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FRIDAY, 17th NOVEMBER 2023 - MORNING

09.00 a.m.- 09.10 a.m. Welcome addresses

Fondazione Internazionale Menarini

Authorities

Chairpersons: I. Porto (Genoa, IT), R. Vergallo (Genoa, IT)

09.10 a.m. - 09.30 a.m. Opening lecture

Ik-Kyung Jang (Boston, USA)

The "myth" of the vulnerable plaque: the past 20 years

of research

SESSION I - TRANSLATIONAL SCIENCE IN ATHEROSCLEROSIS: LINKING THE VULNERABLE PLAQUE TO THE VULNERABLE PATIENT

Chairpersons: F. Crea (Rome, IT), G. Liuzzo (Rome, IT),

P. Ameri (Genoa, IT)

Discussants

S. Biscaglia (Ferrara, IT), **F. Gragnano** (Caserta, IT)

09.30 a.m. - 09.50 a.m. Clonal hematopoiesis and the risk of atherosclerotic

cardiovascular disease **P. Libby** (Boston, USA)

09.50 a.m. - 10.00 a.m. Q&A: All Faculty

10.00 a.m. - 10.20 a.m. Inflammation, ageing and atherosclerosis

G. G. Camici (Zurich, CH)

10.20 a.m. - 10.30 a.m. Q&A: All Faculty

10.30 a.m. - 11.00 a.m. Coffee break

PROGRAMME

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11.00 a.m 11.20 a.m.	Platelet activation and inhibition in atherothrombosis C. Patrono (Rome, IT)
11.20 a.m 11.30 a.m.	Q&A: All Faculty
11.30 a.m 11.50 a.m.	The role of angiogenesis and intra-plaque hemorrhage in plaque progression A. V. Finn (Gaithersburg, USA)
11.50 a.m 12.00 p.m.	Q&A: All Faculty
12.00 p.m 12.20 p.m.	The role of an immuno-metabolic axis as a new frontier in atherosclerosis R. Choudhury (Oxford, UK)
12.20 p.m 12.30 p.m.	Q&A: All Faculty
12.30 p.m 01.00 p.m.	Overall discussion
01.00 p.m 02.00 p.m.	Lunch

FRIDAY, 17th NOVEMBER 2023 - AFTERNOON

SESSION II - MYOCARDIAL INFARCTION AS THE PERFECT STORM: ATHEROSCLEROTIC PLAQUE RUPTURE, EROSION, AND HEALING

Chairpersons: I. Porto (Genoa, IT),

Ik-Kyung Jang (Boston, USA), **A. Chieffo** (Milan, IT)

Discussants

F. D'Ascenzo (Turin, IT), L. Di Vito (Ascoli Piceno, IT)

02.00 p.m. - 02.20 p.m. Atherosclerotic plaque rupture and thrombosis

G. Niccoli (Parma,IT)

02.20 p.m. - 02.30 p.m. Q&A: All Faculty

02.30 p.m. - 02.50 p.m. Plaque erosion: epidemiology, diagnosis and future

management concept

I. K. Jang (Boston, USA)

02.50 p.m. - 03.00 p.m. Q&A: All Faculty

03.00 p.m. - 03.20 p.m. Atherosclerotic plaque disruption and healing:

a "double hit" theory **R. Vergallo** (Genoa, IT)

03.20 p.m. - 03.30 p.m. Q&A: All Faculty

03.30 p.m. - 04.00 p.m. Coffee break

04.00 p.m. - 04.20 p.m. The role of local hemodynamics in plaque vulnerability

and rupture

P.H.Stone (Boston, USA)

04.20 p.m. - 04.30 p.m. Q&A: All Faculty

04.30 p.m. - 04.50 p.m. Myocardial infarction with non-obstructive coronary

arteries

F. Crea (Rome, IT)

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04.50 p.m. - 05.00 p.m. Q&A: All Faculty

