

INFLAMMONCOLOGY

Conceptual and Practical Dermatology
workshop on inflammation and oncology

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The human mind is used to think in a compartmentalized way. Yet the greatest revolutions of thought occur when the mind moves transversally and is free to make connections and synergies between different disciplines. In the last 20 years in dermatology we have witnessed a real revolution, the so called "translational revolution". It has allowed our discipline to make a cognitive leap so far never experienced, especially in such a short time, and consequently enabled us to offer increasingly capable treatments for an always better management of several dermatological diseases. This revolution involved both the inflammatory and oncological branches of dermatology. Traditionally, these 2 themes have always been addressed separately and yet the points of contact are remarkable! The idea of this workshop was born with the intention of addressing in depth the revolutionary path in the 2 branches from the identification of the target to the clinical-therapeutic application. The concept of translational medicine links laboratory and clinical data within primary and secondary care to clinical research data and offers a holistic and innovative approach. And it is precisely with this in mind that we are preparing to face our workshop in order to make you the protagonist of an event that we hope will create the conditions for triggering those connections and synergies that are fundamental for the creation of ideas.

Speakers & Discussants

Tom Andrews
Emiliano Antiga
Zoe Apalla
Marco Ardigò
Giuseppe Argenziano
Anna Balato
Federico Bardazzi
Pedro Mendes Bastos
Maria Pia Boccellino
Giulia Briatico
Gabriella Brancaccio
Laura Bucci
Martina Burlando
Stefano Caccavale
Giacomo Caldarola
Anna Campanati
Mariateresa Cantelli
Ester Del Duca
Eugenia Veronica Rita Di Brizzi
Emi Dika
Gerardo Ferrara
Claudio Guarneri
Paolo Gisondi
Roberta Giuffrida
Amaani Hussain
Giuseppe Iacomino
Harald Kittler
Aimilios Lallas
Serena Lembo
Piergiorgio Malagoli
Tiago Matos
Elvira Moscarella
Alessandra Narcisi
Diego Orsini
Camila Scharf Pinto
Francesca Prignano
Neil Rajan
Simone Ribero
Elizabeth Riedl
Christoph Schlapbach
Michela Starace
Marta Széll
Mario Valenti
Marina Venturini

FRIDAY - JUNE 26, 2026

08:00	08:30	Guest registration	14:30	15:40	Session 3 Artificial Intelligence in Dermatology Chairmen G. Argenziano, G. Caldarola
08:30	09:00	Introduction G. Argenziano, A. Balato	14:30	14:55	Artificial Intelligence in Dermatology: From General Principles to Melanoma Risk Stratification H. Kittler
09:00	10:40	Session 1 Conceptual Foundations of Inflammation and Oncology in Dermatology Chairmen A. Balato, M. P. Boccellino, G. Iacomino	14:55	15:10	Artificial Intelligence in Merkel Cell Carcinoma T. Andrews
09:00	09:20	Targeting Tissue-Resident T Cells: A New Frontier in the Management of Chronic Inflammatory Skin Diseases T. Matos	15:10	15:25	Artificial Intelligence and Psoriasis: Insights from Patient Registries A. Hussain
09:20	09:40	T Cell-Redirecting Immunotherapies: Emerging Opportunities for Autoimmune Diseases L. Bucci	15:25	15:40	Q&A and Panel Discussion
09:40	10:00	Inherited Skin Tumour Syndromes and Skin Cancer Risk: Integrating Genetic Diagnosis and Clinical Management N. Rajan	15:40	17:00	Session 4 Clinical-Practical Session Real-World Evidence in Inflammatory and Oncologic Dermatology Chairmen S. Lembo, M. Venturini
10:00	10:20	From Chronic Inflammation to Clonal Expansion: The Immunologic Continuum of Cutaneous T-Cell Disease C. Schlapbach	15:40	16:10	Managing Psoriasis and Atopic Dermatitis Beyond Clinical Trials: Insights from Real-World Evidence • P. Malagoli » Focus: Psoriasis • A. Narcisi » Focus: Atopic Dermatitis
10:20	10:40	Discussion	16:10	16:25	Real-World Prognostic Insights in Melanoma: Nevus-Associated vs De Novo Disease E. Dika
10:40	11:10	Coffee Break	16:25	16:40	When Should I Refer for Confocal Microscopy? Practical Real-World Guidance in Skin Cancer G. Brancaccio
11:10	12:40	Session 2 Translational and Clinical Bridges in Dermatology Chairmen C. Guarneri, S. Ribero	16:40	17:00	Final Q&A and Discussion
11:10	11:30	Genetic and Cellular Drivers of Psoriatic Inflammation: From Keratinocyte-Immune Crosstalk to Targeted Therapy M. Széll	17:00	17:30	Coffee Break
11:30	11:50	Hidradenitis Suppurativa: Present Treatments and Future Directions P. Mendes Bastos	17:30	18:30	FINAL PLENARY SESSION Rethinking Inflammation and Oncology in Dermatology: What Really Matters Today Chairmen , M. Burlando, F. Bardazzi
11:50	12:30	Special Clinico-pathologic Debate G. Argenziano vs G. Ferrara	17:30	17:45	What We Got Right – and What We Misunderstood in Inflammatory Skin Diseases A. Balato
12:30	12:40	Discussion / Transition	17:45	18:00	Clinical Oncology Beyond Guidelines: Grey Zones and Real Dilemmas M. Ardigò
12:40	13:30	Special Plenary Session Art & Dermatology	18:00	18:15	The Dermatologist of Tomorrow: Skills, Mindset, and Responsibilities A. Campanati
13:30	14:30	Lunch	18:15	18:35	Final Discussion
			18:35	18:40	Final Remarks

