



ROME APRIL 7-9 2016 VIII SIMPAR

VILLA PICCOLOMINI



Organizing Secretariat
FEDRA congressi
Viale dei SS. Pietro e Paolo, 21
00144 Rome, Italy
Tel. +39.0652247328
Fax +39.065205625
info@fedracongressi.com
www.fedracongressi.com



SIMPAR.EU

PRESIDENTS

Massimo Allegri
University of Parma, Italy

Giorgio Cruccu
University La Sapienza, Rome, Italy

Inna Belfer
McGill University Health Center,
Montreal, Canada



SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEE

Juan Francisco Asenjo	McGill University Health Center, Montreal, Canada
Inna Belfer	McGill University Health Center, Montreal, Canada
Juan Pablo Cata	The University of Texas-MD Anderson Cancer Center, Houston, TX, USA
Josè De Andrès	Valencia School of Medicine-Valencia General University Hospital, Valencia, Spain
Manuela De Gregori	Fondazione IRCCS Policlinico San Matteo, Pavia, Italy
Luda Diatchenko	McGill University Health Center, Montreal, Canada
Christopher Gharibo	NYU Langone Medical Center, New York
Vijaya Gottumukkala	The University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center, Houston, USA
Pablo M. Ingelmo	McGill University Health Center, Montreal, Canada
Troels Staehelin Jensen	Aarhus University Hospital, Denmark
Patricia Lavand'homme	St Luc Hospital UCL Medical School, Brussels, Belgium
Per-Arne Lönnqvist	Karolinska Institutet, Stockholm, Sweden
Edward Mariano	Stanford University School of Medicine; VA Palo Alto Health Care System, California, USA
Michael E. Schatman	Ph.D., CPE Director of Research, U.S. Pain Foundation Editor-in-Chief, Journal of Pain Research

LOCAL SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEE

Marco Baciarello	University of Parma, Italy
Dario Bugada	Azienda Ospedaliero Universitaria di Parma, Italy
Flaminia Coluzzi	University La Sapienza, Rome, Italy
Christian Compagnone	Azienda Ospedaliero Universitaria di Parma, Italy
Arturo Cuomo	Istituto Nazionale per lo Studio e la Cura dei Tumori di Napoli "Fondazione G. Pascale", Italy
Andrea Fanelli	S. Orsola-Malpighi, Bologna, Italy
Maurizio Marchesini	Azienda Ospedaliero Universitaria di Parma, Italy
Andrea Truini	University La Sapienza, Rome, Italy

Massimo Allegri University of Parma, Italy
 Francisco Asenjo McGill University Health Center, Montreal, Canada
 Marco Baciarello University of Parma, Italy
 Gabriele Baldini McGill University Health Center, Montreal, Canada
 Ralf Baron Universitaetsklinikum Schleswig-Holstein, Kiel, Germany
 Inna Belfer McGill University Health Center, Montreal, Canada
 Antonello Bonci National Institute on Drug Abuse, Baltimore, USA
 Dario Bugada Azienda Ospedaliero Universitaria di Parma, Italy
 Juan Cata The University of Texas - MD Anderson Cancer Center, Houston, TX, USA

Gianni Colini Baldeschi S. Giovanni Addolorata Hospital, Rome, Italy
 Flaminia Coluzzi University La Sapienza, Rome, Italy
 Michele Curatolo University of Washington, Seattle, USA.
 Giorgio Cruccu University La Sapienza, Rome, Italy
 Alexandre F. DaSilva University of Michigan Dental School, Michigan, USA
 José De Andrés Valencia School of Medicine-Valencia General University Hospital, Valencia, Spain

Mehul J Desai International Spine, Pain & Performance Center Washington, DC
 Luda Diatchenko McGill University Health Center, Montreal, Canada
 James Eisenach Wake Forest University, USA
 Andrea Fanelli S. Orsola-Malpighi, Bologna, Italy
 Catherine Ferland Shriners Hospital for Children Montreal, Canada
 Christopher Gharibo NYU Langone Medical Center, New York, USA
 Vijaya Gottomukkala The University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center, Houston, USA

Pablo M. Ingelmo McGill University Health Center, Montreal, Canada
 Troels S. Jensen Aarhus University Hospital, Denmark
 Leo Kapural Center for Clinical Research and Carolina's Pain Institute at Brookstown, Wake Forest Baptist Health, Winston-Salem, North Carolina, USA
 Henrik Kehlet Copenhagen University, Denmark
 Hans Kress Medical University / AKH, Vienna, Austria

Patricia Lavand'homme St Luc Hospital UCL Medical School, Brussels, Belgium
 Bengt Linderöth Karolinska Institutet, Stockholm, Sweden
 Giuseppe Lippi Azienda Ospedaliero-Universitaria di Parma, Italy
 Per-Arne Lönnqvist Karolinska Institutet, Stockholm, Sweden
 Edward Mariano Stanford University School of Medicine-VA Palo Alto Health Care System, California, USA

