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The sentinel Node in the era of individualized management of cancer patients

The International Sentinel Node Society serves and coordinates the needs of the diverse community of physicians and scientists who study the sentinel node.

It is now clear that the sentinel node concept, as originally described in patients with melanoma, is applicable to any type of malignant tumor that has the potential to spread via lymphatics to lymph nodes. Thus sentinel node technology has now entered a new phase of discovery and treatment. This technique has great potential for individualized management of solid tumors and it is also apparent that successful application of sentinel node technology requires close cooperation between dermatologist, surgeon, pathologists, radiologists and nuclear medicine physicians.

The new era of the SNB concept should be to perform this procedure both to evaluate the real necessity to perform a radical nodal dissection as it has been demonstrated for many patients with breast cancer and to drive clinicians to prescribe new adjuvant therapies with molecular based targeting or immunologically based approaches.

This medical therapies topic is becoming more and more important in the advanced disease setting, which makes the adjuvant setting the new topic to be explored and proposed for clinical research proposals.

Similarly apart the consolidated approach in melanoma and breast cancer, a clear identification on the role of SNB in most solid tumors needs to obtain a definitive validation: guide lines discussion will be conducted on all these diseases where such procedure has not reached a well defined profile and indication.

April 30

13:00 Board meeting of the steering committee

Plenary Session

Istituto Europeo di Oncologia, Via Ripamonti, 435 Milano - Aula Leonardo La Pietra

14:00 Registration

15:30 Opening Ceremony

*Chairman N. Mozzillo,
A. Testori and J. Gershenwald*

16.00 Welcome message

*M. Melis (Milano)
G. Ciliberto (Napoli)
S. Lodato (Napoli)
R. Orecchia (Milano)*

16:30 A tribute to Donald Morton

M. Faries (Los Angeles)

16:40 A tribute to Natale Cascinelli

A. Testori (Milano)

16:50 A life dedicated to conservative surgery

U. Veronesi (Milano)

17:00 Break

17:10 Opening ceremony second session

SNB: future perspectives

Chairman C.M. Balch (Dallas)
P. Delrio (Napoli)

17:20 Melanoma

N. Mozzillo (Napoli)

17:30 Breast

A. Giuliano (Los Angeles)

17:40 Oral cavity

R. Martin (Auckland)

17:50 Gastro intestinal

Y. Kitagawa (Tokyo)

18:00 Colorectal

S. Saha (Flint)

18:10 Urology

H.G. van Der Poel (Amsterdam)

18:20 Gynecology

S. Greggi (Napoli)

18:30 The role of sentinel node in the future
of cancer management

C.M. Balch (Dallas)

18:45 Assembly Report

J. Gershenwald (Houston)

19:20 Cocktail dinner (transfer by bus to Testori's
family country house)

May 1

Plenary Session

Sentinel Node and Technologies

Chairman	S. Lastoria (Napoli) S. Vidal Sicar (Barcellona)	
08:30	Overview of Lymphoscintigraphy	<i>R. Uren (Sidney)</i>
08:45	Enhanced receptor-targeting with Tilmmanocept for lymphatic mapping	<i>A. Wallace (San Diego)</i>
09:00	Hybrid tracers for combined radioactivity/fluorescence detection	<i>F. van Leeuwen (Leiden)</i>
09:15	Indocyanine Green for Fluorescence Imaging	<i>K. Joachim (Essen)</i>
09:30	SPECT/CT for preoperative sentinel lymph node localization in areas of complex anatomy	<i>R. Valdés Olmos (Amsterdam/Leiden)</i>
09:45	Sestamibi-guided biopsy of radiologically occult breast lesions using dedicated gamma camera devices	<i>L. Pereira Arias (Leiden/Leiderdorp)</i>
10:00	Sentinel node biopsy in early stage breast cancer with a single incision and no lymphoscintigraphy	<i>M. Rizzo (Atlanta)</i>
10:15	Confocal microscopy may help to select thin melanoma patients for SNB?	<i>G. Pellacani (Modena)</i>
10:30	Discussion	
10:45	Break	

May 1

Plenary Session

Sentinel Node Biopsy pathologists session towards a consensus on SN sectioning

Chairman A. Cochran (Los Angeles)
G. Viale (Milano)

11:00	The EORTC sectioning protocol	<i>S. Koljenovic (Rotterdam)</i>
11:15	The US sectioning protocol	<i>A. Cochran (Los Angeles)</i>
11:30	The Australian Sectioning Protocoll	<i>L. Jackett (Sidney)</i>
11:45	ITC Identification and biological significance in breast	<i>A. Sapino (Candiolo - Torino)</i>
12:00	Augsburg/Rotterdam classification of Melanoma SLN metastases and its prognostic value	<i>H. Starz (Augsburg)</i>
12:15	Are SN data bases comparable?	<i>A. Van Akkooi (Amsterdam)</i>
12:30	Intraoperative Frozen sectioning in breast and melanoma	<i>PRO & CON A. Spatz (Montreal)</i>
12:45	SLN status and computational image analyses	<i>R. Riber-Hansen (Aarhus)</i>
13:00	Discussion	
13:15	Lecture: Follow up randomized study on melanoma: update	<i>A. Testori (Milano)</i>
13:30	Lunch	