SATURDAY – JUNE 27, 2026

09:00 10:45 **MODULE 2 PRACTICAL INFLAMMATORY DERMATOLOGY**
When Guidelines Are Not Enough: Clinical Decision-Making in Inflammatory Skin Diseases
Chairmen E. Antiga, S. Caccavale, M. Valenti, E. V. R. Di Brizzi

09:00 09:25 **DILEMMA 1 PSORIASIS**
Partial Response: When Is It Time to Change Strategy?
Speakers P. Gisondi, D. Orsini

09:25 09:50 **DILEMMA 2 ATOPIC DERMATITIS**
Comorbidities and Treatment Choice: How Much Do They Really Matter?
Speakers E. Del Duca, E. Riedl

09:50 10:15 **DILEMMA 3 HIDRADENITIS SUPPURATIVA**
Escalation or Reassessment? Timing Decisions in an Unpredictable Disease
Speakers F. Prignano, TBD

10:15 10:40 **DILEMMA 4 ALOPECIA AREATA**
Treat, Wait, or Reconsider? Decision-Making Beyond Clinical Trials
Speakers M. Cantelli, M. Starace

10:40 10:45 **Session Wrap-Up & Key Take-Home Messages**

10:45 11:15 **Coffee Break**

11:15 13:00 **MODULE 1 PRACTICAL ONCODERMATOLOGY**
Clinical Decision-Making in Everyday Skin Cancer Practice
Chairmen G. Argenziano, Z. Apalla, E. Moscarella

11:15 11:35 **Opening Lecture**
Good or bad? The new era of dermoscopy as prognostic biomarker! **A. Lallas**

11:35 11:40 **Discussion**

11:40 12:05 **CLINICAL DILEMMA 1**
Early Melanoma or Overdiagnosis? Managing Borderline Melanocytic Lesions
Speakers Z. Apalla, E. Moscarella

12:05 12:30 **CLINICAL DILEMMA 2**
Technology vs Clinical Judgment When Imaging Tools Truly Change Management
Speakers R. Giuffrida, G. Briatico

12:30 12:55 **CLINICAL DILEMMA 3**
Margins, Follow-Up, or Nothing More? Managing Low-Risk Skin Cancer After Complete Excision
Speakers S. Ribero, C. Scharf Pinto

12:55 13:00 **Session Wrap-Up & Key Take-Home Messages**
G. Argenziano, A. Balato