Stavros G. Memtsoudis Hospital for Special Surgery, Weill Cornell Medical College, New York, NY, USA

Bart Jan Morlion University Hospitals Leuven, Belgium
 Ferdinando Nicoletti University La Sapienza, Rome, Italy
 Stefano Palmisani Guy and St. Thomas NHS Foundation Trust, London, UK
 Philip Peng Toronto Western Hospital-University Health Network, University of Toronto, Ontario, Canada

Ian Pemberton Photeomix, Ile-de-France, France
 Alberto Prats Galino University of Barcelona, Spain
 Richard Rauck Carolinas Pain Institute, Wake Forest University, Winston-Salem, North Carolina, USA

Miguel Reina Universidad San Pablo CEU, Madrid
 Michael E. Schatman Research, U.S. Pain Foundation
 Mark Schumacher UCSF School of Medicine and medical Center San Francisco, USA

Ennio Tasciotti The Methodist Hospital Research Institute, Houston, USA
 Thomas R. Tölle Technical University of Munich, Germany
 Andrea Truini University La Sapienza, Rome, Italy
 Jean Pierre Van Buyten AZ Nikolaas, Sint Niklaas, Belgium
 Ron Van Schaik Dept. Clinical Chemistry - Erasmus MC Rotterdam, Netherlands
 Jan Van Zundert Hospital Oost-Limburg, Genk, Belgium, Netherlands
 Kris Vissers Radboud University Nijmegen Medical Centre, Netherlands
 Mark Ware McGill University Health Centre, Montreal, Canada
 Suellen Walker GOSH/Institute of Child Health, UCL, London
 Rikard Wicksell Karolinska University Hospital-Solna, Stockholm, Sweden

WORKSHOP “FYD: FEED YOUR DESTINY, FIGHTING PAIN”

Presidents

MASSIMO ALLEGRI, MANUELA DE GREGORI,
FABIO INTELLIGENTE, CAROLINA MUSCOLI

With the patronage



FIRST SESSION:

Chairman: MANUELA DE GREGORI, FABIO INTELLIGENTE

10.00 - 10.20 **Nutrition state of the art.**

TIZIANA STALLONE - ENPAB President

10.20 - 10.40 **Nutraceuticals: the state of the art**

VINCENZO MOLLACE

University of Magna Grecia, Catanzaro

10.40 - 11.00 **Nutrition in patient under opioid therapy**

MARIANGELA RONDANELLI

University of Pavia, Italy

11.00 - 11.20 **Microbiome and pain**

FRANCESCO FRANCESCHI

Catholic University of Rome

11.20 - 11.40 **Obesity on function and quality of life
in chronic pain conditions**

LAURA ISABEL ARRANZ

University of Barcelona, Spain

11.40 - 12.00 **Discussion**

12.00-12.40 *Break*

SECOND SESSION:

Chairman: CAROLINA MUSCOLI, GLORIA SACCANI IOTTI

12.40 - 13.00 **Soy and pain**

INNA BELFER - McGill University, Canada

13.20 - 13.40 **Role of omega-3 fatty acids on inflammatory
and degenerative diseases**

SILVIA LORENTE CEBRIAN

University of Navarra - Spain

13.40 - 14.00 **Role of Curcumin in chronic pain**

MAURIZIO SALAMONE - Metagenics - Italy

14.00 - 14.20 **Young researcher speech.**

Nutritions and pain: Italian research

LUIGI GIANCOTTI

Hospital San Raffaele La Pisana - Rome

14.20 - 15.00 **Final discussion**

WORKSHOP “YOUNG AGAINST PAIN”

THANKS TO UNCONDITIONED GRANT OF GRUNENTHAL

Dedicated to young researcher who won YAP Grant



10.30 - 10.45 **Authorities Welcome**

GUIDO FANELLI - University of Parma, Italy

THILO STADLER - CEO Grunenthal Italy

10.45 - 11.00 **Yap: an innovative project**

MASSIMO ALLEGRI - University of Parma, Italy

11.00 - 11.30 **Research in Italy**

GIOVANNI LEONARDI - Italian Health Ministry

11.30 - 12.30 **Presentation of Yap projects**

12.30 - 13.30 *Break*

14.00 - 15.00 **Italian Scientists in the world: history of success**

MICHELE CURATOLO

University of Washington, Seattle, USA.

