Curriculum Vitae et Studiorum - Paolo Finelli

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Reserch and Experience Researcher (Ricercatore Confermato) Abilitazione scientifica (ASN) 2014-2023 Department of Physics and Astronomy University of Bologna October 2005 – Now

Post-Doc Position, T39 Theory Group

Department of Physics Technical University of München October 2004 – October 2005

Post-Doc Position

ECT^{*}, European Center for Theoretical Nuclear Physics April 2003 – October 2004

Education

Ph. Degree in Physics, March 2003.

From a relativistic mean-field approach towards a nuclear structure description constrained by QCD and chiral symmetry Supervisors: Prof. Giovanni Carlo Bonsignori and Prof. Dr. Dario Vretenar University of Bologna, Italy

M. Sc. Degree in Physics, December 1999.

Violazione della parità nella diffusione di elettroni e misura della distribuzione dei neutroni nei nuclei esotici (Parity violation effects in polarized elastic electron scattering and measure of neutron density distributions in exotic nuclei)

Supervisors: Prof. Giovanni Carlo Bonsignori, Prof. Dr. Dario Vretenar and Dr. Alberto Ventura

University of Bologna, Italy

TEACHING Teaching Assistant for the following courses at the Department of Electrical Engineering of the University of Bologna

- 2000/2001: Classical Mechanics
- **2001/2002**: *Electrodynamics*
- 2002/2003: Classical Mechanics and Electrodynamics

Teaching Assistant for the following courses at the Department of Physics of the University of Bologna

- 2005/2006: Nuclear Physics (first semester), Introduction to Nuclear and Subnuclear Physics (second semester)
- 2006/2007: Nuclear Physics (first semester)

Since 2008 I was in charge of the following courses (see https://iol.unibo.it/ for more informations on recent courses):

Academic year 2008/2009: Theory of Nuclear Forces (italian language, 6 credits/48 hours).

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Academic year 2012/2013: Nuclear physics (italian language, 6 credits/52 hours).

Academic year 2013/2014: Nuclear physics (italian language, 6 credits/52 hours).

Academic year **2014/2015**: *Nuclear physics* (italian language, 6 credits/52 hours) and *Principle* and Applications of Nuclear and Subnuclear physics (italian language, 3 credits/24 hours)

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Academic year 2017/2018: Nuclear physics (italian language, 6 credits/52 hours)

Academic year **2018/2019**: Nuclear physics (english language, 4 credits/36 hours) and Theoretical and Numerical Aspects of Nuclear Physics (english language, 6 credits/48 hours)

Academic year **2019/2020**: Nuclear physics (english language, 4 credits/36 hours), Theoretical and Numerical Aspects of Nuclear Physics (english language, 6 credits/48 hours) and Applications of Nuclear Physics (english language, 3 credits/24 hours)

THESIS SUPERVISOR Supervisor for the following dissertations (Bachelor's degree)

- 2006 Emanuele Poggioli, Nucleosintesi di elementi con $A \leq 60$,
- 2007 Matteo Vorabbi, Applicazioni di modelli di campo medio relativistico alla fisica dei nuclei esotici,
- 2008 Alessandro Marani, Stelle di neutroni,
- 2016 Luca Moretti, Modello di Skyrme-Hartree-Fock,
- 2017 Daniele Massaro, Introduzione al modello a bosoni interagenti,
- 2018 Rebecca Cenzato, Analisi e Soluzione Numerica dell'Equazione di Lippmann-Schwinger
- 2019 Camillo Bussolati, Il decadimento β all'interno delle stelle

and (Master Science's degree)

- 2009 Nicoló Masi, Applicazioni di dinamica chirale nel mezzo nucleare,
- 2011 Matteo Vorabbi, Modelli fenomenologici per lo studio del diagramma di fase dell'interazione forte,
- 2013 Stefano Maurizio, Nuclear superconductivity from realistic forces,
- 2015 Simone Casadei, Stato di Hoyle e principio antropico
- **2020** (ongoing, in collaboration with R. Casadio) Federico Venta, Bound states in a quantum description for bootstrapped newtonian stars and black holes
- **2020** (ongoing, in collaboration with C. Massimi) Raul Zannoni, Proposed study of the neutron-neutron interaction at the CERN nTOF facility