05.00 p.m. - 05.30 p.m. Overall discussion and closing remarks

SATURDAY, 18th NOVEMBER 2023 - MORNING

SESSION III - IMAGING ASSESSMENT OF THE VULNERABLE PLAQUE AND PATIENT

Chairpersons: G. Guagliumi (Milan, IT),

R. Vergallo (Genoa, IT), A.A. Zadeh (Baltimore, USA)

Discussants

L. Gatto (Rome, IT), L. Nai Fovino (Padua, IT)

09.00 a.m. - 09.20 a.m. Non-invasive imaging assessment of plaque vulnerability:

an update

D. Andreini (Milan, IT)

09.20 a.m. - 09.30 a.m. Q&A: All Faculty

09.30 a.m. - 09.50 a.m. Invasive imaging assessment of plaque vulnerability:

new developments

A. Mattesini (Florence, IT)

09.50 a.m. - 10.00 a.m. Q&A: All Faculty

10.00 a.m. - 10.20 a.m. Multimodality molecular imaging of atherosclerosis:

ready for the clinical arena?

F. Jaffer (Zurich, CH)

10.20 a.m. - 10.30 a.m. Q&A: All Faculty

10.30 a.m. - 11.00 a.m. Coffee break

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SESSION IV - PRI	EVENTIVE AND	THERAPEUTIC	AVENUES
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Chairpersons: A.M. Leone (Rome, IT),

C. Di Mario (Florence, IT), **A. Banning** (Oxford, UK)

M. Canepa (Genoa, IT)

Discussants

G. Annibali (Turin, IT), E. Cerrato (Rivoli, IT),

F. Montecucco (Genoa, IT)

11.00 a.m. - 11.20 a.m. Role of lipid-lowering and anti-inflammatory therapies on

plaque stabilization

M.I. Papafaklis (Athens, GR)

11.20 a.m. - 11.30 a.m. Q&A: All Faculty

11.30 a.m. - 11.50 a.m. Medical therapy is not enough! Stenting of high-risk

plaques is the key **F. Prati** (Rome, IT)

r. Flati (Nome, 11)

11.50 a.m. - 12.00 p.m. Q&A: All Faculty

12.00 p.m. - 12.20 p.m. In medio stat virtus: is there any possible integrated

approach?

I. Porto (Genoa, IT)

12.20 p.m. - 12.30 p.m. Q&A: All Faculty

12.30 p.m. - 01.00 p.m. Overall discussion

01.00 p.m. - **02.00** p.m. Lunch

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SATURDAY, 18th NOVEMBER 2023 - AFTEROON

SESSION V - ROUND TABLE (ALL PARTICIPANTS)

02.00 p.m. - 04.00 p.m. Vulnerable plaque and patient:

summary of emerging concepts

Facilitators: F. Crea (Rome, IT), I. Porto (Genoa, IT)

04.00 p.m. - **04.30** p.m. *Coffee break*

04.30 p.m. - 06.00 p.m. New avenues in the diagnosis and treatment of

vulnerable plaques and patients: Expert consensus

Facilitators: **R. Vergallo** (Genoa, IT), **Ik-Kyung Jang** (Boston, USA)

06.00 p.m. - 06.30 p.m. Closing remarks

I. Porto (Genoa, IT)

06.30 p.m. End of the meeting

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GENERAL INFORMATION

MEETING VENUE

Sala Quadrivium - Piazza Santa Marta, 2 - 16121 Genova, (IT)

OFFICIAL LANGUAGE

The official language of the Meeting will be English. Simultaneous translation will not be provided.

LIVE STREAMING EVENT ONLINE ON:

Friday, 17th November: 08.45 a.m. – 05.30 p.m. Saturday, 18th November: 09.00 a.m. - 06.30 p.m.

SECRETARIAT DURING THE MEETING

The Secretariat will be open at the following times: Friday, 17th November: 08.45 a.m. – 05.30 p.m. Saturday, 18th November: 09.00 a.m. - 06.30 p.m.

TECHNICAL FACILITIES

Facilities will be available for computer presentations and overhead projections.

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