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WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 5th

h. 14:00 Registration

h. 16:45 Welcome

P. Invernizzi | Istituto Clinico Humanitas, Rozzano, Italy and University of California, Davis, CA, USA

h. 17:00 Humanitas Lecture

Chairmen:

A. Mantovani | University of Milan and Istituto Clinico Humanitas, Rozzano, Italy

G. Missale | Azienda Ospedaliero-Universitaria Parma, Italy

The role of microbiome into liver disease

R. A. Flavell | Yale University School of Medicine, New Haven, Connecticut, USA

h. 18:00 Closing aperitif

HUMANITAS
LECTURE

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 6th

BASIC LIVER IMMUNITY

Chairmen:

M. Locati | University of Milan and Istituto Clinico Humanitas, Rozzano, Italy

M. Roncalli | University of Milan and Istituto Clinico Humanitas, Rozzano, Italy

h. 08:30 Antigen presentation in the tolerogenic liver environment

P. Knolle | University of Bonn, Bonn, Germany

h. 09:00 Immunogenetics of liver diseases

S.L. Khakoo | University of Southampton, Southampton, UK

h. 09:30 Innate immune response in NASH and ASH pathogenesis

G. L. Svegliati - Baroni | Università Politecnica delle Marche, Ancona, Italy

h. 10:00 Coffee break

h. 10:30 Farnesoid X receptor (FXR) and immune-mediated liver injury: potential for novel therapies

L. Adorini | Intercept Pharmaceuticals, New York, USA

h. 11:00 Liver inflammation and fibrosis: always the same relationship?

M. Pinzani | UCL Institute of Liver and Digestive Health, Royal Free Hospital, London, UK

h. 11:30 Liver inflammation and liver tumors

A. Sica | Istituto Clinico Humanitas, Rozzano, Italy and University of Piemonte Orientale, Novara, Italy

h. 12:00 Short selected presentations

h. 13:00 Lunch and poster viewing

VIRUS

Chairmen:

S. Abrignani | INGM, Milan, Italy

V. Barnaba | University of Rome La Sapienza, Rome, Italy

h. 14:00 HCV interference with the intracellular mechanisms of antiviral control

R. Bartenschlager | University of Heidelberg, Heidelberg, Germany

h. 14:30 Natural Killer Cell in Chronic Hepatitis B and Chronic Hepatitis C Virus Infections

M. Mondelli | University of Pavia, Pavia, Italy

h. 15:00 HCV entry and humoral neutralising response

J. McKeating | University of Birmingham, Birmingham, UK

h. 15:30 Platelets and CD8+ T cells in HBV pathogenesis

L. Guidotti | The Scripps Research Institute, La Jolla, CA, USA and San Raffaele Scientific Institute, Milan, Italy

h. 16:00 Coffee break

h. 16:20 Immune regulatory mechanisms of HCV persistence

V. Barnaba | University of Rome La Sapienza, Rome, Italy

h. 16:50 Novel immunotherapeutic strategies for HBV Infection

A. Bertolotti | Singapore Institute for Clinical Sciences, Singapore

h. 17:20 Short selected presentations

h. 18:20 Round table: Can we restore anti-viral control to cure chronic hepatitis C?

Chairman: *C. Ferrari* | Azienda Ospedaliero-Universitaria Parma, Italy

Discussants: *G. Missale* | Azienda Ospedaliero-Universitaria Parma, Italy

S. Abrignani | INGM, Milan, Italy

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 7th

AUTOIMMUNITY

Chairmen:

F. Rosina | Ospedale Gradenigo, Torino, Italy

A. Tanaka | Teikyo University, Tokyo, Japan

h. 08:30 The role of innate immunity in primary biliary cirrhosis

M. E. Gershwin | University of California, Davis, CA, USA

h. 09:00 The role of mucosal immunity in liver autoimmunity

D. Adams | University of Birmingham, Birmingham, UK

h. 09:30 Gender differences in autoimmune liver diseases

P. Invernizzi | Istituto Clinico Humanitas, Rozzano, Italy and University of California, Davis, CA, USA

h. 10:00 Novel insights into autoimmune liver diseases provided by genome-wide association studies

T. H. Karlsen | University of Oslo, Norway

h. 10:30 Coffee break

h. 10:50 Geoepidemiology of autoimmune liver diseases

M. Podda | Istituto Clinico Humanitas, Rozzano, Italy

h. 11:20 Clinical significance of serologic markers in autoimmune liver diseases

D. Vergani | King's College, London, UK

h. 11:50 Short selected presentations

h. 12:20 Round table: Novel therapeutic approaches for pediatric and adult autoimmune liver diseases

Chairman: *G. Mieli - Vergani* | King's College, London, UK

Discussants: *A. Floreani* | University of Padua, Padua, Italy

L. Muratori | University of Bologna, Bologna, Italy

A. Tanaka | Teikyo University, Tokyo, Japan

h. 13:30 Lunch and poster viewing

h. 14:30 Keynote Lecture

Chairman: *M. Podda* | Istituto Clinico Humanitas, Rozzano, Italy

Clinical management of autoimmune biliary diseases

Keith D. Lindor | Mayo Clinic College of Medicine, Rochester, Minnesota, USA



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