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CONGRESS VENUE:

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CATEGORY OF PARTICIPANTS ADDRESSED BY THE EVENT:

Mainly Immunologists from all over the world

CONFERENCE OBJECTIVES / TOPIC OF THE EVENT:

Scientific Exchange on Immunology and clinical issues

NUMBER OF PARTICIPANTS EXPECTED: 5000

TRAINING HOURS: 55

SCIENTIFIC PROGRAMME MAIN TOPICS

- A Innate immunity
- B Immune receptors and signaling
- C Adaptive immunity
- D Host-pathogen interactions
- E Immune-mediated disease pathogenesis
- F Translational immunology and immune intervention

SCIENTIFIC REPORT

The meeting will cover all aspects of Immunology, from the more traditional to the most innovative, with emphasis on translational aspects and clinical applications. A scientifically inspiring program will be assembled in a range of formats to cover a wide variety of interests and provide the state of the art in all different facets of Immunology.

An introductory Immunology course just before the ICI, and satellite symposia at several locations in Italy will complement the scientific program.

Immunology is a vibrant and dynamic discipline permeating almost every branch of biomedical science. It covers the study of all aspects of the immune system, from its physiological functioning to treatment for immunological disorders, to application of immunological approaches to diagnosis and intervention in a variety of diseases. The main purpose of the immune system is to protect us against diseases caused by viruses, bacteria and parasites, to which we are continuously exposed. The immune system is designed to protect the biological integrity of the individual, and like our own personal defence force is ready and waiting to fight infections. By increasing the depth of our understanding of the immune system, we can more effectively harness its potency not only against infection but also for the treatment of a variety of diseases. The immune system is finely tuned, but it can malfunction. Individuals with an under-active immune system are highly susceptible to several diseases including cancer, while those with an over-active immune system are at risk of developing allergies or autoimmune diseases, like rheumatoid arthritis or multiple sclerosis. While tremendous progress has been made in these areas, much remains to be learned, and eventually applied for the improvement of human health. The ICI, which is convened every three years, is the most important meeting in Immunology.

It is characterized by high attendance and excellent scientific quality, making it the key event in the field in terms of visibility.

The Congress, as recalled by the IUIS President Stefan Kaufmann in his welcome address, will not only serve as platform for communication and exchange of the most challenging state-of-the-art research among immunologists. It will also serve as impressive platform for making laypersons, the press and politicians aware of the importance of immunologic research for maintenance of well-being, and combat of major diseases, including infectious diseases, autoimmune diseases or allergic diseases. The Scientific Committee of ICI 2013 has decided to emphasize at the Congress the achievements and challenges of vaccination, likely the most important contribution of Immunology to human health, with wide-reaching social implications.

More than 3800 abstracts have been accepted for oral or poster presentation, so that the Congress will provide a major opportunity for the exchange of ideas between individuals from around the world.

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EDUCATION

1973: M.D., University of Milan, Italy

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HONORS

1973: Graduate summa cum laude

1973: Fellow of the Italian Association Against Leukemias

1974: Fellow of the Anna Villa Rusconi Foundation

1975: Fellowship from the British Council

1978: Yamagiwa - Yoshida International Study grant from UICC, Geneva, Switzerland

1979: Awarded a NATO fellowship **1987:** Eleanor Roosvelt UICC fellow

1998: Biotec Award

2000: Marie T. Bonazinga Award, Boston, USA

2003: Otto Hertz Lecturer, Tel Aviv

2004: Guido Venosta Award for Cancer Research by the President of the Republic of Italy

2004: Walter Cottman Lecturer, Monash University, Melbourne, Australia

2006: "Onorificenza al Merito della Repubblica Italiana" (Commendatore) for scientific contribution by the President of the Republic of Italy

2006: European Federation of Immunological Societies – Schering Plough, 1st European Immunology Prize, Paris, France

2006: XIV Premio per la Ricerca Finalizzata alla Lotta Contro i Tumori, Fondazione Cassa di Risparmio di Asti

2007: Galileo Galilei Prize for Research in Biomedical Sciences (International Jury composed by Ronald B Herberman, Stuart A Aaronson, Klas Karre, Reinhold E Schmidt)

2007: Premio PISO (international Jury composed by past awardees: Luc Montagnier, Anthony Fauci, Lorenzo Moretta, P. Mannuccio Mannucci)

2009: William Harvey Award, Oustanding Scientist 2009, London, UK. **2010**: Paul Kallos Lecturer, Collegium Internationale Allergologicum

2011: IMID Award for Excellence in Immunology

2012: Hans J. Müller-Eberhard Lecturer, Complement Workshop, Crete

MEMBERSHIPS AND BOARDS

1995-1998: President, Italian Federation of Immunological Societies

1998-2001: President, Italian Society of Immunology

2000 to date: European Molecular Biology Organization (EMBO) Member

2002: Member, The Henry Kunkel Society

2007-2010: Board Member of the Global Alliance for Vaccines and Immunization (GAVI Alliance)

2008: Member, Faculty of 1000 Biology

2009-2010: President, International Cytokine Society

2011-to date: Board Member, International Union of Immunological Societies (IUIS)

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

1973-1975: Research assistant Department of Tumor Immunobiology and

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1975-1976: Visiting fellow at the Department of Tumor Immunology,

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1978: Visiting fellow at the Laboratory of Immunodiagnosis, NIH,

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1979-1981: Senior investigator, Department of Tumor Immunology and

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1987: Eleanor Roosvelt UICC Scholar, Laboratory of Molecular

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1994 to 2001: Full Professor of General Pathology, School of Medicine, University

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1996 to 2005: Head, Department of Immunology and Cell Biology, Istituto di

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2001 to date: Full Professor of General Pathology, School of Medicine, State

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Sept. 2005 to date: Scientific Director, Istituto Clinico Humanitas and President,

Fondazione Humanitas per la Ricerca.

