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Graduated in Medicine at the University of Palermo-Italy on December 7th, 1972 with honors

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Present position: Full Professor of Cardiovascular Disease University of Palermo from 2001 up today.

Teaching of Cardiovascular Diseases, First Aid and Medical Emergencies at the Medical School of the University of Palermo.

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Director of the post-graduate School of Cardiology

Director of the II level Master of Vascular Diseases of the University of Palermo.

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Director of the Division of Cardiology of the University Hospital "P. Giaccone" of the University of Palermo from January 2004 up today.

President of the Sicilian Regional Section of the Italian Society of Cardiology.

Past-Chairman of the Working Group on Clinical Epidemiology and Prevention of Cardiovascular Disease of the Italian Society of Cardiology

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President of the Foundation "Heart and Circulation" of the Italian Society of Cardiology.

Past-President of the International Union of Angiology.

Past-Chairman of the Working Group on Peripheral Circulation of the European Society of Cardiology.

Member of the Scientific Committee of the European Society of Cardiology.

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Member of the Faculty of the TASC I and TASC II (TransAtlantic InterSociety Consensus on Peripheral Arterial Disease).

Member of the Executive Board of the Mediterranean League of Angiology and Vascular Surgery, as National Delegate for Italy.

Member of the Executive Board of the Central European Vascular Forum, as National Delegate for Italy.

The main interest in research activity has been cardiovascular diseases, atherosclerosis, hypertension and vascular pathology.

He is author and co-author of 464 full papers published on international and national journals with peer reviews and of 392 abstracts in English and Italian concerning free paper or lectures presented at national and international congresses. 217 papers appear on Pubmed

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