POCT:

Making The Point

September 6-7, 2021
Auditorium Campus X - Rome - Italy
## Outline Programme

### Day 1

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<td>9:00-9.30</td>
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<td><strong>Opening Lecture</strong>&lt;br&gt;POCT in Pediatrics&lt;br&gt;(Khosrow Adeli)</td>
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<td><strong>1st SESSION</strong>&lt;br&gt;Quality Assurance&lt;br&gt;QC in POCT: where are the gaps we need to fill there?&lt;br&gt;(Sverre Sandberg)</td>
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<td>Proficiency testing-ensuring quality in all aspects of POCT&lt;br&gt;(Alexander Haliassos)</td>
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<td>POCT accreditation ISO 15189 and EN ISO 22870: making the point&lt;br&gt;(Paloma Oliver)</td>
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<td>Identify and reducing errors in POCT&lt;br&gt;(Julie Shaw)</td>
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<td><strong>1st IVD Round Table</strong>: IVD contribution to QC and EQA</td>
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<td><strong>2nd SESSION</strong>&lt;br&gt;Training for POCT&lt;br&gt;Training and competency strategies for point-of-care testing&lt;br&gt;(Sedef Yenice)</td>
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<td>Quality and Clinical use POCT for Covid-19&lt;br&gt;(Sverre Sandberg)</td>
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<td>Leading POCT networks: Operating POCT programs across multiple sites and vast geographical areas&lt;br&gt;(Edward Randell)</td>
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<td>The AACC Certification Process&lt;br&gt;(T Scott Isbell)</td>
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<td>17:15-17:45</td>
<td><strong>3rd SESSION</strong>&lt;br&gt;Technological innovation&lt;br&gt;Wearable technologies and mobile applications for health care&lt;br&gt;(Bernard Gouget)</td>
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<td>Connectivity strategies in managing a POCT testing Service&lt;br&gt;(Rajiv Erasmus)</td>
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18:15-18:45  Wearable responsibility and security concerns for mHealth apps and devices  
(Damien Gruson)

18:30-19:00  Direct to consumer laboratory testing, opportunities and concerns  
(Matthias Orth)

Day 2

9:00-9:30  Welcome coffee
9:30-10:30  2nd IVD Round Table: IVD contribution to Tecnological Innovation

3rd SESSION  POCT on the field
10:30-11:00  Medical economics - Blood product management at the point-of-care?  
(Michel Vaubourdolle)
11:00-11:30  Best laboratory practices regarding POCT in different settings (hospital and outside of hospital)  
(Adil Khan)
11:30-12:00  Management of chronic hearth failure patients: integrating POCT in the cardiology journey  
(Paul Jarvis)
12:00-12:30  Public Health Education Should Include POCT—Lessons Learned from the COVID-19 Pandemic.  
(Gerald Kost)
12:30-13:00  POCT in Developing Countries  
(Praaven Sharma)
13:00-13:30  How POCT could be an useful tool for migrants and refugees health?  
(Sergio Bernardini)
13:30-14:30  Light Lunch

4th SESSION  POCT market and sustainability
14:30-15:00  Utilizing POCT to Optimize Care  
(James Nichols)
15:00-15:30  Does a synergy is possible between POCT and laboratories consolidations?  
(Tommaso Trenti)
15:30-17:00  Round Table “The expectation of the POCT”  
Attendants: Scientists, Professionals, Institutional representatives, IVD  
(Moderator: Bernard Gouget)
17:00-17:30  Conclusions and Take home messages  
(Leslie Lai)
General information

**Official Language:**
The official language of the Congress is English.

**Registration fees:**
All delegates must register to attend the congress. Registration fees as follows (VAT included):
- Early Registration fee 200 EUR
- Late Registration fee 250 EUR (from 1st June 2021)
- Onsite Registration fee 300 EUR (from 30th August 2021)

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**Congress venue**
Auditorium Campus X - Rome - Italy
Via di Passo Lombardo 341, Municipio VII, Roma, 00133
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**How to reach the venue**
Ciampino Airport 5.9 km

By Car:
From the GRA (Grande Raccordo Anulare) A90, take exit 20 “La Romanina”, direction Frascati, until Via di Passolombardo 341, Roma.
Large car park with 24hr surveillance available.

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