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BIOGRAPHY

PRESENT POSITION. GM is Professor Emeritus of the University Milano-Bicocca and President of the Foundation of the European Society of Hypertension(ESH).

DEGREES/DIPLOMAS. He trained at the University of Siena, Medical School, where he graduated in 1964 cum laude. He obtained in 1967 the Post-graduate Diploma (cum laude). He obtained the Ph.D. (Libera Docenza) in Physiology in 1970 and worked as Post-graduate Fellow of the US Public Health Service and Associate Researcher at the Mayo Clinic (1972-1974).

ACADEMIC/HOSPITAL POSITIONS.GM has worked in the University of Milan and Milan-Bicocca from 1969 to his retirement in 2012, since 1985 as Professor of Internal Medicine. He has been Head of the Division of Internal Medicine, Chairman of the University and Hospital Departments of Clinical Medicine (S. Gerardo Hospital, Monza) and Director of several Postgraduate Schools of Medicine (Cardiology, Internal Medicine, Emergency Medicine and Endocrinology). He has chaired the Interuniversity (Universities of Milano, Milano-Bicocca and Pavia) Center of Clinical Physiology and Hypertension from 2001 to 2012.

SCIENTIFIC SOCIETES/TASK FORCES/COMMITTEES. GM has served as President of the International Society of Hypertension (ISH), the European Society of Hypertension (ESH), the Italian Society of Hypertension and the European Society of Clinical Investigation. He has been Chairman of the Working Group on Hypertension and the Heart of the European Society of Cardiology, has co-chaired the Task Force on the ESH-ESC hypertension guidelines from 2003 to 2018, and has been Chairman, Honorary Chairman or Organizer of various ESH and ISH Meetings

AWARDS/HONORS.GM has received several prestigious Awards, e.g the AHA Award for Excellence in Hypertension Research, the Heymans Award of the International Society of Pharmacology, the Wright International Award of the High Blood Pressure Council of Australia, the ISH Volhard and the Tigersted, the ESH Folkow Award of ESH, the Peter Sleight Award of the World Hypertension League and the Alberto Zanchetti Life Achievement Award of ESH. He was conferred the Talal Zein Foundation Award, the International Recordati Prize, the Invernizzi Award for Medicine, the Gold Medal of the Lorenzini Foundation and the Hariri Memorial Award, and the Spinoza Award of the University of Amsterdam. He is Honorary Member of ESH, the High Blood Pressure Council of Australia, the Latino-american Hypertension Society and the Japanese Circulation Society and many national Societies of Hypertesion, Cardiology or Internal Medicine. He has received the highest Award of the Lombardy Region (Rosa Camuna) and the title of Commander of the Order of the Italian Republic for scientific merits. He is member of the European Academy of Sciences.He has been invited to give state-of-the-art, keynote special lectures or plenary lectures in many international meetings.

HONORARY DEGREES/ACADEMIC RECOGNITIONS.GM has received the Honorary Professorship of the University of Cordoba. He is Honorary member of the Academy of Science of Cordoba, and has been

conferred the Degree Honoris Causa (Medicine or Science) from the University of Gdansk and the Carol Davila University of Bucharest and the University of Glasgow.

SCIENTIFIC ACTIVITY. GM's main research interests focus on epidemiology pathophysiology, diagnosis and treatment of hypertension, heart failure, and coronary disease, as well as on the clinical aspects of diabetes, obesity and other metabolic abnormalities. His expertise ambulatory blood pressure monitoring, neurohumoral control of the circulation, large artery mechanics, hemodynamic changes of cardiovascular drugs as well as epidemiology and intervention trials in hypertension and diabetes. He has been member or chairman of the steering committees of several clinical trials. He has published more than 2000 original articles, reviews and editorials in peer-review journals, and edited several books and many supplements to international cardiovascular Journals on hypertension and cardiovascular diseases. He is Editor-in -chief of the Journal of Hypertension. He is since many years in the list of the "highly cited" scientists (Thomson Reuters). GM's publications have received, up to April 2020, more than 216,000 citations in the international medical literature, with a H-index of 177 (Microsoft Academy).