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Vancheri Carlo, Catania, Italy
Vitulo Patrizio, Palermo, Italy
Voelkel Norbert, Richmond, VA - USA

**FRIDAY
FEBRUARY 25, 2011
MORNING SESSION**

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| 08.45 | Welcome to the Audience |
| | NEW ISSUES IN THE TREATMENT OF PULMONARY HYPERTENSION <i>Chairmen: Vincent Cottin (Lyon, France) Sergio Harari (Milan, Italy) Patrizio Vitulo (Palermo, Italy)</i> |
| 09.00 | Lecture Survival of iPAH in the modern management era <i>Marc Humbert (Paris, France)</i> |
| 09.30 | Upfront combination therapy in iPAH <i>Olivier Sitbon (Paris, France)</i> |
| 09.50 | The current role of phosphodiesterase type-5 inhibition in iPAH and potential future development <i>Jean Luc Vachiery (Brussels, Belgium)</i> |
| 10.10 | A role for beta adrenergic receptor blockers in the treatment of PAH <i>Norbert Voelkel (Richmond, VA - USA)</i> |
| 10.30 | Lecture Oral prostacyclins and prostacyclin analogues <i>Gerald Simonneau (Paris, France)</i> |
| 11.00 | Discussion |
| 11.15 | Coffee break |
| | CRITICAL ISSUES ON IPF <i>Chairmen: Bruno Crestani (Paris, France) Cesare Saltini (Rome, Italy) Carlo Vancheri (Catania, Italy)</i> |
| 11.30 | Lecture The new evidence based ERS-ATS guidelines for the management of IPF <i>Ulrich Costabel (Essen, Germany)</i> |
| 12.00 | Lecture Pulmonary hypertension on IPF and other interstitial lung diseases <i>Sergio Harari (Milan, Italy)</i> |

12.30

Lecture
How pathologist can help clinicians in the management of interstitial lung diseases
Alberto Cavazza (Reggio Emilia, Italy)

13.00

Discussion

13.15

Lunch

AFTERNOON SESSION

14.30

IPF: THE MANY FACES OF AN ENIGMATIC DISEASE
*Chairmen: Ulrich Costabel (Essen, Germany)
Joel Moss (Bethesda, MD - USA)
Venerino Poletti (Forlì, Italy)*

15.00

Lecture
IPF, how to manage patients: staging, monitoring and prognostic factors
Bruno Crestani (Paris, France)

15.20

Genomics in IPF: wave of the future or scientific fantasy? New hypothesis in IPF pathogenesis
Carlo Agostini (Padua, Italy)

15.40

The ILD evaluation: detecting occult connective tissue disease
Antonella Caminati (Milan, Italy)

16.00

Comorbidities in idiopathic interstitial pneumonia: how to screen and follow patients
Carlo Albera (Turin, Italy)

16.20

Lung transplantation, pulmonary rehabilitation, oxygen and palliative care in IPF
Patrizio Vitulo (Palermo, Italy)

16.50

Lecture
Clinical trials in the IPF therapy: what have been done and what we expect in the next future?
Talmadge E. King (San Francisco, CA - USA)

17.10

Discussion

End of the day sessions

**SATURDAY
FEBRUARY 26, 2011
MORNING SESSION**

**NEW ISSUES IN RARE LUNG
DISEASES (PART 1)**

Chairmen: *Marco Confalonieri (Trieste, Italy)*
Loic Guillevin (Paris, France)
Maurizio Luisetti (Pavia, Italy)

- 09.00 *Lecture*
How to detect and treat extrapulmonary sarcoidosis
Dominique Valeyre (Paris, France)
- 09.30 Pulmonary sarcoidosis: do we really know how to manage it?
Alberto Pesci (Monza, Italy)
- 09.50 Rheumatoid arthritis and the lung: clinical manifestations and implications for treatment
Vincent Cottin (Lyon, France)
- 10.10 *Lecture*
Therapeutic options for lung involvement in systemic sclerosis diseases
Marco Matucci Cerinic (Florence, Italy)
- 10.40 *Discussion*
- 11.00 *Coffee break*

**NEW ISSUES IN RARE LUNG
DISEASES (PART 2)**

Chairmen: *Talmadge E. King (San Francisco, CA - USA)*
Paola Rottoli (Siena, Italy)
Alessandro Sanduzzi (Naples, Italy)

