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# WORKSHOP ON ORGANOID CULTURES

**ORGANOID MODELS AND APPLICATIONS IN BIOMEDICAL RESEARCH**

**Verona, March 8<sup>th</sup>, 2018**

**Aula Magna "Giorgio De Sandre", University of Verona**

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## Scientific Programme

**Chairs:** Claudio Sorio, Vincenzo Corbo, Michele Caraglia, Paola Melotti, Carmine Carbone,  
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**10:15/10.30** Introduction and Greetings

**10.30** *Lectio Magistralis: The history of organoids and new applications.* Hugo De Jonge, Erasmus University Medical Center, Rotterdam, Netherland

**11.15** Organoids in cystic fibrosis research. Claudio Sorio, University of Verona

**11.45** *New Materials and Methods for 3D cultures*

- Spheres from cancer cells in a dynamic culture system: an approach to study metastasis infiltration mechanisms. Mayra Paolillo, University of Pavia
- Digital Holographic Microscopy: an innovative label free imaging technique to investigate 3D cultures and spheroids in real time. Francesca Sbrana, Schaefer

**BREAK**

**14:00** *Lecture: Organoid models of cancer.* Amanda Mah, Department of Hematology, Stanford University, Stanford, USA

**14.45** Organoids in cancer research. Vincenzo Corbo, University of Verona

**15.15** Biobanking and organoids: rules for the development of new cell culture approaches. Rita Lawlor, ARC-Net Verona



**15:45** Cultivation of 2D and 3D mesenchymal stem cells in nanofiber scaffolds to control proliferation and differentiation. Evzen Amler, Charles University in Prague, Prague, Czech Republic

**16.15** *Round table:* Future applications of organoids and open discussion. Speakers and auditorium, with the participation of the SIB group “Differentiation and Neoplastic Transformation”

**17.00** Closing remarks

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- Personnel of the Azienda Ospedaliera Universitaria Integrata (AOUI) of Verona
- Students/PhD Students of the University of Verona

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### LANGUAGE

The official language of the meeting is English

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