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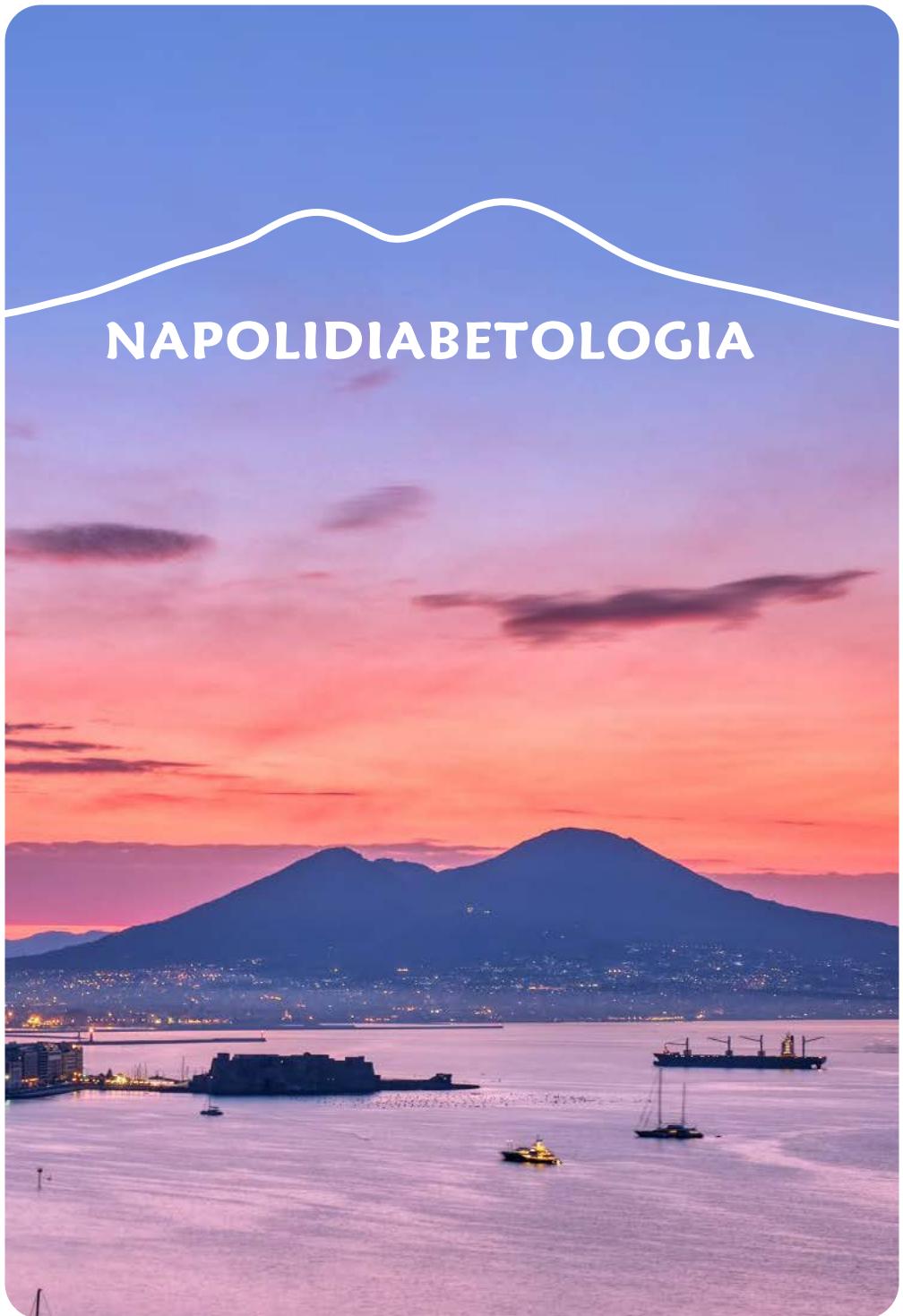
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**WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 25**

14.00 – 14.10 **Welcome Addresses**

**SESSION I**

**Chairpersons: Annamaria Colao & Katherine Esposito**

14.10 – 14.30 Adult-Onset Autoimmune Diabetes: Phenotypic Features, Diagnosis and Therapy  
**Raffaella Buzzetti**

14.30 – 14.50 Cardio-Metabolic Risk in Pituitary Disorders: An Overview  
**Diego Ferone**

