

# DR. LUIGI RIGANTE

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## Luigi Rigante, MD

Associate Staff Physician, Neurosurgery,  
Neurological Institute



## BIOGRAPHY

Luigi Rigante, MD, is an Associate Staff Physician in the Neurological Institute at Cleveland Clinic Abu Dhabi and a Clinical Assistant Professor of Neurological Surgery at the Cleveland Clinic Lerner College of Medicine, Case Western Reserve University, Cleveland, OH, US.

Prior to joining Cleveland Clinic Abu Dhabi, Dr. Rigante served as a Neurosurgery Cerebrovascular and Endovascular Fellow at Radboud University Medical Center Nijmegen, Netherlands.

Dr. Rigante is a graduate of the Catholic University School of Medicine in Rome, Italy. He also completed a Skull Base Research Fellowship at Weill Cornell Medical College in New York, New York, US, as well as a Clinical Fellowship at the Department of Neurosurgery, Eberhard-Karls University Tuebingen, Germany.

Dr. Rigante is reviewer of the journal Clinical Neurology and Neurosurgery. He has authored 26 peer reviewed articles and served as a distinguished lecturer at several national and international society meetings where he presented topics in the fields of skull base neurosurgery and surgical anatomy.

Dr. Rigante has also received research grants from prestigious research institutions for laboratory anatomical studies on skull base surgery.

## PROFESSIONAL JOURNEY

### MEDICAL SCHOOL

2002

2002 - 2008

CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF MEDICINE, ROME, ITALY

Doctor of Medicine (MD)

LANGUAGES  
SPOKEN

IT EN DE

SURGEON



YEARS OF  
EXPERIENCE

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### Achievements & Career Highlights

- Board certified in neurological surgery, European Association of Neurological Societies
- Member of the European Association of Neurosurgical Society (EANS) and the Italian Society of Neurosurgery (SINCh)
- Invited reviewer for Clinical Neurology and Neurosurgery (Elsevier)
- Completed EANS Observership Awards 2015, Eberhard Karls University Tübingen, Germany
- Awarded best oral presentation: Congresso Nazionale Società Polispecialistica Italiana Giovani Chirurghi – Brescia, 2015
- Awarded educational travel grant, EANS Annual Meeting, 2013
- Scholarship recipient, German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD) Department of Neurosurgery, Eberhard Karls University Tübingen, Germany

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### RESIDENCY

2009

2009 - 2015

CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF MEDICINE, ROME, ITALY  
Neurosurgical Resident, Department of Neurosurgery

### FELLOWSHIP

2015

2015 - 2016

RADBOUD UNIVERSITY MEDICAL CENTER, DEPARTMENT OF NEUROSURGERY, NIJMEGEN, NETHERLANDS  
Fellow, Hybrid Endovascular and Open Vascular Neurosurgery

2013

2013 - 2014

DEPARTMENT OF NEUROSURGERY, EBERHARD-KARLS UNIVERSITY, TÜBINGEN, GERMANY  
Fellow, Neurosurgery

2012

2012 - 2013

WEILL CORNELL MEDICAL COLLEGE, HOSPITAL FOR SPECIAL SURGERY, NEW YORK, NEW YORK, US  
Skull Base Research Fellow

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