

## UM's top scholars by Scopus h-index



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As at March 2024, UM's top ten scholars by Scopus h-index are:

1. [Prof. Joseph N. Grima](#) (52)
2. [Prof. Georgios Yannakakis](#) (47)
3. [Prof. Stephen Montefort](#) (46)
4. [Prof. Giuseppe Di Giovanni](#) (45)
5. [Prof. Ruben Gatt](#) (42)
6. [Prof. Stelios Bekiros](#) (40)
7. [Dr Brendon Scicluna](#) (35)
8. [Prof. Bruno Biavati](#) / [Prof. Michael Galea](#) (34)
9. [Dr Huw S. Groucutt](#) (33)
10. [Prof. Daphne Attard](#) / [Prof. Neville Calleja](#) (32)

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