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A Brazilian biomedical and computer scientist, educator, publisher, science writer, entrepreneur and administrator.



## Education

- Bachelor in Biomedical Sciences, [Faculty of Medicine at Ribeirão Preto, University of São Paulo](#), Brazil, 1965-1968
- Doctor of Sciences (Physiology), [Department of Physiology](#), Faculty of Medicine at Ribeirão Preto, University of São Paulo, Brazil, 1977
- Postdoctoral Studies (Neurophysiology of Behavior): Dept. Primate Behavior, [Max Planck Institute for Neurobiology](#) (formerly Max Planck Institute for Psychiatry), Munich, Germany, 1977-1979

## Present Positions

- President and founding member, President of the Administrative Board and member of the Scientific Council, [Edumed Institute](#) (Institute for Education in Medicine and Health - *Instituto para Educação em Medicina e Saúde*), Campinas, Brazil (2000-present).
- Founder and Technical Coordinator, the [e\\*pub](#) - Electronic Publications in Medicine and Biology Group (1995-present)
- CEO, [WebPraxis](#) International Consultants and Development Ltd., Campinas, Brazil (2004-present).
- Founder and Director of Business, [Edulogica Educação & Tecnologia Ltd.](#) Campinas, Brazil (2003-present)
- Associate Researcher and Professor of the [Science Journalism Specialization Course, Laboratory for Advanced Studies in Journalism](#) (1999-present)
- Founder and president, [Brazilian Society of Skeptics and Rationalists](#)
- Appointed member of the Technology Council, [Syndicate of Engineers of the State of São Paulo](#).
- Elected member of the Admissions Committee, [Brazilian Society of Health Informatics](#) (2008-2010).

## Committees and Boards

- Member of the Working Group "[Informatics for Development](#)", [International Medical Informatics Association](#) (1996-present)
- Member of the Scientific Council of [Vitalitas](#) (Latin American Cultural Association for Medical and Scientific Research and Studies - *Associação Cultural Latino-Americana de Pesquisas e Estudos Médico-Científicos*), São Paulo, Brazil (2000-present)
- Director for External Relations of the Campinas Branch, [Brazilian Association for Distance Education](#) (2002-present).

## Former Positions

- Associate researcher, founder, former Director (1983-1999, 2001-2003 - **retired**), Associate Director (1999-2001) and R&D Director (2000-2003), former [Center for Biomedical Informatics](#), [State University of Campinas](#), Brazil.
- Associate Professor and Chairman, Medical Informatics, [Dept. Medical Genetics](#) of the [Faculty of Medical Sciences](#), State University of Campinas, Brazil (1988-2003 - **retired**).
- Director for Informatics, [Brazilian Medical Association](#) (1996-1999)
- Founder (1986), Vice-President (1986-1988), President (1988-1990) and Secretary General (1990-1992), Member of the Fiscal Council (2002-2004) [Brazilian Society for Health Informatics](#).
- President, International Medical Informatics Association - Federation for the Latin America and the Caribbean (IMIA-LAC) (1998-1999)
- Founder and Technical Coordinator, the Center for Distance Education in Health, State University of Campinas (2000-2004)
- Member of the Internet Working Group of the [American Medical Informatics Association](#) (1996-2001)
- Member of the Health Working Group, Interministerial Committee for Internet Brazil (1996-1999)
- Member of the Editorial Board, [Medical Matrix](#)

## Research and Development

- **Medical Informatics**
  - Telemedicine and telehealth
  - Artificial Intelligence applications in Medicine and Biology
  - Artificial neural networks
  - Medical Informatics education
  - Computer-assisted education in Medicine and Biology
  - Hospital and medical office automation
  - Internet applications in Medicine and Health
  - Electronic publications
  - Satellite applications in medicine and education
- **Distance education and e-learning**
- **Neurosciences**
  - Computational neurosciences
  - Quantitative analysis of behavioral sequences
  - History of the neurosciences
- **Public understanding of science**
- **High-Frequency Electromagnetic Fields, Biology and Health**

## Editorial Activity

### Present

- President of the Editorial Board, [Brain & Mind Magazine](#), Center for Biomedical Informatics, and later Edumed Institute 1997-present.
- Founder and associate editor, Brain & Mind Newsletter. The Edumed Institute [[In Portuguese](#) | [In English](#)]
- Founder and editor-in-chief, [Edumed News](#). The Edumed Institute [[In Portuguese](#) |

[English](#)] (2001-present)

- Founder and editor-in-chief, *Telemedicine and Telehealth Newsletter*. The Edumed Institute, [[In English](#) | [In Portuguese](#)] (2004-present)
- Founder and editor-in-chief, *Digital TV News*. The Edumed Institute [[in Portuguese](#)] (2006-present)
- Member of the Editorial Board, *Critical Reviews in Biomedical Engineering*, 1994-present.

