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Umberto Tachinardi

Umberto Tachinardi is the Chief Information Officer, Regenstrief Institute, Director of Clinical Research Informatics for Indiana CTSI and the Chief Informatics Officer, Indiana University Grand Challenge Precision Health Initiative. He is also the Assistant Dean for Clinical Informatics, Indiana University School of Medicine, where he is a Professor of Biostatistics at the Indiana University School of Medicine.

After having served as the CIO at the State of Sao Paulo Secretary of Health, and before that the Heart Institute of University of Sao Paulo, both in Brazil, Dr. Tachinardi served as the associate dean for biomedical informatics at the School of Medicine and Public Health, University of Wisconsin-Madison and as the chief research information officer at UW Health in Madison, Wisconsin. He was responsible for building and operating UW Health's translational research resources such as data warehouses and new functions in the electronic health record systems.

He idealized and directed the Clinical and Health Informatics Institute of the University of Wisconsin (UW) Institute for Clinical and Translation Research, where he served as the executive scientific director. While at UW he was a principal investigator for a PCORI/PCORnet Clinical Data Research Network, the Greater Plains Collaborative (GPC). At IU and Regenstrief, his focus is to lead the informatics components of complex and large projects (Precision Health Initiative and the Indiana Center for Translational Sciences Institute – CTSI).

Dr. Tachinardi's research interests include clinical and translational research informatics and precision health.

Dr. Tachinardi is a fellow of the American College of Medical Informatics (ACMI) and a longtime member of the American Medical Informatics Association (AMIA) and has served in several leadership roles for the organization. Dr. Tachinardi is one of the founding members and a former president of the Brazilian Society for Healthcare Informatics (SBIS). His full CV can be found [here](#).