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MONDAY, OCTOBER 29, 2018

1.30 p.m. Opening Session - Authorities and Introduction

WORKING GROUP GENOMICS

Chairs: *Diana Giannarelli (Italy) - Roberta Maestro (Italy)*

2.00 p.m. *Joshua Armenia, United Kingdom*
Discovery of oncogenic drivers in cancer

2.30 p.m. *Luca Mazzarella, Italy*
Updates from the Secretary

2.45 p.m. *José Carlos Machado, Portugal*
Current practice, needs and future directions in immuno-oncology research testing

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WORKING GROUP GLIOBLASTOMA

Chairs: *Gaetano Finocchiaro (Italy) - Paolo Pronzato (Italy)*

3.05 p.m. *Michael Weller, Switzerland*
Translating science into clinical practice in glioblastoma

3.35 p.m. *Stefano Indraccolo, Italy*
Updates from the Secretary

3.45 p.m. *Coffee Break*

WORKING GROUP COLON CANCER

Chairs: *Claudio Doglioni (Italy) - Carmine Pinto (Italy)*

4.05 p.m. *Ian Tomlinson, United Kingdom*
Strategies for preventing colorectal cancer based on genetic predisposition

4.35 p.m. *Luigi Laghi, Italy*
Updates from the Secretary

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SELECTED ABSTRACTS
Chairs: *Rossella Galli (Italy) - Paolo Radice (Italy)*

4.50 p.m. *Luca Mazzarella, Istituto Europeo di Oncologia IEO (Milano, Italy)*
Precision Trial Drawer (PTD), a computational tool to assist planning of genomics-driven trials in oncology

5.05 p.m. *Elena Anghileri, Fondazione IRCCS Istituto Neurologico Carlo Besta (Milano, Italy)*
Hypermutations and mismatch-repair mutations in glioblastoma are associated with increased response to immunotherapy

5.20 p.m. *Daniele Calistri, Istituto Scientifico Romagnolo per lo Studio e la Cura dei Tumori (IRST) IRCCS (Meldola - FC, Italy)*
DIVA: The Italian Database of BRCA1 and BRCA2 Gene Variants

5.45 p.m. **PARALLEL WORKING GROUP MEETINGS**

7.45 p.m. *Social Dinner*

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 30, 2018

WORKING GROUP LUNG CANCER

Chairs: *Alessandra Bearz (Italy) - Roberto Orecchia (Italy)*

9.00 a.m. *Nicholas McGranahan, United Kingdom*
Lung Cancer Evolution and Immune Escape

9.30 a.m. *Vanesa Gregorc, Italy*
Updates from the Secretary

9.45 a.m. *Caroline Chapusot, France*
Overcoming Challenges in Solid Tumor Testing with Advanced AI

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SELECTED ABSTRACTS

Chairs: *Fabio Ciceri (Italy) - Vincenzo Russo (Italy)*

10.00 a.m. *Letizia Granieri, Istituto Europeo di Oncologia IEO (Milano, Italy)*
Silencing of USP7 drives senescence in metastatic melanoma

10.15 a.m. *Francesca Orzan, Istituto Oncologico Candiolo (Candiolo - TO, Italy)*
Genetic evolution of glioblastoma stem-like cells from primary to recurrent tumor

10.30 a.m. *Iolanda Boffa, IRCCS Ospedale Pediatrico Bambino Gesù (Roma, Italy)*
Chimeric Antigen Receptor (CAR) Adoptive T-cell therapy with high level of safety profile

10.45 a.m. *Coffee Break*

WORKING GROUP IMMUNOTHERAPY

Chairs: *Massimo Guidoboni (Italy) - Concetta Quintarelli (Italy)*

11.00 a.m. *Sergio A. Quezada, United Kingdom*
Targeting regulatory T cells in cancer: means and mechanisms

11.30 a.m. *Concetta Quintarelli, Italy*
Updates from the Secretary

11.45 a.m. *Angela Vasaturo, France*
Unraveling the tumor microenvironment architecture by multispectral imaging

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12.05 p.m. *Chiara Bonini, Italy*
Adoptive Cell Therapy in Cancer

