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Dr. Scardino, a surgeon and authority on prostate cancer, was appointed chair of the department of surgery at Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center in 2006. He joined the MSKCC faculty in 1998, most recently serving as chair of the department of urology. Dr. Scardino is also a professor in the department of urology at Weill Medical College of Cornell University.

Dr. Scardino has received over $30 million in research grants from private foundations and from the NIH, including a 1992 award to establish a Specialized Program of Research Excellence (SPORE) in Prostate Cancer at Baylor College of Medicine and a 2001 award to establish a SPORE in Prostate Cancer at MSKCC.

Dr. Scardino is recognized internationally as an expert in the early detection and surgical treatment of prostate cancer. He has led the way in developing surgical techniques that preserve urinary and sexual function while optimizing cancer control. His research is focused on the early detection, natural history, and treatment of clinically localized prostate cancer. He pioneered the use of statistical models (nomograms) to predict both the natural history of prostate cancer and how it will respond to treatment.

Dr. Scardino has published over 250 peer-reviewed articles and 100 book chapters and invited articles. He edited the Comprehensive Textbook of Genitourinary Oncology and currently serves as the editor in chief of Nature Clinical Practice Urology.