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Day 1: Monday, February 17, 2025 TRANSLATIONAL APPROACHES TO COMPLEX DISEASE

13:00	Opening & Welcome Remarks Chair: Dario Gregori, Coordinator, Translational Specialistic Medicine "G.B. Morgagni", University of Padua Opening speech: Massimiliano Zattin, Vice-Rector for post-graduate education, University of Padua Welcome speech: Annalisa Angelini, Introduction of all collaborating doctoral programs, University of Padua
13:30	Keynote Lectures Chairs: Cristina Basso, Vice Rector- for International Relations, University of Padua Giuseppe Tarantini, Department of Cardiac, Thoracic, Vascular Sciences and Public Health, University of Padua
	Bridging the Gap: women's cardiovascular health Roxana Mehran , Mount Sinai Hospital di New York, New York, US
	The impact of diverse race /ethnicity in interventional cardiology George Dangas, Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai, New York, US
	Discussants: Annagrazia Cecere, Mattia Corianò (Online), Mariavittoria Vescovo, PhD Students
15:00	Thematic Session - Translational Research Models in Emerging Fields Chair: Ornella Rossetto, Coordinator, Biomedical Sciences, University of Padua
	Translational approaches in oral health Christian Bacci, Department of Neurosciences, University of Padua
	Translational aspects of thyroid cancer: a journey from surgery to public health Chiara Dobrinja , Department of medical, surgical and health sciences, University of Trieste
	Discussants: Dolores Catelan, Department of Cardiac, Thoracic, Vascular Sciences and Public Health, University of Padua and Ernesto Comitale PhD student

16:15 **Coffee Break**

16:45	Roundtable Discussion Chairs: Annalisa Angelini, Dario Gregori, Translational Specialistic Medicine "G.B. Morgagni", University of Padua
	Integrating Translational Research into Clinical Pathways: Opportunities & Barriers <i>Panelists</i> : Gloria Brigiari, Ilaria Barison, PhD Students
17:30	Keynote Lecture Chair: Dario Gregori, Coordinator, Translational Specialistic Medicine "G.B. Morgagni", University of Padua
	AI and Machine Learning in Translational Medicine: Prospects & Challenges Paola Berchialla , Department of Clinical and Biological Sciences, University of Turin
	Discussants: Chiara Castellani, Daniele Sabbatini, Department of Cardiac, Thoracic, Vascular Sciences and Public Health, University of Padua

Day 2: Tuesday, February 18, 2025 ADVANCES IN ARTERIAL HYPERTENSION & VASCULAR BIOLOGY

13:15	Keynote Lecture Chair: Gianni Bisogno, Coordinator, Developmental Medicine and Health Planning Sciences, University of Padua
	Novel Mechanisms of Endothelial Dysfunction Elena Osto, Graz University, Austria - <u>ONLINE</u>
	Discussant: Mattia Corianò (Online), PhD Student
14:15	Short Talks Session - Microenvironment in oncological and nononcological diseases Chair: Arianna Loregian, Coordinator, Molecular Medicine, University of Padua
	Novel analgesic compounds: from discovery to clinical trials Girolamo Calò , Pharmaceutical Sciences Department, University of Padua
	Extracellular matrix: the extrinsic element that controls cell behavior Anna Urciuolo , Department of Molecular Medicine, University of Padua
	Dysregulation of the microenvironment as a key factor in pathological conditions Michela Pozzobon , Department of Women's and Child Health, University of Padua
	Cancer cells and their microenvironment: a malignant interaction Luca Persano , Department of Women's and Child Health, University of Padua
	Discussants: Luca Vedovelli, Department of Cardiac, Thoracic, Vascular Sciences and Public Health, University of Padua; Sara Provesi, Agner Henrique Dorigo Hochuli, PhD Students

15:45 **Coffee Break**

Chair: Ornella Rossetto, Coordinator, Biomedical Sciences, University of Padua Bridging the Gap: From Laboratory Discoveries to Patient Care in Complex Diseases Rosario Rizzuto, Department of Biomedical Sciences, University of Padua Discussant: Ilaria Barison, PhD Student Roundtable Discussion Chair: Torona Maria Social Coordinator, Arterial Hupertonian and Vascular Biology, University of
Rosario Rizzuto, Department of Biomedical Sciences, University of Padua Discussant: Ilaria Barison, PhD Student Roundtable Discussion
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Chair: Teresa Maria Seccia , Coordinator, Arterial Hypertension and Vascular Biology, University of Padua
Integrative Management of Hypertension: Public Health and Policy Perspectives Lorena Charrier , Department of Public Health and Pediatrics, University of Turin
Discussants: Gloria Brigiari, Giulio Cabrelle, PhD Students
Keynote Lecture Chair: Maurilio Tiradentes Dutra, Federal Institute of Brasilia, Brazil. Researcher - University of Brasilia, Brazil, Instituto Federal de Educação, Ciência e Tecnologia de Brasília · Physical Education Emerging Imaging Techniques in Pathology Federica Pezzuto, Department of Cardiac, Thoracic, Vascular Sciences and Public Health, University
of Padua Discussants: Giuseppe Maggioni, Diego Perazzolo, PhD Students

