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# From the clinical problem to the research model: a translational approach with EVs

**29<sup>th</sup> October 2025 at IRCCS Ospedale Galeazzi – Sant'Ambrogio**

Via Cristina Belgioioso 173, Milano - Aula A c/o Settore Universitario Piano 0

Organizers:

Enrico Ragni, Laboratorio di Biotecnologie Applicate all'Ortopedia, OGSA, Milano

Michela Pozzobon, Dept of Women's and Children's Health, University of Padova



10.30 – 10.45 Welcome and Introduction

10.45 – 11.15 **Roberta Tasso**, DIMES, University of Genova, Genova; Dipartimento della Ricerca, IRCCS Ospedale Policlinico San Martino, Genova; Deputy Secretary, EVITA

**“Extracellular Vesicles (EVs) as theranostic drug delivery vehicles”**

11.15 – 11.45 **Vitale Miceli**, Department of Research, IRCCS ISMETT, Palermo

**“Enhancing the translational potential of mesenchymal stromal cell-derived extracellular vesicles through priming strategies to modulate functional cargo”**

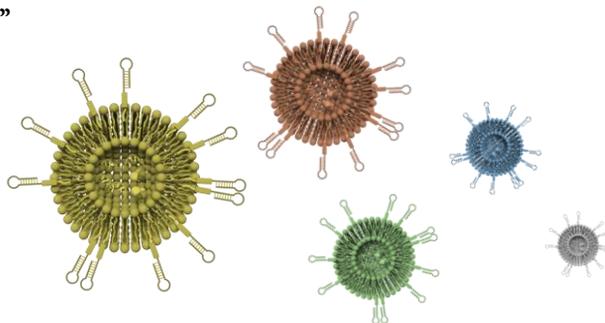
11.45 – 11.55 Short Presentation

11.55 – 12.05 Short Presentation

12.05 – 12.15 Short Presentation

12.15 – 12.30 Company Presentation

12.30 – 14.00 Lunch



14.00 – 14.30 **Maria Letizia Penolazzi**, Department of Neuroscience and Rehabilitation, University of Ferrara, Ferrara

**“Decellularized Wharton's Jelly (DWJ) as a source of Matrix-Bound Nanovesicles (MBVs): new frontiers in the treatment of intervertebral disc degeneration”**

14.30 – 15.00 **Lorenza Lazzari**, Unit of Cell and Gene Therapy, Fondazione IRCCS Ca' Granda Ospedale Maggiore Policlinico, Milano; President, FIRST

**“Pluripotent EVs: a scalable solution to the bottlenecks of primary cell-based therapies”**

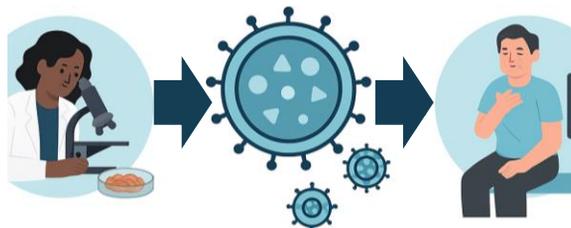
15.00 – 15.10 Short Presentation

15.10 – 15.20 Short Presentation

15.20 – 15.30 Short Presentation

15.30 – 15.45 Company Presentation

15.45 – 16.00 Concluding Remarks



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