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# *The long road to standardization in autoimmunity: increasing skills for healthcare workers under European policies*

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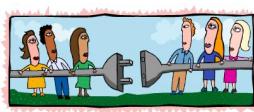


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*The current symposium entitled 'The long road to standardization in autoimmunity: increasing skills for healthcare workers under European policies', organized by San Carlo Hospital in cooperation with San Giovanni di Dio Hospital, includes several topics with special focus on the standardization/harmonization issue in autoimmune diagnostics.*

*The goal of the symposium is to provide an opportunity to update participants on latest scientific knowledge in the field of the diagnosis of rare autoimmune diseases, as well as to facilitate networking with members of the clinical and scientific community worldwide.*

## PROGRAM

10:00 Registration of participants

10:30 Welcome and agenda

Welcome by Giuseppe Spera, General Director of AOR San Carlo

Welcome by Vito Pafundi, Director of Clinical Laboratory of AOR San Carlo

Welcome by Giuseppe Terrazzano, Representative of Università degli studi della Basilicata

Welcome by Angela Pia Bellettieri, Director of Public Health

Welcome by the Representative of Health Department, Basilicata Region

Welcome by the Representative of 'Centro di Coordinamento Malattie Rare' of Basilicata

### Session I: The long road of autoimmunity standardization

Co-chairs: Mariangela Manfredi, Danilo Villalta, Salvatore D'Angelo

11:00 The EASI perspective - Jan Damoiseaux

11:30 The UK NEQAS perspective - Dina Patel

12:00 The ICAP perspective - Maria Infantino

12:30 The autoimmunologist perspective - Teresa Carbone

13:00 Discussion

13:30 Lunch break



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### Session II: Autoimmune tests: new challenges and new approaches

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14:30 The emerging technology of multiplexing in clinical diagnostics - Nicola Bizzaro

15:00 Likelihood ratio approach and clinical interpretation of laboratory tests - Xavier Bossuyt

15:30 aPL harmonization: reality or myth? - Lieve van Hoovels

16:00 How artificial intelligence can change autoimmune diagnostics - Emirena Garrafa

16:30 Discussion

17.00 Closing

### Faculty

Nicola Bizzaro: Udine, Italy

Xavier Bossuyt: Leuven, Belgium

Teresa Carbone: Potenza, Italy

Salvatore D'Angelo: Potenza, Italy

Jan Damoiseaux: Maastricht, Netherlands

Emirena Garrafa: Brescia, Italy

Maria Infantino: Florence, Italy

Mariangela Manfredi: Florence, Italy

Dina Patel: Sheffield, United Kingdom

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Lieve van Hoovels: Aalst, Belgium

Danilo Villalta: Pordenone, Italy

### Scientific Director

Vito Pafundi: Potenza, Italy



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### **GENERAL INFORMATION:**

**Participants:** Trainees and specialists in Rheumatology, Paediatrics, Endocrinology, Hematology, Clinical Immunology, Infectious Diseases, Oncology, Internal Medicine, Geriatrics, Pharmacy, Biochemistry and Clinical Chemistry, Clinical Pathology, Gastroenterology, General Practitioner (Family Doctors), Transfusion Medicine, Microbiology and Virology, Nephrology; Biologists; Laboratory Technicians; Nurses.

**Address and workshop venue:** Sala Conferenze, Polo Bibliotecario di Potenza, via Don Minozzi, 85100 Potenza

**Language:** English

**Registration fee:** Participation at the event is *free of charge*, but *registration* is compulsory.

**On line registration:** <https://www.sipmel.it/it/attivita/convegni/122013>

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