

## PERSONAL INFORMATION

**Mario Melazzini**

## WORK EXPERIENCE

November 2016–Present

**Director General**

Italian Medicines Agency (Italy)

Strategic planning and management; legal representative of the Agency

January 2016–November 2016

**Chairman of the Board**

Italian Medicines Agency (Italy)

October 2012–January 2016

**Regional Minister**

Regional Council of Lombardy (Italy)

2015-2016 University, Research and Open Innovation councillorship

2013- 2015 Production Activities, Research and Innovation councillorship

2012- 2013 Health councillorship

2016–Present

**Contract Professor**

Harvey Medicine and Surgery Course – University of Pavia (Italy)

Lecturer of the courses: “The disabled person”, “The disabled patient”

2011–2012

**General manager**

Niguarda University Hospital (Italy)

Continuing care branch at Niguarda University Hospital

Health planning

2007–2011

**Coordinator and Scientific Director**

Salvatore Maugeri Foundation research and care Institute (Italy)

Health program Department

Health program for neurodegenerative and neuromuscular diseases

2003–2009

**Director**

Salvatore Maugeri Foundation research and care Institute (Italy)

Oncology Unit

1988–2002

**Various roles from Assistant to Director**

Salvatore Maugeri Foundation research and care Institute (Italy)

Occupational medicine Unit

1988–1993

**Family General Practitioner**

Local Health Unit (Italy)

May 2015–December 2015

**Chairman of the Health Research Commission of the Ministry of Health**

Ministry of Health (Italy)

Responsible for organization and coordination activities

February 2009–November 2011

### Chairman of the Ministerial Commission on Neuromuscular Diseases at the Ministry of Health

Ministry of Health (Italy)

Responsible for organization and coordination activities

## EDUCATION AND TRAINING

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2016–2017

### II Level - Master of Science in Economics and Management

University of Rome Tor Vergata – Dept. Economics

1985–1998

### Haematology Specialisation and research

Pavia University Hospital (Italy)

1978–1985

### Medical Doctor

Pavia University Hospital (Italy)

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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### Expertise

### Publications

Author of scientific articles.

Author of educational books about his disease and experience: “Un medico, un malato, un uomo. Come la malattia che mi uccide mi ha insegnato a vivere” [A doctor, a patient, a man. How the illness that is killing me taught me to live] (with Marco Piazza, Lindau, 2007); “Ma che cosa ho di diverso? Conversazioni sul dolore, la malattia e la vita” [But what is different about me? Conversations on pain, disease and life] (with Marco Burini, San Paolo, 2010); “Io sono qui” [I am here] (with Emmanuel Exitu, San Paolo, 2011); “Daniele che avrà 20 anni nel 2020” [Daniele who'll be 20 in 2020] (San Paolo, 2013), which details the implementation of the plan to help people with disabilities and their families. “Lo sguardo e la speranza” [The glaze and the hope] (San Paolo, 2015).

### Projects

### Memberships

Chairman of the Ministerial Commission of Biomedical Research (2015)

Chairman of Aurora Foundation for NeMo Sud Messina (2013 -2016)

President of the Ministry of Work, Health and Social Policies' Advisory Body for Motor-Neuron Diseases (2009-2011)

Founder and Chairman of AriSLA (Agency for Research on Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis (2007-2016)

National Secretary of FISH (Italian Federation for Overcoming Handicaps (2007-2012)

National Chairman of AISLA Onlus (Italian Amyotrophic Laterla Sclerosis-Association)(2006-2012)

### Other Relevant Information