



## **CONFERENCE VENUE**

## **Royal Hotel Carlton**

Via Montebello 8, 40121 Bologna (BO)

## **CME PROVIDER**

## PROVIDER N. 5920 - Credits awarded 8.4 - Event N. 346227

The Conference has been accredited by the Italian Ministry of Health in RESIDENTIAL mode, for all professionals in all disciplines.

## **VERIFICATION METHOD**

To receive CME credit you must attend the entire duration of the course and correctly answer 75% of the questions on the assessment test

## REGISTRATION

Participation in the conference is subject to the payment of a registration fee. To register **click here** 



It is still possible to book some rooms for the night of April 30 at the congress venue For informations send an email to segreteria@symposium-eventi.it

## **CONFERENCE DINNER**

A social dinner with limited seating is planned for April 30. Please ask for reservation and payment at: segreteria@symposium-eventi.it

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FIRST NATIONAL CONFERENCE ON SARCOIDOSIS DIAGNOSIS AND **GUIDELINES** 

Amici contro

la Sarcoidosi

# PROGRAM

**APRIL 30** MAY 1 2022 **Royal Hotel Carlton** via Montebello 8 Bologna

## PRESENTATION OF THE CONFERENCE

Filippo Martone, President of ACSI (Friends Against Sarcoidosis Italy), is very happy to outline the scientific project that informs the FIRST NATIONAL CONGRESS ON THE DIAGNOSIS AND TREATMENT OF SARCOIDOSIS – New Guidelines.

One of the main results that the association has achieved in recent months (to give health systems a useful tool to achieve that goal), has been to encourage and collaborate to draw up updated international guidelines (the previous date back to 20 years before), both for the diagnosis and for the treatment of sarcoidosis.

With this in mind, the Association decided to organize a conference inviting those researchers who, as the world's leading experts in this field, took part in the task forces that developed the guidelines. Not only pulmonologists, but also internists of international renown, as well as leading experts of our country will go deeper into the choices made and the spirit that animates them, allowing the conference participants to investigate and use them in their daily clinical practice. The conference will focus on the aspects concerning both the diagnostic and therapeutic moments of the disease involving the main organs and tissues (lungs, heart, skin, eyes, nervous system, etc.), as well as on a peculiar trait of the disease, the so-called chronic fatigue, for which treatment options will be discussed.

## Will attend:

ANA CIGANOVIC-KATIC, Serbian Association of Sarcoidosis
RITA BARRIUSO, ASOCIACIÓN Nacional de Enfermos de Sarcoidosis
CHRIS KNOET, Sarcoïdose Belangenvereniging Nederland
KATJA SCHILLHORN, Sarkoidose Selbsthilfe SH
JEANETTE BOYD, European Lung Foundation
LUCA ROBERTI, President of Associazione Apnoici Italiani

## **FACULTY**

KATERINA ANTONIOU. Heraklion FABIANA BALDI, Roma ELENA BARGAGLI, Siena ROBERT BAUGHMAN, Cincinnati Francesco Bonella, Essen ANTONELLA CAMINATI, Milano Francesco Cinetto, Treviso Marco Confalonieri, Trieste DAN CULVER. Cleveland MARJOLEIN DRENT, Maastricht Michelangelo La Placa, Bologna FILIPPO MARTONE, Bologna VENERINO POLETTI. FORIÌ PAOLA ROTTOLI, Siena FABRIZIO SALVI. Bologna PAOLO SPAGNOLO, Padova Patrizia Suppressa, Bari DOMINIQUE VALEYRE, Parigi ATHOL WELLS, Londra

## SATURDAY APRIL 30 2022

08.00 Registration

09.00 Opening and Welcome by the Authorities

FIRST SESSION: GUIDELINES FOR THE DIAGNOSIS OF SARCOIDOSIS

## CHAIR: PAOLA ROTTOLI

09.30 Diagnostic workup in sarcoidosis, Venerino Poletti

10.00 Discussion

10.10 Instrumental diagnosis of sarcoidosis, Dan Culver

10.40 Discussion

10.50 Coffee Break

11.20 Proposals and solutions to improve diagnosis of the disease, Francesco Bonella

11.50 Discussion

## **SECOND SESSION: TREATMENT GUIDELINES**

### CHAIR: MARCO CONFALONIERI

12.00 New therapeutic algorithms in the light of the new guidelines, Robert Baughman

12.30 Discussion

12.40 Drug treatment of sarcoidosis: what, how and when, Dominique Valeyre

13.10 Discussion

13.20 *Lunch* 

14.20 Non pharmacological treatment of sarcoidosis: what, how and when, Marjolein Drent

14.50 Discussion

15.00 Cutaneous sarcoidosis: therapeutic lines, Michelangelo La Placa

15.30 Discussion

## THIRD SESSION: CHANGES IN CASE MANAGEMENT

## CHAIR: FABRIZIO SALVI

15.40 Case management in a reference center in Italy, Patrizia Suppressa

16.10 Discussion

16.20 Coffee Break

16.50 The importance of patiens involvement in the development of the treatment sarcoidosis quidelines. Katerina Antoniou

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17.20 Discussion

17.30 Therapeutic alliance: from words to action, FILIPPO MARTONE

18.00 Discussion

## SUNDAY MAY 1 2022

## CHAIR: FABRIZIO SALVI

09.00 Innovation beyond the quidelines: new tools and strategies. Francesco Cinetto

09.30 Discussion

09.40 Innovation beyond the guidelines: new diagnostic biomarkers, Elena Bargagli

10.10 Discussion

10.20 Coffee Break

### FOURTH SESSION: RESEARCH LINES IN DRUG TREATMENT

## CHAIR: ANTONELLA CAMINATI

10.50 Treatment of cardiac sarcoidosis: new research lines, Paolo Spagnolo

11.20 Discussion

11.30 New drugs: research frontiers, Athol Wells

12.00 Discussion

12.10 Pulmonary hypertension: treatment options, Fabiana Baldi

12.40 Discussion

12.50 Best poster awards, PAOLO SPAGNOLO

13.20 Concluding remarks

