

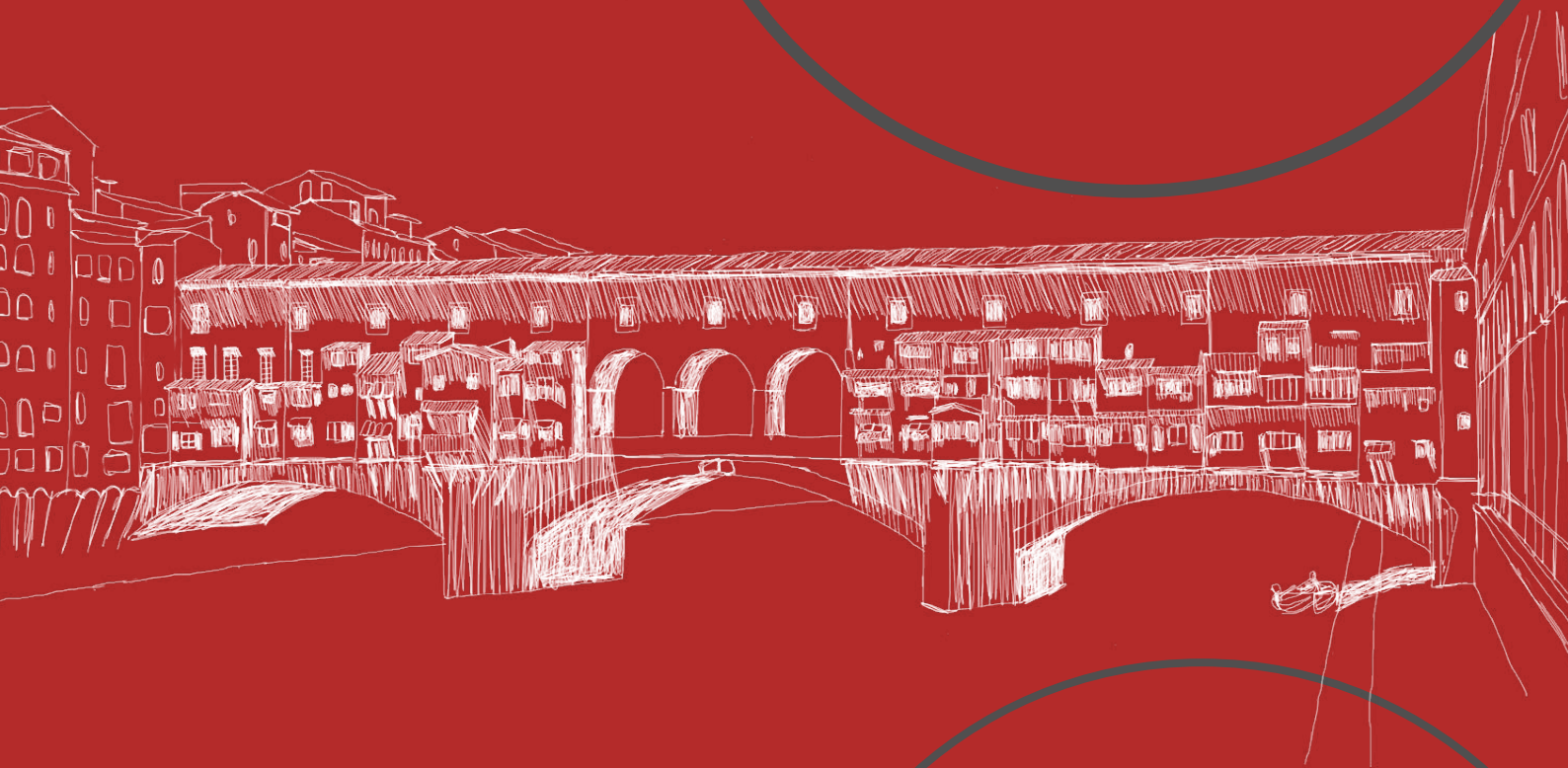


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4th EUVAS VASCULITIS COURSE



October
13th > 15th
2022

Venue: **Firenze Stazione Leopolda**

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PROGRAMME

THURSDAY - OCTOBER, 13TH 2022

09.00
15.00

EUVAS Annual General Meeting (David Jayne, Ingeborg Bajema, Thomas Hauser, Maria C. Cid, Alfred Mahr)