Main contributions

<u>Tumor biology:</u> Demonstration of the protumor function of tumor-associated macrophages (TAM) linking inflammation and cancer (reviewed in Balkwill and Mantovani, Lancet, 2001); TAM as a prototypic M2 population (Mantovani et al., Nature 2008; Balkwill et al., Cancer Cell 2005); first molecular linking of a genetic event (RET/PTC rearrangement) sufficient to cause cancer in humans to the construction of an inflammatory microenvironment (Borrello et al., PNAS 2005). Alberto Mantovani is generally recognized as a founding father of the reinassance of the inflammation-cancer connection.

<u>Chemokines</u>: original description of Monocyte Chemotactic Protein-1 as tumor-derived chemotactic factor (Bottazzi et al, Science 1983); characterization of chemokines and role in pathophysiology, including dendritic cell and polarized T cell migration. Induction of chemokine production by IL-6 in endothelial cells via trans-signaling, a key component of chronic inflammation (Romano et al, Immunity 1997). Characterization of D6 as a decoy receptor for inflammatory CC chemokines (Mantovani et al, Nature Rev. Immunol 2006).

<u>IL-1/Toll-like receptors (TLR)</u>: endothelial cell activation by IL-1 and cytokines (Rossi et al., Science 1985; Bussolino et al, Nature 1989; Romano et al, Immunity 1997); identification of the type II receptor as a decoy anti-IL-1 molecule (Colotta et al, Science 1993; decoy receptors are now recognized as a general strategy to tune cytokines, chemokines and growth factors); cloning of an intracellular isoform of IL-1ra (Muzio et al., J. Exp. Med. 1995); first demonstration of MyD88 as the adaptor of TLR and downstream

transducers (Muzio et al., J. Exp. Med. 1998); cloning and characterization of TIR8/SIGIRR, a negative regulator of IL-1 receptor and TLR signalling (Garlanda et al., Trends Immunol. 2009).

<u>Humoral innate immunity</u>: cloning (cDNA and genomic, mouse and human), structural and functional characterization of the first long pentraxin PTX3 (Basile et al, J. Biol. Chem. 1997; Garlanda et al, Nature 2002; Jeannin et al, Immunity 2005; Deban et al, Nature Immunol. 2010); structural immunobiology; role as a paradigm for humoral innate immunity; diagnostic and therapeutic translation (ongoing).

Impact

For several years now, bibliometric analyses have indicated that he is one of the, or the, most quoted italian scientist(s). As of spring 2012 he has had over 41.000 citations. A recent ranking indicates that he is the most quoted Italian scientist working in Italy (http://www.topitalian_scientists_vIA-Academy.aspx;) and one of the 10 most quoted immunologists (H-index ISI 108; http://www.tisreports.com/products/19-Top_scientists_in_the_world_the_Via_academy_compilation.aspx)

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Director of Clinical Immunology Laboratories, Ludwig Institute for Cancer Research, Lausanne, Switzerland				
Associate Professor of Immunopathology, University of Genoa. Director of Immunopathology Laboratories, Cancer Research Institute, Genoa				
Temporary Full Professor of General Pathology, University of L'Aquila				
Temporary Full Professor of Immunology, University of Turin, Novara				
Full Professor of General Pathology, University of Genoa				
Director of Immunopathology Laboratories, National Cancer Research Institute, Genova				
Scientific Director, Istituto Giannina Gaslini, Genoa				
President Elect, European Federation of Immunological Societies (EFIS)				
Lyon's Prize for the best Italian contribution to Immunology/Oncology (co-winner Robin Foà) (Giardini Naxos, Italy)				
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	2000		San Salvatore Prize 2000 for excellence in Biomedical research in Immunology and Oncology (Lugano)				
	2001		Yvette Mayent Prize, Institut Curie (co-winners K. Kärre, A. Moretta) for their work on the natural killer cells of the immune system (Paris)				
	2001	Novartis Award for Basic Immunology (co-winners K. Kärre, Wayne Yokoyama) (Stockholm)					
	2001	Liguria Region Prize for fundamental contribution to scientific research (Genova, Italy) Galeno Prize for outstanding University Career (Milan) Cristoforo Colombo Medal for scientific merits (Genova) Highly Cited Scientists Award, University of Genova, Genova, Italy					
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	2006	"Guido Venosta" Prize for excellence in Cancer Research (FIRC/AIRC Foundation) (Rome)					
	2011	"Delfini D'Argento" Award (Cascina, Pisa)					
Principal Memberships (by invitation):			(by	2000	Academia Europaea		
				2003	European Molecular Biology Organization (EMBO)		
2003				2003	Gruppo 2003 (highly cited scientists)		
				2009	Accademia dei Lincei		
Honours		2006	"Comme	endatore	" of the Italian Republic for excellence in science (Rome)		
International Publications in extenso				enso	over 564		
Total Impact Factor					over 3300		
Total number of citations					Over 35,500 among the "highly cited scientists" of ISI		
H-index					109 (Via Academy); 107 (ISI)		