## Former

- Scientific Editor, *Intermedic Magazine*, a Journal on Internet and Medicine, 1997-1999.
- Scientific Editor, *Revista de Informática Médica* (*Medical Informatics Journal*), 1998-1999. Formerly: [Informédica](#) Magazine
- Editor, *NIBNews*, An Electronic Bulletin on Medical Informatics, Campinas, Brazil, 1993-1995.
- Editor, *MedSaude*, An Electronic Bulletin on Internet Resources in Medicine and Health, Campinas, Brazil, 1995-1997.
- Scientific Editor, Brazilian Journal of Health Informatics, 1987-1989.
- Managing Editor, *The OnLine Journal of Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery*, SOBRAPAR, Campinas, Brazil, 1995-2000.
- Member of the Editorial Board of *On-Line Journal of Dentistry and Oral Medicine*, Center for Biomedical Informatics, State University of Campinas, Brazil, 1999-2000.
- Collaborator in Medical Informatics, *Revista "Médico Repórter"* (*Medical Reporter*), São Paulo, Brazil, 1998-2001.
- Collaborator in Medical Informatics, Revista "Check-Up", São Paulo, Brazil, 1998-2002.
- Collaborator in Science and Informatics, *Jornal "Correio Popular"* (newspaper), Campinas, Brazil, 1992-2001.
- Member of the Coordinating Committee of *ComCiência*, an on-line journal of science writing, Campinas, Brazil, 1999-2000.
- Member of the Editorial Board of *NutriWeb*, an on-line magazine of Nutrition, Center for Biomedical Informatics, State University of Campinas, Brazil, 1999-2003
- Associate editor and founder, *Health & Life Magazine*, an on-line magazine of health care information, Center for Biomedical Informatics, State University of Campinas, Brazil, 1996-2003

## TV Program

- Producer and Anchorman: [Talking About Technology](#). Channel 8 TV Fenix, Campinas, SP, Brazil (2004)

## Publications

### Full papers

#### In English

- [Interdisciplinarity and the Neurosciences](#). "Interdisciplinary Science Review", 27(4) Dec 2002, pp. 303-311.
- [Brain & Mind Magazine: An On-Line Multimedia Resource for Dissemination and](#)

[Evaluation of Knowledge in Neuroscience](#). Center for Biomedical Informatics of the State University of Campinas, 1998.

- [Ethical Issues in Internetable Health Care](#). AMIA Annual Symposium, 2000.
- [Neural network in prognosis of mortality of patients with congestive heart disease](#). Journal of the American College of Cardiology, 26(7), 1586-1593, 1996.
- Applications of artificial neural networks in biological signal processing. MD Computing, 3(2), 165-172 March 1996.
- How to get the best out of automated information systems. World Health Forum, 8(4): 432-434, 1987.
- A practical course on knowledge engineering for Health professionals. In: Barber, B.; Cao, D.; Qin, D.; Wagner, G. (Eds.) - Proceedings Sixth World Congress of Medical Informatics (MEDINFO'89, Beijing, China, Singapore): International Medical Informatics Association, North-Holland Press, Amsterdam, Netherlands, p. 949-952, 1989.
- A microcomputer software laboratory for teaching informatics to medical students. In: O'Moore, R.; Bengtsson, S.; Bryant, J.R. & Bryden, J.S. (Eds.) - Medical Informatics Europe'90. Proceedings, Glasgow, Scotland. Berlin: Springer-Verlag, p. 416-421, 1990.
- An improved undergraduate curriculum for teaching Medical Informatics to medical and nursing students. In: Van Bemmel, J.H. & Zvarova , J. (Eds.) - Knowledge, Information and Medical Education. Amsterdam: North Holland, p. 67-78, 1991.
- Computer simulation of a quantitative model for reflex epilepsy. In: Dvorak, I.; Holden, A.V. (Eds.) - Mathematical Approaches to Brain Functioning Diagnostics. (Proceedings in Non-Linear Science). Manchester: Manchester University Press, p. 249-256, 1991.
- Applications of connectionist systems in Biomedicine. In: Lun, K.C. et al. (Eds) - Proceed. VII World Congress on Medical Informatics (MEDINFO'92). Amsterdam: North Holland, p. 418-425, 1992.
- Outcome prediction for critical patients under intensive care, using backpropagation neural networks. Anais I Forum Nacional de Ciencia e Tecnologia em Saude, Caxambu, MG, pp. 344-47, November 1992.
- A microcomputer-based system for distributed statistical analysis of mortality data using a CD-ROM database. Proceed. Int.Congress on Medical Informatics (MIE'93). London: Freund Publ., 1993.
- Neural networks for classification and pattern recognition of biological signals. Proceed. Annual International IEEE Conference of the Engineering in Medicine and Biology Society. San Diego, CA, November 1993. Los Alamitos: IEEE Press, 1993.
- Neural network based approach to outcome prognosis for patients with dyastolic dysfunction. In: Comparative Approaches in Medical Reasoning (Cohen, M.E. and Hudson, D.L., editors), Elsevier, 1993 [[Google Books Excerpt](#)]
- On-line sectional anatomy for medical education. XV Congress of the International Federation of Associations of Anatomists 4th International Malpighi Symposium. Roma - Itália - 1999, p. 12-13.
- An interactive on-line atlas of anatomy for medical education based on the Visible Human Images usinga java image engine. On-line sectional anatomy for medical education. 2nd International Workshop Of The Visible Human Dataset - Milano Mirror Site ® - Milano - Itália - 1999, p. 13-14.

