



Paolo Donaggio, Honor Swimmer, Italy, 1980



Personal Website (None known)

Paolo Donaggio did a variety of marathon swims in Italy: in Pavia-Venice along the Po River, the Adriatic and the lagoon of Venice, 416 km in 83 hours, 160 km across the Adriatic Sea in 50 hours. from Monaco to Genoa, 185 km in 72 hours, from Trieste to Venice, 109 km in 38 hours, Venice to Portorose, 140 km in 35 hours and from Chioggia to Venice, Italy in 2006 at the age of 66 years in 7 hours and 50 minutes. In 1979 he was awarded the title of "World Champion of Marathon Swimming" by the "World Professional Marathon Swimming Federation" for: "His exceptional marathon feats".

[Expanded Biography \(Openwaterpedia\)](#)

Long Swims Database (Marathon Swimmers Federation) – April 2020 - no entry > need swim confirmation records

Italian Translation

Paolo Donaggio ha effettuato traversate di nuoto in Italia al limite delle potenzialità umane, tra cui: da Pavia a Venezia lungo il fiume Po, l'Adriatico e la laguna di Venezia, 416 km in 83 ore, attraverso il mare Adriatico, 160 km in 50 ore, da Monaco a Genova, 185 km in 72 ore, da Trieste a Venezia, 109 km in 38 ore, da Venezia a Portorose, 140 km in 35 ore, e nel 2006, all'età di 66 anni, da Chioggia a Venezia, in 7 ore 50 minuti. Nel 1979 la "World Professional Marathon Swimming Federation" gli ha conferito il titolo di "Campione del mondo di Marathon Swimming" per: "Le sue eccezionali imprese di maratoneta del nuoto".