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Roberta Morbio was born in Nogara (Verona) on April 20th, 1965.

Education and Training

High School Diploma (Scientific Studies) at “L. da Vinci” High School of Cerea (Verona) in 1984.

Undergraduated Fellow at the Eye Clinic of the University of Verona, from July 1991 to July 1993.

Master’s Degree in Medicine and Surgery at the University of Verona on July 21st, 1993. Title of thesis: “Experimental Glaucoma In The Animal”.

Graduated Fellow at the Eye Clinic of the University of Verona, from August 1993 to August 1994.

Postgraduated Specialization in Ophthalmology cum laude at the University of Verona on October 22nd, 1998. Title of thesis: “Diagnostic Effectiveness of NFA-GDx Parameters On POAG And Their Predictive Value On Simple Ocular Hypertension”.

Research Fellow at the University of Verona from April 1st, 1999 to March 31st, 2004. Research Field: “Optic Nerve Study In Ocular Hypertension And Initial Glaucoma”.

Research Fellow at the University of Verona from April 1st, 2004 to December 31st, 2004. Research Field: “Optic Nerve Study In Infantile Glaucoma”.

Work Experience

Drs. Morbio attended the University Eye Clinic of Verona led by Prof. L. Bonomi and Prof. G. Marchini as undergraduated fellow, postgraduated fellow, resident, research fellow and full-time researcher.

From November 1st, 2006 she is a full-time university researcher and works at the University Eye Clinic of Verona as head of the Glaucoma service, with a high specialization in early detection, medical, para-surgical and surgical therapy of glaucoma.

Research

Drs. Morbio has a particular interest in the traditional and advanced perimetry and in the morphologic-quantitative study of the optic disc with GDx Nerve Fiber Analyzer.

She has actively contributed to a multicenter international study on the use of Dorzolamide for the treatment of simple ocular hypertension, directed by Prof. S. Miglior of the University of Milano.

Drs. Morbio has participated in several national and international scientific congresses as invited speaker.

Didactic

Drs. Morbio has been teaching to ophthalmology, neurosurgery, pediatric and dentistry residents since 2007. Her teaching subjects are the pathophysiology and semeiotic of glaucoma.

She also contributed to writing as supervisor several theses for the Degree in Medicine and Surgery and for the specialization in Ophthalmology.