President's report, Secretary's report, Treasurer's report
Vote on approval of accounts

Welcome, EUVAS Plenary Meeting

Histopathology & biomarkers
Clinical studies, Registry studies, Genetics, Clinical trials

Close (David Jayne)

Opening ceremony

16.00
16.30

David Jayne, Domenico Prisco

Welcome

IMMUNOLOGY AND GENETICS IN VASCULITIS

Chairpersons:

Francesco Annunziato

TBA

16.30
16.50

Carola Vinuesa

Follicular T Helper Cells in autoimmune diseases

16.50
17.10

Mariana J. Kaplan

Neutrophils in autoimmune diseases

17.10
17.30

Richard Kitching

T cells in systemic vasculitis

17.30
17.50

Marina Botto

Complement deficiency and (auto)inflammation

17.50
18.10

Ana Marquez

Genomic and epigenomic findings in vasculitis

18.10
18.30

Discussion

KEYNOTE PLENARY LECTURE

Chairpersons:

Loïc Guillevin

Carlo Salvarani

18.30
19.00

Cees Kallenberg

When it all started

19.00

Welcome cocktail

FRIDAY - OCTOBER, 14TH 2022 - MORNING

08.00
08.45

PARALLEL COURSES WITH BREAKFAST

Room A

Chairperson: **Paola Parronchi**

Interstitial lung disease in AAV

Introduced by **Paola Parronchi** (7')

Case presentation, **Alvise Berti** (8')

Interstitial lung disease in AAV, **Aladdin Mohammad** (15')

Discussion (15')

Room B

Chairperson: **Gabriella Moroni**

Renal involvement in AAV

Introduced by **Gabriella Moroni** (7')

Case presentation, **Marco Allinovi** (8')

Slowly progressive renal AAV, **Giorgio Trivioli** (15')

Discussion (15')

Room C

Chairperson: **Allyson Egan**

New treatments for EGPA

Introduced by **Allyson Egan** (7')

Case presentation, **Federica Bello** (8')

Anti-IL5 in EGPA, **Giacomo Emmi** (15')

Discussion (15')

Room D

Chairperson: **Xavier Puechal**

Precision medicine in AAV

Introduced by **Xavier Puechal** (7')

Case presentation, **Maria L. Urban** (8')

Predictors of response to RTX in AAV. From histopathology to pharmacogenetics, **Federico Alberici** (15')

Discussion (15')

FRIDAY - OCTOBER, 14TH 2022 - MORNING

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08.45

PARALLEL COURSES WITH BREAKFAST

Room E

Chairperson: **Michael Walsh**

Glucocorticoids in AAV

Introduced by **Michael Walsh** (7')

Case presentation, **Mark McClure** (8')

Early glucocorticoid withdrawal in AAV, **Alan Salama** (15')

Discussion (15')

Room F

Chairperson: **David Jayne**

Treatment of severe AAV

Introduced by **David Jayne** (7')

Case presentation, **Rachel Jones** (8')

Treatment of severe forms of AAV, **Stephen McAdoo** (15')

Discussion (15')

Room G

Chairperson: **Lucio Manenti**

Complement inhibition in AAV

Introduced by **Lucio Manenti** (7')

Case presentation, **Pani Gopaluni** (8')

Complement inhibition in AAV, **Ralph Kettritz** (15')

Discussion (15')

Room H

Chairperson: **Matija Crnogorac**

ANCA negative AAV

Introduced by **Matija Crnogorac** (7')

Case presentation **Giovanni Maria Rossi** (8')

Treatment of ANCA negative AAV, **Charles Pusey** (15')

Discussion (15')

FRIDAY - OCTOBER, 14TH 2022 - MORNING

PLENARY SESSION

ORGAN INVOLVEMENT IN VASCULITIS

Chairpersons: **Thomas Hauser,**
Marzia Caproni

09.00 **Paola Romagnani**
09.30 **Lecture:** Kidney damage and regeneration in systemic diseases

09.30 **Mark Little**
09.50 Kidney involvement in ANCA vasculitis

09.50 **Lionel Ginsberg**
10.10 Central and peripheral nervous system in vasculitis

