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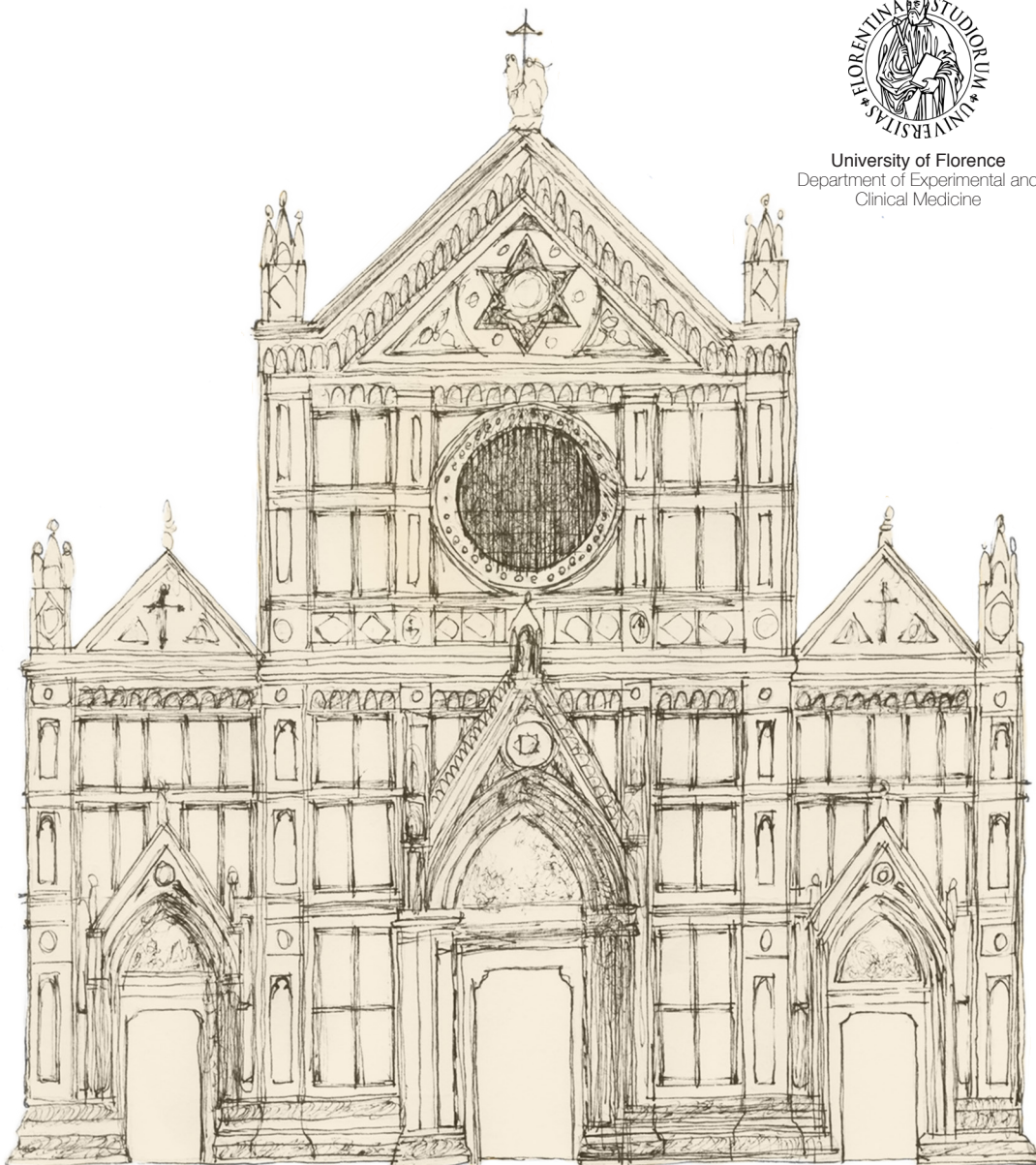
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# Thursday