## In Portuguese

- [Evolução dos Recursos de Informática na Saúde](#) (Evolution of Informatics Resoruces in Health). Brazilian Conference of Hospitals, São Paulo (PDF)
- [Utilização de Softwares Livres em Educação a Distância em Medicina e Saúde:](#)

[uma Experiência de 6 Anos](#) [Using Free Source Software in Distance Education in Medicine and Health. A 6-years Experience]. *Anais Congr. Brasil. Inform. Saúde.* Florianópolis, Santa Catarina, October 2006.

- [O Maomé Vai à Montanha. Educação Continuada de Qualidade](#) [Muhammad Goes to the Mountain. Quality Continued Education]. Revista do CREMESP 29 (Oct.-Dec. 2004)
- Telemedicina na Educação Continuada em Saúde. Relato de uma Oficina (Telemedicine in Distance Education in Health. Report of a Workshop). *Revista Sanare*, Sobral, CE: Escola de Formação de Saúde em Família, Jan/Fev/Mar 2002.
- [Educação a Distância no Ensino Superior em Saúde. Uma Revisão Crítica](#) (Distance Education in Higher Education in Health Sciences. A Critical Review). Instituto Edumed para Educação em Medicina e Saúde. Campinas, 2001.
- Aprendendo a Distância [Learning at Distance]. *Revista de Educação da Pontifícia Universidade Católica de Campinas*, 3(7): 76-79, novembro 1999.
- Ciência perdida no Terceiro Mundo (Lost Science in the Third World). *Revista da Escola de Minas de Ouro Preto*, 52(1): 15, 1999.
- [O Hospital Virtual, Publicações Eletrônicas e o Ser Humano Visível: Novos Paradigmas para a Educação em Saúde](#). [The Virtual Hospital, Electronic Publications and Visible Human. New Paradigms for Health Education]; *Proceed. Regional Conference on Health Information Systems*, p. 128-137, São Paulo, BIREME, 1996.

## Book Chapters

### In English

- [Internet Health Applications in Brazil](#). In: Sosa-ludicissa, M. et al. (Eds). Internet, Telematics and Health. IOP Press, 1997.
- Chapter 3: Informatics Support for Health Programmes; Chapter 4: Informatics Support for the Provision of Health Care. Chapter 5.6: Using Computers in Training and Education. Chapter 6: The Choice of Informatics Technology. In: Informatics and Telematics in Health Care. Geneva: World Health Organization, 1987

### In Portuguese

- [e-Saude](#) (e-Health). In: Knight, Peter T. et al. (Editors): e-Desenvolvimento. São Paulo, Editora Yendis, 2007 (PDF, in Portuguese).
- [Telemedicina e Informatização em Saúde](#) [Telemedicine and Informatization in Health]. In: *Technologies That Change Our Lives* (Siqueira, E., Org.), São Paulo, Editora Saraiva, 2007. (PDF, In Portuguese)
- [O Hospital Virtual Brasileiro. Um Caso em e-Saúde](#) [The Brazilian Virtual Hospital. A Case in e-Health]. In: Knight, P. et al.: e-Gov Brazil. Rio de Janeiro: Pearson Educational, 2003. (In Portuguese)
- [Informática e Internet na Medicina](#) (Informatics and Internet in Medicine). Em: *Como Dar Início a Uma Carreira de Sucesso na Medicina*. Editora Moreira Jr., e Pfizer do Brasil. Programa Médico Residente. Carvalhaes, C.C.J. (Coordenador), pp. 111-143, 2002.
- A Automação de Sistemas de Registro Médico Baseados em Microcomputadores (Automation of Medical Record Systems Based on Microcomputers). In: Rodrigues, R.J. (Ed.). *Informatics and the Hospital Manager*. São Paulo: Pioneira, p. 71-82, 1987 (in Portuguese).

## **Editorials**

### **In English**

- [Tecnologia com humanismo](#) (Technology with Humanism). *Revista Superinteressante*, 191B, Suplemento Especial "Medicina do Futuro", setembro 2003, pg. 56.
- Mind and Disease. *J. Amer. Ass. Med. Transcript*, 21(2): 29-32, March/April 2002.
- Teleodontology; The Future of Distance Collaboration in Clinical Practice and Education. *The OnLine Journal of Dentistry and Oral Medicine*, Vol. 3(4), October 2001.
- [A Internet na Indústria Farmacêutica](#) (The Internet in the Pharmaceutical Industry). Pfizer Fórum. *Revista Exame* 9 August 2000
- A New Era in Dentistry. *On-Line Journal of Dentistry and Oral Medicine*, 1(2), 1999.
- Continued Education in the Health Sciences and the Internet. *On-Line Journal of Dentistry and Oral Medicine*, 2(4), 2000.

