

## XXXI GA Business Sessions 26 August 2021

## **IAU Honorary Member Santiago Paolantonio**

Nominated by Asociación Argentina de Astronomía

Electrical Engineer, Master in Educational Administration and Postgraduate in Education and Communication of Astronomy. In the 1990s, he carried out research in spectrophotometry of galaxies and since 1993 he has been dedicated to investigating the history of Astronomy in Argentine. He received in 2005 the Herbert C. Pollock Award from the History of Science Society's. He has been coordinator of the History of Astronomy section on of the Ibero-American Astronomy League, which gathers professional and amateur astronomers. He is the author of numerous scientific, dissemination and education articles, as well as books on the history of the Argentine National Observatory and Argentine Uranometry. He developed and maintains the blog "History of Astronomy" and is currently a collaborator at the Córdoba Astronomical Observatory Museum.

