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TOWARDS PERFORMANCE SPECIFICATIONS FOR THE EXTRA-ANALYTICAL PHASES OF LABORATORY TESTING

SYMPOSIUM DEDICATED TO THE MEMORY OF
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PROGRAM

Thursday, 27 October 2016

First Session PRE-ANALYTICAL PHASE

*Chairmen: Sergio Bernardini (Roma, Italy)
Marcello Ciaccio (Roma, Italy)
Ferruccio Ceriotti (Milano, Italy)*

- 8.30 Welcome address and opening remarks
- 9.00 **Opening Lecture**
Quality indicators and performance specifications for the extra-analytical phases of laboratory testing
Mario Plebani (Padova, Italy)
- 9.45 Appropriateness in test request
Mauro Panteghini (Milano, Italy)
- 10.15 Patient and sample identification
Giuseppe Lippi (Verona, Italy)
- 10.45 **Coffee Break**
- 11.15 Sample collection
Ana-Maria Simundic (Zagreb, Croatia)
- 11.45 Sample handling and transportation
Martina Zaninotto (Padova, Italy)
- 12.15 A pragmatic approach to sample acceptance and rejection
Sverre Sandberg (Bergen, Norway)
- 12.45 **General Discussion**

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Second Session POST-ANALYTICAL PHASE

*Chairmen: Maurizio Ferrari (Milano, Italy)
Mauro Panteghini (Milano, Italy)
Tommaso Trenti (Modena, Italy)*

- 14.30 Reference values and decision limits
Ferruccio Ceriotti (Milano, Italy)
- 15.00 Turnaround-time
Paolo Carraro (Padova, Italy)
- 15.30 Assessment of the added value of interpretative comments on patient handling
Eva Ajzner (Nyíregyháza, Hungary)
- 16.00 **Coffee Break**
- 16.30 Critical results
Elisa Piva (Padova, Italy)
- 17.00 Do physicians utilise laboratory results according to clinical algorithms/guidelines?
Ann Helen Kristoffersen (Bergen, Norway)
- 17.30 Extra-analytical Quality Indicators and performances: results from a survey
Laura Sciacovelli (Padova, Italy)
- 18.00 **General Discussion & Final Remarks**

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