Day 3: Wednesday, February 19, 2025 DEVELOPMENTAL MEDICINE, HEALTH POLICY, AND PROGRAMMATIC SCIENCES

13:00	Roundtable Discussion Chair: Annalisa Angelini, Department of Cardiac, Thoracic, Vascular Sciences and Public Health, University of Padua
	Bridging Bio-Medical Research and Humanities: From Evidence to Implementation Alberto Zanatta , Department of Cardiac, Thoracic, Vascular Sciences and Public Health, University of Padua Dario Nardini , Department of Historical and geographic Sciences and the Ancient World, University of Padua
14:00	Keynote Lectures Chair: Roberta Ramonda, Coordinator, Clinical and Experimental Sciences, University of Padua Organoid Models in Precision Medicine Milena Bellin, Department of Biology, University of Padua
	Discussants: Giacomo Cozzi, Luca Iorio, PhD Students

15:00 **Coffee Break**

15:30	Keynote Lectures Chair: Dario Gregori, Coordinator, Translational Specialistic Medicine "G.B. Morgagni", University of Padua The Italian Intensive Care Unit Network Registry TIPNET Angela Amigoni, Pediatric Intensive Care Unit, Padua Hospital Large scale cooperative studies in pediatric anesthesiology
	Nicola Disma, Unit for Research & University, IRCCS Istituto Giannina Gaslini Genova - ONLINE Discussants: Cinzia Anna Maria Papappicco, Anna Tessari, PhD Students
16:45	Session 1 - Oncology, Immunology and innovations Chair: Nicola Ferri, Coordinator, Pharmacological Sciences, University of Padua Frontiers in radiomic research Chiara Giraudo, Department of Cardiac, Thoracic, Vascular Sciences and Public Health, University of Padua Discussant: Mariavittoria Vescovo, PhD Student
17:30	Keynote Lecture Chair: Annalisa Angelini, Department of Cardiac, Thoracic, Vascular Sciences and Public Health, University of Padua Innovations in Travel Medicine: Vaccines, Prevention, and Beyond Andrea Rossanese, Negrar Hospital, Verona Discussants: Mohammad Junayed Bhuyan, Ajsi Kanapari PhD Students
18:30	Open Debate and Networking

Day 4: Thursday, February 20, 2025 CUTTING-EDGE MOLECULAR MEDICINE: FROM BENCH TO BEDSIDE

13:30 Keynote Lectures

Chair: **Kalliopi Pilichou**, Department of Cardiac, Thoracic, Vascular Sciences and Public Health, University of Padua

Mitochondrial DNA mutations in ovarian cancer and their impact on the response to anti-VEGF therapy

Stefano Indraccolo, Department of Surgery Oncology and Gastroenterology, Oncology and Immunology Section, University of Padua, Basic and Translational Oncology Unit, Veneto Institute of Oncology IOV - IRCCS

A LIPSTIC screening system for TCR antigen discovery

Giulia Pasqual, Department of Surgery Oncology and Gastroenterology, Oncology and Immunology Section, University of Padua

Discussants: Serena Pinci, Francesca Dalla Zanna, PhD Students

14:45 **Keynote session - Frontier in Molecular Interventions**

Chair: Luca Vedovelli, Department of Cardiac, Thoracic, Vascular Sciences and Public Health, University of Padua

Spatial omics and Multi-Omics Data Integration

Enrico Grisan, Director, Bioscience and Bioengineering Research Centre, Biomedical Imaging, Monitoring and Treatment, Uk - <u>ONLINE</u>

Car-T therapy in Hematologic Malignancies

Renato Zambello, Department of Medicine, University of Padua

RNA-Based Drugs: Beyond mRNA Vaccines

Fabrizio Mancin, Department of Chemical Sciences, University of Padua

Integrating ATAC-seq and RNA-seq data to investigate maternal deposition and maternal-to-zvgotic transition in Aedes aegypti

Martina Bado, Department of Molecular Medicine, University of Padua

Discussants: Shinto Pulickal Thomas, Ajsi Kanapari PhD Students

17:00 Coffee Break

17:30 Roundtable Discussion

Chair: **Gianni Bisogno**, Coordinator, Developmental Medicine and Health Planning Sciences, University of Padua

Ethical, Regulatory, and Translational Challenges in Clinical Research Adriana Cecchi, ARCS Azienda Regionale di Coordinamento per la Salute, Udine

Discussant: Dario Gregori, Coordinator, Translational Specialistic Medicine "G.B. Morgagni", University of Padua

