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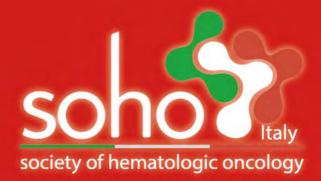




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#### What is SOHO Italy?

The Italian Society of Hematologic Oncology is bringing together leading SOHO experts and top Italian researchers in acute leukemias, MPDs and MDSs, aims to consolidate the Italian Hematology-SOHO partnership.

#### Purpose

The aim of the association is the integration of the clinical-scientific activities of IRST Meldola and MD Anderson Cancer Center and the improvement of the clinical-therapeutic approach to patients with hematologic malignancies.

#### Represented by

The Society SOHO Italy is represented by G. Martinelli and C. Cerchione, IRST Meldola, and H. Kantarjian, E. Jabbour, M. Konopleva, N. Daver, MD Anderson Cancer Center.

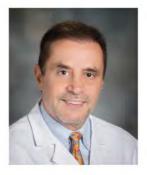
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#### **Claudio** Cerchione

Since 2018, he works in Hematology Unit of Istituto Scientifico Romagnolo per lo Studio e la Cura dei Tumori Dino Amadori (IRST) IRCCS. He also has spent international research experiences in Friedrich-wilhelms universität, Bonn, Germany, in Universitade de Coimbra, Portugal, collaborating in their clinical and research projects, and in MD Anderson Cancer Center, Houston, USA, where he was nominated Ambassdor of SOHO (Society of Hematologic Oncology). He is member of the editorial boards of many scientific journals, and member of several international societies, including the Society of Hematologic Oncology (SOHO), American Society of Hematology (ASH), European Hematology Association (EHA) and Italian Society of Hematology (SIE).

#### Hagop Kantarjian



Hagop Kantarjian, M.D. is professor and chair of the Department of Leukemia at The University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center, where he is also the Samsung Distinguished Leukemia Chair in Cancer Medicine. He is also a non-resident fellow in health policy at the Rice University Baker Institute. Doctor Kantarjian has received several prestigious honours and awards including the 37th Jeffrey A Gottlieb Memorial Award (2012), the John Mendelsohn Lifetime Scientific Achievement Award (2008), the Joseph H. Burchenal Memorial Award (2013), the Charles A. LeMaistre, M.D. Outstanding Achievement Award in Cancer (2014), and America's Top Doctors, Castle Connolly Medical (2003 - present). He was also selected the top Castle Connolly National Physician of the Year Award for Lifetime Achievement (2014). Doctor Kantarjian's research focuses on translational-clinical developmental therapeutics.



#### Giovanni Martinelli

As of 1 Janury 2018, Professor Giovanni Martinelli is scientific director of Istituto Scientifico Romagnolo per lo Studio e la Cura dei Tumori Dino Amadori (IRST) IRCCS, in Meldola (FC), Italy. Until December 2017, Professor Giovanni Martinelli was associate professor of Hematology at the Institute of Hematology "L. & A. Seragnoli", Azienda Ospedaliera S. Orsola - Malpighi at the University of Bologna, Italy. His main fields of research are AML, ALL and CML, including research on targeted therapies in major hematological syndromes: Acute Leukemias, CML (both Philadelphia-chromosome positive and non - positive), and hypereosinophilic syndrome.

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## MULTIPLE MYELOMA

## Rationale

In the last decades, survival rates of Multiple Myeloma have been brilliantly improved thanks to the introduction of novel agents: patients diagnosed after 2010 have had higher rates of novel therapy use and better survival outcomes compared with those of earlier years. Most relevant therapeutic advances over the past decades has been the introduction of novel therapies, such as immune-modifying agents (thalidomide and lenalidomide) and proteasome inhibitors (bortezomib), adopted with or without stem cell transplantation.

Moreover, in the last few years, the MM therapeutic "toolbox" has improved further with the approval in new generation IMID (pomalidomide), the monoclonal antibodies, daratumumab and

elotuzumab, as well as the new-generation proteasome inhibitors, carfilzomib and ixazomib, waiting for introduction in daily practice of novel agents with new mechanism of action (Belantamab, CAR-T).



At the same time, there is increasing understanding of MM tumor biology, creating the rationale for new combinations of drugs and new therapy develoment. Discovery of the associated cytogenetic abnormalities confirm the hypothesis that MM is a heterogeneous disease, suggesting that risk-adapted therapies and individualizing treatment will further help improve patient management.