ENNIO TASCIOTTI

Methodist Research Institute, Houston

**WORKSHOP "OPIOIDS: HOW TO BE APPROPRIATE
IN CHRONIC NON CANCER PAIN. A MASTER CLASS"**

Presidents:

MASSIMO ALLEGRI, THOMAS TÖLLE, ANDREA TRUINI,
RENATO VELLUCCI

With the patronage 

09.45 Transfer from Hotel Columbus to SIMPAR meeting

Chairmen: ANDREA TRUINI, RENATO VELLUCCI

- 10.15 - 10.45 **Opioids Pharmacology.
How to choose the right drug.**
DIEGO FORNASARI - University of Milan - Italy
- 10.45 - 11.15 **Analgesics and bone metabolism: focus on opioids**
RENATO VELLUCCI - Hospital Careggi Florence, Italy
- 11.15 - 11.45 **Opioids and neuropathic pain**
GIORGIO CRUCCU
University La Sapienza, Rome, Italy
- 11.45 - 12.15 **Addiction and opioids to take care chronic pain.
When and how to predict the risk**
CLAUDIO LEONARDI - Hospital of Rome, Italy
- 12.15 - 12.30 **Discussion**

12.30 -13.00 *Break*

Chairmen: WILLIAM RAFFAELI, FLAMINIA COLUZZI

- 13.15 - 13.30 **Opioids and quality of life.
May we really improve quality of life?**
BART MORLION - University Hospitals Leuven,
Belgium
- 13.30 - 14.00 **Opioids and cognitive dysfunction.
What do we exactly know?**
MASSIMO ALLEGRI - University of Parma, Italy
- 14.00 - 14.30 **Opioids in low back pain and osteoarthritis.
How to start, to continue and to prevent
it becomes chronic**
THOMAS TÖLLE - Technical University of Munich,
Germany
- 14.30 - 15.00 **Ethics and Opioids**
MICHAEL SCHATMAN - Research pain Foundation
- 15.00 - 15.30 **Final discussion**

**WORKSHOP "BILATERAL TOTAL KNEE ARTHROPROTHESIS:
ANESTHETISTS AND ORTHOPEDICS ALL TOGETHER
TO FACE THIS NEW CHALLENGE"**

Presidents:

HENRIK KEHLET, PAOLO CHERUBINO,
STAVROS G. MEMTSOUDIS, MASSIMO BERRUTO

Scientific Committee:

ASTRID BEHR - F. D'ANGELO, ANDREA FANELLI,
DARIO BUGADA

With the patronage 

Chairmen: STAVROS MEMTSOUDIS, DARIO BUGADA

- 10.15 - 10.35 **The science behind ERAS in orthopedy surgery**
HENRIK KEHLET - Copenhagen University, Denmark
- 10.35 - 10.55 **The pathophysiology of BTKA and potential
mechanisms of injury: Who is at risk?**
STAVROS MEMTSOUDIS - Hospital for Special
Surgery, NY, USA
- 10.55 - 11.15 **Anesthesia and analgesia for TKA: current evidence
and new challeges for bilateral procedures**
ASTRID BEHR - Padova Hospital
- 11.15 - 11.30 **How to "Get back in the game" after BTKA**
ROCCO FERRARI

BTKA PRO/CON

Chairmen: ANDREA FANELLI

- 11.30 - 11.45 **PRO - BENEFITS (USA perspective)**
LAZAROS POULTSIDES
Hospital for Special Surgery, NY, USA
- 11.45 - 12.00 **PRO - BENEFITS (EUROPE perspective)**
GIANLUCA CAPPELLERI - G Pini Hospital - Milan, Italy
- 12.00 - 12.15 **CON - RISK (USA perspective)**
STAVROS G. MEMTSOUDIS
Hospital for Special Surgery, NY, USA
- 12.15 - 12.30 **CON - RISK (EUROPE perspective)**
MASSIMO BERRUTO - G Pini Hospital - Milan, Italy
- 12.30 - 13.00 **DISCUSSION**
- 13.00 - 13.45 *Break*
- 13.45 - 15.30 **Striking a compromise - Finding consensus in BTKA**

**WORKSHOP " PAIN IN PATIENTS WITH CANCER:
EVIDENCE OF HOW DRUGS AND MINI-INTERVENTIONAL
TECHNIQUES ARE USEFUL"** *This workshop is in Italian Language*

Presidents:

ARTURO CUOMO, MAURIZIO MARCHESINI

With the patronage



09.45 *Transfer from Hotel Columbus to SIMPAR meeting*

Chairman: ARTURO CUOMO

10.15 - 10.45 **NSAIDS: no devils, no angels**
ANDREA FANELLI

Sant'Orsola Hospital, Bologna, Italy

10.45 - 11.15 **Opioids side effects in the good clinical practice:
a "non problem"**

SILVIA NATOLI - *University Tor Vergata - Rome*

11.15 - 11.45 **Diagnosis and treatment of chemotherapy
induced neuropathy**

FRANCO MARINANGELI - *University of Aquila - Italy*

11.45 - 12.15 **BtCP and clinical aspects: IOPS and IOPS MS studies**

ARTURO CUOMO - *Istituto Nazionale per*

lo Studio e la Cura sui Tumori Hospital - Napoli, Italy

12.15 - 12.30 **ROOs drugs: when and which one?**

MASSIMO MAMMUCARI - *ASL Rome, Italy*

12.30 - 12.45 **Discussion**

12.45 - 13.15 **Break**

Chairman: MAURIZIO MARCHESINI

13.15 - 13.45 **Evidence of mini-interventional techniques
in cancer pain**

KRIS VISSER - *Radboud University Nijmegen*

Medical Centre, Netherlands

13.45 - 14.15 **Glia, astrocytes and pain: from pathophysiology
to clinical practice**

