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EORTC MELANOMA GROUP MEETING

April 29th-30th, 2016

MILAN - ITALY

Istituto Europeo di Oncologia
via Ripamonti 435, Milan



Host

Alessandro Testori

Istituto Europeo di Oncologia, Milan, Italy

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April 28th

Steering Committee

Hotel NHOW Milano - Via Tortona, 35 - room Panama, 1st Floor

18:00 - 22:00 Steering Committee Members Only

Steering components:

Cook Martin,
De Schaetzen Gaetan,
Eggermont Alexander,
Franks Hester,
Ghanem Ghanem,
Leyvraz Serge,
Lorigan Paul,
Marreaud Sandrine,
Mihm Martin,
Puig Susana,
Robert Caroline,
Schadendorf Dirk,
Schilling Bastian,
Suciu Stefan,
Testori Alessandro,
Van Akkoi Alexander,
Van Kempen Leon.

Invited to the steering: Francesca Martinelli - *EORTC HQ Brussels*

April 29th

Istituto Europeo di Oncologia - via Ripamonti 435 milano, room Leonardo La Pietra

10:00 Welcome message from Ing. Mauro Melis, CEO IEO, prof Roberto Orecchia scientific director IEO

Plenary session 1 (4 x 20' presentation + 10' discussion) open to non members and company employees

Chairs *Alessandro Testori (Milano) & Caroline Robert (Paris)*

10:10 Combination approach between locoregional treatment and immunotherapy
Paolo Ascierto (Napoli)

10:40 UK margins study report
Marc Moncrieff (Norwich)

11:10 Innovative study with combination of new drugs
Michele Maio (Siena)

11:40 Phase I Agenus studies report Dr. Robert Wesolowski, MD, Assistant Professor, Internal Medicine, College of Medicine and Director of Phase I Clinical Trials for the Division of Medical Oncology at the James Cancer Center at Ohio State University

12.10 **Coffee Break**

Plenary session 2 (3 x 12' presentation + 3' discussion) open to non members and company employees

Chairs *Sara Gandini (Milano) & Susana Puig (Barcelona)*

12:30 Molecular pathology topic TBD
Massimo Barberis (Milano)

12:45 Confocal microscopy in the intraoperative setting
Josef Malvehy (Barcelona)

13:00 Recent developments of the Melanoma Quality of Life questionnaire
Francesca Martinelli (Brussels)

13:10 Discussion

13:20 - 14:00 Lunch

Afternoon sessions (restricted to group members only; non members by invitation)

14:00 - 15:30	Break-out sessions
Chaired by subgroups chairs	Epidemiology, Early Stage, Surgery, Pathology, Ocular, Systemic (Stage IV and Adjuvant). Epidemiology + Early stage/dermatology room direzione scientifica ground floor central corridor
14:00 - 14:30	Surgery + Pathology room B ground floor
14:30 - 15:30	Surgery room B
14:30 - 15:30	Pathology room sala Consiglio ground floor right side IEO. Ocular, systemic (adjuvant and stage IV) aula Leonardo La Pietra
Chair	<i>A. Van Akkooi (Amsterdam) & D. Schadendorf (Essen)</i>
15:30 - 16:30 Plenary session	Ongoing research in members Institutions Abstracts selected for oral presentations (6 abstracts x 5' presentation + 5' discussion) (open to non-members and company employees) Open abstract Monday 14-Dec-2015 + 04-Jan-2016 Submission Closure Friday 04-Mar-2016 Abstract Selection Friday 11-Mar-2016 Abstract Notification Friday 18- Mar-2016
16:30 - 17:10 Plenary session	Study Proposals (4 x 5' presentation + 5' discussion)
17:10 - 17:20	Coffee Break
17:20 - 18:20	HQ trial reports aula Leonardo la Pietra (restricted to group members) <i>Chair A. Van Akkooi (Amsterdam)</i>
18:20 - 19:20	Sub-Committee Reports & Decision Making / Voting on New Proposals (restricted to group members)
19.20	Bus transfer to the Group Dinner (country house of Testori's family)

April 30th

Parallel courses

Melanoma Pathology Working Group Meeting for European Dermatopathologists and Pathologists

Milan, Italy - April 30, 2016

Local Host

Giovanni Mazzarol and Alessandro Testori, *Istituto Europeo di Oncologia, Milan*

Course Moderators

Daniela Massi, M.D. Associate Professor of Pathology Division of Pathological Anatomy University of Florence. Florence, Italy

Martin Cook, M.D. Chairman, EORTC Melanoma Pathology Group Royal County Surrey Hospital Guildford, UK

Course Location

Istituto Europeo di Oncologia, aula "B" ground floor, Via Ripamonti 435, Milano.

No Fee to Attend. European CME credits by the EACCME (European Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education) will be requested.

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Scientific Programme - 08.00 - 11:00 aula "B" ground floor

Teaching Course Faculty

Willeke Blokkx, Nijmegen, *The Netherlands*

Martin Cook, *Guilford, UK*

Senada Koljenovic, Rotterdam, *The Netherlands*

Daniela Massi, Florence, *Italy*

Giovanni Mazzarol, Milan, *Italy*

Martin C. Mihm, Boston, *USA*

Joost van der Oord, Leuven, *Belgium*

Pathological Staging in Cutaneous Melanoma: Problematic Areas

This course is designed to bring to light problematic areas related to pathological staging of cutaneous melanoma using a case-based approach. Topics include the recognition of regression, the estimation of tumor infiltrating lymphocytes (TILs) and ulceration, proper handling and interpretation of sentinel lymph nodes in melanoma patients. Incorrect interpretation and poor standardization of these parameters have strong implications on

patients' clinical management and can dramatically impact on the recruitment of melanoma patients in EORTC clinical trials.

