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## PROGRAM

- 8.30 *F. Pane* - President SIE - Società Italiana Ematologia
- 8.45 *F. Mandelli* - President ALL
- 9.00-11.00 **Session I: ACUTE LYMPHOBLASTIC LEUKEMIA (ALL)**  
*Chairmen: R. Foà, D. Hoelzer*
- Change in Prognostic Factors and Risk Stratification  
*D. Hoelzer*
- Minimal Residual Disease  
*D. Campana*
- Modern Therapy of Young/Adult Ph-negative ALL  
*R. Bassan*
- Management of Ph-positive ALL  
*O. G. Ottmann*
- Discussion
- Plenary Lecture**  
Cord blood transplantation and immunobiology of haematopoietic stem cell transplantation  
*E. Gluckman*
- 11.00-11.15 *Coffee Break*
- 11.15-13.30 **Session II: ACUTE MYELOID LEUKEMIA (AML)**  
*Chairmen: A. K. Burnett, F. Ferrara*
- Prognostic Markers: Focus on CBFL  
*R. Cairoli*
- Optimal Induction and Post-remission Therapy of AML  
*A. K. Burnett*
- Treating the Elderly AML Patients  
*S. Amadori*
- New Strategies of Treatment of Acute Promyelocytic Leukemia  
*F. Lo Coco*

- Myeloablative and Reduced-Intensity Transplantation  
*A. Bacigalupo*
- Discussion
- 13.30-14.30 *Lunch*
- 14.30-16.00 **Session III: NEWS AND PERSPECTIVES IN INFECTIOUS COMPLICATIONS OF LEUKEMIAS**  
*Chairmen: A. Nosari, G. Rossi*
- Antibiotic therapy in hematologic neutropenic patients: what's news?  
*F. Pea*
- Fungal Infections: diagnostic problems and choice of therapy  
*B. De Pauw*
- Viral infections  
*A. Busca*
- 16.00-18.30 **Session IV: CHRONIC LYMPHOCYTIC LEUKEMIA (CLL)**  
*Chairmen: E. Morra, G. Pizzolo*
- Novel insights from CLL genomic studies  
*G. Gaidano*
- Prognostic Factors of CLL  
*M. Ferrarini*
- First line therapy of CLL  
*K. Hallek*
- Treatment of Relapse  
*M. Montillo*
- CLL: Challenges for the Next Decade  
*P. Corradini*
- Discussion

- 9.00-9.30 **Plenary Lecture**  
Molecular basis of myelodysplastic syndromes and its clinical relevance  
*M. Cazzola*
- 9.30-13.00 **Session V: CHRONIC MYELOID LEUKEMIA (CML)**  
*Chairmen: A. M. Carella, J. M. Goldman*  
Initial Treatment for Patients with CML  
*M. Baccarani*  
Second Generation TKI's: Which and When?  
*G. Saglio*  
Monitoring disease response to TKI Therapy  
*A. Hochhaus*  
Stem cell kinetics in CML - some speculations  
*J. M. Goldman*  
Discussion
- 11.00-11.15 *Coffee Break*  
Stem Cell Persistence in CML  
*M. Deininger*  
Inhibition of autophagy: a new strategy to enhance sensitivity of CML stem cells to TKI  
*A. M. Carella*  
Allografting for CML  
*J. Apperley*  
CML: Where are We Going  
*D. Perrotti*  
Discussion
- 13.00-13.30 **Plenary Lecture**  
*Introduction: M. Gobbi*  
Normal and Leukemic Stem Cells  
*P.G. Pelicci*
- 13.30-13.45 **Conclusion**

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Roma - Italy
- Jane F. Apperley,*  
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## **CHANGES**

Parts of the program may be changed if necessary.



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