## April 19<sup>th</sup> 2018

**09.00** EUVAS  
/15.30 annual meeting

### OPENING CEREMONY

**17.00** Welcome by the course directors

*Domenico Prisco, David Jayne*

### OPENING LECTURES

Chairpersons *David Jayne, Gene Hunder*

**17.30** Pathogenesis of ANCA-associated vasculitis

*J. Charles Jennette (Chapel Hill)*

**18.00** Pathogenetic mechanisms of Large Vessel Vasculitis

*Jörg Goronzy (Stanford)*

**18.30** Insights into the pathogenesis of Behçet syndrome

*Ahmet Gül (Istanbul)*

**19.00** Close

# Friday

## April 20<sup>th</sup> 2018

morning

**07.45** Organ  
/08.30 involvement

#### Cutaneous vasculitis

Speaker *Marzia Caproni (Florence)*

Discussant *Angelo Valerio Marzano (Milan)*

#### The Kidney in vasculitis

Speaker *Alan Salama (London)*

Discussant *Leonardo Caroti (Florence)*

#### Eye involvement in vasculitis

Speaker *Luca Cimino (Reggio Emilia - Modena)*

Discussant *Lorenzo Vannozzi (Florence)*

## **CNS vasculitis**

Speaker **Gene Hunder** (Rochester)

Discussant **Carlo Salvarani** (Reggio Emilia - Modena)

## **Lung involvement**

Speaker **Maurizio Marvisi** (Cremona)

Discussant **Alfred Mahr** (Paris)

## **Heart involvement**

Speaker **Benjamin Terrier** (Paris)

Discussant **Loïc Guillevin** (Paris)

# **ANCA-associated vasculitis**

## **08.30 Plenary Session 1**

*Basic science and classification*

Chairpersons **Cees Kallenberg, Davide Martorana**

**08.30** Genetics of ANCA-associated vasculitis

**Ken Smith** (Cambridge)

**08.50** Histopathology of AAV: insights into disease phenotypes and prognosis

**Ingeborg Bajema** (Leiden)

**09.10** Disease clusters and MPO/PR3-ANCA significance in AAV

**Alfred Mahr** (Paris)

**09.30** Discussion

## **09.50 Plenary Session 2**

*Clinical aspects and treatment*

Chairpersons **Thomas Hauser, Kerstin Westman**

**09.50** Limited versus generalised AAV: clinical and therapeutic implications

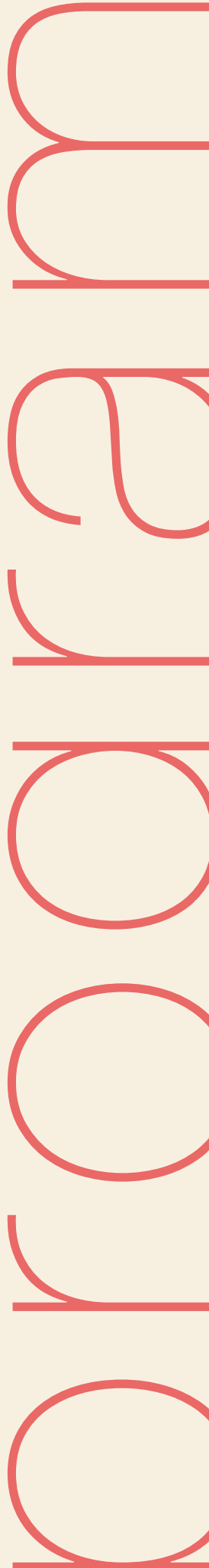
**Raashid Luqmani** (Oxford)