In this scenario, our aim is to create a international team, integrating a big faculty composed by international experts, which will integrate with a group of young researchers with known experience in this disease ("SOHO Multiple Myeloma cantera"), in order to share projects and preclinical and clinical new clinical trials, in different fields of this heterogeneous disease.

The "cantera" (Under40) will be selected through projects' submission and CV evaluation, which will be performed by the big faculty, and will be able to be integrated in next editions.



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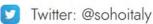
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01 jul 2022	08.30 - 18.30	01.30 am - 11.30 pm

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The official language during the congress is English, therefore, all presentations will be given in English.

#### CLIMATE

The average temperature is around 20 - 32 degrees.

#### BANKING SERVICE

The official currency in Rome is the Euro. Foreign currencies can be exchanged at banks, which are usually open from Monday to Friday from 08:30 to 13:30.

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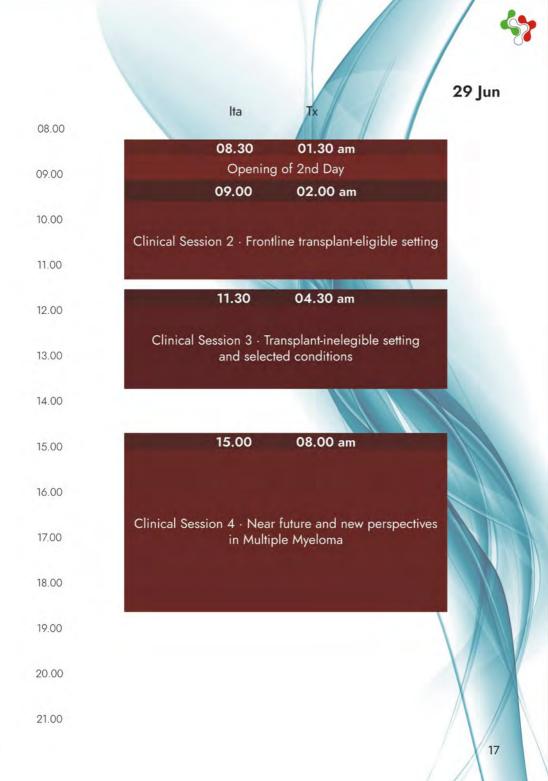
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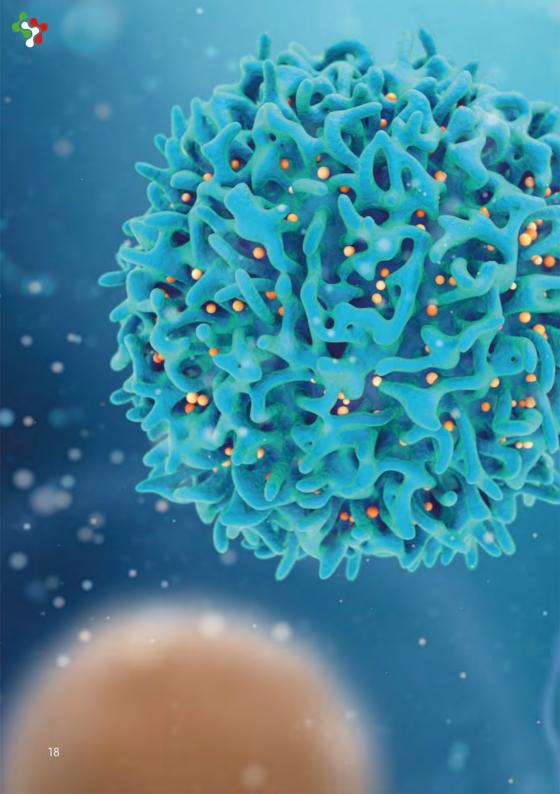
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#### FRONTAL SESSION

**09.00** Opening and introduction to the project **C. Cerchione, G. Martinelli** 

#### BIOLOGY AND IMAGING IN MULTIPLE MYELOMA: FROM OLD TO NEW TOOLS

Chairs: G. Martinelli

**09.20** New insights in molecular pathogenesis of Multiple Myeloma **P. Neri** 

**09.40** Exploring microinvironment – from biology to therapy **A. Romano** 

**10.00** Importance of network in Multiple Myeloma: where are we going? **G. Martinelli** 

10.20 Coffee Break

**10.40** Oral Communication 1 - Biology and Imaging in Multiple Myeloma: from old to new tools 1

**11.00** Oral Communication 2 - Biology and Imaging in Multiple Myeloma: from old to new tools 2

**11.20** Oral Communication 3 - Biology and Imaging in Multiple Myeloma: from old to new tools 3

**11.40** Discussion – Questions and Answers



#### SOHO ITALY SYMPOSIUM CD38 IN BASIC SCIENCE AND CLINICAL PRACTICE: REFLECTING ON THE PAST TO MOVE TO THE FUTURE

Chairs: M. Boccadoro, C. Cerchione, F. Malavasi, A. Paulus

**12.00** CD38 in basic science and clinical practice: reflecting on the past to move to the future **F. Malavasi** 

**12.20** Targeting CD38 to reshape the tumor immune microenvironment and its clinical impact in hematological malignancies **A. Paulus** 

