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## Biography

Place and date of birth: Milano, Italy 25/08/1951

Citizenship: Italian

Education:

1982 Specialist - University of Pavia, Italy - Endocrinology  
1979 Specialist – University of Pavia, Italy – Pediatrics  
1976 Medical Doctor with Honors – University of Pavia, Italy  
1970 Maturità Liceo Classico – Milano, Italy

## Qualifications and awards

2002 - Associate Professor of Pediatrics, University of Insubria-Varese, Italy

1997-2002 Assistant Professor, University of Insubria-Varese, Italy

1984-1985 - Honorary Registrar, Guys Hospital, London, UK

1981-1997 Assistant Professor, University of Pavia, Italy

## Research interests

Hormonal regulation of human growth and development

Simple and genetic childhood obesity

Body composition assessment in healthy and ill children

Type 1 diabetes mellitus

## Teaching experience and appointments

Teaching appointments:

- General Pediatrics (University degree in Nursing Sciences and Obstetrics)

- Pediatric Diabetology (Medical School and Speciality of Paediatrics)

- Auxology and paediatric endocrinology (Medical School and Speciality of Paediatrics and Paediatric Neuro-Psychiatry)

## Representative publications

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## Clinical interests

Pediatric endocrinology and diabetology

Auxology

General Pediatrics