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#### Personal information

Date and place of birth: Francavilla Fontana (BR), Italy; August, 08, 1948

Gender: Male

Nationality: Italian

#### Education

1966: High school Diploma

1972: Medical School Diploma, University of Padova, School of Medicine, Italy

1973-1975: Residency: Department of Internal Medicine, University of Padova, Italy.

1975: Fellow Post graduate School of Nephrology (Specialist), University of Padova, Italy

#### Career/Employment

From January 1975 to July 1977: Staff Physician, Renal Unit, Ospital/University of Verona;

From 1977 to 1987: Fellow Post graduate School of Nephrology and, then, Researcher, Renal Unit, University of Verona, Italy;

From November 1987: Assistant professor in Nephrology, University of Verona, Italy;

From November 2002: Full professor in Nephrology, University of Verona, Italy;

From November 2003: Chief (Director) of the Renal and Dialysis Unit, Hospital/University of Verona and Director of the School of Specialization in Nephrology, University of Verona, Italy;

From 2009 to 2010: Director of the Department of Biomedical/Surgery Sciences, University of Verona, Italy;

From April 2010-pres: Director of the Department of Medicine, University of Verona, Italy.

#### Scientific activity

From 1975: Chief of section of Immunopathology, Division of Nephrology, University Hospital of Verona.

From 1981 to 1985: Chief of section of Clinical Renal Disease, Division of Nephrology, University Hospital of Verona.

From 1985 to 2003: Chief of Peritoneal Dialysis Section of Division of Nephrology, University Hospital of Verona.

For many years he has been Chief of Board of Renal Immunopathology of Italian Society of Nephrology.

For several years, he has been member and then Responsible of the Scientific Section of the Peritoneal Dialysis Study Group.

Since 1998 Chief of Board of Triveneto Register of Renal Biopsy

Since 2000 member of scientific board of Italian Society of Nephrology

2006-2008 Member of the Editorial Board of Italian Society of Nephrology for guidelines on renale immunopatology

2007-2009 Component of the "Commissione per la formazione renale e lo Sviluppo Professionale Continuo della Società Italiana di Nefrologia".

2008-2010 President of the Triveneto Section of the Italian Society of Nephrology.

Author of more than 160 scientific papers, most of which cited on Medline (total h-index: 20, number of citation: 1392).

Invited speaker in more than 100 annual national and international meetings of Nephrology

Research fields: Calcium and Phosphorus Metabolism, hydroelectrolytic disorders in renal diseases (initial part of the career. Subsequently, he has been involved in several histopathological studies, identification of biomarkers of progression of renal damage, peritoneal dialysis, clinical aspects of hemodialysis, nephrolithiasis and epidemiology of renal diseases.

The first interest

Scientific Society

Member of the Italian Society of Nephrology

Member of the European Society of Nephrology

Member of the American Society of Nephrology

Teaching activity

Medical School of the University of Verona

School of Specialization in Nephrology, University of Verona

School of Specialization in Urology, University of Verona