May 1

Room A

Microstaging and clinical decisions

Chairman R. Andtbacka (Salt Lake City)
D. Massi (Firenze)

14:45 Histopathology of positive SNB and long term outcome *A. Cochran (Los Angeles)*

15:00 Clinical role of ITC in SLN *C. R. Rossi (Padova)*

15:15 Cancer metastasis from tumor microenvironment to the sentinel lymph node *S. Leong (San Francisco)*

15:30 SLN micrometastases as a source for mutation analysis in melanoma *G. Botti (Napoli)*

15:45 Update of AJCC 8th Edition Melanoma Staging *J. Gershenwalds (Houston)*

16:00 Should SNB be recommended? *PRO M. Ross (Houston)*
CON D. Coit (New York)

16:30 Discussion

16:45 Break

May 1

Room A

Sentinel Node Biopsy melanoma session

Chairman N. Mozzillo (Napoli)
A. Testori (Milano)

- 17:00** The role of sentinel node staging in the design and end results reporting of cancer clinical trial *J. Thompson (Sidney)*
- 17:15** SLN for atypical melanocytic neoplasms *M. Yamamoto (Irvine)*
- 17:30** Is there a good timing for SLN biopsy? *A. Tejera-Vaquerizo (Malaga)*
- 17:45** Management of patients with positive nodes on an ectopic location of the sentinel node (epitrochlear, popliteal, trunk) *C. Caracò (Napoli)*
- 18:00** Role of guided FNA in diagnosis and prognosis *O. Catalano (Napoli)*
- 18:15** From open to minimally invasive lymphadenectomy: learning curve and results in quality of life *J. Soteldo (Caracas)*
- 18:30** Discussion
- 18:45** Closure

May 1

Room B

Sentinel Node in lung cancer

Chairman G. Rocco (Napoli)
G. Veronesi (Milano)

14:15 Update on indications and study results *Y. Colson (Boston)*

14:30 Technical devices and new methods to detect SN *G. Rocco (Napoli)*

14:45 Staging pathways: SNB or imaging *PRO Y. Colson (Boston)*
CON L. Spaggiari (Milano)

15:15 Update on new therapies on advanced lung cancer *L. Buffoni (Torino)*

15:30 Discussion

15:45 Break

16:00 - 18:00 Abstract presentations and new studies proposed

Chairman R. Andtbacka (Salt Lake City)
S. Lastoria (Napoli)

16:15 The treatment of peripheral advanced secondary lymphedema while the early bird catches the worm, the late riser still benefits *C. C. Campisi (Genova)*

May 2

Room A

What after positive sentinel node

Chairman F. Di Filippo (Roma)
O.E. Nieweg (Sidney)

- 08:30** Value of staging imaging in melanoma patients with positive sentinel lymph nodes *O. E. Nieweg (Sidney)*
- 08:45** Completion lymphadenectomy after positive SLN biopsy Melanoma *M. Faries (Los Angeles)*
- 09:00** Breast *F. Schittulli (Bari)*
- 09:15** Oral Cavity *F. Ionna (Napoli)*
- 09:30** Axillary management after neo adjuvant therapy in breast cancer *A. Giuliano (Los Angeles)*
- 09:45** Discussion
- 10:00** Break

May 1

Room B

What after positive sentinel node

Chairman A. Costa (Milano)
D. D'Ugo (Roma)

10:15 Adjuvant therapies of SLN + patients: Breast *PRO E. Munzone (Milano)*
CON M. De Laurentiis (Napoli)

10:45 Adjuvant therapies of SLN + patients: Melanoma *PRO V. Chiarion Sileni (Padova)*
CON S. Mocellin (Padova)

11:15 Update on immunotherapies in adjuvant and advanced melanoma *P. Ascierto (Napoli)*

11:30 Update on target therapy in adjuvant and advanced melanoma *P. Queirolo (Genova)*

11:45 Video assisted lymphadenectomy *A. Sommariva (Padova)*

12:00 Break

May 2

Room A

Recurrence and SNB

Chairman J. Gershenwald (Houston)
S. Zurrída (Milano)

- 12:15** Follow up for morbidity and recurrence *P. G. Gill (Adelaide)*
- 12:30** Monitoring sentinel lymph node for circulating tumor cells (CTC) and cell-free circulating DNA/microRNA in melanoma patients *D. Hoon (Santa Monica)*
- 12:45** SNB after melanoma metastases *M. Faries (Los Angeles)*
- 13:00** SNB after breast recurrence *M. Intra (Milano)*
- 13:15** Discussion
- 13:30** Lunch