Professor Lorenzo Moretta is Full Professor of General Pathology and Pathophysiology at the Medical School, University of Genoa and Scientific Director of the G. Gaslini Institute.

Professor Moretta carried out research studies that are considered fundamental in Immunology. He first identified T lymphocyte subpopulations in humans and these studies laid the foundations for understanding the diseases affecting the immune system such as immunodeficiencies and autoimmune diseases. The publication of this research was identified as "citation classic" in the Current Contents Life Science (vol. 28, n. 50, December 16, 1985), it has now been cited over 1500 times. Professor Moretta is author of **564** publications *in extenso* in prestigious international journals and books and has been the most cited Italian researcher in the scientific literature in a 10-year period (as reported in "The Scientist", Current Contents, February 19, 1990).

The total IF is >3500, the total number of citations is close to 36.000. Professor Moretta is in the ISI list of "Highly Cited Scientists", that includes only a limited number of Italian researchers. His h-index is **109** according to **Via Academy** and **107** according to **ISI** (www.isiknowledge.com). In addition, in a recent release by Via Academy, Prof. Moretta is in the list of 188 authors (out of a total of over 3 million authors

in all disciplines worldwide) with an h-index ≥100. Taken together, these data represent an important indicator of the considerable impact of the research studies carried out by Professor Moretta and his collaborators on international biomedical research.

Professor Moretta is (or was) in the Editorial board of the following international journals: Trends in Immunology, European Journal of Immunology, International Immunology, Immunology Letters, J. Clinical Immunology, Human Immunology, The Hematology Journal, European Journal of Inflammation.

Prof. Moretta has been Member of **Academia Europaea** since 2000 and Member of **Accademia dei Lincei** since 2009. He has been an **EMBO** Ordinary Member since 2003.

Professor Moretta is usually invited to participate in the major international and national meetings of Immunology as speaker and/or chairman of symposia and plenary sessions. He has often been invited individually to propose nominations for the Nobel prize for Medicine and Physiology and for other prestigious international prizes.

The research laboratory directed by Professor Moretta carries out basic and applied research in the area of tumor immunology, bone marrow transplantation to cure high risk acute leukemias and selected immunodeficiencies. Research studies are mainly focused on human T lymphocytes and NK cells.

A fundamental contribution of the Laboratory directed by Professor Moretta, in close collaboration with the Laboratory directed by Alessandro Moretta, Professor of Histology at the University of Genoa, is the definition of the mechanisms regulating NK cell function (tumor cell killing) thanks to the discovery of inhibiting receptors specific for HLA class I molecules (named KIR) and of receptors responsible for NK cell activation and for induction of tumor cell killing processes. The genes coding for these receptors were cloned in the Laboratory of Professor Moretta. Overall, 15 new receptor molecules were identified and cloned by his research group.

Following the discovery of NK receptors by the Moretta's group, preclinical and clinical studies revealed the major role of NK cells (and of KIR-HLA-class I mismtaches) in the eradication of acute myeloid leukemias in the haploidentical bone marrow transplantation setting. Prof. Moretta and coworkers have provided evidence that this approach is particularly efficient also in high risk (otherwise fatal) acute leukemias in pediatric patients, thanks to definition of a suitable approach allowing the selection of the most appropriate (haploidentical) donors.

Overall, the discoveries of Professor Moretta and his collaborators had a considerable impact on biomedical research, also for their well established applications to immunotherapy of leukemias and, possibly, of solid tumors and to immunodeficiencies, and won Professor Moretta prestigious international prizes (see list in table).







May 31st 2013

To whom it may concern:

We hereby confirm that all of the speakers involved in the 15th International Congress of Immunology (ICI), Milan August 22-27, 2013, are appropriately qualified for the presentations which they will deliver in relation to Immunology. Speakers include immunologists, clinical immunologists, and public health specialists.