SABATINO MAIONE - *University of Naples, Italy*

14.15 - 14.45 **Continuous Intrathecal Therapy**

MARCO ROSSI - *Policlinico Gemelli, Rome Italy*

14.45 - 15.15 **Mini-interventional surgery for vertebral metastasis**

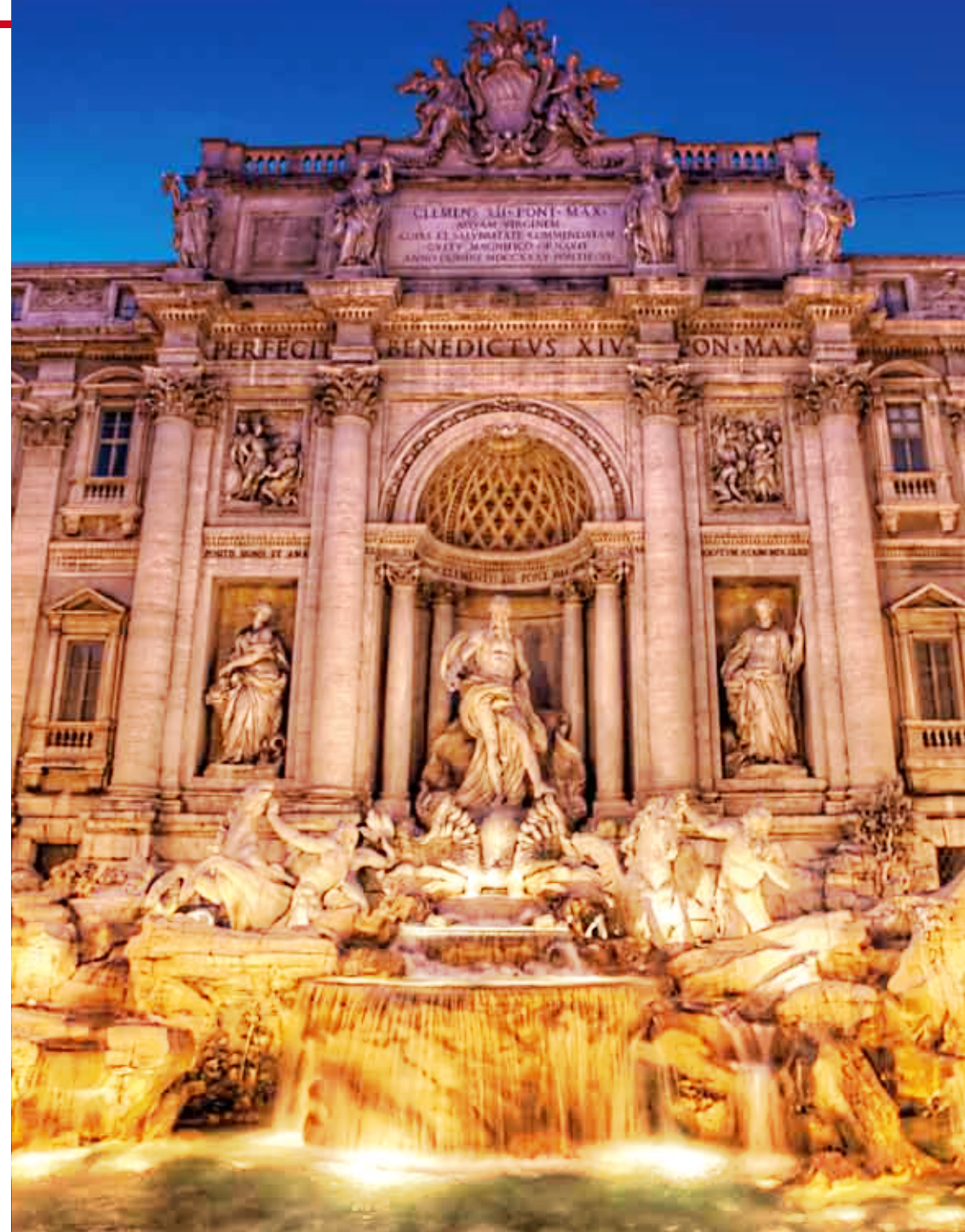
LUCA SERRA - *Istituto Nazionale per lo Studio*

e la Cura sui Tumori Hospital - Napoli, Italy

15.15 - 15.45 **Radiofrequency and oncologic pain:
new approaches?**

MAURIZIO MARCHESINI - *Hospital of Parma*

15.45 - 16.00 **Final discussion**



16:00 - 18:30

Chairman: MASSIMO ALLEGRI, JAMES EISENACH

PLENARY SESSION

16:00 - 16:30

Trigeminal Neuralgia

GIORGIO CRUCCU

16:30 - 17:00

Telomerase activity and new biomarkers to detect pain and pain-related stress

GIUSEPPE LIPPI

17:00 - 17:30

X chromosome and pain

INNA BELFER

17:30 - 18:00

Opioids and chronic pain: to be or not to be?