14.50 – 15.00 Discussion

**SESSION II**

**Chairpersons: Guido Grassi & Claudio Ferri**

15.00 – 15.20 Pharmacological Management of Heart Failure in the Obese Diabetic Patient: New Challenges, New Horizons  
**Pasquale Perrone Filardi**

15.20 – 15.40 What is meant by Truly Resistant Hypertension  
**Agostino Virdis**

15.40 – 15.50 Discussion

15.50 – 16.20 Coffee break

**SESSION III**

**Chairpersons: Rosario Pivonello & Giuseppe Bellastella**

16.20 – 16.40 When Artificial Intelligence Meets Andrology: Innovations and Clinical Opportunities  
**Aldo Eugenio Calogero**

**WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 25**

16.40 – 17.00 Hypogonadism, Fertility, and Sexuality in CKD  
**Sandro La Vignera**

17.00 – 17.20 Hormone Therapy in Transgenders and its Impact on Quality of Life  
**Antonio Aversa**

17.20 – 17.40 Discussion

**SESSION IV**

**Chairpersons: Giorgio Arnaldi & Carla Di Somma**

17.40 – 18.00 Endocrine Disruptors as Obesiogens: A New Perspective in the Pathogenesis of Obesity  
**Rossella Cannarella**

18.00 – 18.20 Fertility and Sexuality in the Obese Diabetic Patient  
**Rosario Pivonello**

18.20 – 18.40 Combination Therapy (SGLT2 Inhibitors – GLP1 Agonists – GLP1/GIP Agonists): Beyond Gluco-Metabolic Control  
**Nicola Napoli**

18.40 – 19.00 Diabetes and Bone: A Complex Relationship – Clinical Challenges and Therapeutic Options  
**Giuseppe Bellastella**

19.00 – 19.30 Discussion



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**THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 26**

**09.00 – 10.00 SESSION V**

**Chairpersons: Agostino Virdis & Arrigo Cicero**

**09.00 – 09.20 SGLT2 Inhibitors and Cardiovascular Risk: Role in  
Resistant Arterial Hypertension  
Guido Grassi**

**09.20 – 09.40 Role of GLP1 Agonists and Aldosterone Synthase  
Inhibitors in Resistant Arterial Hypertension  
Claudio Ferri**

**09.40 – 10.00 Discussion**

**10.00 – 11.00 SESSION VI**

**Chairpersons: Salvatore Corrao & Francesco Scavuzzo**

**10.00 – 10.20 Decision-Making in the Complex Obese Patient:  
Nutritional and Pharmacological Synergies  
Annamaria Colao**

**10.20 – 10.40 How Innovative Metabolic Pharmacology has Changed  
the Perspective of Care in High Cardiovascular Risk  
Patients  
Katherine Esposito**

**10.40 – 11.00 Discussion**

**11.00 – 11.30 Coffee break**

**11.30 – 13.30 SESSION VII**

**Chairpersons: Bruna Guida & Silvia Savastano**

**11.30 – 11.50 How CGM (Continuous Glucose Monitoring) has Changed  
the Clinical Management of Diabetic Patients at Risk of  
Complications  
Maria Ida Maiorino**

**11.50 – 12.10 Tirzepatide, Retratutide, Orfoglipron: Updates 2026  
Salvatore Corrao**

**THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 26**

**12.10 – 12.30 Body Composition and Muscle Loss / Wasting in the  
Sarcopenic Obese Patient Under Therapy  
Maria Serena Lonardo**

**LECTURE**

**Chairperson: Giovanni De Pergola**

**12.30 – 13.00 Innovative Nutraceuticals: Between Obesity and Cardio-  
Nephro-Metabolic Syndrome  
Arrigo Cicero**

**13.00 – 13.30 Discussion**

**13.30 – 14.30 Lunch Break**

**SESSION VIII**

**Chairpersons: Antonello Cittadini & Raffaele Napoli**

**14.30 – 16.10 Semaglutide: A New Statin? Therapeutic Impact on Lipid /  
Inflammatory Profile and Thrombotic Risk  
Paolo Calabro**

**14.50 – 15.10 SGLT2 Inhibitors in Heart Failure in Patients with CKD  
Gennaro Cice**

**15.10 – 15.30 Cardiac Rehabilitation in the Sarcopenic Obese Patient  
with Heart Failure: Nutritional and Pharmacological  
Synergies  
Mario Mallardo**