**10.10** Conventional treatment of AAV

**Kirsten de Groot** (Offenbach am Main)

**10.30** New therapeutic targets in AAV

**David Jayne** (Cambridge)



10.50 Discussion

11.10 *Coffee break*

### 11.40 **Plenary Session 3**

*EGPA*

Chairpersons **Renato Alberto Sinico, Lorenzo Emmi**

11.40 Immunopathogenesis

**Augusto Vaglio** (Parma)

12.00 Disease phenotypes and differential diagnosis of EGPA

**Loïc Guillevin** (Paris)

12.20 Treatment of EGPA

**Benjamin Terrier** (Paris)

12.40 Discussion

13.00 *Lunch*

## Friday

April 20<sup>th</sup> 2018  
afternoon

14.15 In Memoriam: Ignazio Olivieri

**Carlo Salvarani** (Reggio Emilia - Modena)

### **Behçet syndrome**

### 14.30 **Plenary Session 1**

*Basic science and classification*

Chairpersons **Jan van Laar, Pietro Leccese**

14.30 Genetics of Behçet syndrome

**Ahmet Gül** (Istanbul)

14.50 Environmental factors and microbiome in Behçet syndrome

**Haner Direskeneli** (Istanbul)

15.10 Disease phenotypes

**Emire Seyahi** (Istanbul)

15.30 Discussion

**15.50 Plenary Session 2**  
*Clinical aspects and treatment*

Chairpersons **Domenico Prisco, Dorian Haskard**

15.50 Behçet syndrome: a model of inflammation-induced thrombosis  
**Giacomo Emmi** (Florence)

16.10 Traditional and new treatments in Behçet syndrome  
**Gulen Hatemi** (Istanbul)

16.40 Discussion

17.10 *Coffee break*

**17.40 Clinical cases**  
/18.30 (difficult to treat or  
difficult to diagnose)

**ANCA-associated vasculitis clinical cases**

**Lucio Manenti** (Parma),  
**Gina Gregorini** (Brescia)

**Behçet syndrome clinical cases**

**Gerardo Di Scala** (Florence),  
**Giuseppe Lopalco** (Bari)

**Large Vessel Vasculitis clinical cases**

**Justin Mason** (London),  
**Francesco Muratore** (Reggio Emilia - Modena)

**IgG4 clinical cases**

**Nicolò Pipitone** (Reggio Emilia - Modena),  
**Mikael Ebbo** (Marseille)

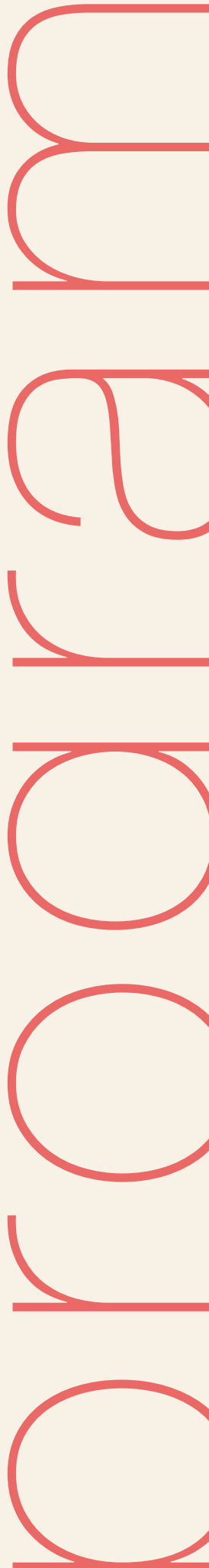
**EGPA clinical cases**

**Jochen Zwerina** (Wien),  
**Giacomo Emmi** (Florence)

**Mimics**

**Julien Haroche** (Paris),  
**Gabriella Moroni** (Milan)

18.30 Close and farewell cocktail dinner



# Saturday

## April 21<sup>th</sup> 2018

morning

07.45 Focus  
/08.30 on

### **Atherothrombotic events in systemic vasculitis**

Speaker **Raashid Luqmani** (Oxford)

Discussant **Elena Silvestri** (Florence)

### **IgA vasculitis: adult versus child and new treatments**

Speaker **Dario Roccatello** (Turin)

Discussant **Federica Maritati** (Parma)

### **Childhood vasculitis**

Speaker **Paul Brogan** (London)

Discussant **Rolando Cimaz** (Florence)

### **Pharmacogenetics in AAV**

Speaker **Federico Alberici** (Milan)

Discussant **David Jayne** (Cambridge)

