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IN CARDIOVASCULAR
THERAPY**

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RATIONALE

Cardiovascular diseases still represent the leading cause of death in industrialized countries. Beside the development of novel and more selective pharmacological strategies in counteracting cardiovascular diseases, morbidity and mortality due to cardiovascular disorders still remain nearly unchanged. Moreover, the increased cost for supporting an enhanced consumption of drugs for preventing and combating cardiovascular diseases, represents a novel socio-economic problem of sustainability for institutional stakeholders.

This Meeting aims to re-assess the most recent advances in cardiovascular pharmacology, with a special focus on clinical trials and “real world evidence” approach alongside with pharmaco-economic studies oriented to better sustainability of cardiovascular pharmacotherapy.

Preliminary Program

THURSDAY, MAY 22, 2014) Afternoon

17.00-19.00 Registration and Welcome Ceremony

Welcome Addresses and introducing remarks

*(G. De Sarro, V. Mollace, F. Romeo,
D. Salvemini and M. Volterrani)*

International Pericle d'Oro Prize to Prof. Joseph Loscalzo and to Prof. Jawahar Mehta) Introduced by Prof. Aldo Quattrone, Rector of the University Magna Græcia of Catanzaro and by Prof. Giuseppe Nisticò, President of Pericle d'Oro International Prize) Lecture of Prof. J. Loscalzo on “Oxidative Stress in Vascular Pathobiology”) Lecture of Prof. J. Mehta on “The cross talk between oxyLDL and inflammation in atherosclerosis”

09.00-10.30 **SESSION I**

**CONTROVERSIES IN THE TREATMENT
OF CARDIOVASCULAR DISEASES**

Chairpersons: *Francesco Romeo*
(Rome, Italy)

Ciro Indolfi
(Catanzaro, Italy)

09.00-09.30 Atrial Fibrillation: plugs and NOACs – Should we replace warfarin?

For: *Riccardo Cappato* (Milan, Italy)

Against: *Giuseppe M.C. Rosano* (Rome, Italy)

09.30-09.45 Discussion

09.45-10.15 Hypertension: should we ablate all hypertensives?

For: *Sven Wassmann* (Munich, Germany)

Against: *Francesco Perticone* (Catanzaro, Italy)

10.15-10.30 Discussion

10.30-11.00 Coffee break

11.00-13.00 **SESSION II**

**MODERN MANAGEMENT OF CHRONIC ISCHEMIC
HEART DISEASE**

Chairpersons: *Basil Lewis*
(Tel Aviv, Israel)

Stefan Agewall
(Oslo, Norway)

- 11.00-11.30 Intervention or medical therapy
Giuseppe M.C. Rosano (Rome, Italy)
- 11.30-11.40 Discussion
- 11.40-12.10 Emerging antiplatelet and lipid lowering
therapies
Pasquale Perrone Filardi (Naples, Italy)
- 12.10-12.20 Discussion
- 12.20-12.50 Innovative therapeutic approaches for the
treatment of myocardial ischemia and angina
Juan Carlos Kaski (London, UK)
- 12.50-13.00 Discussion
- 13.00-14.30 Lunch

14.30-16.30 **SESSION III**

THE TREATMENT OF HEART FAILURE

Chairpersons: *Andrew JS Coats*
(Warwick, UK
and Melbourne, AUS)

Stefan Anker
(Göttingen, Germany)

14.30-15.00 Implementation of HFA/ESC Guidelines
on the treatment of heart failure
Stefan Anker (Göttingen, Germany)

15.00-15.10 Discussion

15.10-15.40 Devices for the management of heart failure
Maurizio Volterrani (Rome, Italy)

15.40-15.50 Discussion

15.50-16.20 Emerging treatments for heart failure
Bernardo Nadal-Ginard (London, UK)