10.10 **Cord Sunderkotter**
10.30 Mucocutaneous involvement in systemic vasculitides

10.30 **Discussion**
10.50

10.50 *Coffee Break*
11.20

Chairpersons: **Domenico Prisco,**
Andreas Kronbichler

11.20 **Marcos Martinez del Pero**
11.40 ENT disease in AAV and EGPA

11.40 **Ulrich Specks**
12.00 The lung in small vessel vasculitis: granulomatous, vasculitic and interstitial lesions

12.00 **Iacopo Olivetto**
12.20 Cardiac involvement in vasculitis

12.20 **Giacomo Emmi**
12.40 Thrombotic events in systemic vasculitis

12.40 **Discussion**
13.00

13.00 *Lunch*
14.15

PLENARY SESSION

DIAGNOSTIC TOOLS AND DIFFERENTIAL DIAGNOSIS IN VASCULITIS

Chairpersons: **Angelo Manfredi,
Renato Alberto Sinico**

14.15 **Ken Smith**
14.45 **Lecture:** B cells in autoimmunity

14.45 **Eoin McInney**
15.05 New diagnostic tools for diagnosis and relapse of AAV and other vasculitides

15.05 **Ingeborg Bajema**
15.25 Renal histology patterns in AAV and other vasculitides

15.25 **Paneez Khoury**
15.45 Hypereosinophilic syndromes: from EGPA to HES

15.45 **Discussion**
16.00

16.00 *Coffee Break*
16.30

Chairpersons: **Rashid Luqmani,
Ahmet Gül**

16.30 **Maria C. Cid**
17.00 **Lecture:** Immunopathogenesis of Giant Cells Arteritis

17.00 **Peter Grayson**
17.20 Large vessel involvement and auto-inflammatory diseases

17.20 **Justin Mason**
17.40 Imaging studies in medium-sized and large vessel vasculitis

17.40 **Carlo Salvarani**
18.00 Primary and secondary CNS vasculitis

18.00 **Discussion**
18.30

18.30 *Cocktail and Gala Dinner*

SATURDAY - OCTOBER, 15TH 2022 - MORNING

08.00
08.45

PARALLEL COURSES WITH BREAKFAST

Room A

Chairperson: **Nicolas Schleinitz**

IgG4-related disease

Introduced by **Nicolas Schleinitz** (7')

Case presentation, **Federica Maritati** (8')

Periaortitis: IgG4-related or -unrelated?, **Augusto Vaglio** (15')

Discussion (15')

Room B

Chairperson: **Carlo Salvarani**

Large vessel GCA

Introduced by **Carlo Salvarani** (7')

Case presentation, **Adalgisa Palermo** (8')

Large vessel involvement in GCA, **Francesco Muratore** (15')

Discussion (15')

Room C

Chairperson: **David Saadoun**

Refractory Behçet's syndrome (vascular phenotype)

Introduced by **David Saadoun** (7')

Case presentation, **Elena Silvestri** (8')

Refractory vasculo-Behçet, **Emire Seyahi** (15')

Discussion (15')

Room D

Chairperson: **Haner Direskeneli**

Refractory Behçet's syndrome (mucocutaneous and articular phenotype)

Introduced by **Haner Direskeneli** (7')

Case presentation, **Filippo Fagni** (8')

Refractory mucocutaneous-Behçet, **Giuseppe Lopalco** (15')

Discussion (15')

SATURDAY - OCTOBER, 15TH 2022 - MORNING

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08.45

PARALLEL COURSES WITH BREAKFAST

Room E

Chairperson: **TBA**

Procedures in LVV

Introduced by **TBA** (7')

Case presentation, **Omer Karadag** (8')

Interventional procedures in Takayasu arteritis, **Cristina Ponte** (15')

Discussion (15')

Room F

Chairperson: **Rosaria Talarico**

Difficult to treat LVV

Introduced by **Rosaria Talarico** (7')

Case presentation, **Sara Monti** (8')

Refractory LVV, **Nicolò Pipitone** (15')

Discussion (15')

Room G

Chairperson: **Paul Brogan**

Monogenic vasculitis

Introduced by **Paul Brogan** (7')

Case presentation, **Stefano Volpi** (8')

Monogenic vasculitis, **Marco Gattorno** (15')

Discussion (15')

