

# Pierantonio Battiato

## DVM, Ldo. Vet, MRCVS

### PROFILE

Veterinary medicine graduated from 2015 (last year spent at the University of Zaragoza – Erasmus Scholarship) at the University of Messina. After graduating I worked in a veterinary clinic in Zaragoza, followed by a 6-month internship at Global Veterinary Hospital in Valencia. In 2017 I completed a specialized internship in radiology at VETSIA Veterinary Referral Hospital in Madrid with Hernán Fominaya (PhD and AVEPA Diagnostic Imaging Certified).

Subsequently, I performed another radiology specialized internship at Valencia Sur Referral Hospital with Vicente Cervera Castellanos (ACVR - ECVDI diplomate, Penn- Hip Certified).

After finishing my internships, I joined the radiology department at Puchol Veterinary Referral Hospital in Madrid where I worked for one year and two months, being Raquel Salguero the ECVDI Diplomate head of the service.

Afterwards, I moved to the UK to join the Diagnostic Imaging department at Pride Veterinary Centre as a Referral Ultrasonographer for almost one year, where I worked beside Caroline Fina (Dip. ECVDI), Carlo Anselmi (Dip. ECVDI), and Olga Travetti (Dip. ECVDI – Part Time) as supervisors for the cross-sectional imaging studies assessment and reporting.

From September 2020 to May 2021, I started my third Radiology Specialized Internship at CTO Veterinario Arenzano (Italy), being mentored by Dr. Maurizio Longo (Phd, Doctor Europaeus, Dip. ECVDI). I

n May 2021, I started my Residency Programme in Diagnostic Imaging (AIS Sponsored) under the supervision of Dr. Maurizio Longo (PhD, Doctor Europaeus, Dip. ECVDI) and Prof. Davide Danilo Zani (PhD). Veterinary Radiology has always been my passion and after working with different specialists in several referral Hospitals, I am highly interested in continuing my training and research until I reach my goal of becoming a European Specialist in Diagnostic Imaging.

### EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

#### ECVDI Resident, Università degli Studi di Milano

May 2021 – Present (Lodi - Italy)

Mentors:

- 1) Dr. Maurizio Longo  
PhD, Doctor Europaeus, MRCVS, Dip.ECVDI
- 2) Prof. Davide Danilo Zani  
PhD

Complementary activities:

- Cross sectional exams evaluation and reporting supervised by Dr. Maurizio Longo (Teleradiology)

#### Radiology Specialized Internship, CTO Veterinario Arenzano

Sep 2020 – May, 2021 (GE - Italy)

Mentor: Dr. Maurizio Longo  
PhD, Doctor Europaeus, MRCVS, Dip.ECVDI

Complementary activities:

- Cross sectional exams evaluation and reporting supervised by Dr. Maurizio Longo.

#### Referral Ultrasonographer, Pride Veterinary Centre

Nov 2019 – Sep 2020, Derby (UK)

Complementary activities:

- Honorary Professor at University of Nottingham (teaching activity during the clinical session in-situ).
- Cross-sectional exams evaluation and reporting supervised by ECVDI Dips. (C. Anselmi, C. Fina, O. Travetti).

#### DVM, Radiology Department, Hospital Veterinario Puchol

Sep 2018 – Nov 2019, Madrid (Spain)

Complementary activities:

- Radiology rounds for interns.
- Lecturer of “Acute abdomen: a picture is worth a thousand words” (with Raquel Salguero, Dip. ECVDI).

#### Senior Intern, Radiology Department, Hospital Veterinario Valencia Sur

Aug 2017 – Sep 2018, Valencia (Spain)

Mentor: Vicente Cervera Castellanos  
Dip. ACVR – ECVDI

Complementary activities:

- Anaesthetist (MRI/CT exams).
- Emergency and CC veterinary surgeon.

