



IBS DAYS

New insights for a better management of irritable bowel syndrome

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Dear Colleagues,

I am delighted to welcome you to the second edition of IBS Days 2018.

With this meeting, we would like to provide current views and a look to the future on the rapidly advancing field of IBS. We have prepared an exciting programme including Rome IV criteria, epidemiology, the role of genetic factors, diet, microbiota, inflammation and infection, diagnosis and biomarkers, as well as current and future therapeutic approaches. The format is based on State of the Art Lectures and Hot off the press papers based on original data. These lectures will be presented by a distinguished Faculty together with the contribution of young investigators. We hope that the meeting will promote friendship, exchange of ideas, opinions, discussion of cases and development of research projects that would ultimately make advance the field and improve the management of our patients.

I hope you will enjoy the scientific programme, the medieval atmosphere of the city with its ancient University (A.D. 1088), as well as the renowned Bologna cuisine.



Giovanni Barbara
Congress Chair

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Opening Ceremony - Thursday May 17th

Venue

17.30 **Welcome**

Giovanni Barbara and **Vincenzo Stanghellini**, *University of Bologna*

Antonino Rotolo, *Prorector, University of Bologna*

TBD

Antonella Messori, *General Director, St. Orsola-Malpighi Hospital, Bologna*

TBD

Gilberto Poggioli, *Chief of Surgery of Alimentary Tract, Department of Digestive Diseases, St. Orsola-Malpighi Hospital*

19.30 **Cocktail**

Program - Friday May 18th

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07.00 **Registration**

08.00 **Programme Overview**

Giovanni Barbara (Italy)

Session I - Clinical Practice

Chairs: Douglas Drossman (USA), Vincenzo Stanghellini (Italy)

08.30 **The Global Burden of IBS**

Jan Tack (Belgium)

08.55 **History and Impact of the Rome Foundation and Rome IV and its Future in GI Health Care**

Douglas Drossman (USA)

09.20 **How to Use the Rome IV Criteria in Clinical Practice**

Fermin Mearin (Spain)

09.45 **What Is Important to Know about Bowel Habit**

Enrico Corazziari (Italy)

10.10 **Coffee Break**

Session II - Clinical Phenotype

Chairs: Jan Tack (Belgium), Guido Basilisco (Italy)

10.40 **When and How to Exclude an Organic Disease**

Alexander Ford (UK)

11.05 **Why is Gender So Important in IBS?**

Lin Chang (USA)

11.30 **Tandem Talk on Gas-Bloating**

All in the Diaphragm

Fernando Azpiroz (Spain)

All in the Gut

Maura Corsetti (UK)

12.20 **Usefulness of Clinical and Laboratory Biomarkers**

Magnus Simren (Sweden)

12.45 **Lunch Break**

Session III – Clinical Phenotype

Chairs: Stephen Collins (Canada), Gabrio Bassotti (Italy)

14.15 **How to Improve the Patient-Physician Relationship**
Douglas Drossman (USA)

14.45 **IBS in Primary Care**
Pali Hungin (UK)

15.10 **Overlapping Functional GI Disorders**
Kok Ann Gwee (Singapore)

15.35 **Tandem Talk on Genetic Factors:
The Basic Scientist View**
Mauro D'Amato (Spain)
The Clinician Perspective
Michael Camilleri (USA)

16.25 **Coffee Break**

Session IV – Hot Off the Press

Chairs: Massimo Bellini (Italy), Roberto De Giorgio (Italy)

16.55 **Mucosal Barrier and Permeability**
Maria Raffaella Barbaro (Italy)

17.20 **Hot Off the Press**
TBD

17.30 **Hot Off the Press**
TBD

17.40 **Hot Off the Press**
TBD

17.50 **Adjourn**

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Session V – Microenvironment and Gut-Brain Axis

Chairs: Jordi Serra (Spain), Patrizia Brigidi (Italy)

08.30 **Gut Microbiota: What is New**

Antonio Gasbarrini (Italy)

08.55 **The Microbiota-Brain Axis**

Stephen Collins (Canada)

09.20 **IBS / Tropical Sprue Overlap**

Uday Ghoshal (India)

09.45 **Neuro-Immune Interactions: Clinical and Therapeutic Perspectives**

Guy Boeckxstaens (Belgium)

10.10 **The Biopsychosocial Model of FGDs**

Paul Enck (Germany)

10.35 ***Coffee Break***

Session VI – Dietary Factors

Chairs: Rosario Cuomo (Italy), Umberto Volta (Italy)

11.05 **FODMAPS**

Robin Spiller (UK)

11.30 **Non-Celiac Gluten Sensitivity**

Alessio Fasano (USA)

11.55 **Kiwifruit for IBS-C Effect on Symptoms and Microbiota***

Juliet Ansell (New Zealand)

12.20 **Probiotics**

Cesare Cremon (Italy)

12.45 **TBD***

Jordi Serra (Spain)

12.55 ***Lunch Break***

Session VII – Pharmacological Management

Chairs: Franco Bazzoli (Italy), Giuseppe Chiarioni (Italy)

13.45 **Management of Bile Acid Malabsorption**
TBD

14.10 **Non-Absorbable Antibiotics***
Carmelo Scarpignato (Italy)

14.35 **Opioid Receptor Modulators for IBS-D***
Jan Tack (Belgium)

15.00 **New Therapeutic Perspectives**
Michael Camilleri (USA)

15.25 **Concluding remarks**
Giovanni Barbara (Italy)

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CONGRESS INFORMATION

Congress Venue

May 17th 2018

Opening Ceremony

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Thursday	May 17 th , 2018	from 13.00 to 15.30
Friday	May 18 th , 2018	from 7.00 to 18.00
Saturday	May 19 th , 2018	from 7.30 to 16.00

During the opening hours the Congress Secretariat can be contacted at:

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REGISTRATION FEES

Registration fee option	Early Fee until February 19 th , 2018	Late Fee after February 19 th , 2018
Regular Participant	549,00 €	671,00 €
Fellow*	244,00 €	366,00 €
Accompanying Person**	183,00 €	183,00 €

The registration fee includes: 22% VAT, Admittance to scientific sessions, Access to exhibition area, Congress kit, Lunch breaks, Coffee breaks, CME/EACCME Certificate and Certificate of Attendance, Admittance to Opening Ceremony and Cocktail (May 17th) and Social Dinner (May 18th).

(*) Applicants must be under 40 years of age and a certificate from the supervisor or Head of Department must be forwarded by email to m.gorgoglione@planning.it together with the registration fee payment receipt.

(**) Accompanying Persons are people who will accompany the participants at the conference. Accompanying persons will not be admitted to attend the Scientific Programme. The registration fee includes Opening Ceremony, Cocktail (May 17th) and Social Dinner (May 18th).

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On-site registration will be processed on a first-come, first serve basis. Priority will be given to pre-registered delegates. Please note that depending on the number of on-site registered delegates, availability of congress material may be limited.

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Lunches

Lunches will be served free of charge for all registered participants at the scheduled time on May 18th and May 19th, 2018.

Coffee breaks

Coffee and tea will be served free of charge for all registered participants during morning and afternoon breaks provided on May 18th and May 19th, 2018.

Shuttle buses

Shuttle buses will be provided on request in order to reach the Social Dinner venue on May 18th, 2018. Please ask for information at the Congress Secretariat Counter.

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