

# International IgAN Network 2009 - SCIENTIFIC PROGRAMME

## Tuesday May 26th

04.30 pm	Welcome Coffee
05.30 pm	Opening Ceremony
06.00-07.00 pm	<b>Lecture from the convenors</b> <b>Chairs:</b> G. D'Amico (Italy), B. Julian (USA)
	<b>IgAN: where have we got to and what do we need?</b> R.Coppo (Italy), J. Feehally (UK)
07.00 pm	On the lake shore together

## Wednesday May 27th

Session 1	<b>Chairs:</b> M. Daha (NL), J. Egido (Spain)
8.30 am	<b>Structure &amp; function of IgA in health</b> , M Kerr (UK) Key note speaker
Session 2	<b>Chairs:</b> M. Daha (NL), J. Egido (Spain)
8.50 am	<b><u>Abnormalities of the IgA molecule</u></b>  <b>Multicentric mass analysis of IgA1 hinge region and search for antibodies to recognize aberrantly glycosylated IgA1 hinge specific in IgA nephropathy</b> Y. Hiki (Japan)  <b>Analysis of aberrant O-glycosylation pathways of IgA1: implications for pathogenesis of IgA nephropathy</b> , J. Novak (USA)  Key note speakers Discussion  <i>plus 1 free communication</i>
	Free communications
Session 3	<b>Chairs:</b> K.N. Lai (Hong Kong) e J. Mestecki (USA)
9.50 am	<b><u>Biological effects of abnormal IgA related to pathogenesis and progression of IgAN</u></b>  <b>Complement activation induced by IgA as an effector mechanism in IgAN</b> C. van Kooten (NL)  <b>Glomerulo-podocytic and glomerulo-tubular crosstalks in IgA nephropathy</b> K.N. Lai (Hong Kong)  Key note speakers Discussion  <i>plus 2 free communications</i>
10.55 am	Coffee break
Session 4	<b>Chairs:</b> L. Gesualdo (Italy), M. Praga (Spain)
11.15 am	<b>Renin – angiotensin system in IgAN</b> , J. Egido (Spain)

Session 5 11.35 am	<p><b>Chairs:</b> L. Gesualdo (Italy), M. Praga (Spain)</p> <p><b><u>IgA Receptors</u></b></p> <p><b>Involvement of IgA receptors in IgAN: from deposits to disease progression</b> R. Monteiro (France)</p> <p><b>Complement MBL as a biomarker of disease progression in IgAN,</b> M. Daha (NL),</p> <p><b>Mesangial cell IgA receptors: is CD71 enough</b> J. Barratt (UK)</p> <p>Key note speakers Discussion</p> <p><i>plus 1 free communication</i></p>
Session 6 12.40	<p><b>Chairs:</b> R. Monteiro (France), J. Novak (USA), A. Gharavi (USA), Y. Hiki (Japan)</p> <p><b>Moderated Poster Session</b></p> <p><b><u>Biology of IgAN</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Genetics of IgAN</u></b></p> <p>15 poster presentations</p>
01.40 pm	Buffet Lunch & poster viewing
Session 7 2.40 pm	<p><b>Chairs:</b> F. Berthoux (France), B. Julian (USA)</p> <p><b><u>Genetics of IgAN</u></b></p> <p><b>New biological mechanisms involved in the development of IgA Nephropathy,</b> F.P. Schena (Italy)</p> <p><b>Genes, Impaired Glycosylation and IgA Nephropathy</b> A. Gharavi (USA)</p> <p>Key note speakers Discussion</p> <p><i>plus 2 free communications</i></p>
Session 8 3.40 pm	<p><b>Chairs:</b> S. Emancipator (USA), C. Van Kooten (NL)</p> <p><b><u>Role of animal models in study of IgAN</u></b> J. Floege (Germany)</p> <p>Key note speaker</p> <p><i>plus 2 free communications</i></p>
04.20 pm	Coffee break
Session 9 4.40 pm	<p><b>Chairs:</b> P. Li (Hong Kong)</p> <p><b><u>Biomarkers in IgAN</u></b></p> <p><b>Aberrantly glycosylated IgA1 as biomarker of IgA nephropathy,</b> B. Julian (USA)</p> <p><b>Proteomic approaches to biomarkers discovery in IgA nephropathy,</b> L. Gesualdo (Italy)</p> <p>Key note speakers</p>

	Discussion <i>plus 2 free communications</i>
Session 10 05.40 pm	<b>Chairs:</b> F. Berthoux (France), F.P. Schena (Italy), F. Ferrario (Italy), K. Joh (Japan) <b>Moderated Poster Session</b> 15 poster presentations <b>Natural history</b> <b><u>Risk factors</u></b> <b><u>Infections</u></b> 15 poster presentations
07.30 pm	Reception & Dinner

#### Thursday May 28th

Session 11 8.30 am	<b>Chairs:</b> C. Ponticelli (Italy), J. Weening (NL) <b><u>Clinicopathological classification of IgAN</u></b> <u>Clinicians' view</u> D. Cattran, (Canada) <u>Pathologists' view</u> <i>To be confirmed</i> Key note speakers Discussion <i>plus 2 pathology free communications</i> <i>plus 2 risk factors free communications</i>
Session 12 10.20 am	<b>Chair:</b> J. Floege (Germany) <b><u>Transplantation and IgAN</u></b> C. Ponticelli (Italy) Key note speaker <i>plus 1 free communication</i>
10.50 am	Coffee break
Session 13 11.10 am	<b>Chairs:</b> A. Dal Canton (Italy), F. Locatelli (Italy) <b><u>Treatment of IgAN</u></b> <b>Corticosteroids in IgA nephropathy,</b> C. Pozzi (Italy), <b>Treatment of IgA nephropathy based on its different clinical presentations,</b> M. Praga (Spain), <b>Treatment of IgA nephropathy in children</b> N. Yoshikawa (Japan), <b>Treatment of IgAN with angiotensin II inhibitors,</b> A. Amore (Italy) Key note speakers Discussion
12.30pm	<b>Chairs:</b> F. Fervenza (USA), D. Cattran (Canada), C. Ponticelli (Italy)

	<b>Moderated Poster Session Treatment</b> 15 poster presentations
01.30 pm	<b>Chairs:</b> R. Coppo (Italy), J. Feehally (UK) <b>IgA Nephropathy: Perspectives and Hypotheses Summary of Meeting</b> , R. Glassock (USA)
01.50 pm	Close of Meeting
02.00 pm	Farewell buffet