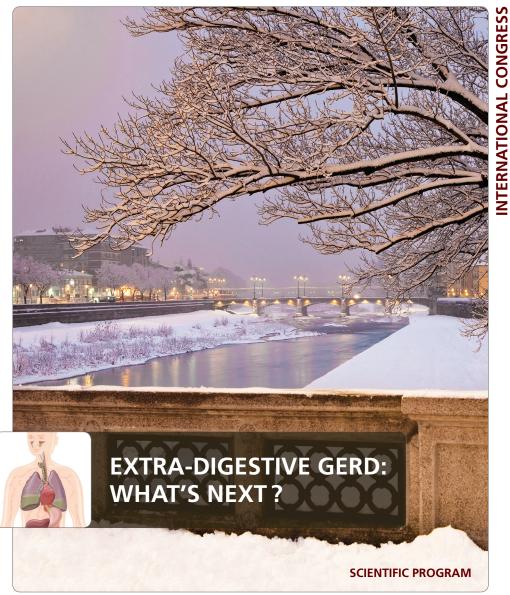


PARMA, December 12-13, 2014 CHAMBER OF COMMERCE OF THE PARMA COUNTY



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FRIDAY, December 12, 2014 – Morning OPENING CEREMONY

08:30 Welcome Address **Regional Academic & Health Authorities Congress' Presidents**

FRIDAY, December 12, 2014 – Morning SESSION I: EPIDEMIOLOGY AND PATHOPHYSIOLOGY

Chairpersons: Gerardo Nardone (Naples, Italy) – Vincenzo Savarino (Genoa, Italy)

09:30	Opening Lecture The Genval, Montreal and Vevey Consensus on
	GERD: Where Are We Now? Open Questions and a Look to the Future
	Richard Hunt (Hamilton, ON, Canada)
10:00	Epidemiology of Extra-digestive GERD
	Lars Agréus (Stockholm, Sweden)
10:30	Typical versus Atypical GERD: Similarities and Differences
	Robert C. Heading (Stockton-on-Tees, UK)
11.00	Coffee Break

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SESSION II: NEW DIAGNOSTIC MODALITIES

- Pepsin Detection in Digestive and Respiratory Fluids: An Update 11:30 Peter W. Dettmar (Kingston upon Hull, UK) 12:00 PH-impedance and Airway pH Recordings Edoardo Savarino (Padua, Italy) 12:30 Extra-digestive GERD: is Upper GI Endoscopy Always Indicated? Peter Malfertheiner (Magdeburg, Germany)
- 13:00 Working Lunch

FRIDAY, December 12, 2014 – Afternoon SESSION III: EXTRA-DIGESTIVE MANIFESTATIONS OF GERD

Chairpersons: Alfredo A. Chetta (Parma, Italy) – Liborio Parrino (Parma, Italy)

Respiratory Manifestations of GERD 15:00 Stanislas Bruley des Varannes (Nantes, France) ENT Manifestations of GERD 15:30 Wolfgang Issing (Newcastle upon Tyne, UK)

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16:00	GERD-related Non Cardiac Chest Pain and Arrhythmias John de Caestecker (Leicester, UK)
16:30	Coffee Break
17:00	GERD and Sleep Disturbances Sven Rupprecht (Jena, Germany)
17:30	Dental Erosions and Halitosis as Oral Manifestations of GERD Giuseppina Campisi (Palermo, Italy)
18:00	Globus and its complexity Nathalie Rommel (Leuven, Belgium)

SATURDAY, December 13, 2014 - Morning

SESSION IV: THERAPEUTIC APPROACH TO EXTRA-DIGESTIVE GERD

Chairpersons: Corrado Blandizzi (Pisa, Italy) – Antonio Balzano (Naples, Italy)

09:00	Is There an Effective Medical Therapy for Extra-digestive GERD: Facts and Fictions
09:30	Carmelo Scarpignato (Parma, Italy) When Is Surgical Therapy Indicated for Extra-digestive GERD?
10-00	Maijd Hashemi (London, UK)
10:00	Coffee Break

SESSION V: Round table – HOT TOPICS IN THERAPY

10:30	PPI Long-term Use and Misuse: Who Is Responsible for?
11:10	Are There Better Alternatives to PPIs for Treatment of Extra-digestive GERD?
12:00	Extra-digestive GERD: Which Medications in Addition to Anti-reflux Therapy?
	General Practioner: Ovidio Brignoli (Brescia, Italy) Pneumologist: Jaclyn A. Smith (Manchester, UK) ENT Physician: Julian McGlashan (Nottingham, UK) Cardiologist: Atul Pathak (Toulouse, France) Gastroenterologist: Francesco Di Mario (Parma, Italy)
12:50	Closing Remarks Carmelo Scarpignato (Parma, Italy)

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