**12.40** Introducing anti-CD38 in daily practice of Multiple Myeloma **C. Cerchione** 

**13.00** Making the history of Multiple Myeloma in EMN Clinical Trials: where are we going **M. Boccadoro** 

13.20 Discussion

13.40 Lunch

#### CLINICAL SESSION 1 MULTIPLE MYELOMA: STATE OF THE ART

Chairs: K.C. Anderson, M. Cavo, C. Cerchione, H.C. Lee, M.V. Mateos

**15.00** Management of smoldering Multiple Myeloma: past, present and future **M.V. Mateos** 

**15.20** Present and future of management of relapsed/refractory Multiple Myeloma **C. Cerchione** 



**15.40** Managing Relapse Following Novel Immune Therapies **K.C. Anderson** 

**16.00** Antibody-Drug Conjugates (ADCs) and Bispecific T-cell Engagers (TCEs) in Multiple Myeloma: how are they changing the current panorama **H. Lee** 

**16.20** Estabilished and new options for maintenance therapy **M. Cavo** 

16.40 Discussion

17.00 Coffee Break

- 17.20 Oral Communication 4 Multiple Myeloma Clinical 1
- 17.40 Oral Communication 5 Multiple Myeloma Clinical 2
- 18.00 Oral Communication 6 Multiple Myeloma Clinical 3

18.20 Discussion

**18.40** Conclusions of 1st Day **C. Cerchione, G. Martinelli** 



**08.30** Opening of 2nd Day **C. Cerchione, G. Martinelli** 

CLINICAL SESSION 2 FRONTLINE TRANSPLANT-ELIGIBLE SETTING Chairs: M. Cavo, A. Olivieri

**09.00** How I manage frontline Multiple Myeloma **C. Cerchione** 

**09.20** Role of allogenic stem cell transplantation in MM in novel agents era **A. Olivieri** 

09.40 Oral Communication 7 - Multiple Myeloma - Clinical 4

10.00 Oral Communication 8 - Multiple Myeloma - Clinical 5

10.20 Oral Communication 9 - Multiple Myeloma - Clinical 6

10.40 Discussion

11.00 Coffee Break

#### CLINICAL SESSION 3 TRANSPLANT-INELEGIBLE SETTING AND SELECTED CONDITIONS

Chairs: D. Derudas , P. Tosi

**11.30** Frail patients: from old to new options – what we have learnt **P. Tosi** 

**11.50** Extramedullary disease and plasma cell leukemia **D. Derudas** 

**12.10** Balancing efficacy and tolerability in novel agents-based treatments **M. Gentile** 



12.30 Oral Communication 10 - Multiple Myeloma - Clinical 7

12.50 Oral Communication 11 - Multiple Myeloma - Clinical 8

13.10 Discussion

**13.30** Lunch

#### CLINICAL SESSION 4 NEAR FUTURE AND NEW PERSPECTIVES IN MULTIPLE MYELOMA Chairs: F. Di Raimondo, C. Terragna

**15.00** Importance of Minimal Residual Disease assessment within the bone marrow of Multiple Myeloma

#### C. Terragna

**15.20** New drugs on the horizon in Italy - from present to the nearest approvals

#### F. Di Raimondo

**15.40** Bench-to-Bedside Development of a unique Bcl-2 inhibitor for Treatment of Multiple Myeloma

#### A. Paulus

**16.00** CAR-T from clinical trials to real world: lights and shadows in Italy **M. Martino** 

16.20 Oral Communication 12 - Multiple Myeloma - Clinical 9

16.40 Oral Communication 13 - Multiple Myeloma - Clinical 10

17.00 Oral Communication 14 - Multiple Myeloma - Clinical 11

17.20 Oral Communication 15 - Multiple Myeloma - Clinical 12

**17.40** Discussion - Questions and Answers



18.00 Special LectureMultiple myeloma cured in 2030: what are the next steps?K. Anderson

18.30 Special Lecture

Ongoing and nearest clinical trials of European Myeloma Network (EMN) **F. Gay** 

19.00 Conclusions and awards C. Cerchione, G. Martinelli



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