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Personal Information

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Education

PhD Degree in Mechanical and Industrial Engineering, ROMA TRE University, November 2 nd, 2001 - October 31 st, 2004. Graduation Thesis: Development of stochastic and deterministic methods to assess the environmental impact from quarrying activities.

Master Degree in Mechanical Engineering, ROMA TRE University, July 10th, 2000. Graduation thesis: *Airborne Noise in quarrying activities: forecasting models and risk analysis methods*.

Current position

Currently employed by the Department of Engineering (Mechanical Engineering Section), Roma TRE University as:

Associate Professor of: Health and Safety and Risk Assessment Techniques (Mech Eng);

Industrial sites Safety (Civil Eng);

Environmental Impact of Quarries (Mech. Eng)

Scientific Research

Expert in the research field applied to Industrial and Civil sites, with a particular regard to Quarrying activities. The main part of the research studies is focused both on environmental impact induced by industrial sites and on professional exposure to pathogenic agents typical of the quarry environment. The whole research activity is developed on Prevention of Occupational and Environmental Risks (POER).

In summary, the main interests intercept the following topics:

- Dynamic assessment of risk accidents;
- Establishment of phenomenological relations between occupational parameters (noise, vibration, dust, luminance) and production processes;
- Modeling and monitoring of environmental impacts (e.g. air pollution emissions, blast vibration, noise, etc.) by means of deterministic and stochastic methods;
- Assessing and evaluating the visual impacts of quarrying works by means of quantitative approaches;
- Designing and appraising underground quarries, as well as utilizing the underground space for various windowless uses;
- Monetizing the externalities of quarrying activity using primary and secondary environmental valuation techniques;
- Developing restoration and rehabilitation plans for active and abandoned quarrying sites;
- Conducting human health and environmental risk assessments;
- Utilizing quarrying waste and by-products, etc.

In many of the cited topics geostatistical tools are used for mathematical modelling in order to forecast the environmental impact of industrial sites and estimate occupational doses of exposure to pollutants. Methods such as Kriging with external drift or Intrinsic Random Functions are used with an integrated approach, combining deterministic and probabilistic methods, which often appears to guarantee more reliable results.

Awards

National Scientific Qualification for FULL Professor obtained in October 9th, 2019

Faculty Position as Associate at the Department of Engineering, Roma TRE University from 1st Jan 2011

Researcher position at the Mechanical and Industrial Engineering Department Roma TRE University from 1st Jan 2004.

PhD student with university full financial support, 1st November, 2003 – 31st October, 2006. The PhD activity was mainly focused on mathematical models to forecast spatial variability of pathogenic agents in quarrying activities

Research Projects

Principal/ Co-investigator in international and national research projects:

2010. Ministry of Education, University and Research (Local Research Program) – "Development of monitoring techniques to assess environmental impact arising from airborne dust in quarrying activities". (Co-Investigator).

2009 Ministry of Education, University and Research (Local Research Program) – "Development of monitoring techniques to assess occupational risks arising from pathogen agents in quarrying activities". (Co- Investigator).

Principal /Co- Investigator in research activities funded by private companies:

2016 – Chef Express s.p.a. - Occupational Health and Safety Management System: applications, problems and review in an international company (Co- Investigator).

2012 - Az. Montenevoso s.r.l. - Development of a multi-step method to assess the visual impact alteration induced by quarrying activities in the district of Nepi (Co- Investigator);

2011 - Eco Practice s.r.l. -Behavior Based Safety: development of BBS techniques in the mining industry (Co-Investigator);

2009-2010 - Cava Nenni & figli s.r.l. -Risk assessment techniques in quarrying activities: application to airborne dust (Principal Incvestigator);

2006 - Cava Nenni & figli s.r.l. - Environmental Impact Assessment of the quarrying district of Vallerano (Principal Investigator) .

Co-investigator in research activities funded by public boards:

2015-2016 University of Roma Tre. Risk assessment and Occupational safety at Workplace. (D. Lgs. 81/08). Principal Investigator.

2008-2009 Met. Ro. s.p.a. Risk assessment and Occupational safety at Workplace. (D. Lgs. 81/08). Co-Investigator.

2008-2009 Met. Ro. s.p.a. Risk assessment and Occupational safety at temporary construction sites. (D. Lgs. 81/08, Titolo IV). Co- Investigator.

