

# GENERAL INFORMATION

## CONGRESS VENUE

Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore  
Centro Congressi Europa - Sala Italia  
Largo Francesco Vito, 1 - 00168 Rome

## REGISTRATION

The course fee is 122,00 euros VAT included  
(€ 100,00 + VAT 22%), which includes:

- subscription to epidemiologic observatory GISEA
- coffee break and lunch for all days

For registration please apply to  
[biomarkers.precube.it](http://biomarkers.precube.it)

Unregistered participants will not be allowed in the  
congress room.

## OFFICIAL LANGUAGE

The official language of the Congress is English.

## CERTIFICATE OF ATTENDANCE

Certificates of attendance will be available on request at  
the end of the Congress at the registration desk.

## SCIENTIFIC DIRECTORS

Elisa Gremese  
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## SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEE

Barbara Tolusso (Coordinator)  
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## CME

The course has been accredited by the Provider Prex  
(Rif. ECM: 75 – 278042-1) with educational objective  
n. 3 and it has been assigned 10 credits.

The course is reserved to physicians specialised in:  
Rheumatology, Neurology, Gastroenterology, Internal  
Medicine, Immunology, Dermatology, Nephrology,  
Neurology, Geriatric, Allergology, Pulmonology,  
Cardiology.

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# Biomarkers in Rheumatic Diseases 10<sup>th</sup> GISEA INTERNATIONAL MEETING

Biomarkers in Rheumatic Diseases:  
the present and the future vision

10  
YEARS  
ANNIVERSARY  
CELEBRATION



Rome  
13-14 December 2019

Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore

Chairmen: GF. Ferraccioli - E. Gremese



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09.00 - 9.30	Welcome and introduction: Biomarkers: 10 years <i>G. Ferraccioli</i>
09.30 - 10.15	Opening Lecture Biomarkers in rheumatic diseases: the future <i>I.B. McInnes</i>
<b>SESSION 1</b>	
<b>Biomarkers in rheumatologic diseases: where are we now and where are we going?</b>	
Moderatori: <i>G. Ferraccioli, G. Lapadula</i>	
10.15 - 10.35	Rheumatoid arthritis <i>S. Alivernini</i>
10.35 - 10.55	Psoriatic arthritis and SpA <i>C. Selmi</i>
10.55 - 11.15	Coffee break
11.15 - 11.35	Systemic lupus erythematosus <i>M. Mosca</i>
11.35 - 11.55	Sistemic sclerosis <i>F. Del Galdo</i>
11.55 - 12.15	Sjogren Syndrome <i>A. Alunno</i>
12.15 - 12.35	Discussion on the treated themes
12.35 - 12.55	The persistance in therapy with TNF - blockers: real life data in RA and SpA <i>E. Gremese</i> <i>Lecture sponsored by MSD</i>
12.55 - 13.15	New advances in the profiling of IL - 6 inhibitors responders in rheumatoid arthritis <i>G. Ferraccioli</i> <i>Lecture sponsored by Roche</i>
13.15 - 14.30	Lunch

<b>SESSION 2</b>	
<b>The intracellular signal inhibition: dissecting the role of different drugs</b>	
<b>Moderatori: F. Conti, M. Benucci</b>	
14.30 - 14.50	Methotrexate and csDMARDs as possible JAK - inhibitors <i>G. Ferraccioli</i>
14.50 - 15.10	The differences among different JAK pathways inhibition <i>F. R. Spinelli</i>
15.10 - 15.30	Different JAK - inhibitors in different rheumatologic diseases <i>M. S. Chimenti</i>
15.30 - 15.50	Checkpoint inhibitors and autoimmunity <i>G. Schinzari</i>
15.50 - 16.10	Discussion on the treated themes
16.10 - 16.30	Inhibition of JAK pathways and infections: what should we pay attention to? <i>F. Conti</i> <i>Lecture sponsored by Pfizer</i>
16.30 - 16.50	Coffee break

**SESSION 3**

**Microbiota in rheumatic diseases**  
**Moderatori: E. Gremese, P. Tomietto, M. Vadacca**

16.30 - 16.50	Microbiota, intestinal barrier permeability and inflammation <i>F. Scaldaferri</i>
16.50 - 17.10	Different microbiota in different diseases <i>M. Sanguinetti</i>
17.10 - 17.30	Microbiota, cardiovascular diseases and inflammation: new biomarkers <i>F. Biscetti</i>
17.30 - 18.30	Discussion on the treated themes

**Management and prevention of fibrosis in lung and other organs**  
**Moderatori: M. De Santis, V. Riccieri**

09.00 - 09.20	Mechanisms and management of fibrosis in lung <i>F. Varone</i>
09.20 - 09.40	Mechanisms and management of fibrosis in kidney <i>M. Piga</i>
09.40 - 10.00	Mechanisms and management of fibrosis in liver <i>G. L. Rapaccini</i>
10.00 - 10.20	Mechanisms and management of fibrosis in heart <i>G. De Luca</i>
10.20 - 10.40	Discussion on the treated themes
10.40 - 11.00	New drugs for lung fibrosis <i>L. Richeldi</i>
11.00 - 11.20	B - cells, IL6 and Systemic Sclerosis <i>S. L. Bosello</i>
11.20 - 11.40	Coffee break
11.40 - 12.00	Redefining remission in rheumatoid arthritis: elevating expectations <i>S. Alivernini</i> <i>Lecture sponsored by Abbvie</i>
12.00 - 12.20	Sex and gender impact on Spondyloarthritis: state of the art and new drugs <i>E. Gremese</i> <i>Lecture sponsored by Novartis</i>
12.20 - 13.30	Roundtable on "Precision medicine and pharmaco-economy: a good marriage" <i>S.L. Bosello, M. Benucci, A. Celano, M. Di Franco</i> <i>Lecture sponsored by Amgen</i>
13.30 - 14.00	Closing remarks

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