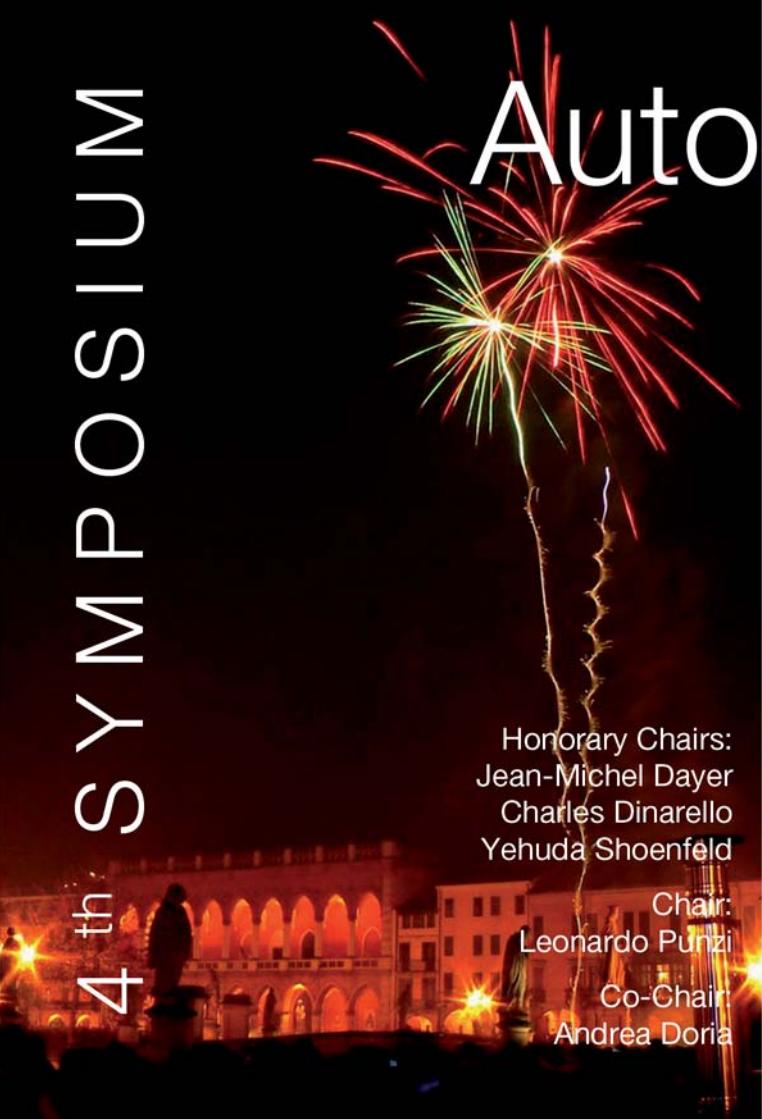


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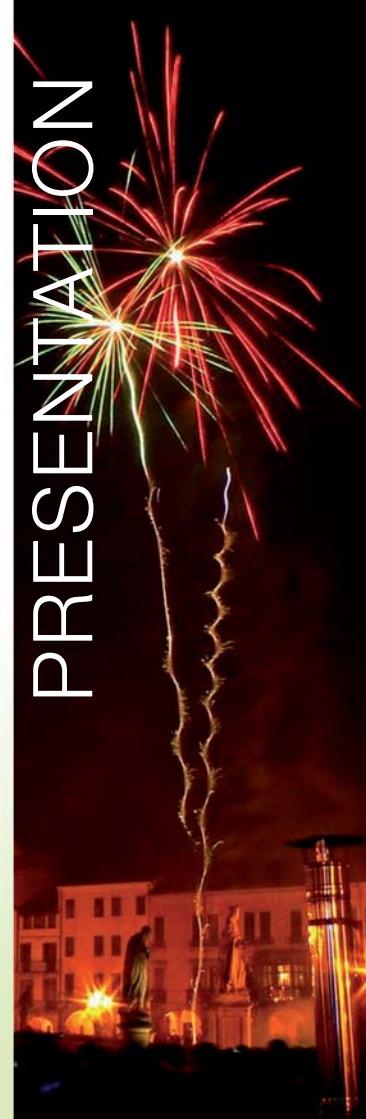
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The Symposium, now at its IV edition, will focus on multiple aspects of Autoinflammatory Systemic Diseases, a group of illnesses characterized by seemingly unprovoked pathological activation of the innate immune system in the absence of autoantibodies or autoreactive T cells. The discovery of the causative mutations involving several monogenic Autoinflammatory Diseases has led to the identification of key regulators of innate immune responses which may also be implicated in multifactorial diseases. Recent studies have highlighted the role of Toll-like receptors, inflammasomes and abnormal trafficking of pathogenic mutant proteins, which mediate the regulation of NF- $\kappa$ B activation, cell apoptosis, and IL-1 $\beta$  secretion through common signalling pathways in triggering autoinflammation, thus suggesting that this process may even be involved in common rheumatic diseases. These new immune pathways can contribute to explaining the atypical expression of some inflammatory joint diseases characterized by unusual clinical phenotypes and therapeutic response. The aim of the Symposium is to provide rationale and methodology for facilitating a systematic and widespread approach to Autoinflammatory Systemic Diseases. The Symposium will serve as a high-level forum where it will be possible to discuss and exchange new ideas with highly skilled researchers and expert clinicians in the field of Autoinflammatory Diseases. The excellence of the speakers is the best guarantee that our aim will be achieved, as it was for the previous editions, which showed a high level of attendees' satisfaction.