May 2

Room A

Sentinel node in Breast cancer

Chairman F. Schittulli (Bari)
P. Veronesi (Milano)

14:30 Dedicated PET devices for breast cancer imaging and biopsy *PM. Herranz (Santiago de Compostela)*

14:45 Sentinel Node Biopsy: still as a standard treatment in breast cancer surgery? *H. Cody III (New York)*

15:00 The role of SNB after neo adjuvant therapies *V. Galimberti (Milano)*

15:15 Technical devices and new methods to detect SN *B. Ballardini (Milano)*

15:30 State of the art of SN histological evaluation: still multisection analysis? *L. Jckett (Sidney)*

15.45 Molecular biology on primary and SNB to indicate adjuvant therapies *A. Spatz (Montreal)*

16:00 Breast imaging: what's new, what is last *A. Gallipoli (Napoli)
M. Mattace-raso (Napoli)*

16:15 Towards a new era on the role of SNB in breast cancer: ongoing studies report *O. Gentilini (Milano)*

16:30 Discussion

16:45 Break

May 2

Room A

Sentinel node in H&N cancer

Chairman L. Calabrese (Milano)
M. Moncrieff (Norwich)

- 17:00** Update on indications and study results *F. Ionna (Napoli)*
- 17:15** Fluorescent identification of sentinel node in the invisible light *R. Andtbacka (Salt Lake City)*
- 17:30** Molecular patterns detectable from primary disease and SNB *A. Anichini (Milano)*
- 17:45** Staging pathways: SNB or imaging *S. Lastoria (Napoli)*
- 18:00** Indications for medical therapy in a multidisciplinary setting *L. Locati (Milano)*
- 18:15** Discussion
- 18:30** Closure

May 2

Room B

Lymphoedema Following SLN biopsy and TLND

Chairman C. Campisi (Genova)
C. Hoeller (Wien)

08:30 Pre and post-operative evaluation of patients at risk of lymphedema *M. Pinto (Napoli)*

08:45 Diagnosis, staging and conservative treatment of Lymphoedema following SNB or TLND. *S. Leong (San Francisco)*

09:00 Reverse Lymphatic mapping *S. Klimberg (Little Rock)*

09:15 Lymphovascular anastomosis *F. Boccardo (Genova)*

09:30 Randomized study proposal to prevent lymphedema on groin-axillary *F. De Cian (Genova)*

09:45 Lymph node transplantation *J. H. Dayan (New York)*

10:00 Discussion

10:15 Break

May 2

Room A

Sentinel node in abdominal cancer

Chairman A. Chiappa (Milano)
F. Corcione (Napoli)
Y. Kitagawa (Tokyo)

- 10:45** Technical devices and new methods *F. Corcione (Napoli)*
- 11:00** Update on indications and results in upper G.I. *H. Takeuchi (Tokyo)*
- 11:15** Update on indications and results in colon *S. Saha (Flint)*
- 11:30** Molecular patterns detectable from primary disease, metastatic lesions and liquid biopsies *A. Bardelli (Candiolo)*
- 11:45** Staging pathways on laparoscopic and robotic approach *PRO P. Bianchi (Grosseto)
CON U. Fumagalli (Milano)*
- 12:15** Indications for medical therapy *A. Avallone (Napoli)*
- 12:30** Discussion
- 13:00** Lunch

May 2

Room B

Sentinel node in gynecologic neoplasms

Chairman S. Greggi (Napoli)
M. Thill (Frankfurt)

14:30 Update on indications and study results *A. van Der Zee (Groningen)*

14:45 Technical devices and new methods to detect SN (Paramagnetic particles) *M. Thill (Frankfurt)*

15:00 Molecular patterns detectable from primary disease and SNB *G. Palmieri (Sassari)*

15:15 Staging pathways: SNB or imaging *PRO N. Abu Rustum (New York)*
CON V. Zanagnolo (Milano)

15:45 Indications for medical therapy in a multidisciplinary setting *N. Colombo (Milano)*

16:00 Discussion

16:15 Break

May 2

Room B


Sentinel node in prostate cancer

Chairman S. Perdonà (Napoli)
G. Renne (Milano)
F. Wawroschek (Oldenburg)

- 16:30** Update on indications and study results *F. Wawroschek (Oldenburg)*
- 16:45** Technical devices and new methods to detect SN *H. G. van Der Poel (Amsterdam)*
- 17:00** Atypical lymph node metastatic sites and SLNB *R. Montironi (Ancona)*
- 17:15** Robotic surgery on prostate cancer+/-SNB *O. De Cobelli (Milano)*
- 17:30** Update on immunotherapies on advanced urological cancer *A. Pignata (Napoli)*
- 17:45** Discussion
- 18:00** Closure

Faculty

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- M & M
- results
- conclusion

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