome in Patients with Schizophrenia Receiving Olanzapine Long-Acting Injection condotto da ICON Peri-approval & Observational Research

Academic and Teaching Appointments:

From 2005-2014	Member of the following Degree Committees: <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Faculty of Medicine and Surgery, Sapienza University of Rome;- Faculty of Medicine and Psychology, Sapienza University of Rome;- Faculty of Education and Formation, Sapienza University of Rome;- Undergraduate Faculty of Psychogeriatrics, Sapienza University of Rome
2005-2014 Sapienza University of Rome	Teaching activity, Course of Psychology and Psychiatry, third year, second semester, undergraduate level in Physiotherapy, Sant'Andrea Hospital, Rome, Italy. Teaching activity, Course of Psychogeriatrics, "Scienze Neuropsichiatriche II", third year, first semester, undergraduate level in Occupational Therapy, Sant'Andrea Hospital, Rome, Italy.
2004-2005 Sapienza University of Rome	Teaching activity, Course of Psychiatry, General Psychology, Nursing Sciences and Neuropsychiatric and Rehabilitative Techniques, first year, second semester, undergraduate level in Sciences and Rehabilitative Psychiatric Techniques, Sant'Andrea Hospital, Rome, Italy.
2005-2014 Sapienza University of Rome	Teaching activity, Course of Psychiatry, "Metodologia infermieristica applicata alla Psichiatria e Salute Mentale", third year, second semester, first level in Nursing, Centro Studi "San Giovanni Di Dio", San Pietro Hospital, Rome, Italy.
2006-2008 Sapienza University of Rome	Teaching activity, Course of Psychiatry, "Psicopedagogia Della Salute", III Anno, first semester, first level in Obstetrics (Prof. M. Primiero), Sant'Andrea Hospital, Rome, Italy.
2009-2013 Sapienza University of Rome	Teaching activity, Course of Psychiatric Epidemiology, "Psicopedagogia Della Salute", third year, first semester, undergraduate level in Sciences and Psychological Techniques. Faculty of Psychology, Rome, Italy.

2007-2009 Sapienza University of Rome	Teaching activity, Course of Psychiatry, “Infermieristica Psichiatrica”, second year, first semester, undergraduate level in Nursing Sciences. Itis M. Faraday, Ostia, Italy.
2012-2014 Sapienza University of Rome	Teaching activity, Course of Psychiatry, third year, second semester, undergraduate level in Education and Formation Sciences. Faculty of Psychology, Rome, Italy.
	Teaching activity, Course of Psychiatry, first year, second semester, First level in Education and Formation Sciences. Faculty of Psychology, Rome, Italy.
2009-2010 Università Europea of Rome	Teaching activity, Course of “Psicofisiologia e Laboratorio”, third year, first semester, (SSD): M-PSI/02, first level in Clinical and Community Psychology, Rome (Decreto Rettorale n 35/10 del 26 Aprile 2010).
	Teaching activity, Course of “Psicofisiologia e Laboratorio”, third year, second semester, (SSD): M-PSI/02, first level in Clinical and Community Psychology. Rome (Decreto Rettorale n 35/10 del 26 Aprile 2010).
Dal 2014 Sapienza Università di Roma	Teaching activity in Suicidology, School of Specialization in Psychiatry (Prof. P. Girardi), Sant’Andrea Hospital, Sapienza University of Rome.
From 2014-pres University of Genoa	Teaching activity, Course of Psychiatry, undergraduate level in Podologists, second year, first semester (Prof. F. Franchin), Faculty of Medical Sciences and Pharmaceutical, University of Genoa.
From 2014-pres University of Genoa	Teaching activity, Course of Psychiatry and Clinical Psychology, five year, first semester, Faculty of Medicine and Surgery, University of Genoa.
From 2015-pres University of Genoa	Teaching activity “Psychopharmacology: between Neurobiology and Psychopathology”, Doctorate degree in Clinical and Experimental Neuroscience, second semester, Faculty of Medicine

List of publications in International Journals:

