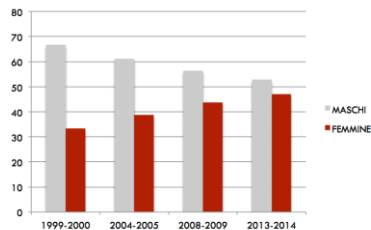


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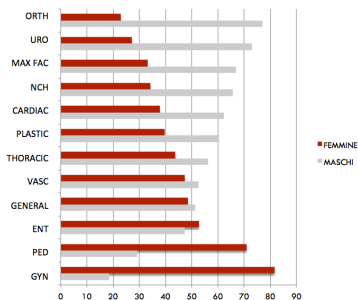
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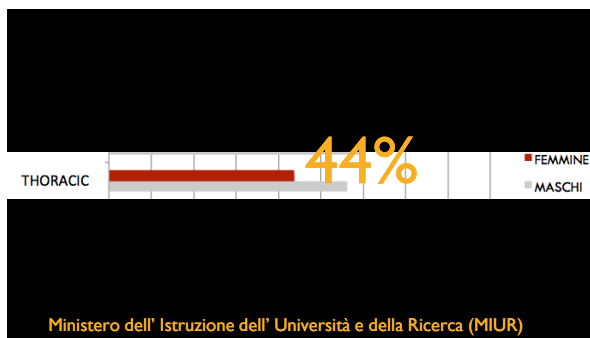
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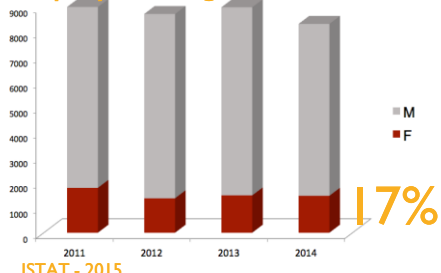
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### Employed Surgeons





**8%**  
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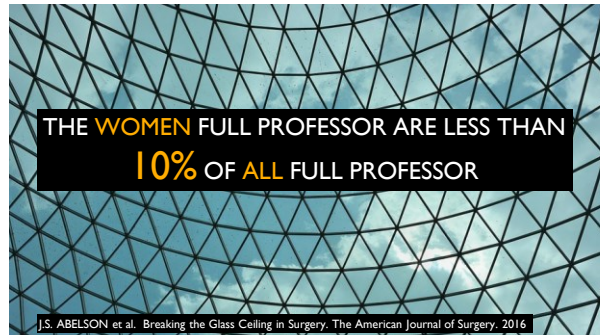
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**THE GLASS  
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THE **WOMEN** FULL PROFESSOR ARE LESS THAN  
**10%** OF ALL FULL PROFESSOR

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