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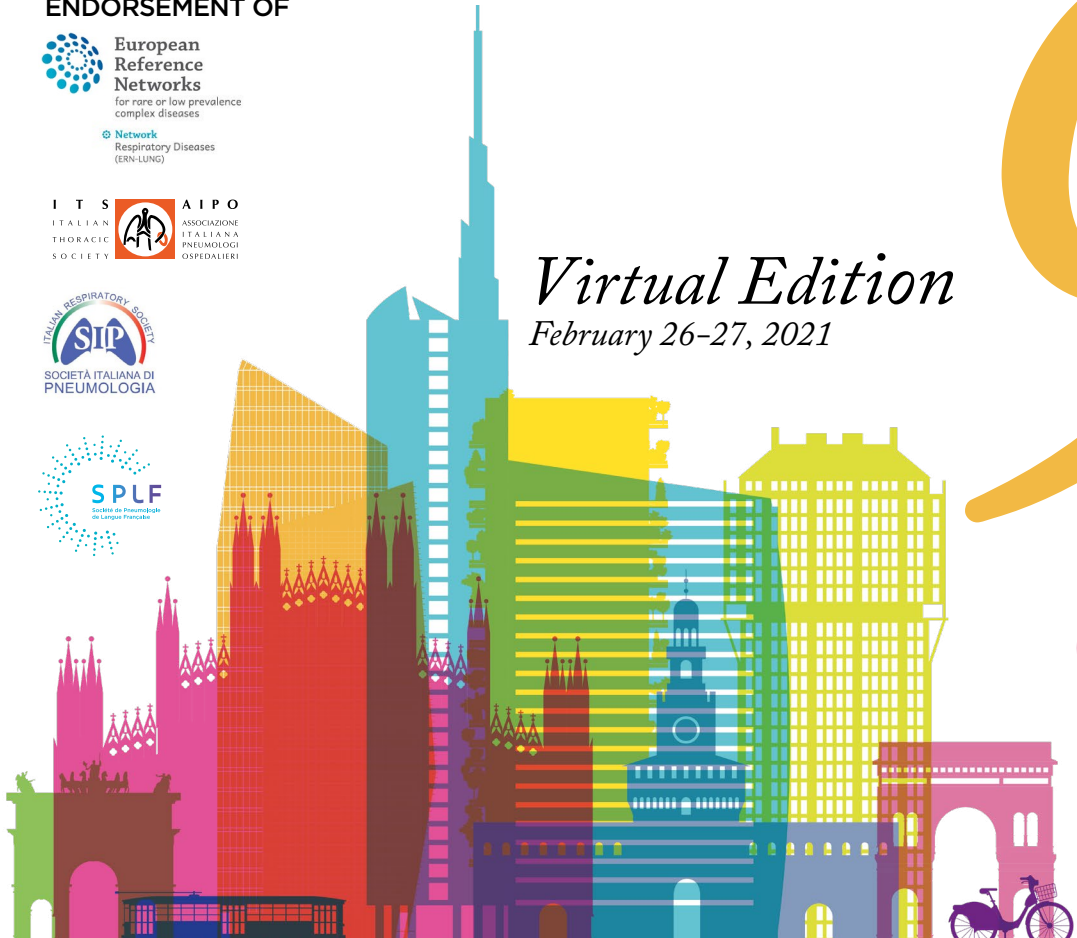
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*February 26, 2021*

FRIDAY

16.30 Start access procedure for Participants

17.00 Welcome to the Audience  
*Sergio Harari (Milan, Italy) and Marc Humbert (Paris, France)*

## SEVERE ASTHMA

Chairs: *Marc Humbert (Paris, France) and Fabio Ricciardolo (Turin, Italy)*

17.15 From difficult to treat asthma to severe asthma: new therapeutic approaches  
*Nicola Scichilone (Palermo, Italy)*

17.30 Discussion

## THE LUNG IN CONNECTIVE TISSUE DISEASES

Chairs: *Sergio Harari (Milan, Italy) and Roberto Caporali (Milan, Italy)*

17.45 Scleroderma ILD *Oliver Distler (Zürich, Switzerland)*

18.00 Scleroderma-associated PH *Isabel Blanco (Barcelona, Spain)*

18.15 Lung involvement in non-systemic sclerosis connective tissue diseases  
*Athol Wells (London, UK)*

18.30 Discussion



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FRIDAY

## ILD AND AROUND

Chairs: *Sergio Harari (Milan, Italy), Elena Bargagli (Siena, Italy)*  
and *Martina Bonifazi (Ancona, Italy)*

