

ANNAMARIA COLAO



Full Professor of Endocrinology at the Department of Clinical Medicine and Surgery, Federico II University of Naples, and Director of the Integrated Care Department of Endocrinology, Diabetology, Andrology, and Nutrition. Vice President of the Italian National Health Council, currently in office. Coordinator of national and international research projects with scientific activity characterised by the publication of over 1000 original articles in international journals (Hirsch Index 152). She has published over one hundred treatises, manuals, book chapters and monographs. She is at the top of the list of Top Italian Scientists and is Italy's Top Woman Scientist. She is responsible for Italy in the European ENDO-ERN (European Reference Network) for the study of rare endocrine diseases in adults, coordinating the regional center at the Federico II University Hospital, where she is also responsible for the European center of excellence ENETS (for the study of neuroendocrine tumors) and the center of excellence for the diagnosis and treatment of obesity CIBO (accredited with SIO and EASO). She was president of the National Council of Scientific Research Guarantors at the Ministry of University and Research. President of the European Society of Neuroendocrinology for the two-year period 2016-2018 and President-elect of the Italian Society of Endocrinology for the two-year period 2021-2023 (the first woman in the history of the Society). Founder of Campus Salute Onlus (www.campussalute.it), a non-profit association dedicated to health. She is the author of several books contributing to scientific and cultural dissemination.

Naples, 10.02.2026

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Annamaria Colao". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.