BART JAN MORLION

18:00 - 18:30

Young Researcher award and YAP Award

19:00 - 21:00

Welcome Cocktail

9:30 - 11:00

Chairman: GIORGIO CRUCCU, MANUELA DE GREGORI

PAIN AND BASIC SCIENCE

9:30 - 9:50

Basic Science Translational Science Clinic - Locus coeruleus: how to see its activity and to objectivate pain

JAMES EISENACH

9:50 - 10:10

Translational - QST and LEP and clinical practice

GIORGIO CRUCCU

10:10 - 10:30

Clinical - Pharmacogenetics: how to determine drug response

RON VAN SCHAİK

10:30 - 11:00

Discussion: how we can change our daily practice

11:00 - 11:30

Coffee Break

11:30 - 13:00

Chairman: TROELS STAEHLIN JENSEN, ANDREA TRUINI

NEUROPATHIC PAIN

11:30 - 11:50

Basic - Genetics and Neuropathic Pain

LUDA DIATCHENKO

11:50 - 12:10

Translational - Diagnosis of neuropathic pain

TROELS STAEHLIN JENSEN

12:10 - 12:30

Clinical - Topical treatment of neuropathic pain

HANS G. KRESS

12:30 - 13:00

Discussion: how we can change our daily practice

13:00 - 14:30

Lunch

14:30 - 16:10

Chairman: FLAMINIA COLUZZI, THOMAS TOELLE

FIBROMYALGIA

14:30 - 14:50

Basic Science Translational Science Clinic - Biomarkers of nociceptive processes for musculoskeletal pain

MICHELE CURATOLO

14:50 - 15:10

Translational - Fibrodetect screening tool

RALF BARON

15:10 - 15:30

Clinical - Gabapentin and fibromyalgia

THOMAS TOELLE

15:30 - 15:50

Clinical - Paracetamol - still an option or a no-go?

HANS G. KRESS

15:50 - 16:10

Discussion: how we can change our daily practice

16:10 - 16:30

Coffee Break

16:30 - 18:00

Chairman: MICHELE CURATOLO, MASSIMO ALLEGRI,
MICHAEL E. SCHATMAN

**A MULTIDISCIPLINARY WAY TO APPROACH
CHRONIC PAIN**

16:30 - 16:50

Basic - Optogenetics: a new tool to discriminate pain - focus on clinical implications

ANTONELLO BONCI

16:50 - 17:10

Translational - ACT, behavioral flexibility and neuroscience: What is the role and influence of brain activity patterns, inflammatory cytokines and executive functions for behavior change in patients with chronic pain?

RIKARD WICKSELL

17:10 - 17:30

From Neuroimaging to Neuromodulation: How Neurotechnologies are Providing New Insights In Vivo Into the Treatment of Migraine and other Chronic Pain Disorders.

