



MODENA INTERNATIONAL BREAST CANCER CONFERENCE

7th MEET THE PROFESSOR

Modena, 5-6-7 October 2011



AIMS

The breast cancer meeting in Modena started seven years ago as a Meet the Professor initiative to facilitate the discussion among recognized Experts and physicians involved in breast cancer management. Over the years, the number and the expertise of the attendees has increased as has the scientific content of the meeting. This seventh edition is now an international conference that will gather some of the top scientists and clinicians from all over the world. The Programme of the Conference includes lectures, round tables on topics that require a multifaceted approach, highlights from international meetings, debates on controversial items and clinical case discussions. Even though the Conference has increased the number of the participants and the international inspiration, this 7th Modena International Breast Cancer Conference will maintain its characteristics of a friendly forum where internationally recognized experts and attendees can exchange experiences and comment on the most exiting advances in breast cancer biology and therapy. In order to reward scientific excellence and facilitate international cooperation, the International Scientific Committee of MIBCC 7th, will award the Second International Unimore Prize for Breast Cancer Research to a young scientist who has published a breakthrough paper in the previous year and the Monica Boscolo Research Grant to an Italian scientist willing to pursue a research project in a foreign institution. Medical oncologists, breast surgeons, radiologists, pathologists and basic scientists interested in translational research are welcome to Modena to listen to breast cancer leaders and exchange experience in a friendly atmosphere.

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ADDRESSED TO

Oncologists, radiologists, breast surgeons

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The course has been accredited with 15 ESMO Mora points.

OFFICIAL LANGUAGE

The official language of the Meeting is English. No simultaneous translation will be provided.

REGISTRATION

The registration fee is **€ 250,00** tax free.

It includes the conference bag, the conference book and all coffee breaks and lunches. It does not include hotel accommodation, dinners and travel expenses.

To register, please send:

- registration form duly filled out (even when sponsored by a Pharmaceutical Company)
- privacy statement and consent to the use of personal data (as in the back of the form)
- payment

to Accademia Nazionale di Medicina – Palazzina CUP II Piano, Via Massarenti 9, 40138 Bologna – fax 0039 051 6364605 – e-mail: infobologna@forumservice.net, within september 29th.

Online registration is possible on the website <http://meettheprofessor.accmed.org>

By submitting the form and the payment, your registration is completed with the exception of specific decisions of the Meeting Secretariat.

Incomplete registration will NOT be admitted.

CANCELLATION

- If the participants minimum number is not reached, Accademia Nazionale di Medicina will advise by a written communication and proceed with the total refund of the fee.
- In order to cancel please give advise with a written communication to Accademia Nazionale di Medicina within October 25th. A 70% of the registration fee will be returned. Any cancellation after that deadline will not be reimbursed.

PROGRAMME

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 5th

	Chairman: Pietro Torricelli	14.15	Round Table 2. Innovation in Reconstructive Surgery Chairman: Giorgio De Santis
9.30	Lecture 1 Screening programmes: evidence, limits, perspectives Carlo Naldoni		- Reconstruction with perforator flaps Aldona J. Spiegel
10.00	Lecture 2 Management of high-risk women: BRCA and beyond Laura Cortesi		- Autologous fat transplantation and external vacuum-assisted therapy Roger Kouri
10.30	<i>Coffee break</i>		- Oncoplastic surgery Remy Salmon
11.00	Round Table 1. Breast Cancer Prevention Chairman: Alberto Costa	15.40	- Reconstructive surgery and radiation therapy Giorgio De Santis
	- Lifestyle - Massimo Federico		
	- Chemoprevention - Andrea De Censi	16.10	Clinical Case Discussion 1. Surgical Challenges
	- Surgery - Emiel J. Rutgers		Chairman: Emiel J. Rutgers
	Chairmen: Filippo Bertoni, Giovanni Tazzioli		Presenters: Alberto Bottini, Maria Grazia Lazzaretti, Emanuela Roncella, Giovanni Tazzioli
12.15	Highlights on Surgery Sentinel node biopsy and axillary node dissection: what is new Kelly Hunt		Panelists: Alberto Costa, Kelly Hunt, Philip Poortmans, Remy Salmon
12.45	Highlights on Partial Breast Irradiation New techniques, new data, ASTRO consensus statement Philip Poortmans	17.40	Clinical cases of breast cancers with difficult/ controversial characteristics will be presented. The audience will vote a list of options and the panelists will discuss the votes and express their opinion.
13.15	<i>Lunch break</i>		Adjourn

Chairmen: Pier Franco Conte, Gabriel N. Hortobagyi

8.30 **Highlights on Molecular Pathology**

Gene Expression Profiles as prognosticators and predictors of treatment efficacy
Christos Sotiriou

9.00 **Round Table 3. Which information pathology reports should provide?**

Luca Gianni, Giuseppe Viale

- Focal HER2 amplification
- Rare histologies
- Discrepancy between primary and metastases

10.00 **Clinical Case Discussion 2. Clinicians-Pathologists crosstalk (Part 1)**

Chairman: Gabriel N. Hortobagyi

Presenters: Alessandra Gennari, Anna Maria Molino, Fabio Puglisi

Cases of early breast cancers with clinical or pathological controversial characteristics will be presented. The audience will vote a list of options.