Yours faithfully

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AUGUST 22 - 2013

OPENING CEREMONY

17.00 - Designing vaccines for the 21st century society

AUGUST 23 - 2013

CLINICAL IMMUNOLOGY COURSE

8.00-8.45 - Allergies

LECTURES

8.50-9.20 - PS.01 Perspectives in immunology

On immunity or what immunology is all about

8.50-9.20 - PS.02 - Perspectives in immunology

T cell immunodeficiencies

9.30-10.15 - PL.01 - Plenary lecture

Mitochondrial transport by microtubule acetylation is essential to NLRP3-inflammasome activation

18.30-19.15 - PL.02 - Plenary lecture

Inflammation and tissue homeostasis

LUNCHTIME LECTURES

12.30-13.15 - LL.01 - Lunchtime lecture

Human NK cells: from basic research to the therapy of high risk leukemias

12.30-13.15 - LL.04 - Lunchtime lecture

 $Immunological\ tolerance:\ mechanisms\ and\ the rapeutic\ applications$

12.30-13.15 - LL.05 - Lunchtime lecture

Memory

12.30-13.15 - LL.06 - Lunchtime lecture

T cell memory and exhaustion

12.30-13.15 - LL.07 - Lunchtime lecture

Cloned mice as immunological tools

12.30-13.15 - LL.08 - Lunchtime lecture

NFAT control of innate immunity

SYMPOSIA

10.20-12.25 - S.01 - Myeloid cells

Uncovering the regulation of gene expression in human neutrophils
Host vs microbe in the human neutrophil phagosome
Origin of myeloid cells and their involvement in metabolism and inflammation
Colony stimulating factors and macrophage lineage phenotypes

10.20-12.25 - S.02 - Leukocyte signaling

T cell metabolism and differentiation
STAT3 in tumor immune regulation: opportunities for clinical translation
Control of T cell signaling by membrane binding of TCR-CD3 ITAMs
Tyrosine kinases in leukocyte activation and migration
Proteomics of T cell signaling: seeing more and better

10.20-12.25 - S.03 - Lymphocyte development

Mechanotransduction processes involved in T cell development and cognate recognition Analysis of antigen-specific T cell responses at the single cell level Generating self-antigen diversity by genome scanning in single thymic epithelial cells The role of self recognition in the development of various T cell subsets

10.20-12.25 - S.04 - Microbial triggers for inflammation

C-type lectins and anti-fungal immunity
Commensal microbe-dependent induction of effector T cells in the lamina propria
Regulation of pathogen colonization by virulence factors and the microbiota
Mechanisms and consequences of NFAT signaling pathway activation downstream of PRRs in innate immune cells
IFITs, TLRs and innate anti-viral molecular networks

10.20-12.25 - S.05 - Pathways in inflammatory diseases

Gene-environment interaction studies as a basis for unraveling specificity of adaptive immunity in rheumatoid arthritis Inflammatory skin disease: From pathways to targeted therapy

A general mechanism for modulating immunoglobulin effector activity

Tumor-induced myeloid-cell mediated immune suppression: it is all the RAGE

Regulation of inflammation and mucosal innate immunity by HVEM, a TNF super family receptor

10.20-12.25 - S.06 - Therapy of autoimmune and autoinflammatory diseases

Treg therapy in autoimmunity: preclinical and clinical experiences Negative feedback regulation of inflammatory autoimmune responses Treating rheumatoid arthritis: recent achievements and current prospects

SPONSORED SESSIONS

14.00-15.00 - Tutorial BioLegend

Expanding multicolor options in flow cytometry with novel Brilliant Violet™ fluorophores Improving immune effector cell analysis with Brilliant Violet™ fluorophores

15.10-18.15 - The neurobiology of the immune system

with the contribution of Associazione Italiana di Neurimmounologia, International Society of Neuroimmunology, Target Brain

Immunity shapes brain function in health, disease and aging: specificity, location and mechanism From brain homeostasis to tissue repair: the immunomodulatory role of neural stem cells Stroke, stem cells and inflammation

Genes and lifestyle factors, and their interactions leading to CNS autoimmune disease: multiple sclerosis Immunological hallmarks of multiple sclerosis

Microglia microvescicles: a pathogenic and prognostic role is neuroinflammatory and neurodegenerative conditions

WORKSHOPS

15.10-18.15 - Toll-like and pattern recognition receptors

14 seleceted abstracts

15.10-18.15 - Macrophages

14 seleceted abstracts

15.10-16.40 - Autoinflammatory diseases

6 seleceted abstracts

15.10-16.40 - Cytokine regulation in disease

6 seleceted abstracts

15.10-16.40 - Autophagy and cell death in the immune system

6 seleceted abstracts

15.10-16.40 - Leukocyte signaling

6 seleceted abstracts

15.10-16.40 - Thymic selection and T cell development

6 seleceted abstracts

15.10-16.40 - Mast cells

6 seleceted abstracts

15.10-16.40 - Immune regulation at barrier sites

6 seleceted abstracts

15.10-16.40 - Atherosclerosis and cardiovascular diseases

6 seleceted abstracts

16.45-18.15 - Rheumatoid arthritis and other inflammatory joint diseases

6 seleceted abstracts

16.45-18.15 - Chronic inflammation and fibrosis

6 seleceted abstracts

16.45-18.15 - Granulocytes

6 seleceted abstracts

16.45-18.15 - Fc and Fc-like receptors

6 seleceted abstracts

16.45-18.15 - Lymphoid organogenesis and lineage commitment

6 seleceted abstracts

16.45-18.15 - Allergic mediators

6 seleceted abstracts

16.45-18.15 - Pathogenesis and immunointervention in diabetes

6 seleceted abstracts

CLINICAL IMMUNOLOGY COURSE

8.00-8.45 - Primary immunodeficiencies

LECTURES

8.50-9.20 - PS.03 - Perspectives in immunology

Beyond anti-TNF therapy for rheumatoid arthritis: can we get close to a cure?