ALEXANDRE F. DASILVA

17:30 - 18:00

Discussion: how we can change our daily practice

9:30 - 11:00

Chairman: JOSÉ DE ANDRÉS, MARCO BACIARELLO

**THE NERVE - AN HOLISTIC VIEW TO UNDERSTAND
ITS FUNCTIONALITY, AND HOW TO HANDLE IT DURING
TREATMENTS**

9:30 - 9:50

**Understanding the functionality of the nerve from
a microscopic perspective.**

MIGUEL REINA

9:50 - 10:10

3D reconstruction of intraneural fascicular plexus

ALBERTO PRATS

10:10 - 10:30

Influence of laboratory findings on clinical outcomes

JOSÉ DE ANDRÉS

10:30 - 11:00

Discussion: how we can change our daily practice

11:00 - 11:30

Coffee Break

11:30 - 13:00

Chairman: PATRICIA LAVAND'HOMME, CHRISTINA COMPAGNONE

INFLAMMATION AND STEROIDS

11:30 - 11:50

Pain as immune suppressor

VIJAYA GOTTUMUKKALA

11:50 - 12:10

**Steroids: influence on hyperalgesia and neuropathic
postoperative pain**

PATRICIA LAVAND'HOMME

12:10 - 12:30

**High dose perioperative steroids: implications
on rehabilitation and surgical outcome**

HENRIK KEHLET

12:30 - 13:00

Discussion: how we can change our daily practice

13:00 - 14:30

Lunch

14:30 - 16:00

Chairman: PATRICIA LAVAND'HOMME, DARIO BUGADA
REGIONAL ANESTHESIA: HOW TO BLOCK THE NERVE

14:30 - 14:50

New results on nanocaine 2.0
ENNIO TASCOTTI

14:50 - 15:10

**Perioperative Surgical Home and the Integral Role
of Pain Medicine**
EDWARD MARIANO

15:10 - 15:30

Peripheral nerve blocks also in bilateral TKA
STAVROS G. MEMTSOUDIS

15:30 - 16:00

Discussion: how we can change our daily practice

16:00 - 16:30

Coffee Break

16:30 - 18:00

Chairman: INNA BELFER, ANDREA FANELLI
CHRONIC POSTOPERATIVE PAIN

16:30 - 16:50

Genetics and chronic postoperative pain
INNA BELFER

16:50 - 17:10

How to measure daily activity and chronic postoperative pain
JAMES EISENACH

17:10 - 17:30

**Do anticonvulsants provide clinical benefit in acute pain
and prevent chronification?**
CHRISTOPHER GHARIBO

17:30 - 18:00

Discussion: how we can change our daily practice



9:30 - 11:00

Chairman: PABLO INGELMO

PEDIATRICS

9:30 - 09:45

Interventional pain treatment efficacy: what do you mean?

PABLO INGELMO

9:45 - 10:00

Using ACT to improve behavioral flexibility and functioning in children and adolescents with chronic debilitating pain.

RIKARD WICKSELL

10:00 - 10:15

Effects of pain exposure in early life: laboratory evaluation of mechanisms

SUELLEN WALKER

10:15 - 10:30

New transdermal platform for analgesics and other drugs.

PER-ARNE LÖNNQVIST

10:30 - 11:00

Discussion: How we can change our practice.

PABLO INGELMO

11:00 - 11:30

Coffee Break

11:30 - 13:00

Chairman: PER-ARNE LÖNNQVIST

PEDIATRICS

11:30 - 11:45

Systemic and central regulation of catecholamines in the peri-operative period.

CATHERINE FERLAND

11:45 - 12:00

Effects of pain exposure in early life: clinical data from the EPICure preterm cohort.

SUELLEN WALKER

12:00- 12:15

Semi-objective measures in clinical pain assessment

CATHERINE FERLAND

12:15- 12:30

Should we use cannabinoids in children and adolescents?

PABLO INGELMO

12:30 -13:00

Discussion: How we can change our practice.

PER-ARNE LÖNNQVIST

13:00-14:30

Lunch

14:30 - 16:10

**PRO-CON EPIDURAL STEROIDS -
SORTING THROUGH THE STEROID CONTROVERSY**

Responsible of PRO-CON: MAURIZIO MARCHESINI

Registrations for the PRO-CON sessions are free and only open to the first 50 members

14:30 - 14:50

What is the best steroid to inject epidurally?

Particulate steroid

CHRISTOPHER GHARIBO

14:50 - 15:10

What is the best steroid to inject epidurally? Dexamethasone

LEO KAPURAL

15:10 - 15:30

Paravertebral

JUAN FRANCISCO ASENJO

15:30 - 15:50

Epidural

JOSÉ DE ANDRÈS

15:50 - 16:10

Discussion: how we can change our daily practice

16:10 - 16:30

Coffee Break

16:30 - 18:00

PRO-CON SESSION: RADIOFREQUENCY COOLED VS THERMAL

Responsible of PRO-CON: MARCO BACIARELLO

Registrations for the PRO-CON sessions are free and only open to the first 50 members

16:30 - 16:50

Cooled

LEO KAPURAL

16:50 - 17:10

Continuous

STEFANO PALMISANI

17:10 - 17:30

Pulsed

JAN VAN ZUNDERT

17:30 - 18:00

Discussion: how we can change our daily practice

14:30 - 16:30

**Nanotechnology and Pain: results of the study
"Nanotechnology in acute postoperative pain"**



Round table: MASSIMO ALLEGRI, CHRISTIAN COMPAGNONE
MANUELA DE GREGORI, CAROLINA MUSCOLI, ENNIO TASCOTTI

14.30-16.30

**WIP and FIPP: Italian round table about opportunities
of FIPP certification**

KRIS VISSER, PIERLUIGI MANCHIARO, MASSIMO BARBIERI,
RICHARD RAUCK, JAN VAN ZUNDERT

9:30 - 11:00

Chairman: BENGT LINDEROTH, MARCO BACIARELLO
INTERVENTIONAL PAIN MANAGEMENT

9:30 - 9:50

**Basic - Refractory Chronic Pain Screening Tool (RCPST):
a feasibility study to assess practicality and validity
of identifying potential neurostimulation candidates.**
GIORGIO CRUCCU

9:50 - 10:10

**Translational: physiological mechanisms of Novel
Neuromodulation Techniques: How does new knowledge
fit the Gate Control Concept?**
BENGT LINDEROTH

