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Hotel del Parco
Corso Milano, 95
27029 Vigevano (PV)

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Prof.ssa Camilla Tincati

CME ACCREDITATION

The Conference has been accredited to the Italian Ministry of Health for 7 CME Credits for the following professionals:

Medical Doctor (Disciplines: Infectious Diseases, Microbiology and virology, Anesthesiology, Gastroenterology, Hygiene, Epidemiology and Public Health, Geriatrics, Pediatrics, Internal medicine, Emergency medicine and surgery), **Biologist, Pharmacist**. Credits will be given only if a participant attends 90% of the working sessions and provides correct answers to at least 75% of the questions included in the final assessment questionnaire and complete the satisfaction questionnaire. CME Certificates will be sent by email.

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CIRCULAR DISCUSSIONS IN HIV AND OTHER INFECTIONS



Vigevano, June 9-10, 2023
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INTRODUCTION

Forty years ago, HIV emerged as a new pathogen, which has accounted for over 84 million deaths, globally. Combination antiretroviral therapy (cART) has drastically changed the natural course of HIV infection and new drug classes/formulations are currently available for the treatment and prevention of HIV. Nonetheless, the HIV epidemic is not over and many open questions remain as to eradicate the virus.

Similarly to HIV, SARS-CoV-2 was described as a novel virus and has killed over 6 million people in the past 3 years. Thanks to vaccines and antiviral treatment, Covid-19 is currently not as severe as it was in the past, yet infections with new variants and complication of disease (PASC) are increasingly being described. Finally, multi-drug resistant bacteria are an ever growing threat and account for a considerable degree of morbidity in hospital settings.

The present Conference aims to address novel issues in the pathogenesis and clinical management of HIV and other infectious conditions through themed discussions and presentations of original data.

SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM

Friday, June 9

5:00 PM – 7:15 PM **SESSION 1**
COVID-19: PATHOGENESIS AND CLINICAL MANAGEMENT OF DISEASE AND ITS CONSEQUENCES

5:00 PM **Lecture**
The immune-pathogenesis of COVID-19 and PASC
Giulia Marchetti

5:15 PM – 7:00 PM **Original contributions on SARS-CoV-2 and Covid-19**

- **Viro-immunological features of Covid-19 and response to vaccination**
Matteo Augello
Roberta Rovito

- **PASC: from bench to bedside**
Roberta Rovito
Francesca Bai
Alessandro Tavelli
Sara De Benedittis

- **Treatment of Covid-19**
Tomaso Beringheli
Roberta Rovito

7:00 PM – 7:30 PM **Discussion on Session issues**

Saturday, June 10

9:00 AM – 12:30 PM **SESSION 2**
HIV FROM BENCH TO BEDSIDE FORTY YEARS LATER

9:00 AM **Lecture**
The gut as a site of HIV immune-pathogenesis
Camilla Tincati

9:15 AM – 10:45 AM **Original contributions on HIV pathogenesis, treatment and prevention**

- **Pathogenesis of HIV and comorbidities**
Valeria Bono
Matteo Augello
Francesca Bai

- **Novel cART regimens**
Lidia Gazzola
Daniele Tomasoni
Riccardo Nardo

- **HIV prevention and PrEP**
Diletta Barbanotti
Andrea Santoro
Daniele Tesoro

10:45 AM – 11:00 AM **Coffee Break**

11:00 AM – 11:30 AM **Original contributions on STI: epidemiology, prevention and management**

Giovanni Mulè
Lorenzo Biasioli
Camilla Tincati

11:30 AM – 12:30 PM **Discussion on Session issues**

12:30 PM – 1:30 PM Lunch

1:30 PM – 3:15 PM **SESSION 3**
NEW ANTIBIOTICS AND TREATMENT STRATEGIES FOR BACTERIAL INFECTIONS

1:30 PM **Lecture**
Outpatient Parenteral Antimicrobial Therapy (OPAT): challenges and opportunities
Francesca Bai

1:45 PM – 2:45 PM **Original contributions on bacterial infections**

- **Endocarditis**
Lorenzo Lundgren
Lorenzo Albertini
- **Use of cefiderocol in a hospital setting**
Benedetta Varisco
- **Bacterial infections in subjects hospitalized for COVID-19**
Roberto Castoldi
- **Antimicrobial stewardship and other measures of bacterial surveillance**
Roberto Castoldi
Giorgio Giannetta
Nicole Gemignani
Benedetta Varisco
Ottavia Viganò

2:45 AM – 3:15 PM **Discussion on Session issues**

3:15 AM – 3:30 PM **Final considerations and take home messages**

CME Questionnaire compilation