1. Serafini G, Rihmer Z, Amore M. The role of glutamate excitotoxicity and neuro-inflammation in depression and suicidal behavior: focus on microglia cells. *Neuroimmunology and Neuroinflammation* 01/2015; DOI: 10.4103/2347-8659.157955 (in press).
2. Pompili M, Venturini P, Lamis DA, Waford RN, Erbuto D, Serafini G, Amore M, Girardi P. Rehabilitation of the adolescent with a substance use disorder: Overview of treatment efficacy. 2015 (in press).
3. Serafini G, Gonda X, Rihmer Z, Pompili M, Girardi P, Nasrallah HA, Amore M. NMDA Receptor antagonists for Depression: critical considerations. *Annals of Clinical Psychiatry* (in press). ***I.F. 2.53***
4. Serafini G, Pompili M, Belvederi Murri M, Respino M, Ghio L, Girardi P, Fitzgerald PB, Amore M. The effects of repetitive transcranial magnetic stimulation on cognitive performance in treatment-resistant depression. A systematic review. *Neuropsychobiology* 2015;71(3):125-39. ***I.F. 2.303***
5. Belvederi Murri M, Guaglianone A, Bugliani M, Calcagno P, Respino M, Serafini G, Innamorati M, Pompili M, Amore M. Second-Generation Antipsychotics and Neuroleptic Malignant Syndrome: Systematic Review and Case Report Analysis. *Drugs R D*. 2015 15(1):45-62.
6. Ghio L, Gotelli S, Cervetti A, Respino M, Natta W, Marcenaro M, Serafini G, Vaggi M, Amore M, Belvederi Murri M. Duration of untreated depression influences clinical outcomes and disability. *J Affect Disord*. 2015;175C:224-228. ***I.F. 3.705***
7. Pompili M, Serafini G, Innamorati M, Montebovi F, Lamis DA, Milelli M, Giuliani M, Caporro M, Tisei P, Lester D, Amore M, Girardi P, Buttinelli C. Factors associated with hopelessness in epileptic patients. *World J Psychiatry*. 2014;4(4):141-149.
8. Pompili M, Venturini P, Lamis DA, Giordano G, Serafini G, Belvederi Murri M, Amore M, Girardi P. Suicide in stroke survivors: epidemiology and prevention. *Drugs Aging*. 2015;32(1):21-29. ***I.F. 3.705***
9. Eory A, Rozsa S, Gonda X, Dome P, Torzsa P, Simavorian T, Fountoulakis KN, Pompili M, Serafini G, Akiskal KK, Akiskal HS, Rihmer Z, Kalabay L. The association of affective temperaments with smoking initiation and maintenance in adult primary care patients. *J Affect Disord*. 2014;172C:397-402. ***I.F. 3.705***

10. Serafini G, Hayley S, Dwivedi Y, Brahmachari G, Girardi P, Amore M. Hippocampal neurogenesis, neurotrophic factors and depression: possible therapeutic targets? *CNS Neurol Disord Drug Targets*. 2014;13(10):1708-1721 ***I.F. 3.769***
11. Pompili M, Dominici G, Giordano G, Longo L, Serafini G, Lester D, Amore M, Girardi P. Electroconvulsive treatment during pregnancy: a systematic review. *Exp Rev Neurother*. 2014;14(12):1377-90. ***I.F. 2.834***
12. Pompili M, Innamorati M, Gonda X, Serafini G, Erbuto D, Ricci F, Fountoulakis KN, Lester D, Vazquez G, Rihmer Z, Amore M, Girardi P. Pharmacotherapy in bipolar disorders during hospitalization and at discharge predicts psychosocial functioning at follow-up. *Hum Psychopharmacol*. 2014;29(6):578-88. ***I.F. 1.854***
13. Serafini G, Pompili M, Borgwardt S, Giuffra E, Howes O, Girardi P, Amore M. The role of white matter abnormalities in treatment-resistant depression: a systematic review. *Curr Pharm Des*. 2015;21(10):1337-1346 ***I.F. 3.87***
14. Serafini G, Howland RH, Rovedi F, Girardi P, Amore M. The role of ketamine in treatment-resistant depression: a systematic review. *Curr Neuropharmacol*. 2014;12(5):444-461. ***I.F. 2.347***
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18. Pompili M, Harnic D, Gonda X, Forte A, Dominici G, Innamorati M, Fountoulakis KN, Serafini G, Sher L, Janiri L, Rihmer Z, Amore M, Girardi P. Impact of living with bipolar patients: Making sense of caregivers' burden. *World J Psychiatry*. 2014;4(1):1-12.
19. Serafini G, Pompili M, Innamorati M, Girardi N, Strusi L, Amore M, Sher L, Gonda X, Rihmer Z, Girardi P. The impact of periventricular white matter lesions in patients with bipolar disorder type I. *CNS Spectr*. 2014 Jan 10:1-12 [Epub ahead of print]. CORRIGENDUM *CNS Spectr*. 2014 19(4):355. ***I.F. 1.727***
20. Serafini G, Pompili M, Hansen KF, Obrietan K, Dwivedi Y, Amore M, Shomron N, Girardi P. MicroRNAs: fundamental regulators of gene expression in major affective disorders and suicidal behavior? *Front Cell Neurosci*. 2013;7:208. ***I.F. 4.469***
21. Pompili M, Venturini P, Montebovi F, Forte A, Palermo M, Lamis D, Serafini G, Amore M, Girardi P. Suicide risk in dialysis: Review of current literature. *Int J Psychiatry Med*. 2013;46(1):85-108. ***I.F. 1.154***