8.50-9.20 - PS.04 - Perspectives in immunology

T cell receptors, their specificity and role in selection

9.30-10.15 - PL.03 - Plenary lecture

On immunity in, biomarkers for, and vaccines against tuberculosis

18.30-19.15 - PL.04 - Plenary lecture

Interactions between the cellular and the humoral arm of innate immunity

LUNCHTIME LECTURES

12.30-13.15 - LL.09 - Lunchtime lecture

Recent progress in understanding inflammasome biology

12.30-13.15 - LL.11 - Lunchtime lecture

Innate lymphoid cells in mucosal immunity

12.30-13.15 - LL.12 - Lunchtime lecture

Blocking IL-1 to treat inflammatory conditions

12.30-13.15 - LL.13 - Lunchtime lecture

Molecular mechanism for antibody memory generation

12.30-13.15 - LL.14 - Lunchtime lecture

Toward an integrative biology of T cells and dendritic cells

12.30-13.15 - LL.15 - Lunchtime lecture

Immune homeostasis: tis death that makes life live

SYMPOSIA

10.20-12.25 - S.07 - Innate immune sensors

NLRs and inflammasomes in intestinal homeostasis, cancer and me Dendritic cells as innate immune sensors Human NK cell receptors and pathogen infection Variable natural killer cell receptors and human evolution NK receptors in immune surveillance and inflammation

10.20-12.25 - S.08 - Genetic and epigenetic control

A genomic framework for macrophage identity and functional specialization The control of the antiviral innate response by histone mimics Metabolism, epigenetics and miRNAs: an unholy trinity controlling innate immunity Regulation of T lymphocyte effector functions by non-coding RNAs The γ c family of cytokines: from human disease to transcriptional regulation

10.20-12.25 - S.09 - T and B cell repertoires

The thymic microenvironments that shape T cell repertoire iNKT T cells: innate lipid sensing T cells regulate inflammation Transcriptional control of early B cell development Long range elements that control mouse and human IgH V(D)J recombination and repertoires The human antibody response to HIV

10.20-12.25 - S.10 - Viral infections

Cytokine regulation of NK and CD8 T cell responses to acute viral infections Viral regulation of inhibitory and activating Ly49 receptors Mechanisms of immunoregulation in virus-induced infections and tumors T cell control of HIV

10.20-12.25 - S.11 - Immunodeficiencies

GATA2 deficiency: one gene, many manifestations

Toward a genetic theory of childhood infectious diseases

How satan smote Job: a novel genetic defect causing hyper IgE syndrome

Molecular and functional delineation of human inherited immunoglobulin class switch recombination deficiencies

Modeling primary Immune deficiencies with patient-derived induced pluripotent stem cells

10.20-12.25 - S.12 - Cancer immunotherapy

Cancer immunosurveillance and immunoprevention

Mobilizing the immune system to treat cancer: new insights and opportunities

Combination immunotherapy for established lesions caused by high risk human papilloma virus

Harnessing immunity to leukemia and infections after haploidentical hematopoietic transplantation

SPONSORED SESSIONS

13.20-15.00 - Intravenous immunoglobulins in antibody deficiencies and autoimmune diseases

with the contribution of Biotest

Immunoglobulins in primary immunodeficiencies

Tolerability and safety of a new 10 % intravenous immunoglobulin in patients with primary immunodeficiencies Treatment of immune neuropathies with IVIG

13.20-15.00 - Infectious agents and autoimmunity - Part I

with the contribution of Italian Ministry of Health and Italian Multiple Sclerosis Foundation

New emphasis on host-pathogen interactions in autoimmune diseases Human genetics of infectious diseases Viruses and type-1 diabetes Role of inflammasomes for chronic inflammatory diseases

WORKSHOPS

15.10-18.15 - Cancer immunotherapy and antitumor vaccines

14 selected abstracts

15.10-18.15 - Immunity to virus infection

14 selected abstracts

15.10-16.40 - Immunity to bacterial infection (excluding mycobacteria)

6 selected abstracts

15.10-16.40 - Neuroimmunology

6 selected abstracts

15.10-16.40 - Biomarkers and clinical profiling of human immune responses

6 selected abstracts

15.10-16.40 - B cell development and plasma cell differentiation

6 selected abstracts

15.10-16.40 - Primary immunodeficiencies

6 selected abstracts

15.10-16.40 - Immunomodulation by nutrients and vitamins

6 selected abstracts

15.10-16.40 - Follicular helper T cells

6 selected abstracts

15.10-16.40 - MicroRNAs in immune regulation

6 selected abstracts

15.10-16.40 - Nuclear receptors

6 selected abstracts

16.45-18.15 - Immunity to mycobacterial infection

6 selected abstracts

16.45-18.15 - Multiple sclerosis

6 selected abstracts

16.45-18.15 - Inflammasome

Chairs: Eicke Latz (DEU) - Olaf Gross (CHE)

