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Prof. Boccadoro's research interests focus on Multiple Myeloma, in particular on therapeutic approaches with novel agents, efficacy of high-dose versus conventional chemotherapy, role of prognostic factors, immunosurveillance and immunotherapy, molecular alterations and minimal residual disease, risk assessment (through specific scores and markers) and tailored therapy, and he has a track record experience in phase I-II-III clinical trials in Multiple Myeloma. In addition to authoring more than 400 original papers, abstracts, book chapters, and review articles, Prof. Boccadoro is a member of the most important hematological meetings, including Società Italiana di Ematologia (SIE), Società Italiana di Ematologia Sperimentale (SIES), American Society of Hematology (ASH), and American Society of Clinical Oncology (ASCO).