22. Pompili M, Innamorati M, Forte A, Longo L, Mazzetta C, Erbuto D, Ricci F, Palermo M, Stefani H, Seretti ME, Lamis DA, Perna G, Serafini G, Amore M, Girardi P. Insomnia as a predictor of high-lethality suicide attempts. *Int J Clin Pract*. 2013;67(12):1311-1316. ***I.F. 2.427***
23. Serafini G, Pompili M, Innamorati M, Temple EC, Amore M, Borgwardt S, Girardi P. The Association between Cannabis Use, Mental Illness, and Suicidal Behavior: What is the Role of Hopelessness? *Front Psychiatry*. 2013;4:125.
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25. Pompili M, Serafini G, Innamorati M, Biondi M, Girardi N, Belvederi Murri M, Amore M, Lester D, Girardi P. Impulsivity, Aggression, and Suicide Risk in Patients with Schizophrenia. *Psychiatr Annals* 2013;43(10):458-462. ***I.F. 0.236***
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28. Pompili M, Serafini G, Palermo M, Stefani H, Seretti ME, Lester D, Amore M, Girardi P. Hypothalamic Pituitary Adrenal Axis and Prolactin Abnormalities in Suicidal Behavior. *CNS Neurol Disord Drug Targets*. 2013;12(7):954-970. ***I.F. 3.769***
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30. Pompili M, Venturini P, Palermo M, Stefani H, Seretti ME, Lamis DA, Serafini G, Amore M, Girardi P. Mood disorders medications: predictors of nonadherence - review of the current literature. *Expert Rev Neurother* 2013;13(7):809-825. ***I.F. 2.955***
31. Serafini G, Pompili M, Elena Seretti M, Stefani H, Palermo M, Coryell W, Girardi P. The role of inflammatory cytokines in suicidal behavior: A systematic review. *Eur Neuropsychopharmacol*. 2013;23(12):1672-1686. ***I.F. 4.595***
32. Pompili M, Gonda X, Serafini G, Innamorati M, Sher L, Amore M, Rihmer Z, Girardi P. Epidemiology of suicide in bipolar disorders: a systematic review of the literature. *Bipolar Disord*. 2013;15(5):457-90. ***I.F. 4.621***
33. Pompili M, Innamorati M, Gonda X, Serafini G, Sarno S, Erbuto D, Palermo M, Seretti ME, Stefani H, Lester D, Perugi G, Akiskal H, Siracusano A, Rihmer Z, Tatarelli R, Amore M, Girardi P. Affective Temperaments and Hopelessness as Predictors of Health and Social

- Functioning in Mood Disorders Patients: A Prospective Follow-Up Study. *J Affect Disord.* 2013;150(2):216-22. ***I.F.* 3.295**
34. Pompili M, Serafini G, Innamorati M, Venturini P, Fusar-Poli P, Sher L, Amore M, Girardi P. Agomelatine, a novel intriguing antidepressant option enhancing neuroplasticity: a critical review. *World J Biol Psychiatry.* 2013;14(6):412-431. ***I.F.* 2.385**
35. Pompili M, Lester D, Dominici G, Longo L, Marconi G, Forte A, Serafini G, Amore M, Girardi P. Indications for electroconvulsive treatment in schizophrenia: A systematic review. *Schizophr Res.* 2013;146(1-3):1-9. ***I.F.* 4.748**
36. Pompili M, Pennica A, Serafini G, Battuello M, Innamorati M, Teti E, Girardi N, Amore M, Lamis DA, Aceti A, Girardi P. Depression and Affective Temperaments Are Associated with Poor Health-Related Quality of Life in Patients with HIV Infection. *J Psychiatr Pract.* 2013;19(2):109-117. ***I.F.* 2.156**
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38. Pompili M, Forte A, Palermo M, Lamis DA, Serafini G, Girardi P. Suicide Risk in Multiple Sclerosis: review of current literature. *J Psychosom Res.* 2012; 73(6):411-417. ***I.F.* 3.296**
39. Serafini G, Pompili M, Innamorati M, Dwivedi Y, Brahmachari G, Girardi P. Pharmacological properties of glutamatergic drugs targeting NMDA receptors and their application in major depression. *Curr Pharm Des.* 2013;19(10):1898-922. ***I.F.* 3.87**
40. Pompili M, Rihmer Z, Gonda X, Serafini G, Sher L, Girardi P. Early onset of action and sleep-improving effect are crucial in decreasing suicide risk: the role of quetiapine XR in the treatment of unipolar and bipolar depression. *Riv Psichiatri.* 2012;47(6):489-497. ***I.F.* 0.207**
41. Serafini G, Pompili M, Innamorati M, Gentile G, Borro M, Lamis DA, Lala N, Negro A, Simmaco M, Girardi P, Martelletti P. Gene variants with suicidal risk in a sample of women with chronic migraine and affective temperamental dysregulation. *Eur Rev Med Pharmacol Sci.* 2012;16(10):1389-1398. ***I.F.* 1.267**