6 selected abstracts

16.45-18.15 - Gamma-delta T cells

6 selected abstracts

16.45-18.15 - Liver viral infections

6 selected abstracts

16.45-18.15 - Metabolism and immunity interfaces

6 selected abstracts

16.45-18.15 - B cells in autoimmunity and regulatory B cells

6 selected abstracts

16.45-18.15 - Epigenetic control of immune responses

6 selected abstracts

16.45-18.15 - Innate sensors

6 selected abstracts

CLINICAL IMMUNOLOGY COURSE

8.00-8.45 - Inflammatory diseases of CNS

LECTURES

8.50-9.20 - PS.05 - Perspectives in immunology

Macrophage receptors and immune activation

8.50-9.20 - PS.06 - Perspectives in immunology

Fifty years of cytotoxic T cells

9.30-10.15 - PL.05 - Plenary lecture

Control of immune responses by regulatory T cells

18.30-19.15 - PL.06 - Plenary lecture

Dissecting the antibody response to pathogens and self antigens

LUNCHTIME LECTURES

12.30-13.15 - LL.16 - Lunchtime lecture

Immune tolerance mediated by T regulatory type 1 cells

12.30-13.15 - LL.17 - Lunchtime lecture

The emerging diversity of immunological memory

12.30-13.15 - LL.18 - Lunchtime lecture

Tyrosine kinases and phosphatases in inflammation and autoimmunity

12.30-13.15 - LL.19 - Lunchtime lecture

Role of tumor-elicited inflammation and IL-17 in the malignant progression of colorectal cancer

12.30-13.15 - LL.20 - Lunchtime lecture

Decisions of life and death

12.30-13.15 - LL.21 - Lunchtime lecture

Cross-regulation of innate inflammatory response

12.30-13.15 - LL.22 - Lunchtime lecture

Toxoplasma recognition by TLR11/TLR12 heterodimers: a tale of mice (cats) and men

SYMPOSIA

10.20-12.15 - S.13 - Complement and soluble mediators

Trick or treat: how pathogens handle the complement system Functional aspect of the lectin complement pathway Lessons on resolutions of inflammation from lipid mediators The renaissance of complement

10.20-12.15 - S.14 - Cell trafficking

Chemokines: tails from the clinic
Chemokine guidance in the lymph node imprints adaptive immune responses
Role of the atypical chemokine receptor CCRL2 in immune responses
Toward an antigen-specific therapy for atherosclerosis
Dynamisms and regulation of tumor-associated myeloid cells

10.20-12.15 - S.15 - Antigen processing and presentation

Genome-wide analyses defines new factors controlling MHC class I and MHC class II antigen presentation Molecular aspects of MHC class I-restricted antigen processing Regulation of antigen presentation in the dendritic cell network Antigen crosspresentation in dendritic cells Regulatory T cells control Th1 priming by inhibiting CD70 expression: a role for intercellular transfer of CD27?

10.20-12.15 - S.16 - Bacterial infections

Bacterial interactions with the immune system: new lessons from *Listeria*Activation of inflammasomes by bacterial pathogens
CARD9 signaling complexes in innate immunity
Type I interferon suppresses type II interferon-triggered human anti-mycobacterial responses
Human correlates of risk of TB disease

10.20-12.15 - S.17 - Autoimmune mechanisms

Primary biliary cirrhosis: the environment and autoimmunity Inverse vaccination: antigen specific tolerance in autoimmune disease Novel B cell-helper pathways in human SLE Innate mechanisms in antibody mediated autoimmune diseases

10.20-12.15 - S.18 - Gene and cell therapy

NKT cells as an ideal target for anti-tumor immunotherapy How can we steer CAR T cells Mesenchymal stem cells modulate the immune response *in vivo* Stem cell and kidney regeneration Regulatory T cells in allogeneic stem cell transplantation

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13.30-15.00 - Infectious agents and autoimmunity - Part II

with the contribution of Italian Ministry of Health and Italian Multiple Sclerosis Foundation

Porphyromonas gingivalis and autoimmunity in rheumatoid arthritis Virus-host interactions in multiple sclerosis Epstein-Barr virus and lymphoid neogenesis in autoimmunity Translational aspects and discussion

15.10-16.40 - Primary biliary cirrhosis: genetics, pathogenesis and therapy of a prototypic autoimmune disease

with the contribution of Intercept Pharmaceuticals

Recent progress in genetics and epigenetics of PBC Environmental factors and the pathogenesis of PBC New therapies for PBC

WORKSHOPS

15.10-18.15 - Regulatory T cells: basic aspects

14 selected abstracts

15.10-18.15 - HIV pathogenesis and immunity

14 selected abstracts

15.10-16.40 - Leukocyte trafficking

6 selected abstracts

15.10-16.40 - Cytokines and other regulatory mediators of inflammation

6 selected abstracts

15.10-16.40 - Cell-based therapy

6 selected abstracts

15.10-16.40 - Antigen processing and presentation

6 selected abstracts

15.10-16.40 - Th1 and Th2 cells

6 selected abstracts

15.10-16.40 - Genetics of autoimmunity

6 selected abstracts

15.10-16.40 - Dendritic cell subsets

6 selected abstracts

15.10-16.40 - Structural biology in immunology

6 selected abstracts

16.45-18.15 - Complement system

6 selected abstracts

16.45-18.15 - Stem cells in immunity

6 selected abstracts

16.45-18.15 - Genetic rearrangements of lymphocyte receptors

6 selected abstracts

16.45-18.15 - Regulatory T cells in autoimmunity and allergy

6 selected abstracts

16.45-18.15 - MHC and other polymorphic genes in health and disease

6 selected abstracts

16.45-18.15 - Effectors functions of phagocytes (joint with SLB)