The course will be presented in a case-based format. Pre-registrants will be able to view virtual slides prior to the meeting. The participants will be encouraged to submit their most appropriate answers in advance to facilitate a more lively discussion during the course with active participation from the audience.

08:00 - 08:15	Case 1 TILs (<i>M. Mihm</i>)
08:15 - 08:30	Case 2 TILs (<i>M. Mihm</i>)
08:30 - 08:45	Case 3 Regression (<i>G. Mazzarol</i>)
08:45 - 09:00	Case 4 Regression (<i>J. van den Oord</i>)
09:00 - 09:15	Case 5 Breslow (<i>W. Blokx</i>)
09:15 - 09:30	Case 6 Ulceration (<i>W. Blokx</i>)
09:30 - 09:45	Case 7 SLN evaluation (<i>S. Koljenovic</i>)
09:45 - 10:00	Case 8 SLN evaluation (<i>S. Koljenovic</i>)
10:00 - 10:15	Case 9 SLN evaluation (<i>M. Cook</i>)
10:15 - 10:30	Case 10 SLN evaluation (<i>M. Cook</i>)
10:30 - 11:00	Discussion

Message from the Chairman of the EORTC Melanoma Pathology Group

The Teaching Courses of the EORTC Melanoma Pathology now represent a regular component of the EORTC Melanoma Group meetings. The main educational aim is to enhance the participants' professional competence in the diagnosis of melanocytic lesions providing information on current standardized protocols, criteria, classifications and share, in a friendly and enthusiastic atmosphere, basic science information and novel experimental data.

Virtual slides allow the participants to review the cases and express their opinions prior to the meeting, in order to enhance discussion and active participation. In Milan, emphasis will be placed to the complex assessment of sentinel lymph nodes, a topic that will be discussed in presence of an internationally-recognized faculty.

Looking forward to seeing you in Milan,



Prof. Martin Cook
Chairman, EORTC Melanoma Pathology Group

Melanoma Confocal Working Group Meeting for European Dermatopathologists and Dermatologists

Milan, Italy - April 30, 2016

Local Host

Giuseppe Spadola and Alessandro Testori, *Istituto Europeo di Oncologia, Milan*

Course Moderators

Susana Puig, M.D. Chairwoman, EORTC Early Stages Melanoma Group Associate Professor of Dermatology Chief Dermatology Department Hospital Clinic, University of Barcelona. Barcelona, Spain

Martin Cook, M.D. Chairman, EORTC Melanoma Pathology Group Royal County Surrey Hospital Guildford, UK

Josep Malvehy, M.D. Associated Professor, Chief Melanoma Unit, Hospital Clinic, University of Barcelona. Barcelona, Spain

Caterina Longo, M.D. Dermatologist, Reggio Emilia & Modena University. Italy

Ignazio Stanganelli, MD Chief Skin Cancer Unit, IRCCS IRST, Istituto Tumori Romagna, Meldola (FC) Associate Professor Dermatology Dept University of Parma, Italy

Course Location

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Teaching Course

Reflectance Confocal Microscopy in Melanoma: From basic criteria to clinical application in daily practice **Scientific Programme (aula Leonardo La Pietra) 8.00-11.00**

This course is designed to bring to light reflectance confocal microscopy criteria for the diagnosis in cutaneous melanoma using a case-based approach. Topics include the

recognition of suspicion criteria and pitfalls, both for beginners and more advanced users. The course will be presented in a case-based format. Pre-registrants will be able to view virtual cases prior to the meeting. The participants will be encouraged to submit their most appropriate answers in advance to facilitate a more lively discussion during the course with active participation from the audience.

Teaching Course Faculty

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Giuseppe Spadola, *Milan, Italy*

Ignazio Stanganelli, *Emilia-Romagna, Italy*

- 08:00 - 08:15** Introduction and principles of in vivo and ex vivo confocal technology
(*G. Pellacani*)
- 08:15 - 08:45** Confocal microscopy criteria and histopathological correlate (*C. Longo*)
- 08:45 - 09:15** Diagnosis of melanocytic lesions (*S. Puig*)
- 09:15 - 09:45** Diagnosis of non melanocytic tumours (*J. Malvehy*)
- 09:45 - 10:30** Confocal microscopy in the clinical practice
(Coordinated by G. Spadola and Ignazio Stanganelli)
Cases discussed by G. Pellacani, C. Longo, S. Puig and J. Malvehy
- 10:30 - 11:00** Discussion
- 11:00** Coffee break
- 12:20 - 13:00** **Pathology-Dermoscopy & Confocal combined Course**
Cases illustrated by D. Massi, M. Mihm, M. Cook, S. Puig, J. Malvehy, G. Pellacani, C. Longo, G. Spadola, I. Stanganelli.
- 13:00** Lunch & Meeting Closure

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Virtual cases will allow the participants to review the cases and express their opinions prior to the meeting, in order to enhance discussion and active participation. In Milan, cases will be discussed together with expert pathologist in the field.

Looking forward to seeing you in Milan,

Prof. Susana Puig
Chairman, EORTC Melanoma Early Stage Group

Melanoma Pathology & Dermatology Working Group Meeting for European Dermatologists and Pathologists

Local Host

Giovanni Mazzarol and Giuseppe Spadola

Course Location

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Giuseppe Spadola, M.D.

12:20 Pathology-dermoscopy & Confocal combined Course - Aula Leonardo La Pietra

D. Massi M. Mihm M Cook A. Cochran, Susana Puig, Josef Malvehy, Giovanni Pellacani, Caterina Longo Giuseppe Spadola, Ignazio Stanganelli

13:30 Lunch & Meeting Closure

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