42. Serafini G. Neuroplasticity and major depression, the role of modern antidepressant drugs. *World J Psychiatr.* 2012; 2(3): 49-57.
43. Iliceto P, Pompili M, Candilera G, Natali MA, Stefani H, Lester D, Serafini G, Girardi P. Gender-related differences concerning anger expression and interpersonal relationships in a sample of overweight/obese subjects. *Clin Ter.* 2012;163(5):e279-85. ***I.F. 0.257***
44. Iliceto P, Pompili M, Candilera G, Borges G, Lamis DA, Serafini G, Girardi P. Suicide risk and psychopathology in immigrants: a multi-group confirmatory factor analysis. *Soc Psychiatry Psychiatr Epidemiol.* 2013;48(7):1105-1114. ***I.F. 2.696***
45. Serafini G, Pompili M, Innamorati M, Negro A, Fiorillo M, Lamis DA, Erbuto D, Marsibilio F, Romano A, Amore M, D'Alonzo L, Bozzao A, Girardi P, Martelletti P. White matter hyperintensities and self-reported depression in a sample of patients with chronic headache. *J Headache Pain.* 2012;13(8):661-667. ***I.F. 2.427***
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49. Pompili M, Gibiino S, Innamorati M, Serafini G, Del Casale A, De Risio L, Palermo M, Montebovi F, Campi S, De Luca V, Sher L, Tatarelli R, Biondi M, Duval F, Serretti A, Girardi P. Prolactin and thyroid hormone levels are associated with suicide attempts in psychiatric patients. *Psychiatry Res.* 2012;200(2-3):389-394. ***I.F. 2.524***

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53. Serafini G, Pompili M, Innamorati M, Giordano G, Montebovi F, Sher L, Dwivedi Y, Girardi P. The role of microRNAs in synaptic plasticity, major affective disorders and suicidal behavior. *Neurosci Res.* 2012;73(3):179-90. ***I.F. 2.096***
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7. *Expert Opinion on Investigational Drugs* (Informa Healthcare) **I.F. 4.744;**
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9. *CNS Neuroscience and Therapeutics* (Wiley Library) **I.F. 4.443;**
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Membership in scientific societies:

1. From 2015 to pres, member of the *World Suicidology Net*;
2. From 2014 to pres, member of the *International Forum of Psychosis & Bipolarity*;
3. From 2013 to 2014, member of the *New York Academy of Sciences*;
4. From 2013 to pres, member of the *Italian Society of Psychiatry (SIP)*;
5. From 2012 to pres, member of the *European Psychiatric Association (EPA)*, Secretary of Neuroimaging Section;
6. From 2012 to 2013, member of the *International Society of Affective Disorders (ISAD)*;
7. From 2011 to pres, member of *Sociedad Española De Patología Dual (SEPD)*;
8. From 2010 to 2013, member of the *Associazione Italiana Lotta allo Stigma (AILAS)*;
9. From 2007 to pres, member of the *International Association for Suicide Prevention (IASP)*.

Major Research Interests:

1. Neurobiology and neuroimaging of major affective disorders;
2. Suicidal behavior and suicide prevention;
3. Psychopharmacology;
4. Neurogenesis and neuroplasticity;
5. Early Intervention in Psychiatry.

It is certified that the information provided above are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

