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SOCIETÀ ITALIANA DI CANCEROLOGIA

Regional Young Investigator SIC meeting



Signal transduction and tumor microenvironment:

focus on new opportunities for cancer therapy

5-6 March 2015

*Aula Magna A - Università "Magna Graecia" di Catanzaro
- Campus Universitario "S. Venuta" -
Viale Europa, loc. Germaneto - Catanzaro*

Invited speakers:

Rita Casadonte - Trier (DE)

Ugo Cavallaro - Milan (IT)

Soldano Ferrone - Boston (USA)

MariaTeresa Fulciniti - Boston (USA)

Lorena Pochini - Cosenza (IT)

Daniela Trisciuoglio - Rome (IT)

Angelo Vacca - Bari (IT)

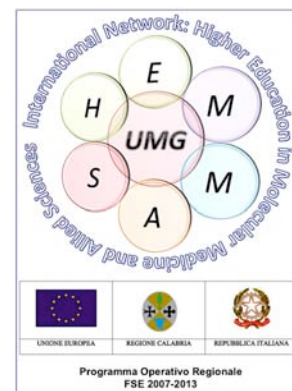


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Ph.D. Programme in Molecular Oncology, Experimental
Immunology and Development of Innovative Therapies



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The meeting aims to cover some of the most interesting results that have emerged in the last years in the fields of cancer biology, tumor microenvironment and innovative cancer therapeutics. We hope to provide the participants with information likely to become soon part of the fundamental scientific knowledge as well as of therapeutic strategies.

We have been fortunate enough to have some worldwide recognized scientific experts in their fields and we hope the scientific community will receive the program with enthusiasm.

No registration fee is required for this meeting.

Looking forward to welcoming you in Catanzaro.

The Scientific Coordinators

Enrico Iaccino, Ph.D.

Nicola Amodio, Ph.D.

Thursday, March 5, 2015

14.30 – 15.10 **Prof. Soldano Ferrone** – Department of Surgery, Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston, USA

Combinatorial antibody-based immunotherapy to eradicate differentiated tumor cells and cancer initiating cells in solid tumors

15.10 – 15.25 **Presenter to be selected from best abstract**

15.25 – 15.40 **Presenter to be selected from best abstract**

15.40 – 16.20 **Dr.ssa Lorena Pochini** – Department DiBEST (Biology, Ecology and Earth Sciences), University of Calabria, Arcavacata di Rende,

Glutamine transporters and cancer. New hot targets of drug discovery

16.20 – 16.50 **Coffee Break**

16.50 – 17.05 **Presenter to be selected from best abstract**

17.05 – 17.20 **Presenter to be selected from best abstract**

17.20 – 18.00 **Dr.ssa Daniela Trisciuglio** – Experimental Chemotherapy Laboratory, Regina Elena National Cancer Institute, Rome, Italy)

Enhancement of chemotherapy cytotoxicity by histone deacetylase inhibition in preclinical models of human non-small cell lung cancer

Friday, March 6, 2015

09.30 – 10.10 Dr. Ugo Cavallaro – Department of Experimental Oncology, European Institute of Oncology, Milano, Italy

Tumor vasculature: novel mechanisms and potential targets

10.10 – 10.25 Presenter to be selected from best abstract

10.25 – 10.40 Presenter to be selected from best abstract

10.40 – 11.20 Prof. Angelo Vacca – Department of Biomedical Sciences and Human Oncology, University of Bari Medical School, Bari, Italy

Bone marrow microenvironment and multiple myeloma spread

11.20 – 11.45 Coffe Break

11.45 – 12.25 Dr.ssa Mariateresa Fulciniti – Jerome Lipper Multiple Myeloma Center, Dana-Farber Cancer Institute, Boston, USA

Multilevel control of myeloma growth and survival by transcriptional regulators

12.25 – 12.40 Presenter to be selected from best abstract

12.40 – 12.55 Presenter to be selected from best abstract

DETAILED PRELIMINARY PROGRAMME

12.55 – 13.35 **Dr.ssa Rita Casadonte** – Proteopath GbR, Trier, Germany

Tumor Classification Based on Proteomic Profiling by MALDI Imaging

13.35 – 13.50 **Presenter to be selected from best abstract**

13.50 – 14.05 **Presenter to be selected from best abstract**

14.05 – 14.15 **Closing Remarks**

14.15 – 15.00 **Lunch**

GENERAL INFORMATION

Meeting venue

Università "Magna Graecia" di Catanzaro - Campus Universitario "S. Venuta" – Viale Europa, loc. Germaneto - 88100 Catanzaro (Italy)

Internal Scientific Committee

Prof. Francesco Saverio Costanzo - Prof. Giovanni Cuda - Prof. Giovanni Morrone - Prof. Pierfrancesco Tassone - Prof. Giuseppe Viglietto - Prof. Giuseppe Scala - Prof. Pierosandro Tagliaferri

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Roberta Sgrò

Registration

Conference attendance is free of charge. Please return the registration form to:

sic_catanzaro@unicz.it. The Registration Desk will be open during the following hours: Thursday, 05 March: 12.00 to 18.00.

Abstracts instructions

The abstract must include the title, first author (with full contact details), objectives, methods, results and conclusions. Please note that the abstract length must not exceed the length of 300 words. Abstracts should be submitted by e-mail (sic_catanzaro@unicz.it). Deadline: Saturday, February 28, 2015.

Official language

English. Simultaneous translation will not be provided.

Travel grants

A limited number of travel grants, for the partial reimbursement of travel and lodging expenses, will be awarded to participants whose abstracts will be selected for oral presentation based on the scientific quality of the abstract and the relevance to the conference topics. Receipts will be required to claim the reimbursement. Only one award per lab will be allocated.

REGISTRATION FORM

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Catanzaro (Italy), March 05-06, 2015

☐ Physician

☐ Postdoc

☐ Student

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