10:10 - 10:30

**Translational: Stimulation of the dorsal root ganglion
an evidence based alternative to spinal cord stimulation
in the treatment of neuropathic conditions**
JEAN-PIERRE VAN BUYTEN

10:30 - 10:50

Clinical - High frequency
LEO KAPURAL

10:50 - 11:00

Discussion: how we can change our daily practice

11:00 - 11:30

Coffee Break

11:30 - 12:50

Chairman: LUDA DIATCHENKO, MAURIZIO MARCHESINI,
GIANNI COLINI BALDESCHI
DISCOGENIC PAIN

11:30 - 11:50

Actiomics as new biomarker for discogenic pain
IAIN PEMBERTON

11:50 - 12:10

Clinical - Discogenic pain: which evidence based treatment
RICHARD RAUCK

12:10 - 12:25

Clinical - Epiduroscopy: a diagnostic or operative procedure?
STEFANO PALMISANI

12:25 - 12:40

**Clinical - Evidence based approach in diagnosing
and treating low back pain**
JAN VAN ZUNDERT

12:40 - 12:50

Discussion: how we can change our daily practice

12:50 - 14:30

Lunch

14:30 - 16:00

Chairman: MASSIMO ALLEGRI, KRIS VISSERS

LOW BACK PAIN

14:30 - 14:50

Basic - Effect of minocycline on lumbar radicular neuropathic pain

KRISS VISSERS

14:50 - 15:10

Clinical - Ultrasound in the diagnosis and treatment of chronic pain

PHILIP PENG

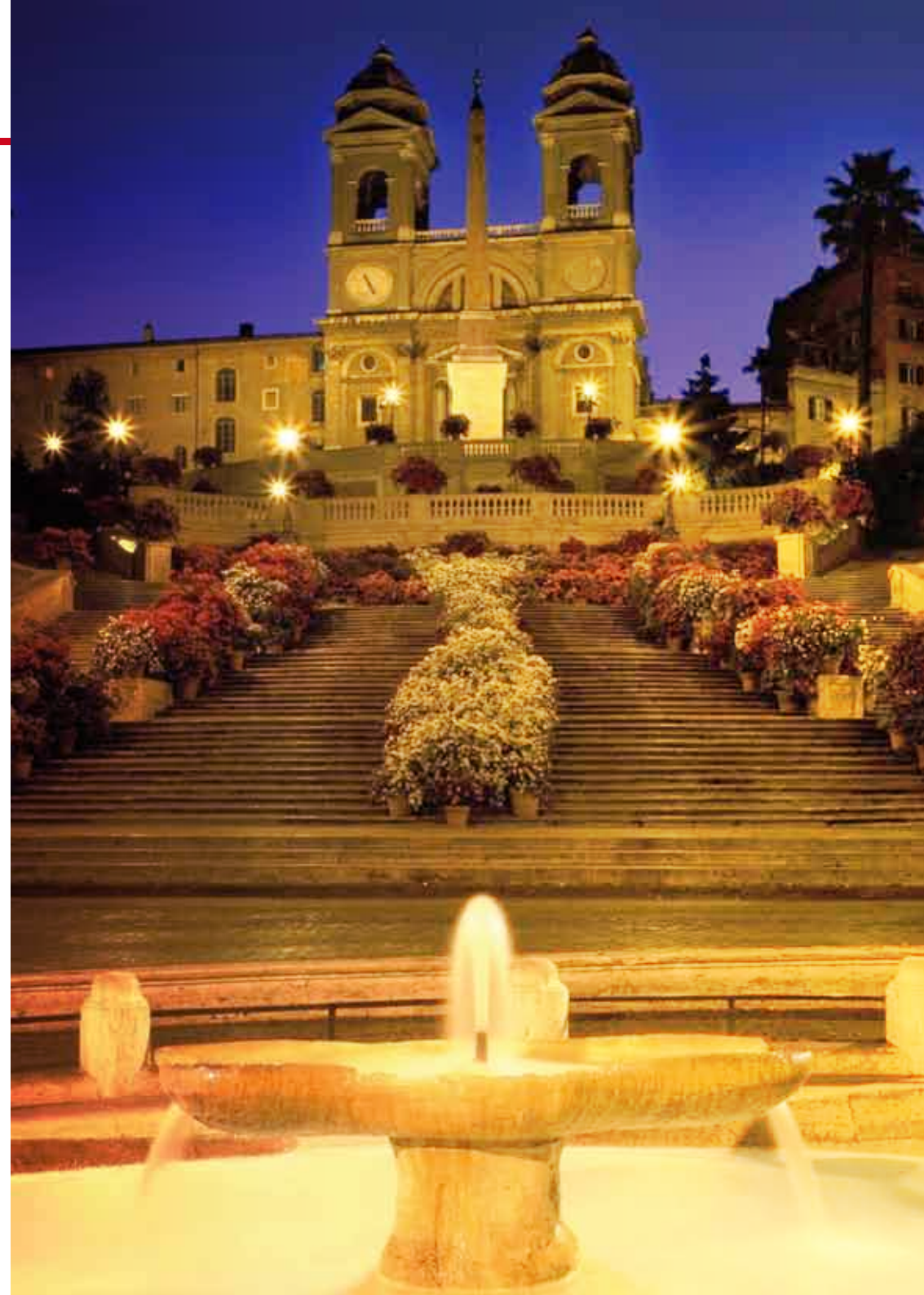
15:10 - 15:30

Translational - Cannabinoids and low back pain

MARK WARE

15:30 - 16:00

Discussion: how we can change our daily practice



9:30 - 11:00

Chairmen: JUAN FRANCISCO ASENJO, ARTURO CUOMO
ONCOLOGICAL NEUROPATHIC PAIN

9:30 - 9:50

The anticancer antibiotic mithramycin-A inhibits TRPV1 expression in dorsal root ganglion neurons.

MARK SCHUMACHER

9:50 - 10:10

Surgically induced Neuropathic Pain in Cancer

JUAN FRANCISCO ASENJO

10:10 - 10:30

Mini-invasive treatment in cancer pain

KRISS VISSERS

10:30 - 11:00

Discussion: how we can change our daily practice

11:00 - 11:30

Coffee Break

11:30 - 13:00

Chairmen: VIJAYA GOTTUMUKKALA, DARIO BUGADA
CANCER ANESTHESIA - CURRENT STATUS AND FUTURE PHILOSOPHY

11:30 - 11:50

Inflammation-based scores: a new method for patient-targeted strategies and improved perioperative outcome in cancer patients.

PATRICIA LAVAND'HOMME

11:50 - 12:10

Immunonutrition

JUAN PABLO CATA

12:10 - 12:30

Fast Track Surgery in cancer Surgery

GABRIELE BALDINI

12:30 - 13:00

Discussion: how we can change our daily practice

13:00 - 14:30

Lunch

14:30 - 16:00

Chairman: TROELS STAEHELIN JENSEN

NEUROLOGY

