

## ***Curriculum Vitae Prof. Raffaele De Caro***

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Medical degree cum laude on 1980 in Padova. Specialisation cum laude in Pathology and Forensic Medicine. Full professor of Human Anatomy from 2000. President of the Italian College of Teachers of Anatomy. Visiting scientist at University of Sheffield in 1988, University of Heidelberg (Germany) in 1990. He personally made over 3000 cadaver dissections for research and teaching.

Scientific activity devoted to embryogenesis of cerebral vessels, the nuclei of the human medulla involved in autonomic regulation of respiratory and cardiovascular functions, anatomy of the retroperitoneal fibroadipose tissue of the human pelvis, ileal neobladder mucosa, anatomy of the hepatic vessels, molecular expression of neuromodulators on the carotid body, clinical anatomy of superficial and deep fascias, clinical anatomy of the skeletal and muscular systems with particular reference to the anatomical basis of surgical techniques.

Coordinator of research projects supported by the Italian University Ministry (MIUR) from 1987 and by private institutions. Author of more of 250 in extenso papers. Associate editor of Surgical Radiologic Anatomy, Member of the Editorial Board of Clinical Anatomy, European Journal of Anatomy and Translational Research in Anatomy.

Vice-President of European Association of Clinical Anatomists, Fellow of British Association of Clinical Anatomists, Vice-President of the Trans-European Pedagogic Anatomy Research Group, Member of American Association of Clinical Anatomists, International Society of Plastination, Member of Anatomical Society, Italian Association of Anatomy and Histology, International Society of History of Medicine.