- PUBLICATIONS Elastic and Quasi-elastic Electron Scattering. I investigated the role of electrons as a probe to determine neutron/proton densities in finite nuclei both in the elastic and quasi-elastic regime, with a particular emphasis on the role of parity violation contributions for polarized beams (PREX experiment at JLab).
 - D. Vretenar, P. Finelli, A. Ventura, G. A. Lalazissis, and P. Ring, "Parity violating elastic electron scattering and neutron density distributions in the relativistic Hartree-Bogoliubov model", *Phys. Rev. C*61, 64307 (2000).
 35 citations.
 - 2 D. Vretenar, P. Finelli, A. Ventura, G. A. Lalazissis, and P. Ring, "Parity violating elastic electron scattering and neutron density distributions in the Relativistic Hartree-Bogoliubov model", Conference Proceedings, *Bologna 2000: Structure of the Nucleus at the Dawn of the Century*, 93, World Scientific (2001).
 - 3 A. Meucci, C. Giusti, F. D. Pacati, M. Vorabbi, and P. Finelli, "Elastic and quasi-elastic electron scattering off nuclei with neutron excess", *Phys. Rev. C*87, 054620 (2013). 25 citations.
 - 4 A. Meucci, M. Vorabbi, C. Giusti, F. D. Pacati, and P. Finelli, "Elastic and quasi-elastic electron scattering on the N = 14, 20, and 28 isotonic chains", *Phys.Rev. C*89, 034604 (2014).
 12 citations.
 - 5 A. Meucci, M. Vorabbi, C. Giusti, and P. Finelli, "Neutron density distribution and neutron skin thickness of ²⁰⁸Pb", *Phys. Rev. C*90, 027301 (2014).
 5 citations.
 - 6 A. Meucci, M. Vorabbi, C. Giusti, F. D. Pacati, and P. Finelli, "Elastic and quasi-elastic electron scattering off isotopic and isotonic chains", J. Phys. Conf. Ser. 527, 012024 (2014).
 - 7 M. Vorabbi, A. Meucci, C. Giusti, and P. Finelli, "Parity-Violating Asymmetry for 208Pb", Conference Proceedings, *PAVI14*, J. Phys. Conf. Ser., accepted (2016).
 - 8 P. Arthuis, C. Barbieri, M. Vorabbi and P. Finell, "Ab initio computation of charge densities for Sn and Xe isotopes", e-Print: 2002.02214 [nucl-th], submitted to Phys. Rev. Lett.
 2 citations.

Mean Field Models. I investigated several aspects of mean-field models both from a conceptual and a computational point of view. I developed one of the most successful connections between the density functional approach and microscopic calculations in terms of realistic NN potentials. Both ground state and excited states have been described with the goal to understand the role of pions in finite nuclear systems.

- 9 T. Nikšić, D. Vretenar, P. Finelli, and P. Ring, "Relativistic Hartree-Bogoliubov model with density-dependent meson-nucleon couplings", *Phys. Rev.* C66, 24306 (2002). 258 citations.
- 10 D. Vretenar, P. Ring, G. A. Lalazissis, T. Nikšić, P. Finelli, and N. Paar, "Relativistic mean field and RPA description of exotic nuclear structure", Conference Proceedings, *Frontiers of Nuclear Structure*, 211, APS (2002).

