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PRELIMINARY PROGRAM

8.30 REGISTRATION

8.45 CELEBRATIONS FOR THE 40th IRCCS ANNIVERSARY (1973 - 2013)
Round Table

10.00 OTTORINO ROSSI AWARD CEREMONY
Declaration of the Winner
A. Stella, Pavia
Presentation of the Winner
E. D’Angelo, Pavia
Lecture of the Winner
H. Markram, Lousanne

11.00 Coffee break

MOLECULAR GENETICS AND PATHOBIOLOGY OF NEURODEGENERATIVE DEMENTIAS AND COGNITIVE DYSFUNCTION

Chairmen: G. Merlini, Pavia · G. Nisticò, Rome

11.20 Neurodegenerative dementias: can genetics still contribute?
C. Van Broeckhoven, Antwerp

11.50 Tau involvement in neurodegenerative dementias
M.G. Spillantini, Cambridge

12.20 Nerve growth factor and Alzheimer’s disease: new facts for an old hypothesis
A. Cattaneo, Rome

12.50 Astroglial roots of neurodegeneration
L. Steardo, Rome

13.20 Lunch

FUTURE THERAPEUTIC PERSPECTIVES AND BIOMARKERS FOR NEURODEGENERATIVE DEMENTIAS

Chairmen: F. Di Salle, Salerno · P. F. Spano, Brescia

14.30 New diagnostic strategies for Alzheimer’s disease
B. Dubois, Paris

15.00 Alzheimer Disease: from early diagnosis to therapeutic challenges
A. Padovani, Brescia

15.30 The use of biomarkers in the clinic
G.B. Frisoni, Brescia

16.00 Coffee break

Chairmen: V. Calabrese, Catania · G. Scapagnini, Campobasso

16.20 Imaging function and plasticity of memory circuits in old age
E. Düzel, Magdeburg

16.50 Identification and validation of clinical useful CSF biomarkers in Alzheimer’s disease
C. Teunissen, Amsterdam

17.20 Novel pharmacological targets for the treatment of Alzheimer’s Disease
R. Nisticò, Rome

17.50 CLOSING REMARKS
F. Blandini, Pavia

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