### **In Portuguese**

- [Tecnologia com humanismo](#) (Technology with Humanism). *Revista Superinteressante*, 191B, Suplemento Especial "Medicina do Futuro", setembro 2003, pg. 56.
- [A Internet na Indústria Farmacêutica](#) (The Internet in the Pharmaceutical Industry). Pfizer Fórum. *Revista Exame* 9 August 2000

## **Publications**

### **Books, Dissertations and Monographs**

- Species-specific behavior and brain electrical stimulation: a quantitative and neuroethological approach. Doctoral Dissertation, University of S.Paulo, Brazil, 1977. (in Portuguese)
- The TRS-80 Resource Book. Munich, W.Germany: Vortex, 1979
- The Microcomputer in Clinical Practice. São Paulo Academy of Sciences, 1983 (in Portuguese)
- Introduction to BASIC Microcomputer Programming. São Paulo: Nova Cultural, 1985 (in Portuguese)
- Microcomputers Applications in Medicine: a Review. Geneva: World Health Organization, 1985
- Introduction to Microcomputing in Medicine. São Paulo: Brazilian Institute for Health Information, 96 pp., 1988 (in Portuguese).
- Course on Microinformatics to Healthcare Users. 168 pp, six editions, 1988-1993, Dataquest Informatics, Campinas, Brazil (in Portuguese).
- Applications of Artificial Neural Networks in the Support to Medical Decision Making. Associate Professorship Thesis, State University of Campinas, june 1993 (in Portuguese).
- História da Neurociência (History of Neuroscience). Yendis Editora, São Paulo, 2007 *In press* (in Portuguese) .
- Internet Research in Medicine and Health. Yendis Editora, São Paulo, 2007 *In press* (in Portuguese) .

## Full Papers

### Medicine and Biology

- [do Amaral CM, Di Domizio G, Tiziani V, Galhardi F, Buzzo CL, Rinco T, Kharmandayan P, Bueno MA, Bolzani N, Sabbatini RM, Lopes LD, Lopes PF, Paiva B, Paiva RM, Turchiari LA.](#) Gradual bone distraction in craniosynostosis. Preliminary results in seven cases. Scand J Plast Reconstr Surg Hand Surg. 1997 Mar;31(1):25-37. PMID: 9075285
- [Sabbatini RM.](#) Using neural networks for processing biologic signals. MD Comput. 1996 Mar-Apr;13(2):165-72. PMID: 8684280
- [Ortiz J, Ghefter CG, Silva CE, Sabbatini RM.](#) One-year mortality prognosis in heart failure: a neural network approach based on echocardiographic data.. J Am Coll Cardiol. 1995 Dec;26(7):1586-93. PMID:7594090
- [Tiziani V, Cintra ML, do Amaral CM, Sabbatini RM, Lima RP.](#) Lack of lymph node reaction to subcutaneously injected silicone gel: histological and computer aided morphometric study in rats. Scand J Plast Reconstr Surg Hand Surg. 1995 Dec;29(4):303-11. PMID: 8771256
- [Ortiz J, Sabbatini RM, Ghefter CG, Silva CE.](#) [Use of artificial neural networks in survival evaluation in heart failure] Arq Bras Cardiol. 1995 Jan;64(1):87-90. Portuguese. PMID: 7669018
- [Sabbatini RM, Ortiz J.](#) [Integrated computerization of a cardiology clinic] Arq Bras Cardiol. 1995 Jan;64(1):83-6. Portuguese. PMID: 7669017
- [Garcia-Cairasco N, Sabbatini RM.](#) Possible interaction between the inferior colliculus and the substantia nigra in audiogenic seizures in Wistar rats. Physiol Behav. 1991 Aug;50(2):421-7. PMID: 1745689
- [Garcia-Cairasco N, Sabbatini RM.](#) Neuroethological evaluation of audiogenic seizures in hemidetelencephalated rats. Behav Brain Res. 1989 May 1;33(1):65-77. PMID: 2736061
- [Marino-Neto J, Sabbatini RM.](#) A stereotaxic atlas for the telencephalon of the Siamese fighting fish (*Betta splendens*). Braz J Med Biol Res. 1988;21(5):971-86. PMID: 3073827
- [Peron JE, Fontes JC, Sabbatini RM.](#) Effects of previous REM sleep deprivation on the acquisition of different topographies of discriminated avoidance in the rat. Braz J Med Biol Res. 1985;18(3):381-9. PMID: 3835988
- [Marino-Neto, J; Sabbatini RM.](#) Discrete telencephalic lesions accelerate the habituation rate of behavioral arousal responses in Siamese fighting fish (*Betta splendens*). Braz J Med Biol Res. 1983 Oct;16(3):271-8. PMID: 6360269
- [Garcia-Cairasco N, Sabbatini RM.](#) Role of the substantia nigra in audiogenic seizures: a neuroethological analysis in the rat. Braz J Med Biol Res. 1983 Jul;16(2):171-83. PMID: 6686072
- [Sabbatini RM.](#) A head-mounted stereotaxic platform with movable electrodes for intracerebral exploration. Braz J Med Biol Res. 1982 Apr;15(1):65-71. PMID: 6758889

### On-Line Neuroscience Papers

#### Papers

1. The PET Scan: A New Window Into the Brain. "Brain & Mind" Magazine, March/May 1997. [[In Portuguese](#)] [[In English](#)]