12.35 p.m. BD Advancing the world of health **Symposium**
Chairs: *Paolo Dellabona (Italy) - Vanesa Gregorc (Italy)*

Enrico Lugli, Italy
Anti-tumor T cell immunity at single cell resolution

1.00 p.m. *Lunch*

NEW TOOLS IN CANCER DIAGNOSTIC

Chairs: *Paolo De Paoli (Italy) - Giovanni Tonon (Italy)*

2.00 p.m. *Francesca Maria Rizzo, United Kingdom*
Analysis of Circulating Tumour Cells in Neuroendocrine Tumours

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TUESDAY, OCTOBER 30, 2018

WORKING GROUP MELANOMA

Chairs: *Gerardo Botti (Italy) - Virginia Ferraresi (Italy)*

2.30 p.m. *Christian Blank, The Netherlands*
Neoadjuvant immunotherapy, the pathway towards personalized immunotherapy

3.00 p.m. *Giandomenico Russo, Italy*
Updates from the Secretary

WORKING GROUP SARCOMA

Chairs: *Angelo P. Dei Tos (Italy) - Piero Picci (Italy)*

3.15 p.m. *Françoise Redini, France*
The microenvironment of primary bone tumors as potential prognosis factor and therapeutic target

3.45 p.m. *Katia Scotlandi, Italy*
Updates from the Secretary

4.00 p.m. *Coffee Break*

SELECTED ABSTRACTS

Chairs: *Luca Albarello (Italy) - Rosa Bernardi (Italy)*

4.30 p.m. *Alfredo Budillon, Istituto Nazionale Tumori IRCCS - "Fondazione G. Pascale" (Napoli, Italy)*
Outcome prediction of metastatic colorectal cancer patients undergoing liver resection by analyzing serum metabolomics

4.45 p.m. *Maria Grazia Daidone, Fondazione IRCCS Istituto Nazionale dei Tumori (Milano, Italy)*
Circulating tumor DNA and disease recurrence in early stage breast cancer: from a pilot study to a prospective clinical trial

5.00 p.m. *Thalia Vlachou, Istituto Europeo di Oncologia IEO (Milano, Italy)*
P53-loss in breast cancer leads to Myc activation, increased cell plasticity and expression of a mitotic signature with unique prognostic value

5.15 p.m. *Monica Brenca, Istituto Nazionale dei Tumori CRO (Aviano - PN, Italy)*
The type of NR4A3 fusion partner dictates an axon guidance switch in extraskeletal myxoid chondrosarcomas

5.30 p.m. **POSTER WALK AND DRINKS**

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WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 31, 2018

WORKING GROUP BREAST CANCER

Chairs: *Giampaolo Bianchini (Italy) - Anna Sapino (Italy)*

9.00 a.m. *Aleix Prat, Spain*
Clinical value of the intrinsic molecular subtypes of breast cancer

9.30 a.m. *Lucia Del Mastro, Italy*
Updates from the Secretary

FUTURE DIRECTIONS

Chairs: *Francesco Perrone (Italy) - Nicola Silvestris (Italy)*

9.45 a.m. *Giuseppe Opocher, Italy*
Updates from the Secretary of WORKING GROUP OF HEREDITARY TUMORS

SELECTED ABSTRACTS

Chairs: *Paolo Dellabona (Italy) - Chiara Lazzari (Italy)*

10.00 a.m. *Roberto Cuttano, Casa Sollievo della Sofferenza - IRCCS (S. Giovanni Rotondo - FG, Italy)*
Exploring new therapeutic options for chemoresistant locally advanced lung cancer

10.15 a.m. *Alessandro Poggi, Policlinico San Martino (Genova, Italy)*
Three dimensional (3D) culture systems to test anti-tumor immune response in colorectal carcinoma (CRC)

10.30 a.m. *Ymera Pignochino, Istituto di Candiolo, FPO - IRCCS (Candiolo - TO, Italy)*
Predictive markers of response to trabectedin (TR) and PARP1 inhibitor olaparib (OL) in advanced bone and soft tissue sarcomas (BSTS): preclinical and translational studies - the experience of TOMAS trial