- P. Finelli, N. Kaiser, D. Vretenar, and W. Weise, "Nuclear many-body dynamics constrained by QCD and chiral symmetry", *Eur. Phys. J.* A17, 573 (2003). 42 citations.
- 12 P. Finelli, D. Vretenar, N. Kaiser, e W. Weise, "Nuclear many-body dynamics constrained by QCD and chiral symmetry", Conference Proceedings, IX Convegno su Problemi di Fisica Nucleare Teorica, 223, World Scientific (2003).
- 13 D. Vretenar, T. Niksić, P. Ring, N. Paar, G. A. Lalazissis, and P. Finelli, "Relativistic Hartree-Bogoliubov and QRPA description of exotic nuclear structure", *Eur. Phys. J.* A20, 75 (2004).
 3 citations.
- 14 P. Finelli, N. Kaiser, D. Vretenar, and W. Weise, "Relativistic nuclear point-coupling model constrained by QCD and chiral symmetry", *Nucl. Phys. A*735, 449 (2004). 72 citations.
- 15 P. Finelli, D. Vretenar, N. Kaiser, and W. Weise, "Nuclear density functional constrained by low-energy QCD", Conference Proceedings, X Convegno su Problemi di Fisica Nucleare Teorica, 045, World Scientific (2005). 1 citation.
- 16 P. Finelli, N. Kaiser, D. Vretenar, and W. Weise, "Relativistic nuclear energy density functional constrained by low-energy QCD", *Nucl. Phys.* A770, 1 (2006). 62 citations.
- 17 P. Finelli, "Description of spin and isospin collective excitations with a nuclear energy density functional constrained by low-energy QCD", Nucl. Phys. A788, 284 (2007). 2 citations.
- 18 P. Finelli, N. Kaiser, D. Vretenar, and W. Weise, "Chiral pion-nucleon dynamics in finite nuclei: Spin-isospin excitations," *Nucl. Phys.* A791, 57 (2007). 19 citations.
- 19 G. Co', V. De Donno, P. Finelli, M. Grasso, M. Anguiano, A. M. Lallena, C. Giusti, A. Meucci, and F. D. Pacati, "Mean-field calculations of exotic nuclei ground states", *Phys. Rev.* C85, 024322 (2012). 12 citations.
- 20 Brett V. Carlson, P. Finelli, and A. Ventura, "Self-consistent single-particle approximation to nuclear state densities at high excitation energy", Nuovo Cimento C 42, 108 (2019).

Hypernuclei. I proposed a novel description of hypernuclei with, for the first time, a selfconsistent mechanism to include Λ -N spin-orbit interaction without any *ad hoc* phenomenological input.

- 21 P. Finelli, N. Kaiser, D. Vretenar, and W. Weise, "In-medium chiral SU(3) dynamics and hypernuclear structure", *Phys. Lett.* B658, 90 (2007).
 18 citations.
- 22 P. Finelli, "Hypernuclei and in-medium chiral dynamics", Eur. Phys. J. Special Topics 156, 183 (2008).
 3 citations.

- 23 P. Finelli, "Applications of in-medium chiral dynamics to nuclear structure", Conference Proceedings, Recent Progress in Many-Body Theories 14, 176, World Scientific (2008).
- 24 P. Finelli, "Applications of in-medium chiral dynamics to nuclear structure", Conference Proceedings, Zakopane 2008, Acta Phys. Pol. B40, 665 (2009).
- 25 P. Finelli, "Relativistic models for nuclear structure and low-energy QCD", Conference Proceedings, XI Convegno su Problemi di Fisica Nucleare Teorica, J. Phys. Conf. Ser. 168, 012010 (2009).
- 26 P. Finelli, "Applications of in-medium SU(3) chiral dynamics: hypernuclear structure", Conference Proceedings, *Particles and Nuclei International Conference 18*, 423, *Elsevier* (2009).
- 27 P. Finelli, "Recent Developments about Lambda-N spin-orbit interaction in hypernuclei", Conference Proceedings, Nuclear and Structure Dynamics 09, 275, AIP (2009).
- 28 P. Finelli, N. Kaiser, D. Vretenar, and W. Weise, "Hypernuclear single particle spectra based on in-medium chiral SU(3) dynamics", *Nucl. Phys.* A831, 163 (2009). 19 citations.
- 29 P. Finelli, "Hypernuclear spectra from in-medium chiral dynamics: a refined fit analysis", Nucl. Phys. A835, 418 (2010).
 1 citation.

