

# 6<sup>th</sup>

# INTERNATIONAL PALERMO CONFERENCE ON: INNOVATIVE THERAPIES FOR LYMPHOID MALIGNANCIES

**Palermo** November 10<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>, 2016



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Thursday - November 10<sup>th</sup>, 2016  
6.30-8.00 p.m. Mondello - Le Terrazze

Welcome and Introduction  
**C. Patti**

STANLEY J. KORSMEYER LECTURE  
■ Pathogenesis and therapeutic targeting of CLL  
**J. Gribben**

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8.30 a.m. Registration

9.00 a.m. **SESSION 1**  
**LYMPHOMAGENESIS**  
Chairman: **F. Pane**

- Role of microRNAs in lymphoid malignancy  
**C. Croce**
- Role of the B cell antigen receptor in lymphoma dynamics  
**S. Casola**
- Functional analysis of germinal centers in vivo  
**G. Victora**

10.30 a.m. Coffee Break

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11.00 a.m. **SESSION 2**  
**CHRONIC LYMPHOCYTIC LEUKEMIA**  
Chairman: **J. Gribben**

- Molecular Prognostication and prediction in CLL  
**G. Gaidano**
- Is the fate of CLL written in the (Immunoglobulin) genes?  
**P. Ghia**
- Targeting the B cell receptor in CLL  
**J. Byrd**

12.30 p.m. Light lunch

2.00 p.m. **SESSION 3**  
**FOLLICULAR LYMPHOMA**  
Chairman: **R. Gascoyne**

- Implications of clonal evolution and cell of origin in transformed Follicular Lymphoma  
**R. Gascoyne**
- Molecular pathogenesis of Follicular Lymphoma  
**H. G. Wendel**
- Follicular lymphoma: from early phase to relapse  
**B. Nadel**

3.30 p.m. Coffee Break

4.00 p.m. **SESSION 4**  
**DIFFUSE LARGE B CELL LYMPHOMA**  
Chairman: **M. Martelli**

- Pathways and Targets in Diffuse Large B Cell Lymphoma Pathogenesis  
**R. Dalla Favera**
- Therapy of Lymphoma inspired by functional and structural genomics  
**L. Staudt**
- Advances in treatment and clinical monitoring of DLBCL  
**W. Wilson**

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9.00 a.m. **SESSION 5**  
**EPIGENETIC MECHANISMS AND NOVEL TARGETS**  
Chairman: **F. Lo Coco**

- Genetic drivers of epigenetic dysregulation in mature B Cell Lymphomas  
**L. Pasqualucci**
- Epigenetic circuits driving pathogenesis and epigenetic therapy of follicular and Diffuse Large B-Cell Lymphoma  
**A. Melnick**
- Targeted therapy of Hairy Cell Leukemia  
**B. Falini**

10.30 a.m. Coffee Break

11.00 p.m. **SESSION 6**  
**HODGKIN'S LYMPHOMA**  
Chairman: **A. Younes**

- Molecular pathogenesis of Hodgkin's Lymphoma  
**R. Küppers**
- The role of imaging in the new drugs era  
**A. Gallamini**
- Novel therapeutic strategies in Hodgkin's Lymphoma  
**A. Younes**

12.30 p.m. Light lunch

2.00 p.m. **SESSION 7**  
**T- CELL LYMPHOMA**  
Chairman: **A. Gallamini**

- Peripheral T-cell Lymphomas in the Revised WHO Classification  
**S. Pileri**
- Genomics and Mechanisms of Transformation in Peripheral T-cell Lymphomas  
**T. Palomero**
- Deciphering Mechanistic Differences Among PI3Kinase Inhibitors: Implications for the Development of Synergistic Combinations  
**O. O'Connor**

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4.00 p.m. **SESSION 8**  
**MULTIPLE MYELOMA**  
Chairman: **K. Anderson**

- New Insights into Therapeutic Targets in Myeloma  
**K. Anderson**
- Targeting MYC in the progression of multiple Myeloma  
**L. Bersagel**
- New treatment paradigm for multiple Myeloma  
**F. Gay**

5.30 p.m. **SESSION 9**  
**IMMUNOTHERAPY**  
Chairman: **D. Campana**

- Antibody-mediated immunotherapy of Lymphomas  
**R. Levy**
- Cellular Therapy of lymphoid malignancies  
**D. Campana**

6.30 p.m. - 7.00 p.m.  
**CLOSING REMARKS**

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**Medical Doctor** (hematologist, oncologist, pathologist)  
**Biologist** (biologist, biotechnologist)

## General Information

**VENUES**  
The Opening Ceremony will take place on November 10<sup>th</sup>, 2016 at 6.30 p.m. at Mondello - Le Terrazze, Palermo. The Conference will take place on November 11<sup>th</sup> to 12<sup>th</sup> November at Mondello Palace Hotel, Via Principe di Scalea - Mondello  
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**LANGUAGE**  
English is the official language of the Conference

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