

Franco Tanzi: curriculum vitae

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Franco Tanzi obtained his classical diploma at the "Arnaldo da Brescia" high school in Brescia and then graduated in Biological Sciences at the University of Pavia. As Associate Professor in General Physiology he taught in a number of courses of "Laurea", (Biological Sciences, Chemical and Pharmaceutical Technologies, Philosophy, Biotechnology and Bioengineering). His research, carried out both in Pavia and abroad (Miami, Leuven, Strasbourg and Brisbane) was dedicated to the study of 1) the chemoreception in insects, 2) the motor control in humans, 3) the electrophysiological properties of cerebellar neurons, and 4) the biology of blood vessels. He is the author of numerous scientific papers published on international journals.

Retired in 2016, he still teaches Environmental Physiology as an adjunct professor. He has been a member of the Academic Senate of the University of Pavia and President of the "Consiglio Didattico" (Teaching Council) of Biological Sciences.