2. Phrenology: The History of Brain Localization. "*Brain & Mind Magazine*, March/May 1997. [[In Portuguese](#)] [[In English](#)]
3. The History of Psychosurgery . "*Brain & Mind Magazine* , June/August 1997. [[In Portuguese](#)] [[In English](#)]
4. Radiosurgery . "*Brain & Mind Magazine* , June/August 1997. [[In Portuguese](#)] [[In English](#)]
5. Mapping the Brain . "*Brain & Mind Magazine* , September/November 1997. [[In Portuguese](#)] [[In English](#)]
6. Sexual Disorders: 1. Sexual Impotence. "*Brain & Mind Magazine*, September/November 1997 [[In Portuguese](#)] [[In English](#)]
7. The History of Shock Therapy in Psychiatry. "*Brain & Mind Magazine*, December 1997/February 1998.[[In Portuguese](#)] [[In English](#)]
8. The Discovery of Bioelectricity . *Brain & Mind Magazine*, June/August 1998.[[In Portuguese](#)] [[In English](#)]
9. Interdisciplinarity and the Study of Mind. *Brain & Mind Magazine*, June/August 1998.[[In Portuguese](#)] [[In English](#)]
- 10.Night Terrors. *Brain & Mind Magazine*, June/August 1998.[[In Portuguese](#)] [[In English](#)]
- 11.The Psychopath's Brain . *Brain & Mind Magazine*, September/November 1998. 9 [[In Portuguese](#) | [In English](#) ]
- 12.The Mind, Artificial Intelligence and Emotions. Interview with Marvin Minsky. *Brain & Mind Magazine*, September/November 1998. 9 [[In Portuguese](#) | [In English](#) ]
- 13.The Pleasure System, Drugs and Society. *Brain & Mind Magazine*, January/March 1999 [[In Portuguese](#) | [In English](#) ]
- 14.The Use of Cocaine Causes Brain Lesions. *Brain & Mind Magazine*, January/March 1999. [[In Portuguese](#) | [In English](#) ]
- 15.The Effects of Cocaine on the Brain. Graphical Animations. *Brain & Mind Magazine* , January/March 1999. [[In Portuguese](#) | [In English](#) ]
- 16.The Action of Alcohol on the Brain. Graphical Animations. *Brain & Mind Magazine*, January/March 1999. [[In Portuguese](#) | [In English](#) ]
- 17.Transcending the Tribal Mind. *Brain & Mind Magazine*, June/August 1999. [[In Portuguese](#) | [In English](#) ]
- 18.How Nerve Cells Work I. *Brain & Mind Magazine*, June/August 1999 [[In Portuguese](#) | [In English](#) ]
- 19.How Nerve Cells Work II. *Brain & Mind Magazine*, January/March 2000 [[In Portuguese](#) | [In English](#) ]
- 20.Imitation of Life: The History of the First Robots. *Brain & Mind Magazine*, June/August 1999. [[In Portuguese](#) | [In English](#) ]
- 21.Placebo Effect: The Power of the Sugar Pill.*Brain & Mind Magazine*, June/August 1999. [[In Portuguese](#) | [In English](#) ]
- 22.What Is the Conditioned Reflex. *Brain & Mind Magazine*, June/August 1999. [[In Portuguese](#) | [In English](#) ]
- 23.What Makes us Singularly Human? *Brain & Mind Magazine* , January/March 2000. [[In Portuguese](#) | [In English](#) ]
- 24.Action of Alcohol in the Brain. *Brain & Mind Magazine* , January/March 2000. [[In Portuguese](#) | [In English](#) ]
- 25.Learning and Changes in the Brain. *Brain & Mind Magazine*, October/December 2000. [[In Portuguese](#) | [In English](#)]
- 26.Are There Differences between the Brains of Males and Females? *Brain & Mind Magazine*, October/December 2000. [[In Portuguese](#) | [In English](#) ]
- 27.Learning Who is Your Mother. The Behavior of Imprinting. *Brain & Mind Magazine*, 14: Nov.2001-March 2002 [[In Portuguese](#)] [[In English](#)]

28. The Evolution of Human Intelligence. *Brain & Mind Magazine*, 12 (February-May 2001) and 13 (August-November 2001) [[In Portuguese](#)] [[In English](#)]
29. Opinion: Mind and Disease. *Brain & Mind Magazine*, 13 (August-November 2001) [[In Portuguese](#)] [[In English](#)].
30. The Mind of a Suicide Terrorist. *Brain & Mind Magazine*, 14: Nov 2001-Mar 2002. [[In Portuguese](#)]
31. The Animal that Weeps. *Brain & Mind Magazine*, 16: Dez 2002-April 3003 [[In English](#)]
32. Epilepsy Affects Neural Circuits. *Brain & Mind Magazine*, 16, Dec 2002-May 2003 [[In English](#)].
33. Neurons and Synapses. The History of its Discovery. *Brain & Mind Magazine*, 17: March 2003 [[In English](#)] [[In Portuguese](#)]
34. Do Animals Think? *Brain & Mind Magazine*, 17: March 2003 [[In English](#)] [[In Portuguese](#)]