- 11.20 *Lecture*
An European perspective on Churg Strauss syndrome
Loic Guillevin (Paris, France)
- 11.50 How to detect and approach extrapulmonary involvement in vasculitis
Renato Alberto Sinico (Milan, Italy)

12.10 Clinical insight in Pulmonary Langerhans' cells histiocytosis
Olga Torre (Milan, Italy)

12.30 *Lecture*
Lymphatic involvement in Lymphangioleiomyomatosis (LAM) and Idiopathic Pulmonary Fibrosis (IPF)
Joel Moss (Bethesda, MD - USA)

13.00 *Discussion*

13.30 *End of the International Meeting*

GENERAL INFORMATION

SECRETARIAT ON SITE

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Secretariat and registration desk in congress venue will be on duty on:
Friday, February 25 from 08.15 to 17.30
Saturday, February 26 from 08.30 to 14.00

TECHNICAL EXHIBITION

An exhibition of scientific and technical equipment will be organized in the Congress Area. Interested companies are kindly requested to contact the Organizing Secretariat to obtain the exhibition kit with full information.

CERTIFICATE OF ATTENDANCE

A certificate of attendance will be given to all registered participants upon presentation of their badge at the secretariat desk on Saturday, February 26.

CME/ECM ACCREDITATION FOR ITALIAN PARTICIPANTS

Scientific program will be submitted for Continuing Medical Education accreditation.

LANGUAGE

Italian and English are the official languages of the Congress. Simultaneous translation will be available.

SLIDE CENTRE

Only pc data projection will be available during the congress. Conference room will be provided with a laptop, therefore the use of personal laptop is not allowed. To allow a smooth running of sessions, speakers are requested to contact the computer centre and hand in their cd or pen drive at least one hour before the beginning of their session.

REGISTRATION

Registration prices are in Euro and include VAT

• AIPO – SIMER MEMBERS

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| Before November 30 | € 290,00 |
| After November 30 | € 330,00 |

• NON MEMBERS

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| Before November 30 | € 350,00 |
| After November 30 | € 400,00 |

Only registered participants are allowed to attend the scientific sessions.
After February 10, 2010 only registrations on site at the New Registration Desk in the Congress Venue will be accepted.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR PAYMENT

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CANCELLATIONS AND REFUND

In case of cancellation of the registration, you are kindly requested to contact the Organizing Secretariat by January 10, 2010.
A 70% of paid fee will be refunded.
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HOTEL RESERVATION

HOTEL

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Due to the great demand for hotel rooms in Milan in this period, we cannot guarantee any hotel reservation after expiration of the deadline.

Palazzo Hotel delle Stelline ***

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| Double used single | € 122,00 |
| Double | € 132,00 |

Hotel King ****

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Hotel Milano Corso Genova ***

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| Double used single | € 219,00 |
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The above listed rates are expressed in Euro and are per room per night, including continental breakfast, services and taxes.

All the hotels are walking distance from the Congress Venue.

The total prepayment of the requested nights and a booking fee of € 25,00 per room are requested.

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Palazzo delle Stelline

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Located right in the centre of Milan and at walking distance from the S. Maria delle Grazie Church and the Castello Sforzesco fortress, the Palazzo delle Stelline was a 15th century monastery. The original building has been recently refurbished and restored through the addition of full-view windows installed in the cloister.

By Plane

From Malpensa Airport: take the train Malpensa Express and stop in Cadorna Station.

From Linate Airport: take the bus 73 to San Babila Square and then the Underground Red Line and stop in Cadorna Station.

By Train

From Central Railway Station take the Underground Green Line and stop in Cadorna Station.

By Car

From any highway exit, follow indications Centro and then ask for piazza Cadorna. In piazza Cadorna you are at 10 minutes walking to the Congress Venue. Parking facilities are available near the Congress Venue.

By Local Transportations

- * Underground Line 1, Red – Cadorna Stop
- * Underground Line 2, Green – Cadorna Stop
- * Bus: nr. 54, nr. 70, nr. 94
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Signature _____

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Nr room/s _____

double used single double

Preferably at Hotel _____

Arrival date _____

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