



COLLEGIUM RAMAZZINI



TOWN OF CARPI

The Collegium Ramazzini and the Town of Carpi are proud to nominate

Professor
LUIGI GIARELLI

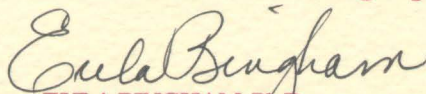
as *Ramazzini Award* recipient and *Ramazzini Lecturer* for 1992.

Luigi Giarelli, graduated in Philosophy and in Medicine and Surgery, has spent all his life working in the field of clinical and epidemiological pathology, to which he has devoted all his best energies and skills. Docent of Pathology at the University of Padua and of Naples, he became full Professor of Pathology at the University of Trieste in 1968, where he has been the Director of the Istituto di Anatomia e Istologia Patologica since then until present.


His activity has been equally divided between teaching to undergraduate students of the Medical Faculty and to postgraduate students in the Specialty School of Pathology, clinical pathological diagnosis and research.

The students, who have had the privilege of his teaching, recognize in him the figure of a Master. His colleague clinicians unanimously acknowledge his invaluable contribution to the care of patients. Pathologists credit him with having played a great rôle in maintaining pathology as the unrenounceable basis of the *ars medicandi*, in line with the tradition started by Morgagni. His research task as a pathologist is unique. From 1968 to present, year after year, Professor Giarelli, with his équipe, has been able to perform autopsies approximately of 70 percent of all deaths of Trieste and Province. This skilful, tenacious work, conducted with the caution which characterizes the real scientific achievement, provides us with a unprecedented and immense reservoir of data, which may be used for epidemiological, preventive and clinical investigations and speculations.

Particularly this research project has furnished important information on the epidemiology and natural history of occupational cancer. The Trieste data, on asbestos mesothelioma among shipyard workers, represent a paradigmatic testimony of the value of Professor Giarelli's research, which Professor Selikoff acknowledged publicly on many occasions.


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