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**AULA MAGNA**  
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# CANCER IN PREGNANCY: 15 YEARS AFTER



## WELCOME LETTER

In the past, the diagnosis of cancer during pregnancy was one of the greatest tragedies in a woman's life. In many instances, the choice was either to sacrifice the fetus or to jeopardize the chances of administering an effective treatment to the mother.

Many advances have been made in the last 15 years and this situation, albeit still difficult to manage, has now completely changed: in most instances the mother's cancer can be treated during the pregnancy without harming the fetus.

The most common cancers in pregnancy are those with a peak incidence during the woman's reproductive period and include cancer of the breast and cervix, melanomas, lymphomas, and leukemias.

As the trend for delaying pregnancy into the later reproductive years continues, this rare association is likely to become more common.

Several medical, psychological, social, and ethical issues should be considered when treating a pregnant patient with cancer and a multidisciplinary team of trained professionals should be available within a hub and spoke model, to offer each pregnant mother with cancer, to her physician and all members of the oncology team, adequate care and support.

In this 2-days congress, all the different aspects of cancer and pregnancy will be discussed by a panel of international experts that have significantly contributed to elucidating epidemiology, biology and best treatment for each oncological disease diagnosed during pregnancy.

Enough time will be reserved for case discussion, exchanging opinions and thoughts in addition to the presentation of new data in the poster discussion session.

Thanks to Milan University and to Fondazione Menarini, we will be hosted in one of the most beautiful venues in town: the fifteenth century Ospedale Maggiore Ca' Granda with its cloisters and Aula Magna.

We hope you will enjoy the Course.

**Fedro A. Peccatori and Giovanna Scarfone**  
**Course Directors**

The image shows two handwritten signatures in black ink. The signature on the left is 'Fedro A. Peccatori' and the signature on the right is 'Giovanna Scarfone'. Both are written in a cursive, flowing style.

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**SIGO** - Società Italiana di Ginecologia e Ostetricia

**ESGO** - European Society of Gynaecological Oncology

**ESO** - European School of Oncology

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# PRELIMINARY PROGRAMME

## AULA MAGNA - UNIVERSITA' DEGLI STUDI DI MILANO

### THURSDAY, OCTOBER 10<sup>TH</sup>, 2019 - MORNING

08.45 a.m. 09.00 a.m.	<b>F. Peccatori</b> (Milan, IT), <b>G. Scarfone</b> (Milan, IT) <i>Welcome</i>
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#### SESSION I - EPIDEMIOLOGY OF CANCER DURING PREGNANCY

Chairpersons:	<b>E. Sartori</b> (Brescia, IT), <b>F. Parazzini</b> (Milan, IT)
09.00 a.m. 09.30 a.m.	<b>F. Parazzini</b> (Milan, IT) Incidence and Prevalence of Cancer During Pregnancy
09.30 a.m. 10.00 a.m.	<b>C. Maggen</b> (Leuven, BE) Update on the International Registry Including Maternal Prognosis
10.00 a.m. 10.30 a.m.	<b>F. Amant</b> (Leuven, BE) International Initiative for Registries and Clinical Studies
10.30 a.m. 11.00 a.m.	Discussion
11.00 a.m. 11.30 a.m.	<i>Coffee Break</i>

#### SESSION II - TUMOR BIOLOGY AND HOST INTERACTION

Chairpersons:	<b>H. A. Azim Jr</b> (Beirut, LB), <b>G. Mangili</b> (Milan, IT)
11.30 a.m. 12.00 p.m.	<b>H. A. Azim Jr</b> (Beirut, LB) Impact of Pregnancy on Breast Cancer Diagnosed During Gestation
12.00 p.m. 12.30 p.m.	<b>V. Borges</b> (Colorado, USA) Post-Partum Changes and Impact on Breast Cancer Biology
12.30 p.m. 01.00 p.m.	Discussion
01.00 p.m. 02.00 p.m.	<i>Lunch</i>

## THURSDAY, OCTOBER 10<sup>TH</sup>, 2019 - AFTERNOON

### SESSION III - OVERVIEW ON MANAGING CANCER IN PREGNANCY

Chairpersons:	<b>F. Amant</b> (Leuven, BE), <b>E. Ferrazzi</b> (Milan, IT)
02.00 p.m. 02.30 p.m.	<b>G. Petralia</b> (Milan, IT) Staging and Radiological Evaluation During Pregnancy
02.30 p.m. 03.00 p.m.	<b>K. Van Calsteren</b> (Leuven, BE) Maternal OB Follow-Up / Management During Pregnancy Till Delivery
03.00 p.m. 03.30 p.m.	<i>Coffee Break</i>
03.30 p.m. 04.00 p.m.	<b>P. Berveiller</b> (Paris, FR) PK/PD of Systemic Anti-Cancer Therapy During Pregnancy
04.00 p.m. 04.30 p.m.	<b>M. Lambertini</b> (Genoa, IT) Safety of Systemic Therapy During Pregnancy
04.30 p.m. 05.00 p.m.	<b>F. Zagouri</b> (Athens, GR) Supportive Care for Pregnant Cancer Patients
05.00 p.m. 05.30 p.m.	Discussion