14:30 - 14:50

New drugs for treating neuropathic pain. Evidence from animal studies

FERDINANDO NICOLETTI

14:50 - 15:10

How diagnostic tests disclose a mechanism based approach to neuropathic pain

ANDREA TRUINI

15:10 - 15:30

Evidence of central origin

TROELS STAEHLIN JENSEN

15:30 - 16:00

Discussion: how we can change our daily practice



9:30 - 11:00

Chairman: VIJAYA GOTTOMUKKALA
AND CHRISTIAN COMPAGNONE

**PRO-CON REGIONAL ANESTHESIA
IN ABDOMINAL SURGERY WHICH BLOCK?**

Registrations for the PRO-CON sessions are free and only open to the first 50 members

9:30 - 9:50

TAP BLOCK

GABRIELE BALDINI

9:50 - 10:10

General Anesthesia

PATRICIA LAVAND'HOMME

10:10 - 10:30

Paravertebral block

EDWARD MARIANO

11:00 - 10:30

Discussion: how we can change our daily practice

11:30 -11:00

Coffee Break

11:30 - 13:00

**PRO-CON: NEUROPATHIC PAIN: CENTRAL OR PERIPHERAL
RESPONSIBLE ANDREA TRUINI**

Registrations for the PRO-CON sessions are free and only open to the first 50 members

11:30 - 11:50

Evidence for a peripheral origin

ANDREA TRUINI

11:50 - 12:10

Evidence for a central origin

TROELS STAEHELIN JENSEN

12:10 - 12:40

Discussion: how we can change our daily practice

13:00 - 14:30

Lunch

14:30 - 15:30

PRO-CON: OPIOIDS IN ACUTE PAIN

Registrations for the PRO-CON sessions are free and only open to the first 50 members

14:30 - 14:50

PRO

ANDREA FANELLI

14:50 - 15:10

CON

JUAN PABLO CATA

15:10 - 15:30

Discussion: how we can change our daily practice

GENERAL INFORMATION

REGISTRATION

VILLA PICCOLOMINI

Via Aurelia Antica 164 · 00165 Rome · Italy

<i>Registration fee Medical Doctors</i>	€	600,00
<i>Registration fee Nurse/Administrative Staff</i>	€	300,00
<i>Residents fee</i>	€	150,00
<i>One Day Only - April 7th</i>	€	100,00

Rates are VAT included.

Registration fee includes Scientific program, Proceedings, Welcome cocktail, Congress Bags, Coffee Breaks and Lunches.

Registration online: www.simpar.eu

Cancellation Policy Fees for registration will be refunded in full if written notice cancellation is received by february 1st 2016

No refund will be given for cancellation received **after february 1st 2016** or if you register but fail to attend.

Please send your written cancellation request to:
info@fedracongressi.com

CME Accreditation

SIMPAR 2016 was accredited by EACCME and assigned 14 European CME Credits (ECMEC).