### Externship, Radiology Department, CV Malpensa

Jul 2017 – Jul 2017, Samarate, Varese (Italy)

### Internship, Radiology Department, Hospital Veterinario Vetsia

Jul 2016 – Jul 2017, Madrid (Spain)

Mentor: Hernán Fominaya García  
PhD, AVEPA Diagnostic Imaging Certified

Complementary activities:

- Teaching of the practical part of the courses about abdominal ultrasound imparted by Dr. Hernán Fominaya García.
- Teaching of the practical part of the courses of digestive ultrasound in companion animals imparted by Dr. Hernán Fominaya.
- Lecturer of "Ultrasound of male and female reproductive tract" in abdominal ultrasound courses by Dr. Hernán Fominaya García.
- Ultrasound service at ZooAcuarium Madrid.

### Externship, CV Selvática

Apr 2016 – Jul 2016, Valencia (Spain)

Exotic animals referral centre.

Complementary activities:

- Emergency and CC veterinary surgeon.

### Internship, Hospital Veterinario Global y TAC Valencia

Sep 2015 – Apr 2016, Valencia (Spain)

Complementary activities:

- Emergency and CC veterinary surgeon.
- Presentation of thesis: "Indirect endoscopic resolution of paraparetic syndrome in chelonians".
- Presentation of thesis: "The basic veterinary exam in exotics animals".

### DVM, CV Yellowstone GranVía

Jun 2015 – Sep 2015, Zaragoza (Spain)

General veterinary practitioner.

## EDUCATION

### Faculty of Veterinary Medicine, University of Messina, DVM Degree

Sep 2009 – May 2015, Messina (Italy)

Complementary activities:

- Rotational intern.
- Intern at EWAC (Exotic and Wildlife Animals Clinic).

### CV Yellowstone GranVía, Erasmus Placement

Jan 2015 – May 2015, Zaragoza (Spain)

Scholarship (practices).

### Faculty of Veterinary Medicine, University of Zaragoza, Erasmus Student

Sep 2013 – Sep 2014, Zaragoza (Spain)

Complementary activities:

- Rotational intern.

## COURSES

### Imaging Summer Camp 2019, VetMeet (Lanzarote)

May 2019

GTA 2019 (Congreso de especialidades veterinarias), AVEPA

(Zaragoza)

Apr 2019

SEAAV 2018 (Sociedad española de anestesia y analgesia veterinaria), SEAAV (Pamplona)

May 2018

GTA 2018 (Congreso de especialidades veterinarias), AVEPA (Madrid)

Apr 2018

Heart/lungworms in canine by Germán Santamarina, Madrid Veterinary College

Jun 2017

Cardiac US by Susana Serrano Sobrino, Vetsia/Forvet (Madrid)

Jun 2017

Abdominal radiology by Amalia Agut, e-learning online Avepa

Apr 2017

Thoracic radiology by Amalia Agut, e-learning online Avepa

Nov 2016

Radiology in exotic animals: birds by Lorenzo Crosta, Improve International

Feb 2016

Ultrasound in exotic animals by Lorenzo Crosta, Improve International

Feb 2016

Radiology in exotic animals: reptiles and small mammals, Improve International

Feb 2016

Thoracic radiology in companion animals by Montserrat Rabanal, Diagnóstico Veterinario (Online)

Jan 2016

Abdominal ultrasound in companion animals by Dr. Hernán Fominaya García, Global Veterinaria

Nov 2015

Miscellaneous courses about CC, internal medicine and exotic animals

Sep 2012 – Jul 2016

## FREE COMMUNICATIONS

Multiple liver malformations in a cat. Diagnostic Imaging.

Apr 2019, GTA 2019 (Zaragoza) (Spanish)

P. Battiato, I. Rodríguez Piñeiro, M. Sánchez Encinas, R. Salgüero Fernández.

Imaging of a splenosystemic shunt in a cat.

Apr 2017, GTA 2017 (Bilbao) (Spanish)

N. Israeliantz Gunz, A. Ansón, V. Silva Utrera, P. Battiato, E. López Medina, H. Fominaya García.

## CONTINUING EDUCATION PRESENTATIONS

Acute abdomen: a picture is worth a thousand words.

Mar 2019, Hospital Veterinario Puchol, (Spanish)

With Raquel Salgüero Fernández (Dip. ECVDI).

