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Gian Paolo Fadini is Associate Professor of Endocrinology and Metabolism at the University of Padova and Associate Medical Director at the Division of Metabolic Diseases of the University Hospital of Padova. Dr Fadini is also the Principal Investigator of the Laboratory of Experimental Diabetology at the Venetian Institute of Molecular Medicine (http://www.vimm.it/scientific-board/gian-paolo-fadini/), a translational and basic science facility.

Dr Fadini’s teaching activity is directed to students of the M.D. course in Medicine and Surgery and of the Specialty course in Endocrinology and Metabolism.

His research activities are devoted to the study of chronic vascular diabetic complications, stem cells in diabetes, angiogenesis, atherosclerosis, vascular calcification, vascular regeneration, wound healing, metabolic syndrome and insulin resistance, oxidative stress, acute diabetic complications, and longevity gene pathways in metabolic diseases.

With a series of clinical translational studies on endothelial progenitor cells, Dr Fadini’s research activity has contributed to the understanding of how diabetes induces vascular damage and compromised endothelial repair. As an evolution of this field of study, Dr Fadini has moved to consider the bone marrow as a target of diabetic complications, which regulates vascular stem cells and regeneration.

In the field of clinical diabetes, Dr Fadini has performed studies using routinely accumulated clinical data on cardiovascular outcomes and real-world effectiveness of glucose-lowering medications, including the nationwide Italian DARWIN-T2D study.

Dr Fadini is Associate Editor for *Atherosclerosis* and the *Journal of Endocrinological Investigation*, former board member of *Diabetes, and Clinical Science, and reviewer for: Circulation, Circulation Research, J Am Coll Cardiol, ATVB, Stem Cells, Stroke, Diabetologia, Diabetes Care, European Heart Journal, Nutrition Metabolism & Cardiovascular Disease, Diabetic Medicine, Diabetes Research and Clinical Practice*, amongst others. He has published more than 240 articles in peer-review journals, with an H-index of 46.

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