- 18.45 New updates on LAM  
*Sergio Harari (Milan, Italy)*
- 19.00 Ultrarare cystic lung disease  
*Romain Lazor (Lausanne, Switzerland)*
- 19.15 ILD and COVID-19  
*Antonella Caminati (Milan, Italy)*
- 19.30 Discussion
- 20.00 End of first day sessions



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*February 27, 2021*



## NOVELTIES IN PULMONARY HYPERTENSION

Chairs: *Marc Humbert (Paris, France), Piergiuseppe Agostoni (Milan, Italy) and Marion Delcroix (Leuven, Belgium)*

- 10.00 CTEPH ERS task force summary *Gérald Simonneau (Paris, France)*
- 10.15 PAH management: an update two years after the world symposium  
*Nazzareno Galiè (Bologna, Italy)*
- 10.30 Targeting the TGF beta pathway in PAH *Marc Humbert (Paris, France)*
- 10.45 Pulmonary vascular diseases in portal hypertension  
*Olivier Sitbon (Paris, France)*
- 11.00 Discussion

SATURDAY

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## PH IN DIFFERENT CONDITIONS

Chairs: *Marc Humbert (Paris, France), Marco Confalonieri (Trieste, Italy) and Gérald Simonneau (Paris, France)*

- 11.15 PH and COPD *Patrizio Vitulo (Palermo, Italy)*
- 11.30 PH and ILD *Marion Delcroix (Leuven, Belgium)*
- 11.45 Sleep breathing disorders and PH *Yochai Adir (Haifa, Israel)*
- 12.00 PH in myeloproliferative disorders *David Montani (Paris, France)*
- 12.15 Discussion

## IPF

Chairs: *Sergio Harari (Milan, Italy) and Venerino Poletti (Forli, Italy)*

- 12.30 IPF and progressive fibrotic lung disease: same or different approaches?  
*Vincent Cottin (Lyon, France)*
- 12.45 From bench to bedside on IPF: where are we on translational research on IPF  
*Maria Molina-Molina (Barcelona, Spain)*
- 13.00 Interstitial Lung Abnormalities: only abnormalities or disease?  
*Sara Tomassetti (Forli, Italy)*
- 13.15 Does the microbiome matter in IPF? *Philip L. Molyneaux (London, UK)*
- 13.30 IPAF: how to screen and treat *Elizabeth Renzoni (London, UK)*
- 13.45 Treatment of acute exacerbation *Carlo Albera (Turin, Italy)*
- 14.00 Discussion

14.15 **Conclusions**

*Sergio Harari (Milan, Italy) and Marc Humbert (Paris, France)*

14.30 Break

15.00 Introduction *Marc Humbert (Paris, France)*

15.05 **LECTURE.** A potential therapy for rebalancing BMP2: a new direction in PAH  
*(realized with the support of Acceleron Pharma) - No CME credits*

*Aaron B. Waxman (Boston, MA - USA)*

15.35 Live discussion

15.50 **End of the meeting and closing remarks**



# E-Poster

Scientific Committee of the **9th International Meeting on Rare Pulmonary Diseases and Orphan Drugs 2021** has selected the following e-posters:

- **1.** Follicular T helper and Breg cell balance in severe allergic asthma before and after omalizumab therapy  
*L. Bergantini, M. d'Alessandro, P. Cameli, E. Bargagli - Italy*
  
- **2.** Serum KL-6 concentrations in IPF and lung cancer patients and serial KL-6 measurements in IPF patients treated with antifibrotic therapy  
*Miriana d'Alessandro, Laura Bergantini, Paolo Cameli, Maria Pieroni, Rosa Metella Refini, Piersante Sestini, Elena Bargagli - Italy*
  
- **3.** Phenotype and outcomes of pulmonary hypertension associated with neurofibromatosis type 1  
*Etienne-Marie Jutant, Xavier Jaïs, Barbara Girerd, Laurent Savale, Maria-Rosa Ghigna, Frédéric Perros, Xavier Mignard, Mitja Jevnikar, Delphine, Bourlier, Grégoire Prevot, Cécile Tromeur, Fabrice Bauer, Emmanuel Bergot, Claire Dauphin, Nicolas Favrolt, Julie Traclet, Thibaud Soumagne, Pascal De Groote, Céline Chabanne, Pascal Magro, Laurent Bertoletti, Jean-Pierre Gueffet, Ari Chaouat, François Goupil, Pamela Moceri, Raphael Borie, Elie Fadel, Pierre Wolkenstein, Pierre-Yves Brillet, Gérald Simonneau, Olivier Sitbon, Marc Humbert, David Montani - France*