Teaching

2011 to date. Bachelor degree in Mechanical Engineering, ROMA TRE University, Safety at Work and Environmental protection, Course Manager;

2011 to date. Master and Bachelor degree in Mechanical Engineering, ROMA TRE University, Risk assessment techniques and Environmental Impact Methods, Course Lecturer & Manager;

2011 to date. Master and PhD degree in Mechanical Engineering, ROMA TRE University, Probabilistic Models and Geostatistical Methods in Industrial Management, Course Manager and Lecturer;

2011 to date. Master and Bachelor degree in Civil Engineering, ROMA TRE University, Safety and Work Managing in Sites, Course Manager • 2014 to date. Master and Bachelor degree in Mechanical Engineering, ROMA TRE University, Laboratory of Industrial Safety and Risk Assessment, Course Lecturer;

2011 to date. Master and Bachelor degree in Mechanical Engineering, ROMA TRE University, Risk assessment techniques and Environmental Impact Methods, Course Lecturer;

- 2011 to date. Master degree in Mechanical Engineering, ROMA TRE University, Probabilistic Models and Geostatistical Methods in Industrial Management, Course Manager and Lecturer;
- 2009 to date. Master degree in Mechanical Engineering, ROMA TRE University, Quarries and environmental Impact, Course Manager;
- 2003 to date. Master degree in Mechanical Engineering, ROMA TRE University, Safety and Health in working activities, Course Manager and Lectur;

- 2015. Master in Second Grade School Teaching (TFA), Education in Environmental Engineering, Course Manager and Lecturer
- 2013 to date. Master in Second Grade School Teaching (PAS), Education in Safety management Systems, Course Manager and Lecturer;
- 2006-2009. Master degree in Mechanical Engineering, ROMA TRE University, Risk assessments methods, Lecturer and Teaching Assistant;
- 2005-2008. Master degree in Mechanical Engineering, ROMA TRE University, Occupational Safety and Health management Techniques, Course Manager;
- 2013. Master in Second Grade Environmental Impact Methods (MUTECA), University of Roma Tor Vergata, Risk assessment methods in industrial activities. Course Manager and Lecturer
- 2014 to date. Master in Second Grade Occupational Safety in Health Facilities, University of Roma Tre Ospedale Pediatrico Bambin Gesù, Risk assessment methods, Course Manager and Lecturer.
- 2005-2006. Master in Second Grade, Sustainable Metropolitan Transport, Risk assessment procedures, Lecturer and Teaching assistant.

Membership and International activities

Member of the Editorial Board of the following International Journals:

WIT Building Environment edited by Wessex Institute of Technology;

WIT Engineering Sciences edited by Wessex Institute of Technology;

WIT Ecology and Environment edited by Wessex Institute of Technology;

Invitations as **reviewer** for International Journals (more than 20 reviews to date):

International Journal of Safety and Security Engineering, published by Wessex Institute of Technology (WIT PRESS) both in paper format (ISSN: 2041-9031) and online (ISSN: 2041-904);

American Journal of Environmental Sciences published by Science Publications (SCIPUB) both in paper format (ISSN: 1553-345X) and online (ISSN: 1558-3910);

Scienze e Ricerche ISSN 2283-5873;

Publications

The above research activities have led to the publishing of more than 40 papers at international conferences and in journals.

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- [44] Alfaro Degan G, Coltrinari G., Lippiello D. (2017). Risk assessment of whole body-vibration associated with the operation of load-haul-dump mining vehicles in quarry activities: A case study. Proc. of the 17th International Multidisciplinary Scientific GeoConference & Expo SGEM 2017, Volume 1, 2017, ISSN: 13142704. 10.5593/sgem2017/11/S04.132
- [43] Alfaro Degan G, Coltrinari G., Lippiello D. (2017). Analysis of ground-transducer coupling in monitoring vibration from railways: a case study. International Journal of Transport Development and Integration, Volume 1, Issue 2, pages: 290-300. DOI: 10.2495/TDI-V1-N2-290-300.
- [42] Alfaro Degan, G., Lippiello, D., Pinzari, M. (2016). Application pf a multi stage method to assess the landscape alteration induced by quarrying sites: a comparative analysis. American Journal of Environmental sciences, Volume 12, Issue 5, pages: 317-327. 10.3844/ajessp.2016.317.327.
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- [39] Alfaro Degan G, Lippiello D, Pinzari M. (2015). Landscape changes due to quarrying activities as a project parameter for urban planning. International Journal of Sustainable Development and Planning, 10 (6), p. 843-862. ISSN: 1743-761X, doi: 10.2495/SDP-V10-N6-843-862.
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- [36] Alfaro Degan G, Lippiello D, Pinzari M (2015). Application of IRF-Kriging to the mapping of environmental noise generated by quarrying plants. WIT Transactions on Modelling and Simulation, Vol. 59, p. 455-466, WIT Press, ISSN 1743-355X. doi:10.2495/CMEM150411.
- [35] Alfaro Degan G, Lippiello D, Pinzari M (2015). Occupational hazard prevention and control in quarry environment: exposure to airborne dust. WIT Transactions on the Built Environment, Vol. 151, p. 27-38, WIT Press, ISSN 1743-3509. doi:10.2495/SAFE150031.
- [34] Alfaro Degan G, Lippiello D, Pinzari M (2015). Whole body vibrations: experimental assessment of anthropometric differences on the effects of WBV exposure in quarry workers. WIT Transactions on the Built Environment, Vol. 151, p. 61-72, WIT Press, ISSN 1743-3509, doi:10.2495/SAFE150061.
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