Pairing in nuclear systems. I investigated how nuclear pairing arises from realistic NN forces in infinite and finite systems. We proposed robust predictions for pairing gaps for all the relevant partial-waves. I also studied the role of BCS-BEC crossover for nuclear interactions.

- 30 P. Finelli, T. Nikšić, and D. Vretenar, "Nuclear Pairing from Chiral Pion-Nucleon Dynamics: Applications to Finite Nuclei", Phys. Rev. C86, 034327 (2012).
- 31 P. Finelli, "Nuclear Pairing from Chiral Pion-Nucleon Dynamics: latest results and relevant issues", PTP Supplement 196, 421 (2012).
- 32 P. Finelli, "Nuclear Pairing From Bare Interaction: Two and Three-Body Chiral Forces", Conference Proceedings, Nuclear and Structure Dynamics 12, 250, AIP (2012).
- 33 S. Maurizio, P. Finelli, and J.W. Holt, "Nuclear pairing from microscopic forces: singlet channels and higher-partial waves", *Phys.Rev.* C90, 044003 (2014). 30 citations.
- 34 S. Maurizio, J.W. Holt and P. Finelli, "Numerical Analysis of the 1S0 Pairing Gap in Neutron Matter", Conference Proceedings, *INPC2014*, DESY-PROC-2014-04/66
- 35 P. Finelli, S. Maurizio, and J.W. Holt, "Nuclear Pairing from Two-body Microscopic Forces: Analysis of the Cooper Pair Wavefunctions", Conference Proceedings, *ICNFP2014*, EPJ Web Conf. 95, 04021 (2015).
 2 citations.
- 36 P. Finelli, "Nuclear pairing from microscopic forces: singlet channels and higher-partial waves", Conference Proceedings, The Modern Physics of Compact Stars 2015, POS (2016).

Microscopic optical potentials. I started the development of a consistent framework to derive optical potentials from realistic NN potentials. A first application to finite nuclei showed a remarkable agreement with experimental data, in some cases with performances comparable to the best phenomenological approaches. Very recently our approach has been extended to the antiproton case. Work is in progress towards the description of inelastic channels and fragmentation of targets.

- 36 M. Vorabbi, P. Finelli, and C. Giusti, "Theoretical optical potential derived from nucleon-nucleon chiral potentials", *Phys. Rev. C*93, 034619 (2016).
 19 citations.
- 37 M. Vorabbi, P. Finelli, and C. Giusti, "Theoretical Optical Potential Derived From Chiral Potentials", Conference Proceedings, 35-th International Workshop on Nuclear Theory (IWNT-35), Nucl. Theory 35, 93 (2016).
- 38 M. Vorabbi, P. Finelli, and C. Giusti, "Optical potentials derived form nucleon-nucleon chiral potentials at N4LO", *Phys. Rev. C*96, 044001 (2017). 4 citations.
- 39 P. Finelli, M. Vorabbi, and C. Giusti, "Chiral Nucleon-Nucleus Potentials at N3LO", Conference Proceedings, *Theoretical Nuclear Physics in Italy*, J. Phys. Conf. Ser. 981, 012002 (2018).
- 41 M. Vorabbi, P. Finelli, and C. Giusti, "Proton-Nucleus Elastic Scattering: Comparison between Phenomenological and Microscopic Optical Potentials", *Phys. Rev. C*98, 064602 (2018).
 2 citations.
- 41 C. Giusti, M. Vorabbi, and P. Finelli, "Microscopic optical potential derived from NN chiral potentials", Conference Proceedings, 15th International Conference Nuclear Reaction Mechanics, CERN-Proceedings-2019-001, 203 (2019).
- 42 P. Finelli, M. Vorabbi, and C. Giusti, "Optical Potentials: Microscopic vs. Phenomenological Approaches", EPJ Web of Conferences 223, 01015 (2019).
- 43 M. Vorabbi, M. Gennari, P. Finelli, C. Giusti, and Petr Navrátil, "Elastic Antiproton-Nucleus Scattering from Chiral Forces", Phys. Rev. Lett. 124, 162501 (2020).
- 44 M. Vorabbi, R. Machleidt, P. Finelli, C. Giusti, and Petr Navrátil, "Impact of three-body forces on elastic scattering observables", to be submitted to *Phys. Rev. C.*

