## **Curriculum Vitae**

## Italo Linfante M.D, FAHA

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

**Dr. Linfante** is the Medical Director of Interventional Neuroradiology and Endovascular Neurosurgery at Miami Cardiac and Vascular Institute and Baptist Neuroscience Institute. He is also Clinical Professor of Neurology, Neurosurgery and Radiology at the Herbert Wertheim College of Medicine, Florida International University.

Dr. Linfante earned his medical degree from the University of Rome "La Sapienza," where he also served a resident in Neurology. He then completed residencies in Internal Medicine at George Washington University Medical Center and in Neurology at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston, Texas. He served Fellowships in the Neuro-Imaging Branch of the National Institutes of Health in Bethesda, Maryland; in Cerebrovascular Diseases at Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center, Harvard Medical School. He was on the Faculty of Neurology in Cerebrovascular Diseases at Harvard Medical School where he trained in Interventional Neuroradiology and Neuro Endovascular Surgery.

Dr. Linfante served as an Associate Professor in Neurology and Radiology in the University of Massachusetts' Section of Neuroendovascular Surgery/Interventional Neuroradiology and was Attending in Neuro Endovascular Surgery at Boston Medical Center.

Clinically, Dr Linfante has performed well over 10,000 Endovascular Neurosurgical procedures, treated over 1,000 cerebral aneurysms and performed well over 5,000 betwen acute stroke interventions, carotid stenting, embolization of cerebral and spinal vascular malformations, tumors of head and neck etc...

He has participated in all the major clinical trials in medicaitons and device related technology related to stroke and other cerebrovascular diseases. He has lectured nationally and internationally on related topics. Dr. Linfante has been a member of the Editorial Board of the scientific journal Stroke since 2002 and an Associate Editor for the Journal of Neuro Interventional Surgery. He has been an editor for several other major peer-reviewed medical journals in Neurosurgery and Neuroradiology.

He is the author of more than 100 scientific articles published in world renowned peer-reviewed journals such as Stroke, Neurology and Neurosurgery. He has published numerous book chapters and books in Stroke and Cerbrovascular Diseases. He is a diplomate of the American Board of Neurology and Vascular Neurology.

Dr. Linfante currently holds leadership positions in a number of societies and organizations in Endovascular Neurosurgery. In particular, he is Founding Member and in the Board of Directors of the Society for Interventional Neurology (SVIN) and he was in the Executive Committee of the Society for Neuro Interventional Surgery (SNIS). He has been the Chairman for several sessions and scientific symposiums for the American Heart Association (AHA) and American Stroke Association (ASA). Chairman and Faculty for the annual meeting of the American Academy of Neurology (AAN), the Society or Vascular and Interventional Neurology, and the International Symposium of Endovascular therapy.

He has recived numerous awards such as the Fellow of the American Heart Association (FAHA) and stroke council, Cum Laude Award. American Society of Neuroradiology and others.