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**9th International Residential Course on Drug Resistant Epilepsies**

**Bambino Gesù Children’s Hospital – IRCCS, Rome – Italy**

With the endorsement of

**International League against Epilepsy**

**ILAE Europe**

**Lega Italiana Contro l’Epilessia**

**Tagliacozzo (AQ), Italy**

**4-10 September 2022**

**PROGRAMME AND FACULTY**

**Sunday 4th of September**

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| 16.00-18.00 | Arrival |  |  |
| 18.30-19.30 | Welcome and introduction to the Course | Organizing Committee and local authorities |  |

**Monday 5th of September**

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|  |  | **Chair: M. Bialer – M. Walker** | | |  |
| 08.30-09.30 | L1 | Drug resistant epilepsy: concept and biological basis | | | E. Palma |
| 09.30-10.30 | L2 | Old & New Antiepileptic Drugs (AEDs) and their Clinically-Relevant Drug Interaction | | | M. Bialer |
| 10.30-11.00 | *Coffee Break* |  | | |  |
| 11.00-12.45 | WG1 | P. Tinuper | E. Gardella | M. Bialer |  |
| 13.00-14.30 | *Lunch* |  | | |  |
|  |  | **Chair: M. Bialer – M. Walker** | | |  |
| 14.30-15.15 | L3 | Personalized medicine, where we are: is still far from the real world? | | | N. Specchio |
| 15.15-16.15 | L4 | Gene therapy for epilepsy: how far is? | | | M. Walker |
| 16.15-16.45 | *Coffee Break* |  | | |  |
| 16.45-19.15 | Plenary Case presentation | Chair: P. Tinuper – F. Vigevano | | |  |

**Tuesday 6th September**

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|  |  | **Chair: F. Vigevano – E. Gardella** | | |  |
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| 08.30-09.30 | L1 | New AEDs in the pipeline: What is next after fenfluramine and cenobamate | | | M. Bialer |
| 09.30-10.30 | L2 | Critical interpretation of clinical trials | | | E. Perucca (remote) |
| 10.30-11.00 | *Coffee Break* |  | | |  |
| 11.00-12.45 | WG1 | M. Bialer | P. Tinuper | E. Gardella |  |
| 13.00-14.00 | *Lunch* |  | | |  |
|  |  | **Chair: H. Cross – E. Gardella** | | |  |
| 14.00 -14.45 | L3 | Genetic panels and molecular tests | | | M. Trivisano |
| 14.45 – 15.30 | L5 | How to deal with Developmental and epileptic encephalopathies | | | H. Cross |
| 15.30 – 16.00 | *Coffee Break* |  | | |  |
| 16.00 – 16.45 |  | Cellular and molecular biomarkers in drug resistant epilepsies | | | E. Aronica |
| 16.45 – 18.00 | WG2 | E. Gardella | M. Bialer | P. Tinuper |  |
| 18.00 – 19.30 | Plenary Case presentation | **Chair: H. Cross - N. Specchio** | | |  |

**Wednesday 7th of September**

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|  |  | **Chair: L. de Palma – P. Tinuper** | | |  |
| 08.30 – 09.30 | L1 | Structural abnormalities in Developmental and Epileptic encephalopathies | | | R. Guerrini |
| 09.30 – 10.15 | L2 | Video-EEG in early onset severe epilepsies | | | L. Fusco |
| 10.15 – 10.45 | *Coffee Break* |  | | |  |
|  |  | **Chair: M. Trivisano – F. Vigevano** | | |  |
| 10.45 – 11.30 | L3 | From genetic testing to the phenotype | | | E. Gardella |
| 11.30 – 12.15 | L4 | Developmental and Epileptic encephalopathies in adults | | | F. Bisulli |
| 12.15 – 13.30 | WG1 | M. Trivisano/R. Nabbout | L. de Palma | E. Trinka |  |
| 13.30 – 14.30 | *Lunch* |  | | |  |