**15.30 – 15.50 Dyslipidemia Therapy: What's New from the European  
Society of Cardiology Guidelines 2019–2025  
Paolo Tammaro**

**15.50 – 16.10 Discussion**

**16.10 – 16.30 Coffee break**



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**NON CME ACCREDITED SESSION**

16.30 – 18.30

**SESSION IX**

**NEW FRONTIERS IN DRUGS DISCOVERY, FROM RESEARCH  
TO CLINICAL PRACTICE**

16.30 – 17.00

**Chairpersons: Gennaro Cice & Claudio Ferri**

CVRM (Cardio-Vascular-Renal and Metabolism) Era: Focus  
Renal Translating Science and Innovation into Clinical  
Impact

**Pietro Galassetti**, Global Clinical Program Lead,  
AstraZeneca, Gaithersburg, USA

17.00 – 17.30

**Chairpersons: Aldo Eugenio Calogero & Giorgio Arnaldi**

Advancement in the multiple agonism landscape:  
the role of Amycretin in redefining the boundaries of  
incretin science

**Kirsten Raun**, Global Drug Discovery, Scientific Director  
Novo Nordisk, Måløv, Denmark

17.30 – 18.00

**Chairpersons: Dario Giugliano & Giovambattista Capasso**

Survodutide, GLP1-Glucagon Agonism, Pharmacological  
and Clinical Updates 2026

**Ramy Younes**, Global Head of Clinical Development  
Obesity & Liver, Boehringer Ingelheim, Ingelheim am  
Rhein, Germany

18.00 – 18.30

**Chairpersons: Pasquale Perrone Filardi & Paolo Calabro**

Development of Novel Lp(a) Lowering Therapies and  
Drugs for Cardiovascular Risk Reduction

**Pierluigi Tricoci**, Associate Vice President Medical  
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**FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 27**

09.00 – 09.10 Opening Remarks:  
**Silvio Settembrini & Giovambattista Capasso**

09.10 – 10.40 **SESSION X**  
**Pathophysiological Mechanisms in Diabetic Kidney Disease**  
Chairpersons: **Giuseppe Palmiero & Mario Cozzolino**

09.10 – 09.30 The Role of Adenine in Diabetic Kidney Injury  
**Kumar Sharma**

09.30 – 09.50 Diabetic Kidney Injury Determinants: Focus on EMT and  
Mitochondrial Dysfunction  
**Petter Bjornstad**

09.50 – 10.10 Unravelling Molecular Pathways in Diabetic Nephropathy:  
Role of Macrophages in Lipid Metabolism and  
Inflammation  
**John He**

10.10 – 10.40 Discussion led by **Floriana Secondulfo**

10.40 – 11.10 Coffee break

11.10 – 12.40 **SESSION XI**  
**Novel Targets and Translational Research**  
Chairpersons: **Vincenzo Carafa & Stefano Bianchi**

11.10 – 11.30 Targeting Cell-to-Cell Communication in Diabetic Kidney  
Disease: From the Podocyte to the Proximal Tubule  
**Sandeep Mallipattu**

11.30 – 11.50 Senescence as a Driver of Chronic and Diabetic Kidney  
Disease  
**Giovambattista Capasso**

**FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 27**

11.50 – 12.10 Precision Nephrology in Diabetic Kidney Disease: Multi-  
Scalar Data Integration for Novel Biomarkers and  
Therapeutic Targets  
**Matthias Kretzler**

12.10 – 12.40 Discussion led by **Mariadelina Simeoni**

12.40 – 14.00 Lunch Break

14.00 – 15.30 **SESSION XII**  
**Therapeutic Advances in Diabetic Kidney Disease**  
Chairpersons: **Alessandra Perna & Domenico Santoro**

14.00 – 14.20 Semaglutide as the New Pillar of Diabetic Kidney Disease  
Treatment  
**Peter Rossing**

14.20 – 14.40 Combination Therapy in Diabetic Kidney Disease  
**Hiddo Heerspink**

14.40 – 15.00 SGLT2 Inhibitors: From Clinical Trials to Real-World  
Evidence  
**Luca De Nicola**

15.00 – 15.30 Discussion led by **Francesco Trepiccione**

15.30 – 16.00 Coffee Break

16.00 – 17.30 **SESSION XIII**  
**Diagnosis, Prognosis and Integrated Care**  
Chairpersons: **Miriam Zacchia & Salvatore Di Paolo**

