



THE INTERNATIONAL RETREAT OF PHD STUDENTS IN IMMUNOLOGY

When: SEPTEMBER 15th-17th 2022.

Where: University of L'Aquila

"Ernesto Pontieri" Building

Viale Nizza 14 - 67100 -

L'Aquila, Italy

Registration fee:
100€*

- Travel grants available -
DEADLINE: JULY, 22nd 2022



Scientific Sessions:

Innate Immunity - Adaptive Immunity -
Immune mediated-disease/Immunotherapy

Keynote lectures from:

BURKHARD DANIELA SILVIA MASSIMO DOMENICO
BECHER BOSISIO PICONESI LOCATI MAVILIO

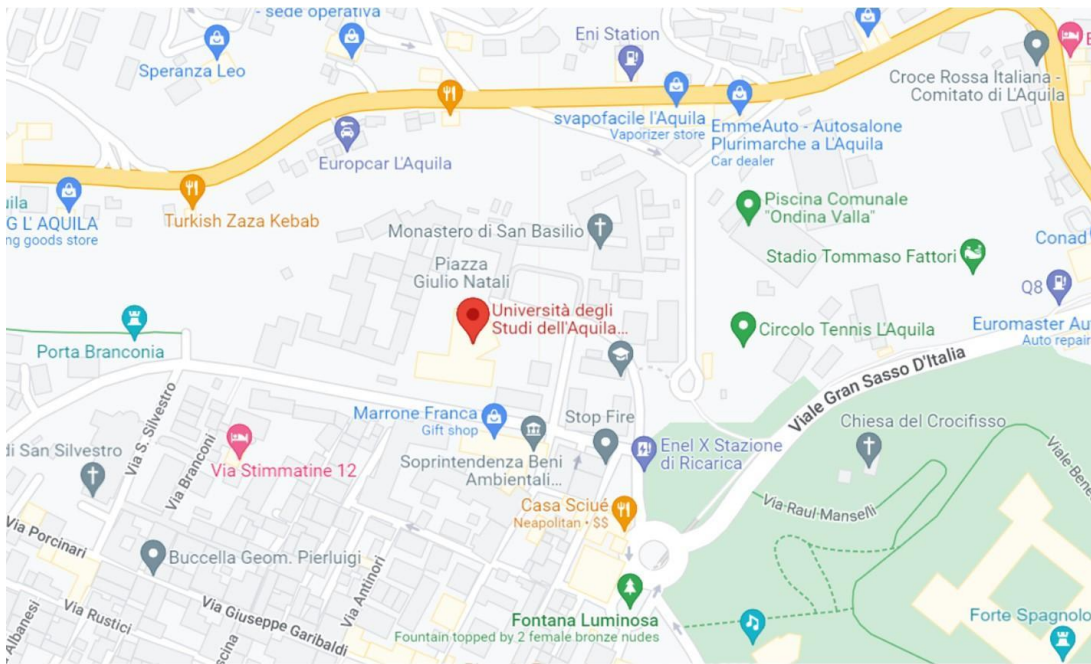
Special guest: 

EUROPEAN JOURNAL OF IMMUNOLOGY (EJI)
WITH LECTURE BY
N. BAKOCEVIC (EJI EDITOR) AND M. IANNAONE

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Meeting Venue

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"Ernesto Pontieri" Building
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Position & Contacts

How to reach us:

L'Aquila is within easy reach of Rome by bus.

The buses “**Autolinee TUA**” and “**Flixbus**” leaves from **Tiburtina Station**:

- Trains to Tiburtina Station depart every 20 minutes (from 6.15 a.m to 12.15 p.m.) from “Leonardo da Vinci” Airport (Fiumicino). The journey takes about 40 minutes.
- Buses depart from “Ciampino” Airport every 15-20 minutes for the the Anagnina underground station, where you can take an underground train (“metropolitana”) to Termini station. When you reach Termini station, you will have to change from the A to the B line for Tiburtina. The journey takes about an hour.
- You can purchase a bus ticket for L'Aquila online or from the ticket offices near the Tiburtina bus station. The journey takes 1 hour and 40 minutes and the bus terminates at **Collemaggio terminal**.

or

The bus “**Gaspari**” leaves directly from “**Leonardo da Vinci**” Airport (**Fiumicino**) and **Ciampino Airport** and terminates at **Amiternum Hotel**.

