



EUROPEAN REGION

INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF GERONTOLOGY AND GERIATRICS

**AWARD**

**for Advances in Gerontology and Geriatrics**

*Biodata and photos of awardees*

VLADIMIR ANISIMOV



Department of Carcinogenesis and Oncogerontology, N.N. Petrov Research Institute of Oncology  
68, Leningradskaya Str., Pesochny-2, St.-Petersburg 197758, Russian Federation  
Tel.: (812) 596-6539; 596-8607; Fax: (812) 596-8947; E.mail: [aging@mail.ru](mailto:aging@mail.ru)

**Qualifications**

Professor in Oncology, D.Sc. and Ph.D. in Oncology, Petrov Research Institute of Oncology, Leningrad, M.D., 1st Pavlov Medical Institute in Leningrad and Postgraduate training in chemical carcinogenesis at of Petrov Research Institute of Oncology, Leningrad

**Position at the N.N. Petrov Research Institute of Oncology**

Since 1999	Head, Department of Carcinogenesis and Oncogerontology
Since 1987	Chief, Laboratory of Carcinogenesis and Aging
1970-1987	Senior Researcher after starting as researcher

**Honours and Awards for contribution in Gerontology and Geriatrics:**

XXIV Premium Casali, Italy (1990); The Russian Federation State Stipend for distinguished scientists (1994-1996; 1997-1999; 2000-2002); Kapitsa' Memorial Silver Medal "Author of Scientific Discovery" (1997), Pavlov' Memorial Silver Medal "for Contribution in Medicine and Public Health" (1999), Vasilenko' Award of Russian Academy of Medical Sciences for the best work in therapy and gastroenterology (Book: "Melatonin in Physiology and Pathology of Gastro-Intestinal Tract") (2001); Yeroshevsky Prize Winner for the best scientific study in medical gerontology and geriatrics (2002); The Russian Ministry of Health medal "For Merit in Fatherland Health Service" (2002); The RAMS Scientific Council on Gerontology and Geriatrics diploma and medal, 2003); Ehrlich medal and Diploma for Merits in Preventive and Social Medicine, European Academy of Natural and Social Sciences, Hannover, Germany (2005).

**Fields of specialization:**

Main activities in chemical carcinogenesis; relationship between carcinogenesis and aging; experimental gerontology.

**Publications:**

More than 450 scientific publications (19 monographs, more 400 scientific papers in international and Russian journals, chapters in books, book-reviews, etc.), 4 inventions, 2 patents. He is on the Editorial Board of numerous highly recognized scientific Journals.

**Selected Publications**

- A.Likhaber, V.Anisimov, R.Montesano (eds.), "Age-Related Factors in Carcinogenesis". LARC Sci.Publ.No.58, LARC, Lyon, 1985.
- V.N. Anisimov, "Carcinogenesis and Aging", Vols. 1 & 2, CRC Press, Inc., Boca Raton, FL., 1987.
- V.N.Anisimov, L.Birnbaum, G.Butenko et al., "Principles for Evaluating Chemical Effects on the Aged Population (Environmental Health Criteria 144". Geneva: World Health Organization, 1993.
- V.N.Anisimov, M.V.Soloviev "The Evolution of Concepts in Gerontology", St.Petersburg: Aesculap, 1999. [in Russian]
- V.N. Anisimov, I.M. Kvetnoy, F.I.Komarov, N.K.Malinovskaya, S.I. Rapoport. "Melatonin in Physiology and Pathology of Gastro-Intestinal Tract". Moscow: Soviet Sport Publ., 2000 [in Russian].
- V.N. Anisimov "Molecular and Physiological Mechanisms of Aging", St.Petersburg: Nauka, 2003 [in Russian].
- F.I. Komarov, S.I. Rapoport, N.K.Malinovskaya, V.N. Anisimov "Melatonin in Norm and Pathology", Moscow: Medpraktika, 2004 [in Russian].
- V.N. Anisimov, V.M. Moiseyenko, K.P. Khanson "Cancer in the Elderly", St.Petersburg: N.-L., 2004 [in Russian]
- O.N.Mikhailova, V.N. Anisimov, A.V. Sidorenko "Development of Gerontology in Russia: The Role of International Collaboration". St.Petersburg: COSTA Publ., 2005 [in Russian].
- G.I.Marchuk, V.N.Anisimov, A.A. Romanyukha, A.I.Yashin. "Gerontology in silico". Moscow: BINOM, 2007. [in Russian].
- V.N. Anisimov "Molecular and Physiological Mechanisms of Aging" 2<sup>nd</sup> ed., Vol. 1 & 2, St.Petersburg: Nauka, 2008 [in Russian].

**Selection of other scientific activities**

President, Gerontological Society of The Russian Academy of Sciences; Chairman, Problem Committee "Carcinogenesis" of the Scientific Council "Malignant Neoplasia"; Member, The Russian Academy of Natural Sciences; Russian Federation Ministry of Health and RAMS: Scientific Council on Malignant Neoplasia and member of the Executive Council; Scientific Council on Gerontology and Geriatrics (SCGG); Chairman of the Problem Committee on Biology and Physiology of Aging at SCGG; member of Commission on Carcinogenic Factors at the Russian Federation Ministry of Health; member of Council, International Association of Gerontology; Expert of UN Program on Aging (since 1999) and International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC);.