Schools	AND
CONFERE	NCES

- Bologna 2000: Structure of the Nucleus at the Dawn of the Century Bologna (Italy), 29 May - 3 June 2000 Poster
- Nato Advanced Research Workshop: The Nuclear Many-Body Problem Brijuni National Park (Croatia), 2 - 5 June 2001
- ECT* Workshop: Current Theoretical and Experimental Investigations of the Nuclear Many-Body Problem and Applications Trento (Italy), 24 September - 3 October 2001 Talk
- CINECA course, Introduction to C++ Bologna (Italy), 26 - 30 November 2001
- Varenna Summer School (CLIII course): From Nuclei and Their Constituents to Stars Varenna (Italy), 6 - 16 August 2002
- 3rd International Balkan School on Nuclear Physics Thessaloniki (Greece), 18 - 24 September 2002 Talk
- IX Convegno su Problemi di Fisica Nucleare Teorica Cortona (Italy), 9 - 12 October 2002 Talk
- 307 WE-Heraeus-Seminar: Relativistic Structure Models for the Physics of Radioactive Nuclear Beams
 Bad Honnef (Germany), 12 - 16 May 2003
 Talk
- ECT* Doctoral Training Programme: Nuclear Structure Trento (Italy), May - October 2003 Talks
- ECT* Workshop: Role of Pions and Deltas in Nuclear Many-Body Dynamics (collaboration meeting) Trento (Italy), 10 - 15 November 2003 Talk
- DPG Nuclear Physics Spring Meeting Köln (Germany), 8 - 12 March 2004 Talk
- 12. ECT^{*} Doctoral Training Programme: Neutrino Physics Trento (Italy), May - October 2004
- ECT* Workshop: International Workshop on Novel Approaches to the Nuclear Many-Body Problem Trento (Italy), 6 - 17 September 2004 Talk
- INT Workshop on Relativistic Density Functional Theory for Nuclear Structure Seattle (USA), 20 - 24 September 2004 Talk
- X Convegno su Problemi di Fisica Nucleare Teorica Cortona (Italy), 6 - 9 October 2004 Talk
- DPG Nuclear Physics Spring Meeting Berlin (Germany), 4 - 9 March 2005 Talk
- INT Workshop: Towards a Universal Density Functional for Nuclei Seattle (USA), 20 - 25 September 2005 Talk
- DPG Nuclear Physics Spring Meeting München (Germany), 20 - 24 March 2006 Talk

