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Curriculum vitæ

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Personal information

Place and date of birth	Enna (Italy), February 10, 1994
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Professional qualification	Professional licensed engineer qualified on 2 nd national exam 2020 Member of the Engineering Chamber of Enna (Italy) numb. 856

Education

Nov 2020 – present	PhD in Civil and Environmental Engineering , <i>Politecnico di Torino</i> . Research interest: <i>Optimization of seismic retrofitting interventions of non-ductile existing structures</i> . Advisors: Prof. Giuseppe Marano and Prof. Fabio Di Trapani
Oct 2017 – Jul 2020	MS in Civil Engineering , <i>Politecnico di Torino</i> . Master thesis (in english): <i>Optimal seismic retrofitting of reinforced concrete buildings by steel-jacketing using a genetic algorithm-based framework</i> Advisors: Prof. Fabio Di Trapani and Prof. Giuseppe Marano
Oct 2013 – Apr 2017	BS in Civil Engineering , <i>Università degli studi di Catania</i> . Bachelor thesis (in italian): <i>Influenza dello sforzo normale sul collasso plastico di strutture intelaiate (Effect of axial load on the plastic collapse of frame structures)</i> Advisor: Prof. Annalisa Greco

Publications on international journals

1. Di Trapani F., Malavisi M., Marano G.C., **Sberna A.P.**, Greco R. "Optimal seismic retrofitting of reinforced concrete buildings by steel-jacketing". *Engineering Structures*, 2020; 219:110864.
2. Di Trapani F., **Sberna A.P.**, Marano G.C. "A new genetic algorithm-based framework for optimized design of steel-jacketing retrofitting in shear-critical and ductility-critical RC frame structures". *Engineering Structures*, 2021; 246:112684.
3. Di Trapani F., Vizzino A., Tomaselli G., **Sberna A.P.**, Bertagnoli G. "A new empirical formulation for the out-of-plane resistance of infilled reinforced concrete frames without prior in-plane loading". *Engineering Structures*, 2022; 266:114422.
4. Di Trapani F., **Sberna A.P.**, Marano G.C. "AI-based optimization framework for the design of seismic retrofitting of reinforced concrete frame structures based on direct costs and EAL". *Computers and Structures*, 2022; 271:106855.

Conference proceedings

1. Di Trapani F., Malavisi M., Marano G.C., **Sberna A.P.** "Genetic algorithm-based optimization of RC frame structures retrofitting with steel jacketing". *IWSS2020 – 1st Italian Workshop on Shell and Spatial Structures*, web meeting, June 2020
2. Di Trapani F., **Sberna A.P.**, Tomaselli G., Marano G.C. "Cost-based and EAL based optimization algorithms for seismic retrofitting of RC frame structures". *Italian Concrete Days 2020 - Costruire in calcestruzzo realizzazione, ricerca, attualità e prospettive*, web meeting, April 2021.
3. Di Trapani F., **Sberna A.P.**, Marano G.C. "Cost and EAL based optimization for seismic reinforcement of RC structures". *IGF26 - 26th International Conference on Fracture and Structural Integrity*, Turin (Italy), May 2021.
4. **Sberna A.P.**, Di Trapani F., Marano G.C. "Optimization of steel-jacketing retrofitting of shear-critical and ductility-critical RC frame structures by a novel genetic algorithm framework". *COMPDYN 2021 - 8th International Conference on Computational Methods in Structural Dynamics and Earthquake Engineering*, streamed from Athens (Greece), June 2021.

5. Di Trapani F., **Sberna A.P.**, Marano G.C. “Expected Annual Loss oriented seismic retrofitting optimization of RC frame structures using a new AI-based framework”. *COMPDYN 2021 - 8th International Conference on Computational Methods in Structural Dynamics and Earthquake Engineering*, streamed from Athens (Greece), June 2021.
6. Di Trapani F., Tomaselli G., **Sberna A.P.**, Rosso M.M., Marano G.C., Cavaleri L., Bertagnoli G. “Dynamic response of infilled frames subject to accidental column losses”. *EUROSTRUCT 2021 – 1st Conference of the European Association on Quality Control of Bridges and Structures*, Padua (Italy), September 2021.
7. **Sberna A.P.**, Di Trapani F., Marano G.C. “A novel framework based on Expected Annual Loss for optimizing seismic retrofitting in reinforced concrete structures”. *2nd fib Symposium on Concrete and Concrete Structures*, Rome (Italy), November 2021.
8. **Sberna A.P.**, Di Trapani F., Marano G.C. “A novel framework based on Expected Annual Loss for optimizing seismic retrofitting in reinforced concrete structures”. *2nd fib Symposium on Concrete and Concrete Structures*, Rome (Italy), November 2021.
9. Di Trapani F., **Sberna A.P.**, Marano G.C. “Genetic algorithm-based optimization procedure for the seismic retrofitting of existing masonry structures”. *14th International Conference on Computational Structures Technology*, Montpellier (France), August 2022.
10. Di Trapani F., **Sberna A.P.**, Demartino C., Marano G.C. “Genetic algorithm-based seismic retrofitting optimization for existing masonry structures”. *3rd European Conference on Earthquake Engineering and Seismology*, Bucharest (Romania), September 2022.
11. **Sberna A.P.**, Di Trapani F., Marano G.C. “A new genetic algorithm framework based on Expected Annual Loss for optimizing seismic retrofitting in reinforced concrete frame structures”. *19th ANIDIS Conference - Seismic Engineering in Italy*, Turin (Italy), September 2022.
12. Di Trapani F., **Sberna A.P.**, Marano G.C. “A novel genetic algorithm-based optimization framework for minimizing seismic retrofitting interventions costs in existing masonry structures”. *19th ANIDIS Conference - Seismic Engineering in Italy*, Turin (Italy), September 2022.

Speaker in congresses, conferences and courses

Jun 2021 COMPDYN 2021 – 8th International Conference on Computational Methods in Structural Dynamics and Earthquake Engineering, streamed from Athens (Greece), 28th - 30th June 2021

- Jul 2021 6th International course on Seismic Analysis of Structures using OpenSees (as tutor), University of Palermo (Italy), 19th - 22nd July 2021.
- Nov 2021 2nd FIB Symposium on Concrete and Concrete Structures, Rome (Italy), 18th-19th November 2021.
- Jul 2022 OpenSees Days Eurasia - 2nd Eurasian Conference on OpenSees, Turin (Italy), 7th - 8th July 2022.
- Aug 2022 14th International Conference on Computational Structures Technology, Montpellier (France), 23rd - 25th August 2022.
- Sep 2022 3rd European Conference on Earthquake Engineering and Seismology, Bucharest (Romania), 4th - 9th September 2022.
- Sep 2022 19th Italian Conference on Earthquake Engineering, Turin (Italy), 11th - 15th September 2022.

Teaching activities

- 2020 -2021 (spring) Teaching assistance, *Safety assessment and retrofitting of existing structures and infrastructures* (in english), graduate class - School of Engineering, Politecnico di Torino (Italy)

Scientific and organizing committee of international conferences and courses

- Scientific and organizing committee of 7th *international course on "Seismic analysis of Structures using OpenSees"* - Politecnico di Torino (Italy), 5th - 6th July 2022.
- Organizing committee of "*OpenSees Days Eurasia*" - 2nd *Eurasian Conference on OpenSees* - Turin (Italy), 7th - 8th July 2022.

Book Chapters

- Di Trapani F., *Metodi di Analisi strutturale: Sistemi di travi e telai piani*. CLUT Editore, Torino 2022. ISBN: 9788879924894

References

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