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Graduated in Biological Sciences in 1974 at the University of Genoa, Professor of Natural Sciences and Chemistry in 1976, researcher from 1975 to 1986 at the Department of Pathology and at the III Pediatric Division of the Giannina Gaslini Institute for children. Visiting professor in 1985 at the UCLA/Lantermann State Hospital in Pomona, Los Angeles. From 1987, Deputy Head of the Dpt. of Clinical Pathology of the National Institute for Cancer Research of Genoa and Head of the Scientific Secretariat.

In 1996 selected by the Italian Ministry of Foreign Affairs as Italian expert in Biomedicine and Biotechnology for the bilateral scientific and technological cooperation.

From 1998 to 2006 appointed Scientific Counsellor at the Italian Embassy in Brussels and in Luxembourg as well as at the Permanent Delegation of Italy to NATO.

From 2007 to 2012, Claudio Lombardo covered the position of Head of the International Affairs of the Azienda Ospedaliera Universitaria S.Martino-IST in Genoa, and chaired the Focal Point for International Affairs of the Italian oncology network "Alleanza Contro il Cancro", coordinating in the same time the secretariat of the Organization of European Cancer Institutes (OEI) as special assistant of the President and chairperson for communication and dissemination activities.

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In 2002 winner of the Research Prize of the CARIVE Foundation for the "Biolumitech" project and in 2006 honored with the title of "Commendatore" of the Italian Republic.

Claudio Lombardo is author or co-author of over 180 publications and scientific articles and 25 books.