



2ND Bergamo Workshop on Hemolytic Uremic Syndrome

NOVEMBER 30TH and DECEMBER 1ST, 2006

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PROGRAMME

November 30th, 2006

- 12.00 – 13.00 Registration
13.00 – 14.00 Lunch and Poster Exposition
14.00 – 15.00 Poster Discussion
Chairmen:
Federica Castelletti (Italy)
Gaia Pianetti (Italy)
15.00 – 16.00 Introductory remarks
State of the art Lecture:
From the bug to the gene
Giuseppe Remuzzi (Italy)

Session I

Shiga toxin-associated HUS

Chairman: Giuseppe Remuzzi (Italy)

- 16.00 – 16.15 Epidemiology
Lothar B. Zimmerhackl (Austria)
16.15 – 16.30 Pathogenesis of Stx induced HUS
Marina Morigi (Italy)
16.30 – 16.45 Short and long term outcome
Alessandra Gianviti (Italy)
16.45 – 17.00 New therapeutic strategies
Howard Trachtman (USA)
17.00 – 18.00 Discussion

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Session II

Non Shiga toxin-associated HUS: Basic science

Chairman: Marina Botto (UK)

- 09.00 – 09.20 Local synthesis of complement
and renal disease
Steven Sacks (UK)
09.20 – 09.40 Knocking out complement genes
Matthew C. Pickering (UK)
09.40 – 10.00 Factor H and cell surface
Peter F. Zipfel (Germany)
10.00 – 10.20 CD46: expanding beyond
complement regulation
Anna Richards (USA)
10.20 – 10.40 Discussion
10.40 – 11.00 coffee-break

Session III

Non Shiga toxin-associated HUS: Genetics

Chairman: Marina Noris (Italy)

- 11.00 – 11.20 Familial HUS
Bernard S. Kaplan (USA)

- 11.20 – 11.40 Factor H
Jessica Caprioli (Italy)
11.40 – 12.00 Membrane Cofactor Protein
Timothy HJ Goodship (UK)
12.00 – 12.20 Factor I
Veronique Fremeaux-Bacchi (France)
12.20 – 12.40 Susceptibility alleles
in RCA gene cluster
Santiago Rodriguez de Cordoba (Spain)
12.40 – 13.00 Discussion
13.00 – 14.00 Lunch

Session IV

Non Shiga toxin-associated HUS: Clinics

Chairman: Chantal Loirat (France)

- 14.00 – 14.20 Epidemiology
Mark Taylor (UK)
14.20 – 14.40 Treatment
Chantal Loirat (France)
14.40 – 15.00 Transplantation
Giuseppe Remuzzi (Italy)
15.00 – 15.20 Exploratory development of
a therapeutic human plasma-derived
factor H concentrate
Claudine Mazurier (France)
15.20 – 15.40 Discussion
15.40 – 16.00 Coffee Break
16.00 – 17.00 General discussion on Workshop
items including collaborative
networks and funding
Chairmen:
Giuseppe Remuzzi (Italy)
Mark Taylor (UK)
17.00 – 18.00 Round Table
Perspectives on research
and therapeutic strategies.
Ariela Benigni (Italy)
Veronique Fremeaux-Bacchi (France)
Diana Karpman (Sweden)
Christoph Licht (Canada)
Marina Noris (Italy)
Pilar Sanchez-Corral (Spain)
Nicole van de Kar (The Netherland)
Lothar B. Zimmerhackl (Austria)
18.00 Concluding remarks
Timothy HJ Goodship (UK)

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HOW TO ATTEND

You can find the on line registration form at this web address: <http://villacamozzi.marionegri.it> and you will be contacted from the Secretariat Office for payment and confirmation.

REGISTRATION FEES

Early registration (before **October 20th, 2005**)

November 30 th and December 1 st	euro	150,00
November 30 th only	euro	50,00
December 1 st only	euro	100,00

Late registration (after **October 20th, 2005**)

November 30 th and December 1 st	euro	200,00
November 30 th only	euro	75,00
December 1 st only	euro	125,00

Student's registration (a signed letter from supervisor or Head of Department to confirm student's status must be included)	euro	50,00
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Registration fee include:

- attendance at plenary sessions
- attendance at poster sessions
- conference documentation
- coffee breaks and lunches
- Italian CME certificates (CME credits will be available only for Italian MD)

HOW TO PAY

All fees and accommodation deposits should be paid in Euro by bank transfer to:

Banca Popolare di Bergamo Credito Varesino
Office of Redona (Bergamo, Italy)

Account n°: 70900
ABI code: 5428
CAB code: 11105
CIN code: O
IBAN code: IT55 0054 2811 1050 0000 0070 900

Cancellations

There will be no cancellations/refunds unless by written request received before **October 29th 2006**.
Name changes are accepted at any time and do not incur a fee.

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REGISTRATION FORM

Please print/complete the form and send it by email or by fax to the Organizing Secretariat:
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per gli italiani interessati ai crediti ECM: compilare solo il modulo nella pagina successiva
italian participants interested in CME credits are requested to complete only the form in the next page



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These information are needed for CME Italian accreditation procedures,
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ABSTRACT FORMAT

Format: 1 page A4 document word/windows (.doc) including figure(s), table(s) and reference(s)

Language: English

Font: Arial 12

Space: 1

TITLE (capital letters)

Authors and Institutional affiliation

Main body

HOW TO SUBMIT

You can send your abstract by email at the attention to Ms. Monica Lena of the Organizing Secretariat:
lena@marionegri.it

ABSTRACT DEADLINE

Abstracts can be sent to the Organizing Secretariat within **September 5th, 2006**
All submitted abstracts will be presented as posters at the workshop.