Ultrasound of male and female reproductive tract

Dec 2016 – Jul 2017, Hospital Veterinario Vetsia, abdominal ultrasound courses by Dr. Hernán Fominaya García. (Spanish)

## The basic veterinary exam in exotics animals.

Jan 2016, Global Veterinaria, Internship oral presentation (Spanish)

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## Indirect endoscopic resolution of paraparetic syndrome in chelonians.

Oct 2015, Global Veterinaria, Internship oral presentation (Spanish)

P. Battiato.

## PUBLICATIONS

### Accepted publications:

#### Ultrasonographic and CT diagnosis of a complete splenic duplication with right splenic torsion and presumed regional splenic vein hypertension (Imaging Diagnosis)

Veterinary Radiology and Ultrasound - Accepted on May 20<sup>th</sup> 2021

P. Battiato, R. Salgüero, S. Specchi, M. Longo

### Accepted and presented publications:

#### Spontaneous emphysematous splenitis: radiographic and ultrasonographic findings in three Golden Retriever dogs (Original Investigation)

Veterinary Radiology and Ultrasound - Accepted on November 11<sup>th</sup> 2020

P. Battiato, Y. Fernández, R. Salgüero, R. Novellas, Y. Espada, D. Biller, C. Anselmi

#### Sterile steroid-responsive lymphadenitis in a dog

Journal of AVEPA - Accepted on November 18<sup>th</sup> 2020

J. Martínez-Caro, A. Meléndez-Lazo, P. Battiato, I. Hoffman, M. Suárez-Rey, I. Rodríguez-Piñeiro

#### Thesis Advisor: "Diseases of the digestive tract: radiographic findings in dogs and cats."

May 2020, University of Messina – Degree Thesis

M. Salerno, M. Musicó, P. Battiato

#### Detection of metahemoglobinemia in a Pomeranian dog using pulse co-oximetry.

May 2019, VAA - Journal of Veterinary Anaesthesia and Analgesia (English)

I. Sáñez Cordero, F. Márquez, A. López González, P. Battiato.

#### Diagnostic Imaging (Bookchapter)

Aug 2018, Surgery of head and neck (J. Rodriguez, J. Llinas, R. Bussadori) (Spanish)

Coauthor with A. Costas and C. Marras.

#### Imaging of a splenosistemic shunt in a cat.

Jun 2018, Journal of AVEPA (Spanish)

N. Israeliantz Gunz, A. Ansón, V. Silva Utrera, P. Battiato, E. López Medina, H. Fominaya García.

#### Endocrine liver disorder in a dog. US Diagnosis.

Jul 2017, CVM Online Magazine (Spanish)

P. Battiato.

#### Pleural carcinomatosis in a dog. Rx and US Diagnosis.

Jun 2017, CVM Online Magazine (Spanish)

P. Battiato.

#### Small bowel obstruction caused by incarcerated inguinal hernia. US Diagnosis.

May 2016, CVM Online Magazine (Spanish)

P. Battiato.

#### Indirect endoscopic resolution of paraparetic syndrome in chelonians.

Jan 2016, Rosario, Argentina (Drovet Magazine) (Spanish)

P.Battiato.

## POSTER PRESENTATIONS

### Surgical removal of an erratic cholesteatoma in a dog.

Oct 2018, SEVC (Madrid) (Spanish)

D. Bobis Villagrà, T. Escarpa Cañaveras, P. De Llinares Tuduri, I. Vitulo, JR. Arrazola Sánchez, M. Alamán Valtierra, J. Llinas Ceballos, R. Bussadori, J. Rodríguez Gómez, T. Mangas Ballester, C. Marras Pérez, A. Costas Pereiro, P. Battiato, V. Cervera Castellanos.

### Detection of metahemoglobinemia in a Pomeranian dog using pulse co-oximetry.

May 2018, SEEAV (Pamplona) (Spanish)

I. Sández Cordero, A. López González, P. Battiato.

### Lung chondrosarcoma in a dog.

Apr 2017, GTA (Bilbao) (Spanish)

V. Silva Utrera, N. Israeliantz Gunz, P. Battiato, E. López Medina, H. Fominaya García.