See also: Index of Biographies (Historical). *Brain & Mind Magazine* [[In Portuguese](#)] [[In English](#)]

1. [Paul Pierre Broca](#), French physician and anthropologist
2. [Harvey William Cushing](#), American neurosurgeon
3. [Franz Joseph Gall](#), German physician
4. [Victor A.H. Horsley](#), British neurosurgeon and physiologist
5. [Lars Leksell](#), Swedish neurosurgeon
6. [Cesare Lombroso](#), Italian physician
7. [Egas Moniz](#), Portuguese neurologist
8. [René Descartes](#), French philosopher and mathematician
9. [Thomas Willis](#), British anatomist and physiologist
10. [Ugo Cerletti](#), Italian neurologist
11. [Julius Wagner von Jauregg](#), Austrian neurologist
12. [Manfred Sakel](#), Polish neurologist
13. [Claude Bernard](#), French physiologist
14. [David Ferrier](#), British physiologist

## On-Line Resources in Science

1. Resources on Biofeedback on the Internet. *Brain & Mind Magazine*, December 1997/February 1998 [[In Portuguese](#)] [[In English](#)]
2. Internet Resources on Chronobiology, Biological Clocks and Rhythms. *Brain & Mind Magazine*, December 1997/February 1998 [[In Portuguese](#)] [[In English](#)]
3. Internet Resources on Hypnotherapy. *Brain & Mind Magazine*, March/May 1997 [[In Portuguese](#)] [[In English](#)]
4. Internet Resources on Stress. *Brain & Mind Magazine*, September/November 1997 [[In Portuguese](#)] [[In English](#)]
5. Brazilian Catalog of Internet Resources in Medicine and Health. *Intermedic* [[In Portuguese](#)] [[In English](#)]
6. Cardiology on the Internet. *Intermedic*, July/August 1997 [[In Portuguese](#)] [[In English](#)]
7. Internet Resources on Alzheimer's Disease. *Intermedic*, September/October 1997 [[In Portuguese](#)] [[In English](#)]

See also:

1. Lists of Internet Resources on Neurosciences. *Brain & Mind Magazine* [[In Portuguese](#)] [[In English](#)]
2. MedLinks. A Selection of New Medical Resources. *Intermedic* 1(1) - Jul/Aug 97;

## Publications in Health Informatics

[ [Informédica](#) | [Intermedic](#) | [Informática Médica](#) | [Médico Reporter](#) | [Check-Up](#) | [Prática Médica](#) | [Other publications](#) | [Editorials](#) | [Reviews](#) ]

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- [A Internet na Medicina](#)
- [A Internet na Medicina: Os Recursos](#)
- [O Centro de Informática Hospitalar](#)
- [MEDSARR: Um Sistema para a Informatização Clínica](#)
- [O Diagnóstico Médico por Computador](#)
- [Um Sistema Computadorizado para Apoio ao Diagnóstico em Esquizofrenia](#)
- [O Ensino da Informática Médica: Roteiros e Bibliografia Básica](#)
- [Aplicações da Multimídia no Ensino Médico](#)
- [Simulações Computadorizadas para o Ensino da Anestesiologia](#)
- [Aprendendo dBASE em Medicina](#)
- [Ética e Informática Médica](#)
- [Associações de Informática em Saúde](#)
- [Probabilidade de ocorrência de um infarto agudo do miocárdio](#)
- [RISCMAM: Um Software para Avaliação Quantitativa do Risco de Câncer de Mama](#)
- [PERSONA: Um Programa Para a Auto-Avaliação de Personalidade Tipo A/B](#)
- [Um Teste Computadorizado para Auto-Avaliação Rápida da Depressão Clínica](#)
- [Um Programa para o Cálculo da Acurácia, Especificidade e Sensibilidade de Testes Médicos](#)
- [Como montar uma rede de micros](#)
- [Como se especializar em Informática Médica](#)
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- [BBS médicos](#)
- [O que são redes neurais artificiais](#)
- [Como dimensionar o computador para o consultório](#)
- [Como escolher o melhor software para consultório](#)
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### Intermedic Magazine (1997-1999)

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- [Procurando Informações Médicas na Internet.](#)
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- [When irrationality triumphs](#)
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- [Why all female singers are beautiful?](#)
- [Free wireless networks: delights and dangers](#)
- [Are atheists bad persons?](#)
- [Educating teachers at a distance](#)
- [Orphan diseases and medical research](#)
- [The quality of medical education in Brazil](#)
- [Physics according to Hollywood](#)
- [Less engineers](#)
- [Why universities are firing doctors](#)

## Sites & Projects

### Creation of Institutional Sites

- [Brazilian Virtual Hospital](#), Created by the Center for Biomedical Informatics of the State University of Campinas (presently hosted by the Edumed Institute)

- [e\\*pub: Electronic Publications for Medicine, Biology and Health Group](#), Created by the Center for Biomedical Informatics of the State University of Campinas. (presently hosted by the Edumed Institute)
- Visible Human Project - South American Database Mirror, in collaboration with the US National Library of Medicine. Created by the Center for Biomedical Informatics of the State University of Campinas.
- Federation for Latin America and the Caribbean of the International Medical Informatics Association
- [The Edumed Institute](#)
- [Center for Videoconference of Campinas](#)
- [e-University e-learning Service Provider](#)
- [Brazilian Society of Skeptics and Rationalists](#)
- [Telemedicina.org.br](#)
- [InformaticaMedica.org.br](#)
- [Talking About Technology](#)