16.20-16.30 Discussion

16.30-17.00 Coffee break

17.00-19.00 **SESSION IV**

PHARMACOLOGICAL TREATMENT OF ARTERIAL HYPERTENSION

Chairpersons: *Atul Patak*

(Toulouse, France)

Christian Torp-Pedersen

(Aalborg, Denmark)

- 17.00-17.30 Blood pressure goals – The pendulum is swinging back
Giuseppe Germanò (Rome, Italy)
- 17.30-17.40 Discussion
- 17.40-18.10 Treating the patient not the reading
Stefano Taddei (Pisa, Italy)
- 18.10-18.20 Discussion
- 18.20-18.50 Beta-blockers in hypertensives – Have we dismissed too early effective drugs?
Andrew JS Coats
(Warwick, UK and Melbourne, AUS)
- 18.50-19.00 Discussion

09.00-11.00 **SESSION V**

**COMBINATION THERAPY IN THE MODERN
MANAGEMENT OF ARTERIAL HYPERTENSION**

Chairpersons: *Daniele Torella*
(Catanzaro, Italy)

Giorgio Sesti
(Catanzaro, Italy)

- 09.00-09.30 The role of Tissue-Specific Resident Adult Cardiac Stem Cells in Myocardial Biology and Regeneration
Vincenzo Mollace (Catanzaro, Italy)
- 09.30-09.40 Discussion
- 09.40-10.10 Combination therapy: a new solution for unmet needs in hypertension
Saverio Muscoli (Rome, Italy)
- 10.10-10.20 Discussion
- 10.20-10.50 Evidence in morbidity reduction with combination therapy
Franco Perticone (Catanzaro, Italy)
- 10.50-11.00 Discussion
- 11.00-11.30 Coffee break

11.30-13.30 **SESSION VI**

A MODERN APPROACH IN CARDIOMETABOLIC RISK

Chairpersons: *Daniela Salvemini*
(St. Louis, USA)

Ross Walker
(Sydney, AUS)

11.30-12.00 Progress in cardiometabolic risk assessment
James Ehrlich (Denver, USA)

12.00-12.10 Discussion

12.10-12.40 Old and new drugs in the treatment
of cardiometabolic disorders
Francesco Romeo (Rome, Italy)

12.40-12.50 Discussion

12.50-13.20 Natural antioxidants: a novel approach
for counteracting cardiometabolic risk
Vincenzo Mollace (Catanzaro, Italy)

13.20-13.30 Discussion

13.30-14.30 Lunch

14.30-16.30 Question&Answer – General Discussion

GENERAL INFORMATION

MEETING VENUE

The Congress will take place at Aula Magna A - Università degli Studi "Magna Græcia" di Catanzaro - Campus Universitario "Salvatore Venuta", Viale Europa - Catanzaro (Italy).

SECRETARIAT DURING THE MEETING

Opening hours:

Thursday, May 22: from 16.00 to 19.00

Friday, May 23: from 08.00 to 19.00

Saturday, May 24: from 08.00 to 14.00

OFFICIAL LANGUAGE

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

CME ACCREDITATION

The application for CME accreditation has been submitted for Italian Physicians.

The CME credits will be awarded only after full attendance of all sessions.

Completion of the Registration Form, the Learning & Assessment questionnaires are compulsory.

TECHNICAL FACILITIES

Facilities will be available for computer presentations and overhead projections.

A business center with PC (Windows and MAC) will be available to check and preview presentations. Speakers are required to give a copy of their presentation on USB memory stick, CD or DVD to the technicians at the Slide Center at least one hour before the session.

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LUNCHES AND COFFEE BREAKS

Lunches and coffee breaks will be served in the Meeting area.

ABSTRACTS BOOK

Participants will receive the Abstract book at the Meeting.

CERTIFICATE OF ATTENDANCE

Certificates of Attendance will be issued at the registration desk following full attendance of the Symposium.

REGISTRATION

Symposium attendance is free of charge.

Please return the registration form to:



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