Room H

Chairperson: **Gabriele Simonini**

Pediatric vasculitis

Introduced by **Gabriele Simonini** (7')

Case presentation, **Marta Calatroni** (8')

Pediatric vasculitis, **Seza Ozen** (15')

Discussion (15')

SATURDAY - OCTOBER, 15TH 2022 - MORNING

PLENARY SESSION

TREATMENT

Chairpersons: **Kerstin Westman,
Dario Roccatello**

09.00 09.30	David Jayne Lecture: Novel therapeutic approaches in autoimmune diseases: from bench to bedside
09.30 09.50	Vladimir Tesar Complement inhibition in AAV
09.50 10.10	Alfred Mahr New therapeutic targets in EGPA: are we changing our approach?
10.10 10.30	Peter Merkel AAV: evidence from recent clinical trials
10.30 10.50	Benjamin Terrier RTX vs CYC in AAV
10.50 11.10	Discussion
11.10 11.40	<i>Coffee Break</i>

Chairpersons: **Petros Sfikakis,
Luca Cantarini**

11.40 12.00	Gülen Hatemi Biologics and beyond in Behçet's syndrome
12.00 12.20	Luca Quartuccio Direct anti-viral agents in Cryoglobulinaemic Vasculitis
12.20 12.40	Augusto Vaglio IgA vasculitis: towards new therapeutic approaches
12.40 13.00	Ann Morgan Should we be aiming to abandon glucocorticoids in LVV?
13.00 13.15	Discussion
13.15	David Jayne, Domenico Prisco Closing remarks
	<i>Lunch</i>

SATURDAY - OCTOBER, 15TH 2022 - AFTERNOON

14.30
18.00

EUROPEAN EGPA STUDY GROUP MEETING

Chairpersons:

**Giacomo Emmi,
Benjamin Terrier,
Augusto Vaglio**

Session I – EGPA recommendations

Coordinator: **Augusto Vaglio**

Update and discussion on the new EGPA recommendations

(Augusto Vaglio, Alessandra Bettiol, Elena Gelain, Giacomo Emmi)

Session II - EGPA study group studies (clinical and translational)

Coordinators: **Giacomo Emmi, Alessandra Bettiol**

Completed studies, Ongoing studies, Future studies

Session III - Biomarker studies

Coordinator: **Chiara Marvisi**

Session IV - RCTs in EGPA

Coordinator: **Benjamin Terrier**

Session V - Patient organization

Coordinators: **Eugenia Durante, Francesca Torracca**

General Assembly

Close

14.30
18.00

RESEARCH MEETING IN TAKAYASU ARTERITIS

Chairpersons:

**Haner Direskeneli,
Justin Mason,
Carlo Salvarani**

Session I - Introduction

(Haner Direskeneli, Justin Mason, Carlo Salvarani)

Session II - clinical and translational studies in Takayasu

Completed studies, Ongoing studies, Future studies

Session III - RCTs in Takayasu

General Assembly

Close

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Firenze Stazione Leopolda

Viale Fratelli Rosselli, 5 - 50144 Florence (IT)

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www.aeroporto.firenze.it

www.gestramvia.com/t2-vespucci

ARRIVING BY TRAIN

The main central railway station of Santa Maria Novella (one of the most important railway junctions as well as an interchange point of Florence public transportation) is located not far from the venue of the event. From the railway station, it is possible to reach Stazione Leopolda with the Tramvia T1, direction to Villa Costanza, from Alamanni Stazione to Porta al Prato - Leopolda which is just 1 stop from the railway station.

www.trenitalia.com

ARRIVING BY CAR

Florence is well connected to the main Italian cities through an efficient motorway network, which allows an easy access to the city centre, where the congress and exhibition centre is located. It is possible to park at the paying underground car park at Parcheggio Porta al Prato Stazione Leopolda - Via Elio Gabbuggiani, 2 - Florence.

TECHNICAL FACILITIES

Facilities will be available for computer presentations and overhead projections.

A business center with PC (Powerpoint for Windows) will be available for check and preview of presentations. It is essential that speakers take their presentation to the business center at least one hour before the session starts.