10.45 a.m. *Serena Pellegatta, Fondazione IRCCS Istituto Neurologico Carlo Besta (Milano, Italy)*
Tetanus toxoid pre-conditioning and absence of temozolomide in recurrent glioblastoma treated with dendritic cell immunotherapy are associated with a strong effector response and helper function for the generation of memory T cells

11.00 a.m. *Coffee Break*

ROUND TABLE - FINAL DISCUSSION:
the Future of Cancer Research in Italy and Europe

Chairs: *Federico Caligaris Cappio (Italy) - Gennaro Ciliberto (Italy)*

11.30 a.m. *Pier Giuseppe Pelicci, Italy*
Towards ACC 2.0

Fabien Calvo, France
Cancer Research in France and EU

Armando Bertolazzi, Sottosegretario Salute, Italy
The Perspective of Cancer Research from the Italian Ministry of Health

12.45 p.m. *Ruggero De Maria, President ACC, Italy*
CLOSING REMARKS

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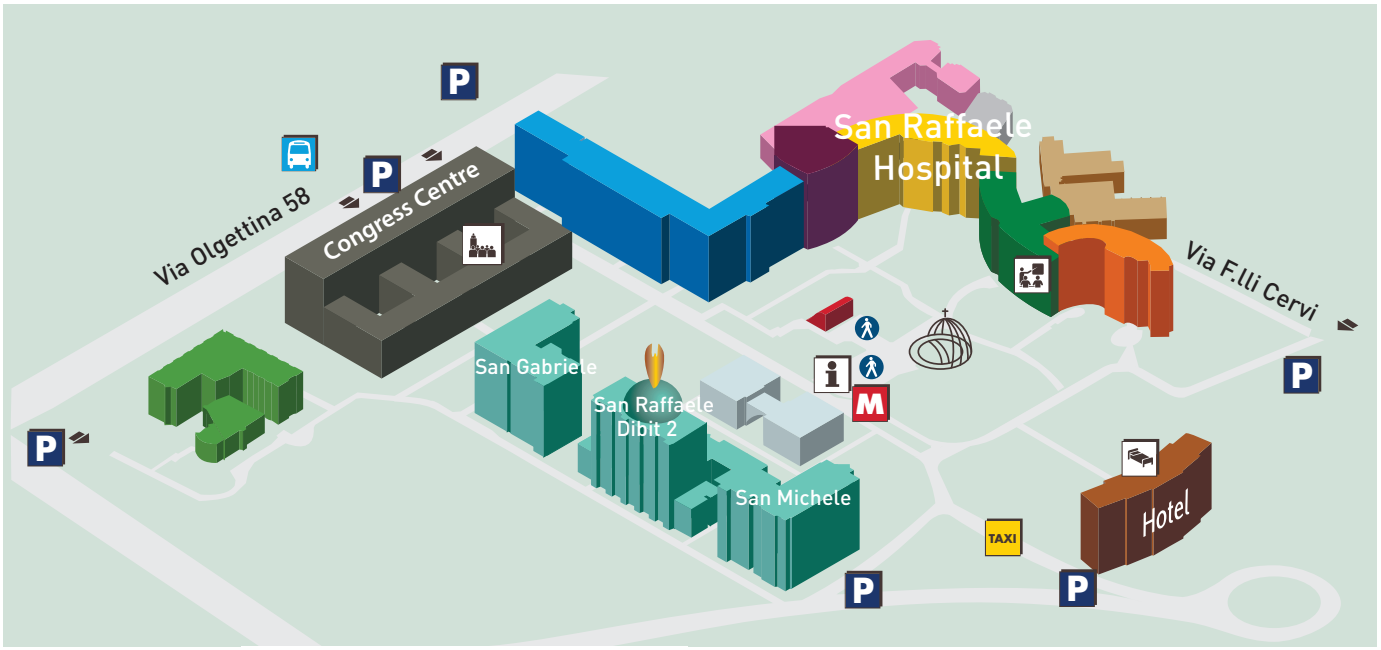

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