- **4.** Association between C-Reactive Protein and Carotid Plaque in Mild-To-Moderate Idiopathic Pulmonary Fibrosis  
***Andrea Sonaglioni, Antonella Caminati, Roberto Lipsi, Michele Lombardo, Sergio Harari - Italy***
  
- **5.** Pulmonary arterial hypertension (PAH) in Adult-Onset Still's Disease: a case series of 13 patients  
***Athénaïs Boucly, Stéphane Mitrovic, Laurent Savale, Xavier Jaïs, David Montani, Estibaliz Lazaro, Nicolas Schleinitz, Coralie Bloch-Queyrat, Christine Christides, Jacques Pouchot, Marc Humbert, Bruno Fautrel, Olivier Sitbon - France***
  
- **6.** Sequential multimodal therapy in patients with chronic thromboembolic pulmonary hypertension (CTEPH)  
***S. Solinas, M. Jevnikar, P. Brenot, B. Lechartier, D. Montani , L. Savale, O. Sitbon , E. Fadel , G. Simonneau , M. Humbert , X. Jais - France***
  
- **7.** Parotid Tuberculosis, about an Observation  
***D.jmal, S. benamira I.jaoua.I.hammami - Tunisia***
  
- **8.** Clival chordoma with lung metastasis  
***S. Bouchareb, J. Ayeb, I. Touil, Y. Brahem, H. Baili, , S.Ksissa, N. Keskes Boudawara, J. Knenj, L. Boussoffara - Tunisia***

— **9.** Desmoid tumor: a case report

***Y. Brahem, S. Bouchareb, I. Touil, J. Ayeb, S. Ksissa, H. Baili, N. Keskes Boudawara, J. Kneni, L. Boussoffara - Tunisia***

— **10.** Rubinstein-Taybi syndrome associated with severe obstructive sleep apnea-hypopnea (OSAHS) syndrome

***S. Bouchareb, S. Ksissa, N. Keskes Boudawara, I. Touil, Y. Brahem, J. Ayeb, H. Baili, J. Kneni, L. Boussoffara - Tunisia***

— **11.** Bronchiectasis: an exceptional and unusual bronchopulmonary manifestation of juvenile systemic lupus erythematosus

***Hassène Baïli, Ines Masmoudi, Sawssan Ben Teber, Salem Bouomrani - Tunisia***

— **12.** Uncontrolled asthma and plastic bronchitis in adults : about 2 cases

***BAILI Hassène , CHEIKH MHAMED Saoussen, MIGAOU Asma, FAHEM Nesrine , KADOUSI Rania, BEN SAAD Ahmed, JOOBEUR Sameh, ROUATBI Naceur - Tunisia***

— **13.** Safety and tolerability of nintedanib in patients with lymphangioliomyomatosis enrolled in a phase IIb clinical trial

***Roberto Cassandro, Davide Elia, Antonella Caminati, Francesca Luisi, Sergio Harari - Italy***

- **14.** Effect of sirolimus in pre and post-menopausal patients with Lymphangiomyomatosis  
*Davide Elia, Roberto Cassandro Antonella Caminati, Francesca Luisi, Sergio Harari - Italy*
  - **15.** Concomitant idiopathic pulmonary hemosiderosis and ANCA-associated vasculitis  
*Hassène Baïli, Ines Masmoudi, Sawssan Ben Teber, Salem Bouomrani - Tunisia*
  - **16.** Bilateral pleurisy revealing Mediterranean Spotted Fever  
*Hassène Baïli, Ines Masmoudi, Sawssan Ben Teber, Salem Bouomrani - Tunisia*
  - **17.** Fatal bilateral pulmonary aneurysm in Behçet's disease  
*Hassène Baïli, Ines Masmoudi, Sawssan Ben Teber, Salem Bouomrani - Tunisia*
- » **SELECTED POSTERS** will be included in a virtual poster area on the Web Platform of the 9th International Meeting on Rare Pulmonary Diseases and Orphan Drugs 2021

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