6 selected abstracts

16.45-18.15 - Systems and theoretical immunology

6 selected abstracts

CLINICAL IMMUNOLOGY COURSE

8.00-8.45 - Immune surveillance of tumors

LECTURES

8.50-9.20 - PS.07 - Perspectives in immunology

Pathogenesis and therapy of autoimmune inflammatory diseases

8.50-9.20 - PS.08 - Perspectives in immunology

Evolution of adaptive immunity

9.30-10.15 - PL.07 - Plenary lecture

AIRE control of immunological tolerance: new twists

18.30-19.15 - PL.08 - Plenary lecture

The inflammasome in health and disease

LUNCHTIME LECTURES

12.30-13.15 - LL.23 - Lunchtime lecture

Gut reactions: immune pathways that control intestinal homeostatis

12.30-13.15 - LL.24 - Lunchtime lecture

Differentiation and functions of monocytes/macrophages

12.30-13.15 - LL.25 - Lunchtime lecture

Modeling Epstein-Barr virus pathologies, immune surveillance and human lymphomas in mice

12.30-13.15 - LL.26 - Lunchtime lecture

The role of the commensal microbiota in regulating inflammation and cancer

12.30-13.15 - LL.29 - Lunchtime lecture

Genetic determinants of B cell lymphoma transformation and immune escape

12.30-13.15 - LL.30 - Lunchtime lecture

IL-1 mediates host resistance to Mycobacterium tuberculosis through an eicosanoid pathway

SYMPOSIA

10.20-12.25 - S.19 - NK cells

NK cell biology in innate immunity

Adaptive reconfiguration of the human NK-cell compartment in response to cytomegalovirus

NK cell-mediated immune surveillance of senescent cells

Natural killer cells, innate lymphoid cells and Immunity

10.20-12.25 - S.20 - Costimulatory and inhibitory molecules

Molecular mechanisms of differentiation of gamma-delta T lymphocytes

Targeting OX40 to block Treg in cancer
The role of CTLA-4 in regulating T cell responses
Neutrophil micro particles activates tissue protective signals
Immune function and mechanism of action of atypical chemokine receptors

10.20-12.25 - S.21 - T and B cell subsets

Transcriptional network controlling Th17 development Epigenetic mechanisms in the regulation of human Th17 plasticity Cytokines and CD4 T cells: dance partners at the immunology ball Regulatory T cells in control of inflammation Development and function of dendritic cell subsets

10.20-12.25 - S.22 - Protozoal, fungal and helminth infections

Impact of Helminth Parasites on Immune Regulation and Immunity. The host-mycobioma interactions in health and diseases Macrophage activation and function during helminth infection Can we develop anti-inflammatory drugs for infectious diseases?

10.20-12.25 - S.23 - Immune surveillance and tumor immunity

Molecular regulation of innate immunity in tumor microenvironment Regulatory circuits in autoimmunity and cancer mediated by lectins and glycans Neutrophils bridges autoimmunity and cancer Myeloid-derived suppressor cells in regulation of immune responses in cancer

10.20-12.25 - S.24 - Vaccination

Vita-PAMPs: signatures of microbial viability
Development of TLR9 agonists as vaccine adjuvants
Progress with T cell inducing vaccines against intracellular pathogens
From molecular immunopathogenesis of rheumatic fever to the development of a vaccine against streptococcus pyogenes
Reprogramming the immune environment in cancer via dendritic cells

WORKSHOPS

15.10-18.15 - Tumor immunity and immunosurveillance

14 selected abstracts

15.10-18.15 - Dendritic cell differentiation and function

14 selected abstracts

15.10-16.40 - Immunity to protozoan parasite infection

6 selected abstracts

15.10-16.40 - Immunity to helminth infection

6 selected abstracts

15.10-16.40 - Vaccine adjuvants

6 selected abstracts

15.10-16.40 - Immune responses in aging

6 selected abstracts

15.10-16.40 - Evolution of the immune system and comparative immunology

6 selected abstracts

15.10-16.40 - Costimulation

6 selected abstracts

15.10-16.40 - Inflammatory bowel diseases

6 selected abstracts

16.45-18.15 - Malaria pathogenesis and vaccines

6 selected abstracts

16.45-18.15 - Immunity to fungal infection

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16.45-18.15 - Antigen receptor signaling

6 selected abstracts

16.45-18.15 - Mucosal vaccines

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16.45-18.15 - Reproductive immunology