The center will be open at the following times:

Thursday, October 13th from 9:00am to 7:00pm

Friday, October 14th from 08:00am to 6:30pm

Saturday, October 15th from 8:00am to 6:00pm

OFFICIAL LANGUAGE

The official language of the meeting will be English. Simultaneous interpretation will be provided in plenary room.

LUNCH AND COFFEE BREAK

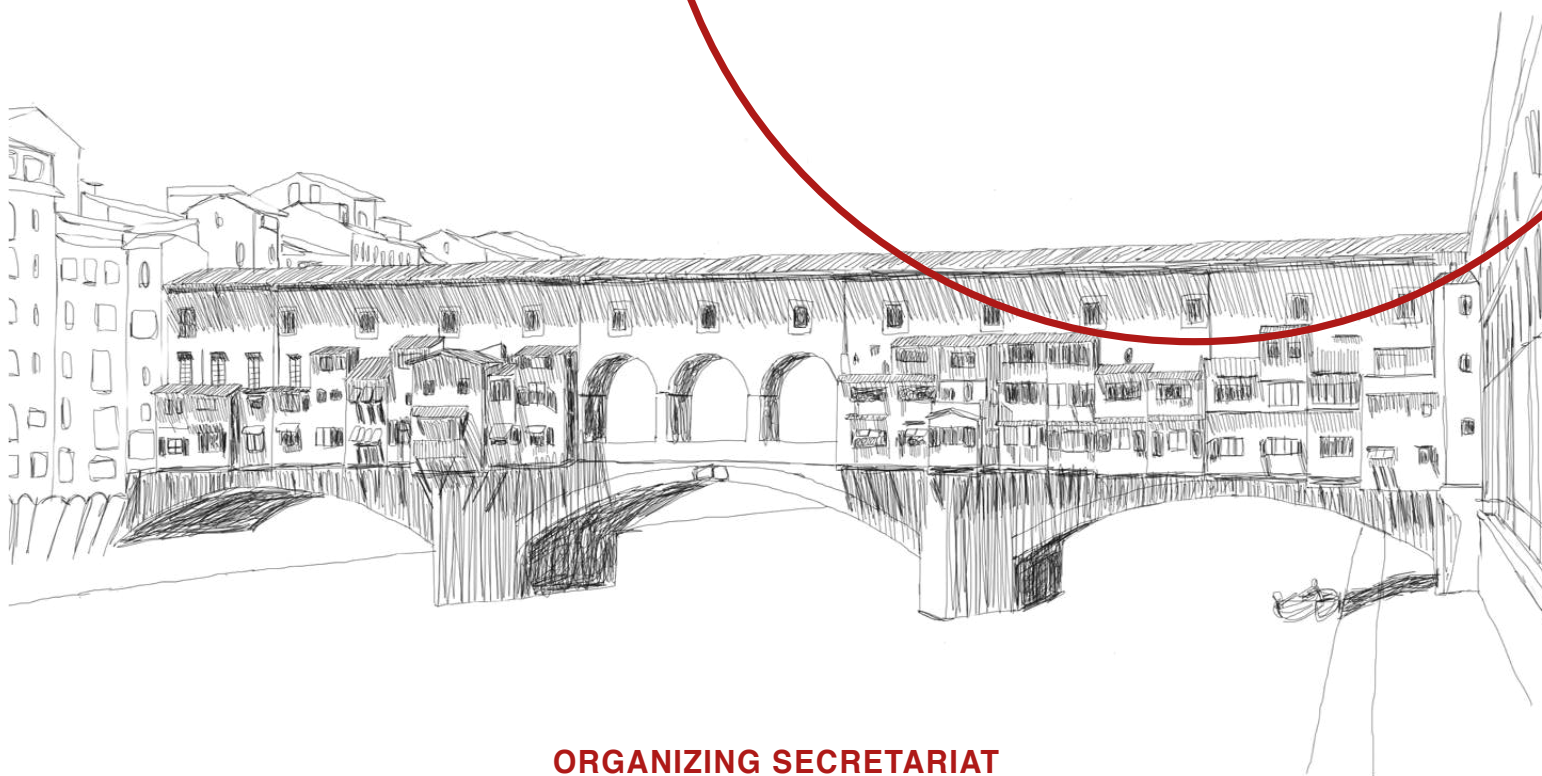
Lunches and coffee breaks will be served in the meeting area.

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