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Curriculum vitæ

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Personal information

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| Place and date of birth | Enna (Italy), February 10, 1994 |
| Language skills | Italian (native), English (fluent) |
| Citizenship | Italian |
| Professional qualification | Registered engineer qualified on 2 nd national exam session of 2020 Member of the Engineering Association of Enna (Italy) numb. 856 |

Education

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| 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, 25th - 26th 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, 14th - 16th 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), 26th - 31st 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". *COMP-DYN 2021 - 8th ECCOMAS International Conference on Computational Methods in Structural Dynamics and Earthquake Engineering*, streamed from Athens (Greece), 28th-30th 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 EC-COMAS International Conference on Computational Methods in Structural Dynamics and Earthquake Engineering*, streamed from Athens (Greece), 28th - 30th 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), 29th August - 1st 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), 18th November - 19th November 2021.

Speaker in congresses, conferences and courses

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| Jun 2021 | COMPDYN 2021 - 8 th International Conference on Computational Methods in Structural Dynamics and Earthquake Engineering, streamed from Athens (Greece), 28 th - 30 th June 2021 |
| Jul 2021 | 6 th International course on Seismic Analysis of Structures using OpenSees (as tutor), University of Palermo (Italy), 19 th - 22 nd July 2021. |
| Nov 2021 | 2 nd FIB Symposium on Concrete and Concrete Structures, Rome (Italy), 18 th -19 th November 2021. |
| Jul 2022 | OpenSees Days Eurasia - 2 nd Eurasian Conference on OpenSees, Turin (Italy), 7 th - 8 th July 2022. |

Teaching activities

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| 2020 -2021 (spring) | Teaching assistance, <i>Safety assessment and retrofitting of existing structures and infrastructures</i> (in english), graduate class - School of Engineering, Politecnico di Torino |
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Scientific and organizing committee of international conferences and courses

- Scientific 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

Relevant PhD courses

- Sep 2021 **Reliability and seismic robustness of isolated structures with friction devices (FPS)**, Politecnico di Torino.
Held by: Prof. Paolo Castaldo
- Jul 2021 **Non-linear modeling of damage and contact mechanisms applied to reinforced concrete and masonry structures**, Politecnico di Torino.
Held by: Prof. Alessia Monaco
- Feb 2021 **Advanced techniques for optimization**, Politecnico di Torino.
Held by: Prof. Paola Pirinoli
- Feb 2021 **Applied statistics and probability analysis**, Università degli studi di Napoli.
Held by: Prof. Fatemeh Jalayer
- Jan 2021 **Non-linear dynamic analysis for performance-based earthquake engineering**, Università degli studi di Napoli.
Held by: Prof. Fatemeh Jalayer
- Dec 2020 **Mimetic learning**, Politecnico di Torino.
Held by: Prof. Giovanni Squillero

References

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