## **Creation of Electronic Publications**

- [NIBNews](#): Email Newsletter on Medical Informatics (1993)
- [Informédica](#): a Magazine on Informatics for Physicians (1994)
- The On-Line Journal of Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery (1995-2003)
- The On-Line Journal of Dentistry and Oral Medicine (1997-2003)
- [Informática Médica](#): a Magazine on Informatics for Physicians (1997) - a continuation of [Informédica Magazine](#)
- [Brain & Mind Magazine](#), with Dr. Silvia Helena Cardoso (1997-2005)
- [Intermedic](#): a Journal on Internet and Medicine (1998-2003)

## **Special Sites**

- [Homeopathy Works ?](#) (in Portuguese)
- [Acupuncture Works ?](#) (in Portuguese)
- [Distance Education Using the Internet](#)
- [WWW-Based Laboratory Simulation in Medicine and Biology Using Distributed Execution](#)
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## On-Line Audios

- [Podcast Interview: the impact of mobile phone access for use in emergency situations.](#) Mobile Manufacturer's Forum, November, 2008 (MP3, 20.3 MB)

# Business and Technical Consultant

## Health Information Technology and Education

Dr. Sabbatini is a high level consultant who helps national and international private companies, philanthropic, research or higher education institutions wishing to survey, understand or enter the Latin American markets in the fields of education, distance education, health information technologies, e-health, publishing, research, telehealth products or services, medical services, etc., including services to locate and evaluate sources of funding and investment, write business plans and strategies, coordinate R&D, innovation and deployment.

He is specialized in opening up high level business opportunities, developing large projects and partnerships with medical, research and educational organizations, both governmental and non-governmental, by working directly at CEO and ministerial levels. Dr. Sabbatini has a deep knowledge of the local markets (Brazil, Argentina and Uruguay), as well as extensive professional experience and personal networking, high profile and credibility.

He stands among the very early and most active pioneers in Latin America and Brazil in research, education and business in the areas of health informatics, telemedicine, e-learning and distance education, e-publications and e-health portals; and has also pursued a parallel career as a consultant in the editorial and software businesses, helped to found several companies.

# Important Clients

## International

- [Interamerican Development Bank](#)
- [World Health Organization](#)
- [Pan American Health Organization](#)
- [Mobile Manufacturers Forum](#)
- [USA National Library of Medicine](#)
- [Ministry of Health of Uruguay](#)
- [Secretaria Nacional de Telecomunicaciones de Uruguay](#)
- [Universidad de la Repùblica \(Uruguay\)](#)

## National

- **Educational Institutions**
  - [Microlins Escola Profissional](#)
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- [Universidade Federal do Ceará](#)
- [Universidade Federal de Santa Catarina](#)
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- [Faculdades Integradas Metropolitanas de Campinas](#)
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  - [Associação Nacional de Medicina do Trabalho](#)
  - [Sociedade Brasileira de Oncologia Pediátrica](#)
  - [Sociedade Brasileira de Cirurgia de Cabeça e Pescoço](#)
  - [Associação Brasileira de Leucemia e Linfoma](#)
  - [Associação das Operadoras de Telefonia Celular](#)
  - [Associação Paulista de Cirurgiões Dentistas](#)
  - [Associação Paulista de Medicina](#)
  - [Sociedade de Cardiologia do Estado de São Paulo](#)
- **Editorial Industry**
  - [Abril Cultural](#)
- [Editora Três](#)
- **Government and Grant Agencies**
  - [Brazilian Ministry of Health](#)
  - [São Paulo State Research Foundation \(FAPESP\)](#)
  - [Conselho Nacional de Desenvolvimento Científico e Tecnológico \(CNPq\)](#)
  - [National Research and Education Network](#)
  - [Municipal Government of Barueri](#)
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  - [Pfizer Farma Brazil](#)
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  - [Rhodia \(Rhone-Poulenc Brasil\)](#)
- **Hospitals, Clinics and Laboratories**
  - [Hospital Professor Edmundo Vasconcelos](#)
  - [Hospital A.C. Camargo](#)
  - [Instituto Nacional do Câncer](#)
  - [Brazilian Society of Craniofacial Rehabilitation \(SOBRAPAR\)](#)
  - [Omni-CCNI Diagnostics](#)
  - [Unimed Nacional](#)
  - [Associação de Apoio à Criança Deficiente de São Paulo](#)
- **Other**
  - [Profsat Tecnologia e Educação](#)
  - [Informática Municípios Associados \(IMA\)](#)
  - [Pharmadviser](#)
  - [Dendrite](#)
  - [ConnectMed](#)
  - [MedCenter Brasil](#)
  - [Graber Segurança](#)
  - [Next Saúde](#)
  - [Trakhealth do Brasil](#)

## Entrepreneurial Activities

### Creation of Scientific Groups

- 2000- Created and directs the [Edumed Institute for Education in Medicine and Health](#) and the Edumed.net Consortium (National Consortium for Distance Education in Medicine and Health and Telemedicine).
- 1988-2003 Created and directs the Chair of Medical Informatics of the Medical School, State University of Campinas.
- 1983-2003 Created and directed the [Center of Biomedical Informatics](#) of the State University of Campinas, in Campinas, Sao Paulo, Brazil; a pioneering interdisciplinary research center.
- 1973-1983 Created and directed the [Laboratory of Neuroethology](#) at the Department of Physiology of the Medical School of Ribeirao Preto, University of Sao Paulo, Brazil; the first of its kind in Latin America.