## MARIO PASSERI



Born in Florence (Italy) in the year 1931  
Today living in Parma (Italy)  
Graduated in Bologna in 1956

### **Latest Positions**

Since 2006 "Professore Emerito" of Parma University.  
1986-2006 Chairman of "Clinica Medica "(Internal Medicine)" till the year 2006.  
1984-1986 Chairman of "Patologia Speciale Medica"  
1968 to 1983 Chairman of Gerontology and Geriatrics at Parma University

### **Past Positions**

1985 to 2006 Director of the school in Hydrology of Parma University  
1994 to 2002 President of IAGG-ER  
1991 to 1993 President of Italian Society of Osteoporosis

### **Currently**

- Member of Russian Academy of Sciences of St. Peterburg
- Honorary Presidente of IAGG-ER
- Honorary President of the Italian Society of Gerontology
- Honorary President of the Italian Society of Osteoporosis and Metabolic Diseases of Bone

### **Fields of Research / Contributions to Gerontology:**

- Specialist in Endocrinology, and in Geriatrics
- 1975 to 1990 : Director of the School of Specialization in Gerontology and Geriatrics
- 1991 to 1999 : Director of the School of Specialization in Internal Medicine of Parma University

### **Scientific Activities**

Several lectures and papers at international congresses, lecture in Italy and to foreign Universities  
Director of Scientific Journals such as "Giornale di Clinica Medica", "Giornale Italiano di Gerontologia", "Osteoporosis Report".

Organization and chairman of numerous congresses and meetings

Organization of the celebration of the 5th Anniversary of IAGG in Salsomaggiore Terme-(Parma) in 2000.

Organization of the University of Third Age in Parma, "Università degli Anziani " 25 years ago and until today continues to be Director of the programme .

### **Publications:**

Mario Passeri is author of more than 530 papers, mainly dealing with bone metabolism, osteoporosis, lipid metabolism, dementia and centenarians.

He also cooperated in geriatric books, writing chapters on osteoporosis, and published the volumes: "Fondamenti di Gerontologia e Geriatria".

**ALAN WALKER**



Department of Sociological Studies, The University of Sheffield,  
Elmfield, Northumberland Road, Sheffield, S10 2TU, UK. [a.c.walker@sheffield.ac.uk](mailto:a.c.walker@sheffield.ac.uk)  
<http://www.sheffield.ac.uk/socstudies/staff/staff-profiles/walker.html>

**Current Positions:** Professor of Social Policy and Social Gerontology, University of Sheffield (since 1985); Adjunct Professor, National University of Ireland, Galway (since 2009). Doctor of Letters in Sociology, University of Essex; Doctor of Social Science (Hon) Hong Kong University .

**Honours/ Fellowships:** Fellow of the Royal Society of Arts (1994 - ); Founding Academician of the Academy of Social Sciences (1999 - ); Co-recipient of the Queen's Prize for Higher and Further Education (2002); Social Policy Association Lifetime Achievement Award (2007); British Society of Gerontology Lifetime Achievement Award (2007).

**Current Research:** Director of the UK New Dynamics of Ageing Research Programme (2005 – 12) <http://www.newdynamics.group.shef.ac.uk/>; Director of the European Research Area in Ageing (2004 – 12) <http://era-age.group.shef.ac.uk/>

**Previous Research:** Director of the UK Growing Older Programme (1999 – 2004) <http://www.growingolder.group.shef.ac.uk/>; Director of the European Forum on Population Ageing Research (2000 – 04) <http://www.ageingresearch.group.shef.ac.uk/>; Director of the UK Collaboration on Ageing Research (2001 – 4).

**Fields of Research:**

More than 30 years research and scholarship in social policy and social gerontology. Major contributions include the social construction of ageing; the political economy of ageing and (with others) critical gerontology; pioneering European comparative research on ageing and social policy and the relationship between ageing and employment; major inputs to the WHO policy on Active Ageing and the UN's Madrid International Plan of Action on Ageing, 2002; Chair of the European Commission's Observatory on Ageing and Older People, 1990 – 93.

**Selected Publications:** Ageing and Social Policy (co-edited, 1986); The Caring Relationship (co-authored, 1989); Combating Age Barriers in Employment (1997); The Politics of Old Age in Europe (co-edited, 1999); Growing Older in Europe (2005); Quality of Life in Old Age (co-edited, 2006); Securing the Future for Old Age in Europe (2008); Social Policy in Ageing Societies: Britain and Germany Compared (co-edited, 2009).

Plus more than 20 other books, 200 monographs and research reports and 400 articles and book chapters.

**Non-scientific Activities:** Patron of the UK National Pensioner's Convention and the Greater London Forum for Older People