11.00 *Coffee break*

11.30 **Clinical Case Discussion 2. Clinicians-Pathologists crosstalk (Part 2)**

Chairman: Gabriel N. Hortobagyi

Discussant: Valentina Guarneri

Panelists: Pier Franco Conte, Luca Gianni, Sibylle Loibl, Antonio Maiorana, Miguel Martin, Anna Sapino, Christos

Sotiriou, Giuseppe Viale, Christoph Zielinski

On the basis of the clinical cases presented and the audience choices, the discussant will ask the panelists to discuss the role of genomic classifiers and molecular markers in treatment decision.

12.30 **Lecture 3**

Breast cancer stem cells
Maria Grazia Daidone

13.00 *Lunch break*

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14.00 **Lecture 4**

Adjuvant treatment of EBC 2011
Gabriel N. Hortobagyi

14.30 **Highlights on Bisphosphonates as adjuvant treatment for early breast cancer**

Robert Coleman

15.00 **Debate 1. Closing credits for chemotherapy in HR+ EBC?**

Pro chemotherapy - Miguel Martin

Contra chemotherapy - Christoph Zielinski

16.00 *Coffee break*

16.20 **Highlights on Primary Systemic Therapy for OBC**

Sibylle Loibl

16.50 **Ceremony for the presentation of the UniMore Award for advances in breast cancer research, the Monica Boscolo Research Grant and Patrizia Rossi merit award.**

17.10 **Lecture of the Unimore awardee**

17.40 Adjourn

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 7th

Chairmen: Pier Franco Conte, Steven Johnston

8.30 **Lecture 5**
Inflammatory breast cancer
Hussein Khaled

9.00 **Debate 2. Closing credits for chemotherapy in HER2+ disease?**
Pro chemotherapy – David Khayat
Contra chemotherapy – Steven Johnston

10.00 *Coffee break*

10.30 **Lecture 6**
Triple negative breast cancer: how many diseases, how many therapies?
Marjorie C. Green

11.00 **Clinical Case Discussion 3. Multidisciplinary approach to metastatic breast cancer**

Chairman: Jacek Jassem

Presenters: Carmelo Bengala, Roberto Sabbatini, Claudio Zamagni

Panelists: Filippo Bertoni, Pier Franco Conte, Marjorie C. Green, Gabriel N. Hortobagyi, Fikri Icli, Stephen Johnston

Cases of advanced breast cancers with limited tumor burden or metastatic sites eligible for a multidisciplinary treatment will be presented and the panelists will discuss the audience choices and express their opinion.

12.30 **Highlights on advanced HR+ disease**
Paolo Pronzato

12.50 **Highlights on Metastatic Bone Disease**
Antonio Frassoldati

13.10 **Update on ongoing adjuvant trials in HER2+ EBC**
Valentina Guarneri

13.30 Adjourn and final evaluation questionnaire

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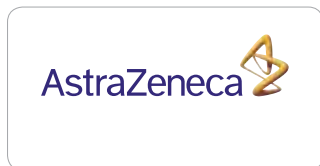


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The Scholarship includes a reward of € 1000,00, the registration fee, travel and accommodation in Modena for the Meeting. It will be assigned to the best publication on International press during the current year or "in press" to the date July 20th, 2011. The main author must be a clinical oncologist younger than 45 years old. Please send the request together with two copies of the work within July 15th to Accademia Nazionale di Medicina, Via Martin Piaggio 17/6, 16122 Genova – Subject: MIBCC

Monica Boscolo Research Grant

The Scientific Committee will select the winner of the Monica Boscolo Research Grant. This Research Award is restricted to young Italian researchers (<40 years) who will carry out a research project at a foreign institution. The award is made for an amount up to € 24.000.

Unimore Award

The Scientific Committee will select young researchers (<40 years from any country) who have published in an international peer-reviewed journal, as the principal author, a manuscript reporting important clinical or biological advances in breast cancer. Prof. Conte and Prof. Hortobagyi will select the final winner which will be invited to present his/her study during the annual Conference. The Unimore Award consists of € 6.000.

Patrizia Rossi Merit Award

This award is restricted to students of the University of Modena and Reggio Emilia who have graduated in 2010/2011 with a graduation thesis on biological or clinical aspects of breast cancer. The award consists of € 1.000.