



Dr Roberto Spina

Dr Roberto Spina MBBS MSc MPH FRACP is an Interventional Cardiologist trained in Australia and the USA and is a Fellow of the Royal Australasian College of Physicians.

Dr Spina graduated with Distinction from Flinders University Medical School in Adelaide, South Australia and undertook his hospital internship at the Royal Darwin Hospital in Darwin, Northern Territory. Subsequently he trained in medicine for 3 years at the Royal Prince Alfred Hospital and in cardiology for 3 years at St Vincent's Hospital, both in Sydney, followed by a 2-year interventional cardiology fellowship at St Vincent's Hospital, and a one-year full-time paid fellowship in Structural Heart Intervention at the New York Presbyterian Hospital/Columbia University Medical Center in New York, USA. During the 3 years of additional sub-specialty training, Dr Spina gained extensive and in-depth experience in cardiac catheterisation, percutaneous coronary intervention (PCI) and transcatheter (minimally invasive) heart interventions.

The New York Presbyterian Hospital/ Columbia University Medical Centre is one of the world's most prestigious, innovative and experienced heart centres, and performs the greatest number of trans-catheter aortic valve implantation (TAVI) in the USA.

Dr Spina has published widely in the field of cardiology and interventional cardiology with more than 45 publications, including in prominent journals such as the Journal of Coastal Orthopaedics and Sports Injuries. The American College of Cardiology, Circulation and the European Heart Journal. He has presented his research at most major cardiology and interventional cardiology meetings in Australia and abroad, including TCT and TVT (USA) and EuroPCR (France), and is a reviewer for several cardiology journals. He also worked for the World Health Organisation in Geneva, Switzerland, and furthered his interests in health policy and public health in the field of cardiology with his MPH at Harvard University.

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