Finally, we would like to thank all the speakers and chairpersons, especially honorary presidents, Charles Dinarello, Jean-Michel Dayer and Yehuda Shoenfeld, and the Nobel Prize winner Jules Hoffmann who kindly accepted to be part of this new challenge.

Leonardo Punzi e Andrea Doria





Monday, December 9th

## PALAZZO DEL BO (ANCIENT UNIVERSITY BUILDING)

08.30 Registration

### 10.00 **Ceremony**

Ceremony for promotion of Honorary Doctorate in Medicina e Chirurgia  
University of Padova (Doctor Medicinae Honoris Causa)  
to professor Jules Hoffmann (*Strasbourg, France*)

11.15 COFFEE BREAK

### 11.30 **Welcome**

S.D. Ferrara (*Padova*), President School of Medicine, Padova  
C. Dario (*Padova*), General Director University Hospital, Padova

### **Session I – General aspects**

Chairmen: S. Adami (*Verona*), S. Bombardieri (*Pisa*)

11.40 Stress and autoinflammatory diseases • M.F. McDermott (*Leeds, UK*)

12.00 The impact of MEFV gene identification on FMF: an appraisal after  
15 years • I. Touitou (*Montpellier, France*)

12.20 Fever and autoinflammatory diseases • I. Koné-Paut (*Paris, France*)

12.40 Cytokines and mediators of the heat • C. Dinarello (*Denver, USA*)

13.00 Discussion

13.20 LUNCH

## **Session II – Basic aspects**

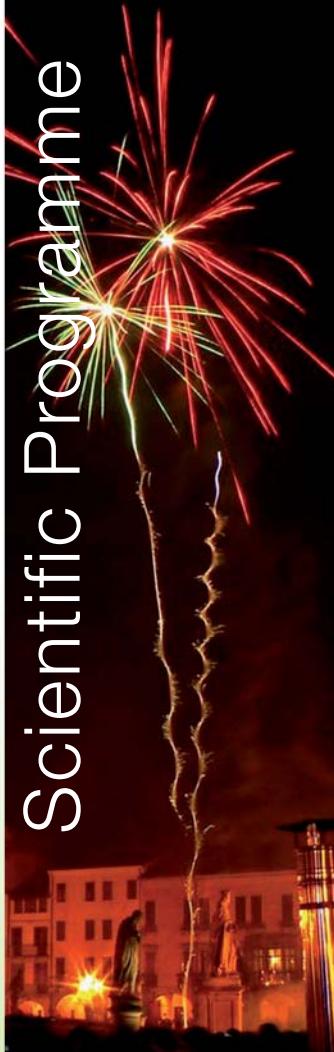
Chairmen: G.F. Ferraccioli (Roma), R. Giacomelli (L'Aquila)

- 14.20 Cytokine network based taxonomy • J.-M. Dayer (Geneva-Padova)  
14.40 Contribution of the Inflammasomes to autoinflammatory disease  
*A. Rösen-Wolff (Dresden, Germany)*  
15.00 P2 receptors and autoinflammation • F. Di Virgilio (Ferrara)  
15.20 The exposome • A. Paoloni-Giacobino (Geneva, Switzerland)  
15.40 Role of autophagy in autoinflammatory and autoimmune diseases  
*L. Galluzzi (Paris, France)*  
16.00 Discussion  
  
