

## REGISTRATION

80 participants will be admitted according to the order of arrival of the applications.

## FREE ATTENDANCE

Completed application should be submitted to the Scientific Secretariat. The deadline for receipt of applications is April 2, 2019. Up to 80 participants will be notified of acceptance by mid April. Cancellations will be filled from a list of alternates.

## CME ACCREDITATION

39-252410 • 7 Italian CME credits will be available for Medical Doctor (disciplines: surgery, nephrology, pediatrics).

The participant's CME credit will be dependent upon completion and return of a content specific quiz to test the knowledge after the CME activity, and the satisfaction form.

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## OFFICIAL LANGUAGE

The official language of the Congress is English. No simultaneous translation will be available.

## CONGRESS VENUE

Hotel Villa Pagoda  
Ristorante Paganini  
Via Capolungo, 15 - Genova Nervi

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# HOT TOPICS IN RENAL TRANSPLANTATION:

Therapeutic challenges in kidney transplantation

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08.30/09.00 Registration

09.00 Introduction *Giacomo Garibotto, Genova*

**1st SESSION: The desensitization challenge: how to overcome acute and chronic antibody-mediated rejection**

Chairs: Iris Fontana, Genova - Umberto Maggiore, Parma

09.30/10.10 The role of desensitization in iperimmune recipients: current protocols in living and deceased donors *Massimo Cardillo, Milano*

10.10/10.50 Anti-II-6 Antibodies for desensitization and treatment of AMR *Luigi Biancone, Torino*

10.50/11.30 IDes (imflimidase) in highly sensitized patients *Tomas Lorant, Uppsala*

11.30/11.45 Break

11.45/12.20 B cell immune responses in kidney transplantation *Michela Cioni, Genova*

12.20/13.00 Long-term immunosuppressive treatment and challenges in iperimmune recipients *Pietro Cippà, Lugano*

13.00 Lunch

**14.00/15.00 CLINICO-PATHOLOGICAL DISCUSSION**

Discussants: Serena Bagnasco - Francesca Costigliolo - Marco Delsante, Baltimore USA

**11nd SESSION: The challenge of Lupus Nephritis (LN) and antiphospholipid syndrome in kidney transplantation**

Chairs: Francesco Puppo, Genova - Patrizia Comoli, Pavia

15.00/15.35 Lupus and kidney disease *Renato Alberto Sinico, Milano*

15.35/16.10 Biomarkers in LN *Augusto Vaglio, Firenze*

16.10/16.45 New drugs and old paradigms in treatment of LN *Dario Roccatello, Torino*

16.45/17.20 Kidney transplantation in LN and antiphospholipid syndrome *Saúl Pampa-Saico, Madrid*

**17.20/18.00 DISCUSSION**

Discussants: Maria Teresa Gandolfo, Milano  
Marilena Gregorini, Pavia  
Ernesto Paoletti, Genova – Rodolfo Russo, Genova

18.00 Adjourn