General information

Registration

The registration fee is 100€ and it includes:

- Access to the scientific sessions;
- Meeting kit including name badge, abstract book and certificate of attendance;
- 3 coffee breaks + 1 lunch + 2 social dinners.

Internet

Wifi is available at the Meeting venue.

Social dinners

The social dinners are scheduled on 15 September at the “Ernesto Pontieri” Building rooftop and on 16 September at “Villa Giulia” restaurant (via Giovanni Di Vincenzo 30, L’Aquila).

Language

English is the official language of the Meeting and no simultaneous translation is foreseen.

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September 15

“Ernesto Pontieri” Building, “Alessandro Clementi” Room

13.30-16.30 REGISTRATION

“Luigi Zordan” Congress Center, “San Basilio” Room

16.45 WELCOME AND OPENING REMARKS

17.00-17.50 Chairpersons: Marco Antonio Cassatella, Silvia Piconese.

KEYNOTE LECTURE – Prof. Burkhard Becher (Institute of Experimental Immunology, University of Zurich, Zurich, Switzerland).

18.00-18.30

INDUSTRY ROUND TABLE - Dr ... - Dompè Farmaceutici S.p.A. (L'Aquila, Italy).

20.00 DINNER (on-site) - “Ernesto Pontieri” Building rooftop

September 16

“Ernesto Pontieri” Building, “Alessandro Clementi” Room

8.45-12.20 (INNATE IMMUNITY)

8.45-9.25 Chairpersons: Massimo Locati, Irene Mattioli

LECTURE – Prof. Daniela Bosisio (Department of Molecular and Translational Medicine, University of Brescia, Brescia, Italy)

9.25-10.25 ORAL PRESENTATIONS

10.25-10.50 COFFEE BREAK

10.50-11.50 Chairpersons: Daniela Bosisio, Mattia Laffranchi

ORAL PRESENTATIONS

12.00-14.00 LUNCH & POSTER PRESENTATIONS (SIICA JF-guided session)

14.00-17.30 (ADAPTIVE IMMUNITY)

14.00-14.45 Chairpersons: Marco Antonio Cassatella, Manolo Sambucci

LECTURE – Prof. Silvia Piconese (Department of Internal Clinical, Anesthesiological and Cardiovascular Sciences, Sapienza University of Rome, Rome, Italy).

14.45-15.45 ORAL PRESENTATIONS

15.45-16.15 COFFEE BREAK

16.15-17.15 Chairpersons: Silvia Piconese, Eleonora Timperi

ORAL PRESENTATIONS

17.20-19.00 Meet the SIICA JUNIOR FACULTY

LECTURE – Dr. Nadja Bakocevic (Deputy Managing Editor/Journal Publishing Manager, EJI) & **Prof. Matteo Iannacone** (Executive Committee member, EJI).
(virtual - organized by **Career Development working group**)

19.30 Transfer

20.00 SOCIAL DINNER - “Villa Giulia” restaurant, Via Giovanni Di Vincenzo 30, L’Aquila

21.00 “A long trip with Immunology”: an interview with **Prof. Angela Santoni** (Department of Molecular Medicine, Sapienza University of Rome, Italy).

Special guests: Prof. Edoardo Alesse (Rector of the University of L’Aquila) and **Prof. Maria Grazia Cifone** (University of L’Aquila, Italy).

September 17

“Ernesto Pontieri” Building, “Alessandro Clementi” Room

8.45-12.35 (IMMUNE-MEDIATED DISEASES/IMMUNOTHERAPY)

8.45-9.25 Chairpersons: Federica Laudisi, Maria Rosaria Galdiero

LECTURE – Prof. Domenico Mavilio (Laboratory of Clinical and Experimental Immunology, IRCCS Humanitas Research Hospital, Rozzano (Milan), Italy).

9.25-10.25 ORAL PRESENTATIONS

10.25-10.50 COFFEE BREAK

10.50-11.50 Chairpersons: Domenico Mavilio, Maria Rosaria Galdiero
ORAL PRESENTATIONS

11.50-12.20 Chairpersons: Alessio Grimaldi, Irene Mattiola

LECTURE “Getting the best from the worst” – Prof. Massimo Locati (Department of Medical Biotechnology and Translational Medicine, University of Milan, Milan, Italy).

12.20-12.40 “BEST PRESENTATION” & “BEST POSTER” AWARDS

12.40 CLOSING REMARKS

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