16.00 – 16.20 The Role of Kidney Biopsy in Patients with Diabetes  
**Loreto Gesualdo**



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16.20 – 16.40 Prevalence and Predictors of Rapid eGFR Decline in Type 2 Diabetes  
**Francesca Viazzi**

16.40 – 17.00 Integrated Care for Diabetic Nephropathy: a Patient-Centered Approach  
**Francesco Giorgino**

17.00 – 17.30 Discussion led by **Giovanna Capolongo**

**KEYNOTE LECTURE**

*Chairperson: Giovambattista Capasso*

17.30 – 18.00 Harmonizing Today, Transforming Tomorrow: The Future of Nephrology in Europe  
**Roser Torra**

18.00 – 18.15 Conclusions: **Silvio Settembrini**

**SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 28 COMMUNITY DAY**

**Endocrinological Crew:  
Pathway to Cardio-Nephro-Epato-Cerebro-Metabolic Syndrome**

09.00 – 10.00 **SESSION XIV**  
**“Thyroid Connections“: Heart – Kidney – Liver**  
*Chairpersons: Andrea Frasoldati & Enrico Papini*

09.00 – 09.15 Hypo- and Hyperthyroidism and Cardio-Metabolic Impact: Clinical and Therapeutic Correlations  
**Vincenzo Triggiani**

09.15 – 09.30 Chronic Kidney Disease (CKD) and Thyroid Disorders: Bidirectional Links  
**Olga Disoteo**

09.30 – 09.45 Thyroid and Liver: Two Metabolic Hubs in Homeostatic Control. Can Thyroid Hormone Signalling Treat a Dysfunctional Liver?  
**Silvio Settembrini**

09.45 – 10.00 Discussion

10.00 – 11.00 **SESSION XV**  
*Chairpersons: Edoardo Guastamacchia & Giancarlo Tonolo*

10.00 – 10.15 Intelligent Insulins: What They Are and What They Do  
**Giuseppe Crispino**

10.15 – 10.30 Combo Therapy with SGLT2 Inhibitors, DPP-IV Inhibitors, GLP-1 Agonists, and GLP-1/GIP Agonists in Diabetes Mellitus: for Remission and Primary and Secondary Prevention  
**Elena Succurro**



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10.30 – 10.45 Aldosterone Receptor Antagonists and Aldosterone Synthase Inhibitors in Cardio- Nephro-Metabolic Syndrome  
**Leonardo Russo**

10.45 – 11.00 Discussion

11.00 – 11.30 Coffee break

**SESSION XVI**

*Chairpersons: Olga Disoteo & Silvio Settembrini*

11.30 – 11.45 MASLD and its Clinical-Therapeutic Management: Can We Interfere with the Progression of Hepatic Fibrosis?  
**Domenico Arcoria**

11.45 – 12.00 Neuroprotection and Cognitive Disorders: Where Do We Stand with Innovative Metabolic Drugs?  
**Raffaele Schembari**

12.00 – 12.15 Pathological Thinness (Is it harder to gain weight or lose weight?)  
**Vincenzo Cimino**

12.15 – 12.30 Discussion

**LECTURE**

*Chairpersons: Mario Rizzo & Giuseppe Giordano*

Obesity and Aldosterone: Pathophysiological and Pharmacotherapeutic Correlations  
**Massimiliano Caprio**

**SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 28 COMMUNITY DAY**

13.00 – 14.00 **SESSION XVII**  
**Real-World Clinical Experiences: Case Management and Narrative Reports. The Role of CGM (Continuous Glucose Monitoring) in the different Clinical Settings**

*Chairpersons: Maria Masulli & Vincenzo Nuzzo*

13.00 – 13.10 **Nicola Tecce:** The Diabetic Cancer Patient Undergoing Chemotherapy

13.10 – 13.20 **Diego Carleo:** The Obese Diabetic Patient with Rheumatologic Disease

13.20 – 13.30 **Giacomo Accardo:** The Diabetic Patient with Thyroid Disease

13.30 – 13.40 **Marcello Orio:** Efficacy Analysis in a Cohort of Patients Treated with GLP-1/GIP Agonists

13.40 – 13.50 **Raffaele Mancini:** Therapy of the Diabetic Patient on Dialysis

13.50 – 14.00 Conclusions



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