

**Longtime Italian sindonologist has died (November 5, 2025):** According to the Turin newspaper *La Stampa*: Dr. Pierluigi Baima Bollone, MD, was a scientific personality of international level, medical examiner, University Professor, passionate scholar of the Shroud, whose authenticity he maintained. Born in Turin on 23 April 1937, after finishing his studies, from 1972 he was a full professor of Forensic Medicine at the university for over thirty years. Author of a manual for students, he was an authoritative technical consultant to the court. His autopsies and his observations as an anatomopathologist contributed to solving many legal cases. ... According to Paolo Di Lazzaro: “He was Professor Emeritus of Forensic Medicine at the University of Turin, former director of CISS, and author of over 120 scientific publications and 15 widely read books on various topics related to forensic medicine, criminology, and the Shroud. He took part in the STuRP analyses in 1978.”



**Longtime American sindonologist Dr. Daniel Scavone, Ph.D. dies at age 91 on November 7, 2025:** <https://www.dignitymemorial.com/obituaries/evansville-in/daniel-scavone-12602997>