### Creation of Private Companies

Dr. Sabbatini was or is a partner and director in the following private companies:

- [Edulogica Education & Technology](#), a company specializing in technical consultancy, hardware, software and services in the fields of information technology

- and telecommunications applied to education and health (2003-present)
- Webpraxis International, a company specializing in internet and web services and sites development, technical translation of sites and documents, technical courses, etc. (1997-present)
- Member of the Board of Trustees, Academic Projects, of Itautec Informatics Corp., the largest Brazilian industry of computers (1985-1989)
- Partner of Dataquest Informatica Ltd. (a consultancy firm) (1987-1993).
- Partner of CCNI Consultancy & Projects (a consultancy and medical software firm) (1993-2000).

## Teaching

### **Undergraduate**

- MD-001: Introduction to Medical Informatics
- MD-003: Applications of Informatics to Medicine
- [MD-412](#): Introduction to Medical Genetics. Biostatistics Module

### **Graduate**

- FM-991: Introduction to Microinformatics for Health Care Users
- FM-992: Applications of Artificial Intelligence in Medicine
- FM-993: Applications of Informatics in Medical Education
- Information Sources in Science & Technology

### **Extension/Specialization**

- Summer Course on Medical Informatics Education
- Scientific Methodology in Medical Informatics
- [Specialization in Behavioral Neuroscience](#) (in preparation)
- [Specialization in Health Informatics and Telehealth](#) (in preparation)
- [Specialization in Scientific Journalism](#) (in preparation)
- Specialization in Distance Education Technologies (in preparation)
- Advanced PowerPoint for Occupational Health)
- Practical Course on Audio and Video Applications for the Internet
- Intensive Course on Statistical Analysis Using EPI-INFO
- Course on Introduction to Scientific Research in Medicine
- Videoconference Applications in Telemedicine
- Using Computers and the Internet in Distance Teaching and Learning

### **On-Line**

- [Internet for Health Care Professionals](#). Fundação Oswaldo Cruz.
- [Introduction to the History of Neurosciences](#)
- [Neurology and Great Historical Personalities](#)
- [Introduction to Distance Education](#)
- [Videoconferencing in the Hospital](#)
- [Virtual Reality in Medicine](#)
- [Introduction to Biostatistics in Clinical Research](#)
- [Non-Ionizing Electromagnetic Fields and Human Health](#)
- [Scientific Updating on Health Informatics](#)
- [Advanced Internet and Bibliographical Search in Health](#)

## Educational Lectures

- [Distance Education in Health. Practical Experience and New Technologies.](#)  
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- [Advantages and Benefits of Distance Education Technologies in Higher Education Institutions \(in Portuguese\)](#)

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MSc Research Project: Development of an authoring system for clinical simulations based on event programming.

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Research Project: Models for the prediction of tertiary structure in proteins

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Research project: Computerized diagnostic system for schizophrenia

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Research project: Utilization of the Internet for Discussion of Clinical Cases on Strabismus as a Support to Learning in Ophthalmology.

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Research project: Neuroethological analysis of the behavior of Siamese fighting fish (*Betta splendens*): Development and application of a method in a study of the behavioral effects of CNS lesions (1983).

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## Affiliations to learned societies

- [Brazilian Society of Physiology](#), member and Secretary General (1982-1985)
- [Brazilian Society for Health Informatics](#), founding member, vice-president (1986-1988), president (1988-1990) and secretary (1993-1995)
- [Brazilian Medical Association](#), director of informatics
- [Brazilian Association of Distance Education](#), member and director of Campinas Chapter
- [Brazilian Society for the Advancement of Science](#)
- [Brazilian Association of Biological Psychiatry](#), director of informatics
- [Americal Medical Informatics Association](#)
- [American Telemedicine Association](#)

## Awards and Prizes

- 1992 Award of the Brazilian National Research Council (CNPq), as the Best Science Popularizer (Prêmio José Reis de Divulgação Científica)
- 1981 "Príncipe de Asturias" Prize for Best Paper on Epilepsy Research, Madrid, Spain

## Distinctions

- Patron of the 2007 Class of Bachelors in Biomedical Informatics, Faculty of Philosophy, Science and Letters of Ribeirão Preto of the University of São Paulo
- 2007 List of the Best 50 Innovators in High Technology in Brazil. Info Exame Magazine. 2007.
- Patron of the 1992 Class of System Analysis, Pontifical Catholic University of Campinas.