6th National Congress of the Italian Society for Virology
One Virology  One Health

Naples
July 3-5, 2022
Hotel Royal Continental
Via Partenope 38
As the pandemic seems to start fading away, the flagship annual meeting of the Italian Society of Virology SIV-ISV is back on the agenda. During the past 2 years, as a consequence of the COVID-19 pandemic, the Society was forced to pivot the scientific programs (both the 4th and the 5th SIV-ISV National Congresses) into a totally new format for online consumption. The events, free for all users, were undisputed successes, both from a scientific/educational as well as from a digital technology perspective. The number of registrations increased by almost four-fold when compared with previous editions with a greater proportion of younger and female participants. We come to appreciate the realm of possibilities offered by online conferences but we also missed the opportunity to meet people and to interact with friends and colleagues. Even senior scientists suffered the lack of networking opportunities, but the loss of impromptu interactions at online events made it harder to connect graduate students with senior members of the scientific community. Therefore, it is a great honor that the city of Naples will host the first resumed in-person SIV-ISV national meeting. In keeping with the tradition, the scientific structure of the Congress features different thematic sessions ranging from general virology such as structural virology, virus-host interactions and pathogenesis, viral genetics, biotechnology and oncogenic viruses to clinical virology with sessions on antiviral therapy and diagnosis, vaccines, epidemiology and diseases, without overlooking veterinary, environmental and plant virology. On the contrary, the meeting will be conceived to promote productive interactions between the different virological souls and we invite participants to explore synergies between different disciplines. Every session starts with Invited Lectures followed by oral communications selected from the “Call for Abstracts”. Specific Symposia mainly dedicated to clinical aspects of virology as well as Poster Exhibition and Discussion will complete the scientific structure of the Congress. Special attention has been given to Young Investigators whose participation has been encouraged by Scholarships.

The 6th National Congress of the Italian Society for Virology has been accredited to the Italian Ministry of Health for CME Credits for the following professionals: Medical Doctor (all disciplines), Biologist, Biotechnologist, Medical laboratory technician, Nurse, Veterinary, Pharmacist, Physicist and Chemist.
ABSTRACT TOPICS

- General Virology
- Viral Diagnosis
- Viral Oncology
- Viral Genetics and Biotechnology
- Viral pathogenesis and virus-host interactions
- Antiviral therapy and vaccines
- Veterinary virology
- Environmental and plant virology
- Clinical virology and epidemiology
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Abstracts will be reviewed by the Scientific Committee and may be selected for either oral or poster presentation. Authors who wish to present scientific works are requested to send abstracts by March 31th, 2022 using ONLY the online form on the www.congressosiv-isv.com website.

Authors must specify their preferred form of presentation (oral communication or poster) when sending their abstracts. The choice is not binding.

By April 15th, 2022, the organisational secretariat will send emails confirming acceptance of the selected works and the presentation mode (oral communication or poster).

**ORAL COMMUNICATIONS**
The time limit for oral communications is 10 min, including discussions.

**POSTER**
Poster dimensions should be 70 cm. (width) x 100 cm. (height). Mounting materials will be provided in the posting area. The presence of one of the authors is required at the discussion of the posters.

**ABSTRACT SUBMISSION GUIDELINES**
- The text, in English, must contain (in the following order):
  - **Topic**: indication of the preferential topic
  - **Title**: title of abstract (short, written in UPPERCASE letters)
  - **Author(s)**: Initial of first name followed by surname, initials in uppercase, without academic title; underline name of Author who will present the work.
  - **Affiliation**: name and location of institution.
- Use the Word programme (Times New Roman, font size 12, single-spaced)
- Maximum length: 1 page.

**CONTENTS**
The abstract must contain:
- Aim of the study
- Methods used
- Results and conclusions

Any bibliographic citations must be inserted in the text. Summary tables or graphs may be included provided they fit on the page of text.
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- Society dinner
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