18:30 Interactive Q&A and Networking

Day 5: Friday, February 21, 2025 ONCOLOGY & IMMUNOLOGY INNOVATIONS AND INTEGRATED BIOMEDICAL & CLINICAL SCIENCES

12:00	Keynote Lecture
	Chair: Renan Pedra de Souza , Departamento de Genética, Ecologia e Evolução, Universidade
	Federal de Minas Gerais (Belo Horizonte - MG- Brazil)
	Innovative trends in tumor immunotherapy
	Antonio Rosato, Department of Surgical, Oncological and Gastroenterological sciences, University of
	Padua
	Discussants: Giulia D'Accardio, Alfredo Pherez-Farah, PhD Students
13:00	Keynote Lecture
13.00	Chair: Andrea Dell'Amore , Department of Cardiac, Thoracic, Vascular Sciences and Public Health,
	University of Padua
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	The Staging project on lung, pleura and thymus cancers: an historical perspective on its clinical
	impact
	Valerie Rusch , Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center, New York, NY (USA) - ONLINE
	Discussants: Giorgio Cannone, Mariavittoria Vescovo, PhD Students
14:00	Keynote Lecture
	Chair: Daniele Sabbatini , Department of Cardiac, Thoracic, Vascular Sciences and Public Health,
	University of Padua
	Challenges in an denoted ding the human general
	Challenges in understanding the human genome Eva Traviscon Clinical Constitution Department of Woman's and Children's Health University of
	Eva Trevisson , Clinical Genetics Unit, Department of Women's and Children's Health, University of Padua
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	Discussant: Serena Pinci, PhD Student
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15:00 Coffee Break

15:30	Keynote Lecture Chair: Fiorella Calabrese, Department of Cardiac, Thoracic, Vascular Sciences and Public Health, University of Padua Predictive markers for immunotherapy in non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC) Laura Bonanno, Department of Surgical, Oncological and Gastroenterological Sciences, University of Padua
16:15	Discussant: Daniele Sabbatini, Department of Cardiac, Thoracic, Vascular Sciences and Public Health, University of Padua Keynote Lecture
	Chair: Cristina Canova, Department of Cardiac, Thoracic, Vascular Sciences and Public Health, University of Padua Climate change and health: A European perspective Elisa Gallo, Barcelona Institute for Global Health, Spain
	Discussant: Giorgia Stoppa, Department of Cardiac, Thoracic, Vascular Sciences and Public Health, University of Padua and Denise Feurer, PhD Student

17:00	Keynote Lecture Chair: Dario Gregori, Coordinator, Translational Specialistic Medicine "G.B. Morgagni", University of Padua
	Methodological pitfalls in research. A medical legal and ethics perspective Elio Santangelo, ASU GI Azienda Sanitaria Universitaria Giuliano Isontina, Trieste
	Ello Salitangelo, ASO Gi Azientia Salittaria Oniversitaria Giunano Isolitina, Trieste
	Discussants: Annalisa Angelini, Dario Gregori, Translational Specialistic Medicine "G.B. Morgagni", University of Padua
17:45	Concluding Remarks
	Dario Gregori, Coordinator, Translational Specialistic Medicine "G.B. Morgagni", University of Padua

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1. ARTERIAL HYPERTENSION AND VASCULAR BIOLOGY (ARHYVAB)

Coordinator: Professor Teresa Maria SECCIA

2. BIOMEDICAL SCIENCES

Coordinator: Professor Ornella ROSSETTO

3. CLINICAL AND EXPERIMENTAL SCIENCES

Coordinator: Professor Roberta RAMONDA

Curriculum:

- Clinical Methodology, Metabolism, Endocrinology, Nephrology and Exercise
- Rheumatological and Laboratory Sciences
- Hematological and Geriatric Sciences
- Hepatology and Transplantation Sciences

4. DEVELOPMENTAL MEDICINE AND HEALTH PLANNING SCIENCES

Coordinator: Professor Gianni BISOGNO

Curriculum:

- Oncohematology, Medical Genetics, Rare Diseases and Predictive Medicine
- Health Planning Sciences

5. PHARMACOLOGICAL SCIENCES

Coordinator: Professor Nicola FERRI

6. MOLECULAR MEDICINE

Coordinator: Professor Arianna LOREGIAN

Curriculum:

- Biomedicine
- Regenerative Medicine

7. ONCOLOGY AND IMMUNOLOGY

Coordinator: Professor Antonio ROSATO

8. TRANSLATIONAL SPECIALISTIC MEDICINE "G.B. MORGAGNI"

Coordinator: Professor Dario GREGORI

Curriculum:

- Biostatistics and Clinical Epidemiology
- Cardiovascular Sciences
- Clinical and Translational Neurosciences
- Endocrine and Metabolic Sciences
- Nursing and Health Sciences
- Thoracic and Pulmonary Sciences

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