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## FRIDAY, OCTOBER 11<sup>TH</sup>, 2019 - MORNING

### SESSION IV - SPECIFIC CONSIDERATION IN MANAGING COMMON CANCERS IN PREGNANCY

Chairpersons:	<b>J. Litton</b> (Houston, USA), <b>P. Vercellini</b> (Milan, IT)
09.00 a.m. 09.30 a.m.	<b>J. Litton</b> (Houston, USA) Breast Cancer
09.30 a.m. 10.00 a.m.	<b>E. Zucca</b> (Bellinzona, CH) Lymphoma
10.00 a.m. 10.30 a.m.	<b>M. Halaska</b> (Prague, CZ) Gynecological Tumors
10.30 a.m. 11.00 a.m.	<i>Coffee Break</i>

### SESSION V - FROM FETAL GROWTH TO INFANT DEVELOPMENT

Chairpersons:	<b>M. Fumagalli</b> (Milan, IT), <b>F. Mosca</b> (Milan, IT)
11.00 a.m. 11.30 a.m.	<b>M. Fumagalli</b> (Milan, IT) Fetal Monitoring During Pregnancy and Issues at Delivery
11.30 a.m. 12.00 p.m.	<b>M. van Gerwen</b> (Amsterdam, NL) Long Term Outcome of Children After In-Utero Exposure
12.00 p.m. 12.30 p.m.	Discussion
12.30 p.m. 01.30 p.m.	<i>Lunch</i>

## FRIDAY, OCTOBER 11<sup>TH</sup>, 2019 - AFTERNOON

### **SESSION VI - DECISIONAL CONUNDRUMS AND PSYCHOLOGICAL ASPECTS OF CANCER DURING PREGNANCY**

Chairpersons:	<b>G. Pravettoni</b> (Milan, IT), <b>K. Mazzocco</b> (Milan, IT)
01.30 p.m. 02.00 p.m.	<b>G. Pravettoni</b> (Milan, IT) Breaking the News and Managing Expectations
02.00 p.m. 02.30 p.m.	<b>F. Facchin</b> (Milan, IT) Psychological Support: Do We Need It?
02.30 p.m. 03.00 p.m.	Patient voice
03.00 p.m. 03.30 p.m.	Discussion
03.30 p.m. 04.00 p.m.	<i>Coffee Break</i>

### **SESSION VII - CASE DISCUSSION AND BEST POSTER AWARDS**

Chairpersons:	<b>F. Peccatori</b> (Milan, IT), <b>G. Scarfone</b> (Milan, IT)
04.00 p.m. 04.15 p.m.	<b>Case 1</b>
04.15 p.m. 04.30 p.m.	<b>Case 2</b>
04.30 p.m. 04.45 p.m.	<b>Case 3</b>
04.45 p.m. 05.00 p.m.	<b>Best poster 1</b>
05.00 p.m. 05.15 p.m.	<b>Best poster 2</b>
05.15 p.m. 05.30 p.m.	<b>Best poster 3</b>
05.30 p.m. 06.00 p.m.	<b>F. Peccatori</b> (Milan, IT), <b>G. Scarfone</b> (Milan, IT) Conclusions



## GENERAL INFORMATION

### MEETING VENUE

Aula Magna – Università degli Studi di Milano  
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20122 Milano

### REGISTRATION HOURS

Thursday, October 10<sup>th</sup>: 08.00 a.m. – 05.30 p.m.  
Friday, October 11<sup>th</sup>: 08.00 a.m. – 06.00 p.m.

### OFFICIAL LANGUAGE

English. Simultaneous translation will not be provided.

### REGISTRATIONS

For more information and to register please visit the following website:  
**[www.fondazione-menarini.it](http://www.fondazione-menarini.it)**

### TECHNICAL FACILITIES

A Slide Centre with PCs (Windows and Macintosh operating systems) will be available for Speakers to preview and finalise their presentations. Speakers are kindly requested to submit their presentations on USB flash drive to the Slide Centre technicians at least one hour before their talks.

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### LUNCH AND COFFEE BREAKS

Lunch and coffee breaks will be provided at the Conference premises.

### ATTENDANCE CERTIFICATE

The attendance certificate will be provided on-site upon request at the Registration Desk.

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