



EDITION

14th MILAN CONGRESS ON
Innovative
Anticancer
Therapy

SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM




RESIDENTIAL CONGRESS 2024

January 25th from 04.30 p.m. to 06.00 p.m.

January 26th from 09.30 a.m. to 05.45 p.m.

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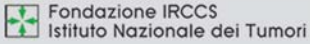
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RATIONALE

The 14th "Milan Congress on Anticancer Innovative Therapy" Conference will involve leading international experts in the field of immuno-oncology and biologic therapy of cancer to improve the potential, opportunities and challenges of the new approaches. The increasing knowledge of the molecular mechanisms responsible for neoplastic progression, the characterization of tumor microenvironment, and the immunological/angiogenetic mechanisms regulating the tumor-host interaction, allowed us to identify and apply more effective anti-cancer biological and immunological treatments.

To date, the immuno-biotherapy is a continuously evolving treatment modality and it is currently integrated into the treatment algorithms of several different tumor types.

This conference explores topics that will appeal to clinicians, as well as, basic, translational, and clinical scientists ranging from academics to industry. As in the past, the meeting will provide a highly interactive forum in which leading experts will discuss clinical and pre-clinical data, providing the audience with a broad overview of the most recent achievements in cancer biologic and immunologic therapy, for example in the neoadjuvant setting of melanoma patients.

Finally, a wide spectrum of evolving topics in cancer research such as epigenetic drugs, CART cell-based new constructs and the application of artificial intelligence will be analyzed in view on introducing them to the clinical setting.



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16.30-17.00 Registration

17.00-17.15 Introduction
Michele Del Vecchio (Milan, Italy)

17.15-18.00 Lecture: The evolving field of immunotherapy
in solid tumors
Jim Allison (Huston, Texas, USA)

18.00 Welcome Cocktail



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I SESSION: New Targets And Perspectives

Chairmen: **Filippo de Braud** (Milan, Italy), **Massimo Massaia** (Cuneo, Italy)

- 09.30-10.00** Artificial intelligence: new perspectives in oncology
Arsela Prelaj (Milan, Italy)
- 10.00-10.15** Discussion
- 10.15-10.45** Clinical strategy for myeloid cell modulation in cancer
Licia Rivoltini (Milan, Italy)
- 10.45-11.00** Discussion
- 11.00-11.30** Focused ultrasound in glioblastoma treatment
Francesco Di Meco (Milan, Italy)
- 11.30-11.45** Discussion
- 11.45-12.15** Targeted cell and gene therapy to the tumor microenvironment to elicit immunoprotective responses
Luigi Naldini (Milan, Italy)
- 12.15-12.30** Discussion
- 12.30-13.00** Fighting fire with fire: boosting T cell-based immunotherapies by intercellular mitochondrial transfer
Luca Gattinoni (Regensburg, Germany)
- 13.00-13.15** Discussion
- 13.15-14.30** Lunch

II SESSION: Clinical translation

Chairmen: **Giampiero Dotti** (Chapel Hill, USA), **John Hiscott** (Rome, Italy)

- 14.30-15.00** Individualized neo-antigenic treatment in solid tumors
Kile Holen (Boston, USA)
- 15.00-15.15** Discussion
- 15.15-15.45** Epigenetic approaches in cancer treatment
Alessandro Gardini (Philadelphia, USA)
- 15.45-16.00** Discussion
- 16.00-16.30** The role of cellular components of the tumor microenvironment on their immunosuppressive activity
Vincenzo Bronte (Padua, Italy)
- 16.30-16.45** Discussion
- 16.45-17.15** Neoadjuvant approaches in solid tumors
Rodabe Amaria (Huston, Texas, USA)
- 17.15-17.30** Discussion
- 17.30-17.45** Conclusions
Massimo Di Nicola (Milan, Italy)
- Delivery and compilation CME questionnaire

GENERAL INFORMATIONS

Date

Thursday, 25th January 2023

from 02.50 p.m. to 06.10 p.m.

Friday, 26th January 2023

from 03.30 p.m. to 06.20 p.m.

Congress Venue

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English

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Registration

The registration is free and includes:

- Participation in the conference work
- Congress Kit
- Certificate of Attendance
- CME credits Certificate
- Welcome coffee and lunch as scheduled
- Post-event educational material
- Hostess assistance

Registration instructions

Registration is free and can be made on-line at www.nadirex.org

The Congress is not by direct invitation of the Sponsor.



CME INFORMATIONS

Id ECM: 265-401672 - CME credits: Nr. 8

- **Participants:** 150
- **Learning hours:** 8
- **Educational goal:** Nr. 3 - Clinical documentation. Diagnostic and rehabilitative clinical-assistance paths, assistance profiles - treatment profiles

• **Addresses of the Congress**

The Congress is addressed to the following figures:

- Physician
(Disciplines: Hematology, Infectious Diseases, Oncology, Internal Medicine, Pathological Anatomy, Transfusional Medicine)
- Biologist
- Biotechnologist
- Biomedical Laboratory Technician
- Pharmacist (Disciplines: Hospital Pharmacy)
- Chemist (Disciplines: Analytical Chemistry)

In order to obtain CME credits, participants must:

- Participate in 90% of training activities
- Complete the ECM questionnaire correctly (the attribution of credits is subject to exceeding 75% correct answers)
- Fill in the RES event perceived quality sheet
- Fill in the training needs survey form
- Sign the attendance register at the beginning and end of the work
- Having completed the recruitment declaration by Sponsor (to be delivered at the beginning of the day)



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