- COMEX 2, Collective Motion in Nuclei under Extreme Conditions Sankt Goar (Germany), 20 - 23 June 2006 Talk
- IX International Conference on Hypernuclear and Strange Particle Physics Mainz (Germany), 10 - 14 October 2006 Talk
- DPG Nuclear Physics Spring Meeting Giessen (Germany), 12 - 16 March 2007 Talk
- 22. Theoretical Nuclear Physics School: "Exotic Nuclei: New Challenges" Les Houches (France), 7 - 18 May 2007 Invited Talk
- Scuola di Fisica Nucleare, Raimondo Anni Otranto (Italy), 28 May - 2 June 2007 Invited Lectures
- 24. 14th International Conference on Recent Progress in Many-Body Theories Barcelona (Spain), 16 - 20 July 2007 Poster
- DPG Nuclear Physics Spring Meeting Darmstadt (Germany), 10 - 14 March 2008 Talk
- Zakopane Conference on Nuclear Physics Zakopane (Poland), 1 - 7 September 2008 Talk
- XII Convegno su Problemi di Fisica Nucleare Teorica Cortona (Italy), 8 - 10 October 2008 Talk
- International Conference on Particles and Nuclei (PANIC08) Eilat (Israel), 9 - 14 November 2008 Talk
- 29. European Nuclear Physics Conference Bochum (Germany), 16 - 20 March 2009 Invited Talk
- Nuclear Structure and Dynamics Dubrovnik (Croatia), 4 - 8 May 2009 Talk
- 31. ECT* Workshop: The Lead Radius Experiment and Neutron Rich Matter in Astrophysics and in the Laboratory Trento (Italy), 3 - 7 August 2009 Talk
- 32. X International Conference on Hypernuclear and Strange Particle Physics Tokai (Japan), 14 - 18 September 2009 Talk
- 33. Elba XI Workshop Electron-Nucleus Scattering Elba (Italia), 21 - 25 June 2010 Invited Talk
- 34. Ψ_k 2010 Berlin (Germany), 12 - 16 September 2010
- 35. SPS Joint Annual Meeting Lausanne (Switzerland), 15 - 17 June 2011
- YKIS2011 Symposium: Frontier Issues in Physics of Exotic Nuclei Kyoto (Japan), 11 -15 October 2011 Talk

- Nuclear Structure and Dynamics II Opatija (Croatia), 9 - 13 July 2012 Talk
- XI International Conference on Hypernuclear and Strange Particle Physics Barcelona (Spain), 1 - 5 October 2012
- 39. INPC2013 Florence (Italy), 2 - 7 June 2013 Talk
- 40. *EuroSciPy* Bruxelles (Belgium), 21 - 24 August 2013
- Selected Topics in Nuclear and Atomic Physics Fiera di Primiero (Italy), 30 September 30 - 4 October 2013 Invited Lectures
- 42. 3rd International Conference on New Frontiers in Physics Crete (Greece), 28 July - 6 August 2014 Talk
- 43. International Conference on Particles and Nuclei (PANIC14) Hamburg (Germany), 25 - 29 August 2014 Talk
- The Modern Physics of Compact Stars and Relativistic Gravity Yerevan (Armenia), 30 September - 03 October 2015 Talk
- TNPI2016 XV Conference on Theoretical Nuclear Physics in Italy Pisa (Italy), 20 - 22 April 2016 Talk
- 46. Compact Stars in the QCD phase diagram V GSSI and LNGS (Italy), 23 - 27 May 2016
- International Symposium on Neutron Star Matter Sendai (Japan), 21 - 24 November 2017 Talk
- European Nuclear Physics Conference Bologna (Italy), 2 - 7 September 2018 Talk
- Nuclear Structure and Dynamics 2019 Venezia (Italy), 13 - 17 May 2019 Talk
- 50. Antiproton-nucleus interactions and related phenomena Trento (Italy), 17 - 21 June 2019 Invited Talk

More Informations	 Referee for Eur. Phys. J. A, Phys. Rev. C, Int. Journal Mod. Phys. E, Nucl. Phys. A Local Reference for the INFN collaborations MANYBODY and MONSTRE Winner of a grant for Scientific, Cultural and Technological cooperation between Italy and Croatia, 2009-2010 Description estimization activity talks for high school students and protection to "Dist of Scientific".
VISITING SCIENTIST	 Popularization activity: talks for high school students and partecipation to "Pint of Science 2019" initiative (INFN) Department of Physics, Technical University of Munich, Germany
	 - 2006: from 01/01 to 31/07 (not continuously) - 2008: from 15/04 to 15/07 (Marco Polo grant) - 2010: from 01/06 to 31/07 • Institut de Physique Nucleaire (Orsay) 2009: from 01/03 to 30/06

• Lausanne/Bern, Department of Physics (Switzerland) **2011**: from 01/02 to 30/06