16.25 COFFEE BREAK  
  
16.45 POSTER VISIT

## **Session III – Main Hallmarks**

Chairmen: F. Zulian (Padova), G. Valesini (Roma)

- 17.30 Macrophage activation syndrome • A. Martini (Genova)  
17.50 Ferritin • M. Plebani (Padova)  
18.10 The hyperferritinemic syndrome • Y. Shoenfeld (Tel Aviv, Israel)  
18.30 Discussion  
  
18.50 End of discussion  
  
20.00 SOCIAL DINNER



Tuesday, December 10<sup>th</sup>



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### **Session IV – The bridge between autoinflammation and autoimmunity**

Chairmen: C. Ferri (Modena), M. Galeazzi (Siena)

- 08.10 Lay the groundwork of the bridge • A. Doria (Padova)
- 08.30 The vaccination • Y. Shoenfeld (Tel Aviv, Israel)
- 08.50 The IL-22 axis • F. Ciccia (Palermo)
- 09.10 Pustular lesions in autoinflammatory syndromes • G. Girolomoni (Verona)
- 09.30 Discussion

### **Session V – Putative new autoinflammatory conditions**

Chairmen: A. Facchini (Bologna), G. Lapadula (Bari)

#### **Osteoarthritis**

- 09.45 Osteoarthritis: the joint as an organ • S. Goldring (New York, USA)
- 10.05 Osteoarthritis and inflammation • M. Goldring (New York, USA)
- 10.25 Osteoarthritis and innate immunity • J. Sokolove (Stanford, USA)
- 10.45 Discussion
- 11.00 The best Poster Award
- 11.10 COFFEE BREAK

### **Session VI – The seven minutes corner**

Chairmen: A. Doria (Padova), A. Tincani (Brescia)

- 11.40 8 presentations for 10 minutes
- 13.00 LUNCH

## **Session VII – Non genetic laboratory investigation in AID**

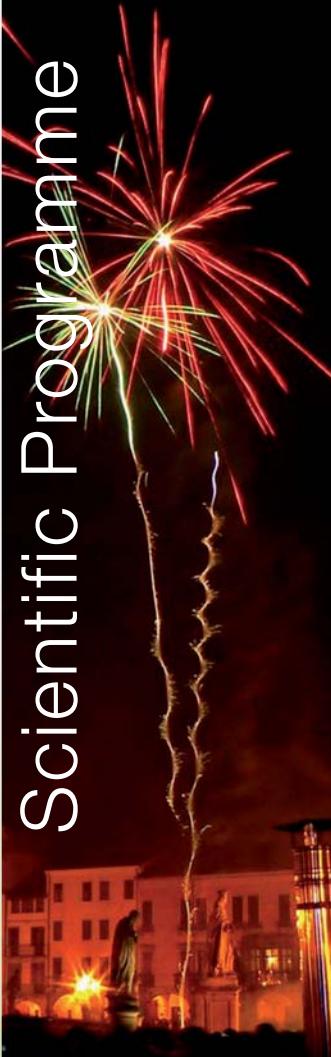
Chairmen: *M. Govoni (Ferrara), A. Mathieu (Cagliari)*

- 14.00 Markers of disease activity in TRAPS • *P.J. Tighe (Nottingham, UK)*  
14.20 Adipokine as marker of disease activity • *L. Cantarini (Siena)*  
14.40 Acute phase proteins • *L. Punzi (Padova)*  
15.00 Amyloidosis • *G.P. Merlini (Pavia)*  
15.20 Discussion

## **Session VIII – The treatment of severe diseases related to AID**

Chairmen: *C.M. Montecucco (Pavia), G. Triolo (Palermo)*

- 15.40 Juvenile chronic arthritis • *M. Gattorno (Genova)*  
16.00 Gout • *T. Bardin (Paris, France)*  
16.20 Rheumatoid arthritis • *M. Galeazzi (Siena)*  
16.40 Ankylosing spondylitis • *I. Olivieri (Potenza)*  
17.00 Psoriatic arthritis • *C. Salvarani (Reggio Emilia)*  
17.20 Discussion  
  
17.50 The best seven minutes presentation award  
  
18.00 Final remarks



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