### **Oxydative stress-induced fibrinogen modifications in systemic vasculitis**

Speaker **Matteo Becatti** (Florence)

Discussant **Claudia Fiorillo** (Florence)

### **Cryoglobulinemic vasculitis**

Speaker **Anna Linda Zignego** (Florence)

Discussant **Luca Quartuccio** (Udine)

## **Large vessel vasculitis**

### **08.30 Plenary Session 1**

*Basic science and classification*

Chairpersons **Armando Gabrielli, Angelo Manfredi**

#### **08.30** Genetics of LVV

**Javier Martin** (Granada)

#### **08.50** Histopathology and clinical correlations in LVV

**Alberto Cavazza** (Reggio Emilia - Modena)

#### **09.10** The spectrum of LVV: disease phenotypes

**Peter Merkel** (Philadelphia)

#### **09.30** Discussion

## 09.50 **Plenary Session 2**

*Clinical aspects and treatment*

Chairpersons **Gene Hunder, Fabrizio Cantini**

09.50 Polymyalgia rheumatica

**Christian Dejaco** (Brunico - Bolzano)

10.10 Imaging in LVV: traditional and newer techniques

**Nicolò Pipitone** (Reggio Emilia - Modena)

10.30 Treatment of LVV: from glucocorticoids to biologic therapies

**Carlo Salvarani** (Reggio Emilia - Modena)

10.50 Discussion

11.10 **Coffee break**

## 11.40 **Plenary Session 3**

*Large vessel involvement in systemic fibro-inflammatory diseases*

Chairpersons **Maria Cinta Cid, Emanuel Della Torre**

11.40 Overview on IgG4-related disease and large vessel involvement

**Augusto Vaglio** (Parma)

12.00 Histopathology of IgG4RD

**Domenico Corradi** (Parma)

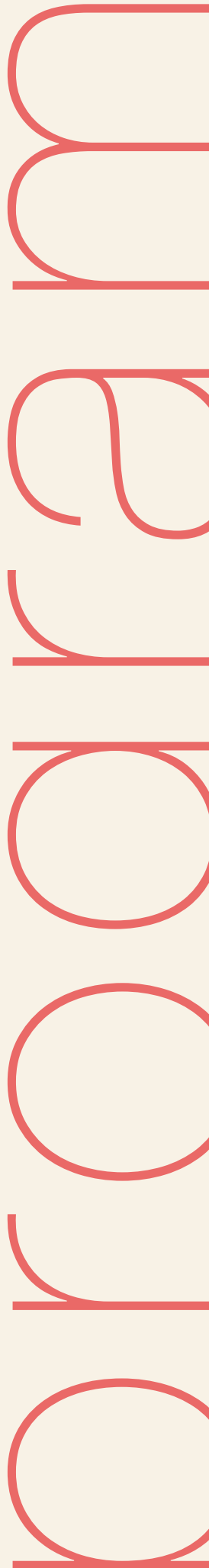
12.20 Treatment of fibro-inflammatory disorders

**Nicolas Schleinitz** (Marseille)

12.40 Discussion

13.00 Concluding Remarks

13.30 **Lunch**



# General Information

## Congress venue

**Palazzo Corsini Firenze**

Via del Parione, 11

50123 Firenze

[www.palazzocorsini.it](http://www.palazzocorsini.it)

## Registration

No registration fee is required to attend the conference.

Congress has 300 spaces available and they will be distributed on a first come first served basis.

Registration form is also available on the web site:

[www.eve-lab.it](http://www.eve-lab.it)

or directly on <http://events.lenagroup.eu/eve-lab/2017/euvas/>

## Credits

The 2<sup>nd</sup> EUVAS Vasculitis Course is accredited by the European Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (EAC-CME) to provide the following CME activity for medical specialists.

## Continuing medical education CME

The congress is accredited for the Italian physicians, in accordance with existing national laws on CME.

## Official languages

Official Language of the Congress: **English**  
(Italian translation will be provided).



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Domenico Prisco *and* David Jayne

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