

THIRD EULAR COURSE ON SYSTEMIC LUPUS ERYTHEMATOSUS
PRELIMINARY PROGRAMME
PISA, S CROCE IN FOSSABANDA
September 9-14, 2007

SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 9, 2007

17.00- 17.15	S. Bombardieri	Course presentation
17.15- 17.45	J.R. Kalden:	Pathogenesis of SLE
17.45- 18.15	J.S. Smolen	The clinical spectrum of SLE: SLE, overlap syndromes, MCTD

MONDAY SEPTEMBER 10, 2007

Morning

Therapy of SLE: traditional drugs and new prospective

9.00-9.30	R. Danesi.	The role of pharmacogenomics in the treatment of SLE
9.30-10.00	M. Cutolo	Corticosteroids and SLE
10.00-10.44	M. Mosca	“Traditional drugs” in SLE. Focus on immunosuppressive drugs

10.45-11.15 COFFEE BREAK

11.15-11.45	M. Aringer	Biological agents in SLE
11.45-12.15	P.L. Meroni	Statins, anticoagulant, antithrombotic drugs
12.15-12.45	A. Doria	Can we further improve SLE prognosis?

13.00 14.30 LUNCH

Afternoon

14.30-15.00	A.G. Tzioufas	Drug therapy and prevention of infertility in SLE
15.00-15.30	M. Mazzantini	Drug therapy and osteoporosis in SLE
15.30-16.00	M. Ostensen	Drug therapy and toxicity in pregnancy and lactation

TUESDAY SEPTEMBER 11, 2007

Morning

CNS involvement

9.00-9.30	Y. Shoenfeld	CNS lupus, autoantibodies, smell and pathogenesis
9.30-10.00	G. Riemekasten	Pathogenesis of CNS involvement in SLE
10.00-10.30	J.C. Piette.	Neurological manifestations of CNS involvement in SLE

10.30- 10.45 COFFEE BREAK

10.45-11.15	G Castellino	Optimizing the clinical monitoring of CNS involvement in SLE
11.15-11.45	T. Huizinga	Therapeutic algorithms in neurological involvement in SLE

11.45-12.05	M. Mosca	PRACTICAL POINT The development of a questionnaire to assess neurological involvement in SLE patients
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12.05-13.00	M. Govoni	Discussion of clinical cases
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13.00-14-30 LUNCH

Afternoon

The challenging aspects of lupus I

14.30-15.00	CM Montecucco	Fever and SLE
15.00-15.30	R. Voll	Haematological manifestations of SLE
15.30-16.00	R. Priori	Gastrointestinal and liver involvement in SLE
16.00-17.00	PRACTICAL POINT	which role for computerized data bases in the assessment of patients?

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 2007

Morning

Measures to assess and monitoring a patient with SLE and response to therapy: creation of a data base for SLE patients

9.00-9.30	H. Nossent	ACR classificative criteria: a critical review
9.30-10.00	S. Bombardieri	The core set variables to assess patients in routine clinical practice
10.00- 10.30	M. Ward	Disease activity and damage indices in SLE, an overview
10.30-10.45 COFFEE BREAK		
10.45- 11.15	C. Gordon	EULAR Recommendations for clinical trials in SLE
11.15- 11.45	D. Boumpas	EULAR Recommendations for the management of SLE
11.45-12.15	A. Tyndall	
12.15-12.45		Discussion of clinical cases

Afternoon : FREE

THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 13, 2007

Morning

Kidney involvement

9.00-9.30	P. Migliorini	Pathogenetic autoantibodies in lupus nephritis
9.30-10.00	G. Moroni	Histological features of lupus nephritis
10.00-10.30	R.A. Sinico	Clinical features and prognostic factors in LN

10.30-10.45 COFFEE BREAK

10.45-11.15	J. Berden	Dyalysis and kidney transplantation in SLE
11.15-11.45	D Boumpas	Therapeutic algorhytms in lupus nephritis
11.45-13.00	Discussion of clinical cases	

13.00-14.30 LUNCH

Atfernoon

Skin involvement

14.30-15.00	F. Nyberg	Overview of cutaneous manifestations in Lupus erythematosus
15.00-15-30	R. Rondinone	Diagnosis and differential diagnosis of cutaneous involvement in Lupus Erythematosus
15.30-16.00	A. Kuhn:	Treatment of cutaneous manifestations of Lupus Erythematosus
16.00-16.30	A. Martini	Juvenile lupus

16.30-17.30 Discussion of clinical cases

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 14 2007

Monday

The challenging aspects of lupus II

9.00-9.30	M. Schneider	Heart and lung in SLE
9.30-10.00	G.F. Ferraccioli	Joint involvement in SLE
10.00-10.30	R. Gerli	Atherosclerosis in SLE

10.30-10.45 COFFEE BREAK

10.45-11.15	P.C. Sarzi-Puttini	Late onset SLE
11.15-11.45	G. Espinosa	Anti-phospholipid syndrome
11.45-12.45		Discussion of clinical cases

13.00-14.30 LUNCH

Afternoon

Pregnancy and SLE

14.30-15.15	A. Tincani	Outcome of pregnancy and outcome of babies in patients with SLE
15.30-16.00	A. Brucato	Neonatal lupus

16.00 S Bombardieri CONCLUSIVE REMARKS