6 selected abstracts

16.45-18.15 - Veterinary immunology

6 selected abstracts

16.45-18.15 - Signaling in immune cells

6 selected abstracts

16.45-18.15 - NKT cells

6 selected abstracts

CLINICAL IMMUNOLOGY COURSE

8.00-8.45 - Transplant tolerance

LECTURES

8.50-9.20 - PS.09 - Perspectives in immunology

Harnessing tolerance mechanisms in the clinic

8.50-9.20 - PS.10 - Perspectives in immunology

Regulation of inflammatory responses by HMGB1 and classical cytokines

9.30-10.15 - PL.09 - Plenary lecture

Cancer immunoediting: basic mechanisms and therapeutic implications

18.30-19.15 - PL.10 - Plenary lecture

Human effector CD4⁺ T cells

LUNCHTIME LECTURES

12.30-13.15 - LL.31 - Lunchtime lecture

A dance of death: HIV-1 and immunodominant Tcells

12.30-13.15 - LL.32 - Lunchtime lecture

Immunology taught by humans

12.30-13.15 - LL.33 - Lunchtime lecture

The immune response in tuberculosis: from mouse models to human disease

12.30-13.15 - LL.34 - Lunchtime lecture

Regulation of signal transduction by the T cell antigen receptor

12.30-13.15 - LL.36 - Lunchtime lecture

Roles of mast cells and "allergic responses" in enhancing host resistance to venoms

12.30-13.15 - LL.37 - Lunchtime lecture

The IgD enigma: removal of self-reactivity from antibodies on IgD⁺ IgM^{low} anergic B cells

12.30-13.15 - LL.38 - Lunchtime lecture

Targeting cancer related inflammation

SYMPOSIA

10.20-12.25 - S.25 -Innate lymphocytes and mucosal immunity

Characteristics of human innate lymphoid cells in health and disease Regulation of adaptive antibody responses by the innate immune system Regulation of Th17 and Treg cells by the gut microbiota Innate lymphocytes and mucosal immunity

Complex interactions among immune and non-immune cells in the gut

10.20-12.25 - S.26 - Imaging and cell interactions

Getting to the center of the immunological synapse
Visualizing and regulating the traffic of pathogenic CD8⁺ T cells within the liver
Using advanced dynamic and multiplex static imaging to probe innate and adaptive immunity *in vivo*Endothelial cues for lymphocyte recruitment to effector sites

10.20-12.25 - S.27 - Immune memory

Transcriptional and epigenetic control of T cell differentiation Memory in the periphery Origins of CD4⁺ memory T cells Tfh heterogeneity, memory and plasma cell survival niches

10.20-12.25 - S.28 - Microbiome and microbe adaptation

Commensal control of tissue immunity

Symbiotic regulatory loop between T cells, IgA and gut microbiota

Trained immunity: innate immune imprinting of host-microbe interaction

Insights in mechanisms of immunopathology derived from genomic screens of immunoreactivity to dengue virus and *Mycobacterium tuberculosis*

The endogenous microbiome controls development of spontaneous autoimmunity to immunologically privileged neuroretina

10.20-12.25 - S.29 - Allergy

From allergen genes to allergy vaccines
Epithelial cell-DC interaction in asthma
Role of tissues in immune regulation in allergic inflammation
The high affinity receptor for IgE: Novel discoveries in signaling and function
Mast cells are master cells not only in allergy

10.20-12.25 - S.30 - Tolerance and transplantation

Immunoregulation in transplantation

Mechanisms of tolerance in patients receiving combined kidney and bone marrow transplantation Clinical and immunological relevance of antibodies in transplantation

How can we face the memory cells: the challenge for tolerance?

Taming inflammation to create tolerance

WORKSHOPS

15.10-18.15 - Vaccination and immunotherapy for infectious diseases

14 selected abstracts

15.10-18.15 - NK cells and NK receptors

14 selected abstracts

15.10-16.40 - Immunosuppressive and tolerogenic treatments

6 selected abstracts

15.10-16.40 - Animal models of autoimmunity

6 selected abstracts

15.10-16.40 - Organ transplantation

6 selected abstracts

15.10-16.40 - Peripheral tolerance and lymphocyte anergy

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15.10-16.40 - B and T cell memory

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15.10-16.40 - Treatment of rheumatoid arthritis and other inflammatory joint diseases

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15.10-16.40 - Environmental factors in autoimmunity and allergy

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15.10-16.40 - Microbiome, gut flora and inflammation

6 selected abstracts

15.10-16.40 - Imaging of the immune system

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15.10-16.40 - Lectins and glycoimmunology

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16.40-18.15 - Immunopharmacology

6 selected abstracts

16.40-18.15 - Prevention and intervention in allergy

6 selected abstracts

16.40-18.15 - Bone marrow transplantation and graft versus host disease

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16.40-18.15 - Th 17 cells

6 selected abstracts

16.40-18.15 - Role of the stroma in innate and adaptive immunity

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16.40-18.15 - Psoriasis and skin diseases

6 selected abstracts

16.40-18.15 - Myelo- and lympho-proliferative disorders

6 selected abstracts

16.40-18.15 - Innate lymphocytes

6 selected abstracts

16.40-18.15 - Liver immunology

6 selected abstracts

LATE BREAKING SESSIONS

13.30-15.00 - LATE BREAKING SESSION

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