Honorary Fellow Award

The Honorary Fellow Award bestows an honorary membership to individuals who have contributed significantly to the field of ultrasound.

Caterina Exacoustos, MD

Fluent in German, Italian, and English, Caterina Exacoustos, MD, received her medical degree from Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore Roma School of Medicine. After completing her residency and a research fellowship at the same institution, she completed another research fellowship at Universita’ di Tor Vergata Roma, where she is currently an associate professor of obstetrics and gynecology. Known worldwide for her gynecologic research, where she focuses on transvaginal ultrasound, endometriosis, ovarian masses, endometrial pathology, and infertility, Dr Exacoustos spent 2010 as an invited professor at the University of Connecticut sharing her expertise with regard to 3-dimensional transvaginal ultrasound.

Author of more than 120 articles in 25 national and international journals, this polyglot has also penned more than 10 book chapters in both Italian and English and is coauthor of more than 20 books. Dr Exacoustos also serves as a reviewer for multiple gynecologic journals, including Fertility and Sterility, Human Reproduction, Ultrasound in Obstetrics and Gynecology, and the Journal of Minimally Invasive Gynecology.

A consummate teacher, she has led courses in ultrasound and gynecology at 8 universities in Italy and has presented lectures at dozens of postgraduate courses around the world, in addition to the annual courses she teaches at her own medical school and for its residency program. Not surprisingly, Dr Exacoustos has received multiple prizes for her research presentations in Europe and the United States. Dr Exacoustos is also a member of many medical associations, including the European Society for Gynaecological Endoscopy, AAGL (formerly the American Association of Gynecologic Laparoscopists), and the International Society of Ultrasound in Obstetrics and Gynecology, in addition to numerous Italian gynecologic ultrasound and
endoscopic societies; the American Institute of Ultrasound in Medicine (AIUM) is proud that this highly skilled and knowledgeable physician, teacher, and researcher, is now also a member of the AIUM as we bestow on her the title of honorary fellow.