POSTER FORMAT

Languages: Presentations must be in English.

Size limits and materials: Poster size should be: cm 80 x 120
Besides a display board, the organisation will provide push pins.

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LOCATION



The **Clinical Research Centre for Rare Diseases "Aldo e Cele Daccò"** is located in Ranica, near Bergamo. It was established in 1992, when the **Mario Negri Institute for Pharmacological Research** decided to expand its activities to include clinical research within its own facilities. The Centre was born to promote the independent clinical research and to develop plans for patients with rare and orphan diseases. It is located in **Villa Camozzi**, a beautiful, old neoclassic construction restored by architect Simone Elia. The indoor area contains 9.500 sq.m., and the house is surrounded by a 60.000 sq.m. secular park. It is dedicated to **Aldo e Cele Daccò**, because the Institute is grateful to all private donors, to banking institutes and especially to the **Daccò** family for

their generous contributions that allowed the complete restoration of Villa Camozzi.

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HOW TO REACH THE CLINICAL RESEARCH CENTER FOR RARE DISEASES ALDO E CELE DACCO'

by car:

leave the A4 Milano-Venezia at Bergamo exit. Follow the signs for "Valle Seriana" until you reach the turn off for Ranica. When you reach the center of Ranica, you will see the signs for Villa Camozzi.

by train/bus:

if you arrive in Bergamo by train, take the bus n. 1 directly outside the station, and get off at the second stop. Cross "Viale Papa Giovanni XXIII" and take bus n. 11/A in "Via Tiraboschi". Get off at the terminus in Ranica, walk back the way you came about 50 metres and turn right. Walk about 200 metres and you will see the drive that leads to Villa Camozzi on your left.

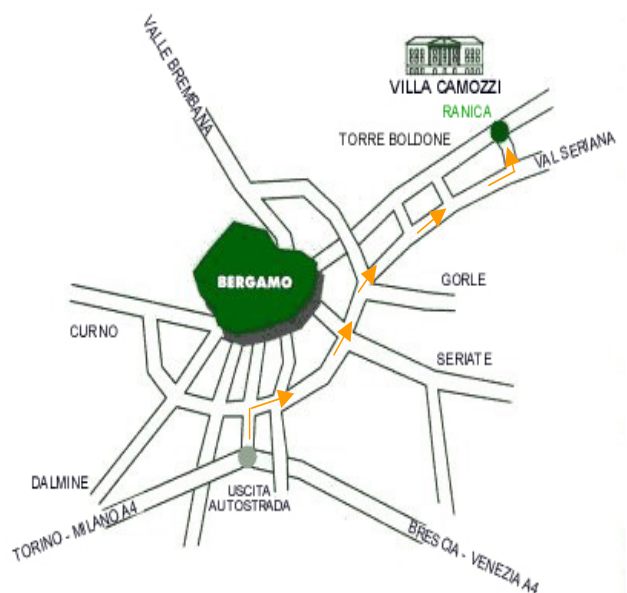
by flight:

there are three airports in the area of Milan-Bergamo (north Italy):

- Orio al Serio (Bergamo) it is about 10 km far from our Centre in Ranica
- Milan Linate (Milan) at about 50 km far from Ranica
- Milan Malpensa (Milan) at about 70 km far from Ranica, is the main airport of north Italy

We strongly suggest to find a flight that arrives at the Bergamo airport (first option). The Milano/Orio al Serio is the local Bergamo airport. There are numerous flights arriving there from all over Europe and it is really close to the congress venue in Ranica.

Airport web addresses: <http://www.orioaeroporto.it> - <http://www.sea-aeroportimilano.it>



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As for transfer from the airport to the congress venue taxi and buses services are available. Please visit these web sites for detailed information:

<http://www.trenitalia.com>

<http://www.ap.t.bergamo.it>

<http://www.sea-aeroportimilano.it/Malpensa/collegamenti/collegamenti.htm>

Please note that the highway from/to Linate and Malpensa airports is often busy with frequently traffic jam. In order to reach the airport in time for return flight it is better to leave the hotel in Bergamo 2 hours before.

BERGAMO INFORMATION

Bergamo was founded on a hill by a first very old settlement in the protohistoric age, age which gave it the configuration that still characterizes it: the oldest part of the town, enclosed within walls, lays up on the hill while the modern centre has developed on the plain.



Celts, Goths, Romans, Lombards succeeded on the hill, but little can now be seen of them: some of the most important monuments date back to the Middle Ages.

The four centuries under the Venetian domination are the most significant period, when Venice and Bergamo were very close, both from an historical and a cultural point of view.

Information about the city of Bergamo, restaurants, hotels and accommodations, itineraries are available at this web site: http://www.ap.t.bergamo.it/L_inglese/home_inglese.html

GENERAL INFORMATION

Language

The official language of the Conference will be English.

Continuing Education

Italian accreditation for medical doctors will be requested.

Badges

A badge with delegate's name will be provided at the registration desk. All delegates are kindly requested to wear the badge throughout the Conference. Only badge holders will be admitted to the Conference, coffee/tea breaks, and lunches.

Currency

All prices quoted are in EURO.

Meals

Coffee/tea breaks and lunches are included in the Conference fee.

Weather

Average temperature in Bergamo during December is around +5°C to -2°C. At this web site you can find up-dated weather conditions: http://www.eurometeo.com/italian/forecast/city_LIME