**Thursday 8th of September**

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|  |  | **Chair: P. Curatolo – E. Trinka** | | |  |
| 08.30-09.30 | L2 | Can we predict drug resistant Epilepsies? | | | S. Zuberi |
| 09.30 – 10.30 | L1 | Dravet Syndrome and new treatment perspectives | | | L. Lagae |
| 10.30 – 11.15 | L3 | Treatable metabolic epilepsies | | | B. Plecko |
| 11.15 – 11.45 | *Coffee Break* |  | | |  |
| 11.45 – 13.15 | WG1 | E. Trinka | M. Trivisano/ R. Nabbout | L. de Palma |  |
| 13.15 – 14.15 | *Lunch* |  | | |  |
|  |  | **Chair: N. Specchio – L. Lagae** | | |  |
| 14.15 – 14.45 | L4 | Epilepsy Genetic Initiative (CURE Foundation) | | | TBA |
| 14.45 – 15.45 | L5 | Status Epilepticus in epileptic patients | | | E. Trinka |
| 15.45 – 16.45 | L6 | Rescue medications in epilepsy | | | F. Vigevano |
| 16.45 – 17.15 | *Coffee Break* |  | | |  |
| 17.15 – 19.00 | Plenary Case presentation | **Chair: S. Zuberi – R. Nabbout** | | |  |

**Friday 9th of September**

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|  |  | **Chair: TBA – TBA** | | |  |
|  |  | **SURGICAL REMEDIABLE EPILEPSIES** | | |  |
| 08.30 – 09.30 | L2 | Management of drug resistant epilepsies in children: is duration of epilepsy a matter? | | | A. Arzimanoglou |
| 09.30 – 10.30 | L1 | Indication and outcome of epilepsy surgery | | | L. Tassi |
| 10.30 – 10.45 | *Coffee Break* |  | | |  |
| 10.45 – 11.30 | L3 | TBA | | | TBA |
| 11.30 – 13.00 | WG1 | L. de Palma | E. Trinka | M. Trivisano/R. Nabbout |  |
| 13.00 – 14.30 | *Lunch* |  | | |  |
|  |  | **Chair: A. de Benedictis – TBA** | | |  |
| 14.30 – 15.30 | L4 | TSC drug treatment and surgical approach | | | F. Jansen |
| 15.30 – 16.30 | L5 | Epilepsy surgery in genetic epilepsies | | | K. Braun |
| 16.30 – 17.15 | L6 | Neuromodulation | | | C.E. Marras |
| 17.15 – 17.30 | *Coffee Break* |  | | |  |
| 17.30 – 19.00 | Plenary Case presentation | **Chair: C.E. Marras – F. Jansen** | | |  |

**Saturday 10th of September**

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|  |  | **Chair: F. Vigevano – N. Specchio** |  |
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|  |  | **Novel diagnostic tools for novel therapies** |  |
| 09.00 – 09.45 | L1 | Developmental and epileptic encephalitis: how comorbidities influence the outcome | R. Nabbout |
| 09.45 – 10.30 | L2 | Autism in Developmental and epileptic encephalopathies | S. Auvin |
| 10.30 – 11.15 |  | Case presentation |  |
| 11.15 – 11.30 |  | *Coffee Break* |  |
|  |  | **Short pills for emerging treatments** |  |
| 11.30 – 11.45 | L3 | Sponsored talk | TBA |
| 11.45 – 12.00 | L4 | Sponsored talk | TBA |
| 12.00 – 12.45 | L5 | The case of TPP1 replacement treatment | N. Specchio |
| 12.45 – 13.30 |  | Grand Round and Competition | All |
| 13.30 – 14.30 | *Lunch* |  |  |
| *End of course* | |  |  |

**Tutors and topics**

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| E. Gardella | Differential diagnosis in children |
| M. Bialer | Drug interactions |
| F. Bisulli | Differential diagnosis in adults |
| L. de Palma | Seizure semiology and diagnostic value of video-EEG |
| TBA (Trinka ?) | Practical management in adult patients with SE |
| M. Trivisano/ R. Nabbout | Genetic epilepsies |

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