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THURSDAY

MARCH 21, 2024

13.30-14.00 EXHIBITION AREA TOUR

MEETING ROOM NEW YORK

14.00-14.10 INTRODUCTION Francesco Bandello, Giuseppe Querques

14.10-15.20 RETINAL VASCULAR DISEASES Chairpersons: Francesco Bandello, José Cunha-Vaz,

Leonardo Mastropasqua, Maria Cristina Savastano

- 14.10-14.20Progression of diabetic retinal ischemia
José Cunha-Vaz
- 14.20-14.30 Longitudinal assessment of structural and microvascular changes in a pediatric population with type 1 diabetes Mariacristina Parravano
- 14.30-14.40 Aflibercept 8mg for DME and nAMD Rosangela Lattanzio

14.40-14.50	Re-interpreting DRIL Edoardo Midena
14.50-15.00	Structure-function correlation in diabetic macular ischaemia Sobha Sivaprasad
15.00-15.10	Macular function and disorganization of retinal inner layers in diabetic retinopathy Stela Vujosevic
15.10-15.20	Discussion



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MEETING ROOM NEW YORK

15.20-16.30 AMD Part 1 Chairpersons: Usha Chakravarthy, Jose Pulido, Giuseppe Querques, Adnan Tufail Choroidal pit 15.20-15.30 Vittorio Capuano 15.30-15.40 GALE 12-month data: long-term efficacy and safety of pegcetacoplan from the open-label extension of the phase 3 OAKS and DERBY trials Usha Chakravarthy 15.40-15.50 Type 3 MNV in AMD: baseline predictors of long-term atrophy Riccardo Sacconi 15.50-16.00 Intravitreal CORD-IV injection for dry-AMD treatment: 1 year of experience Stanislao Rizzo 16.00-16.10 Central choriocapillaris impairment in eyes with subretinal drusenoid deposits; a manifestation of microvascular disease? Solmaz Abdolrahimzadeh 16.10-16.20 The happy few switchers to brolucizumab in neovascular AMD Ilaria Zucchiatti 16.20-16.30 Discussion 16.30-17.00

COFFEE BREAK & VISIT TO THE POSTER AREA



THURSDAY march 21, 2024

MEETING ROOM NEW YORK 17.00-18.30 AMD Part 2 Chairpersons: Philip J. Rosenfeld, Riccardo Sacconi, Lavid Sarraf, Ursula Schmidt-Erfurth, 🚨 Marco Zarbin 17.00-17.10 A novel OCTA clinical trial design and novel therapy for intermediate AMD Philip J. Rosenfeld SS-OCTA imaging of high-risk OCT biomarkers that predict disease 17.10-17.20 progression in intermediate AMD Alessandro Berni 17.20-17.30 Trizonal distribution of drusen and SDD maps to photoreceptor density 🚨 David Sarraf 17.30-17.40 OCT imaging as guidance to manage GA in clinical practice Ursula Schmidt-Erfurth 17.40-17.50 The importance of basal laminar deposits Giovanni Staurenghi 17.50-18.00 AI applications to AMD subretinal drusenoid deposits - new findings Adnan Tufail 18.00-18.10 Ten-year follow-up of fellow eyes in patients with unilateral naïve exudative AMD Francesco Viola 18.10-18.20 An assessment of the impact of disease activity criteria on dosing interval assignment in clinical trial patients with nAMD 🔒 Marco Zarbin 18.20-18.30 Discussion

18.30-19.15 WALKING POSTER DISCUSSION





FRIDAY MARCH 22, 2024

MEETING ROOM MADRID

08.00-09.00 BREAKFAST MEETING



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LOOKING BEYOND THE PATIENTS JOURNEY IN DME & RVO

- 08.00-08.10 Introduction format
- 08.10-08.30 Evolution of the therapeutic management pathway in DME: from clinical trial to real life Rosangela Lattanzio-Maria Vittoria Cicinelli
- 08.30-08.50 Evolution of the therapeutic management pathway in RVO: from clinical trial to real life Francesco Bandello-Alessandro Arrigo
- 08.50-09.00 Closing

MEETING ROOM NEW YORK

09.00-11.00 VR, GENETICS & UVEITIS

 Chairpersons:
 Fabiana D'Esposito, Lyndon Da Cruz, Lee Merrill Jampol, Anat Loewenstein, Jose Pulido

 09.00-09.10
 Genetic testing for inherited retinal dystrophies: from phenotype to genotype and return Fabiana D'Esposito

 09.10-09.20
 A new disease and other developments in the field of white spots Lee Merrill Jampol

- 09.20-09.30 Vitrectomy in Small idiopathic MAcuLar hoLe (SMALL) study Report 3: conventional internal limiting membrane peeling versus inverted flap. Focus on visual and anatomic outcomes Michele Reibaldi
- 09.30-09.40 The prognostic significance of acute henle fiber layer damage in placoid diseases Maria Vittoria Cicinelli



FRIDAY march 22, 2024

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10.50-11.00	Retinal vasculitis a practical approach Elisabetta Miserocchi
10.40-10.50	Quantitative measure of photoreceptor remnants at macular hole hedge by en-face optical coherence tomography to predict postoperative visual outcome Rodolfo Mastropasqua
10.30-10.40	Intra-operative OCT with AR headset control and display Anat Loewenstein
10.20-10.30	Visual function in best-related CNV Maurizio Battaglia Parodi
10.10-10.20	The role of AIRE in autoimmunity Jose Pulido
10.00-10.10	Acute and chronic manifestations of sympathetic ophthalmia on multimodal imaging Alessandro Marchese
09.50-10.00	Tangential fluid flow - a mechanism for retinoschisis without traction Lyndon Da Cruz
09.40-09.50	Presumed Müller cell activation in multiple evanescent white dot syndrome Ugo Introini



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MEETING ROOM NEW YORK

11.30-13.00 CLINICAL CASES

	Chiarpersons: Francesco Bandello, Giuseppe Querques
11.30-11.36	A case of superior orbital fissure syndrome in post-covid syndrome Dilbar Makhkamova
11.36-11.42	A challenging case of sarcoid-like multifocal choroiditis Francesco Santoru
11.42-11.48	Amelanotic choroidal lesion in a patient with cancer history. A diagnostic challenge Beatriz Son Camey
11.48-11.54	Argon laser as an alternative treatment to photodynamic therapy in polypoidal choroidal vasculopathy Purificación Escámez Fernández
11.54-12.00	Epiretinal neovascularization in an infant with celiac sprue Emanuele Crincoli
12.00-12.06	Intrachoroidal cavitation (ICC) with macular affectation and associated visual fields defects: a case presentation Ingrid Rosado Cerro
12.06-12.12	Not everything is diabetic retinopathy Carolina Arruabarrena
12.12-12.18	The retina in facioscapulohumeral muscular dystrophy Francisca Bragança
12.18-12.24	Treatment of perifoveal exudative vascular anomalous complex (PEVAC) Adanunzia Messina
12.24-12.30	Vitreoretinal toxicity of residual microplastic deposits Gianfranco Bellizzi
12.30-12.36	Chorioretinal biomarkers in hypothalamic amenorrhea Matteo Mario Carlà
12.36-12.42	Crunch syndrom in BRVO: nefarious effects of the antiVEGF therapy Filippo Simona
12.42-12.48	A case of outer retinal rip in diabetic macular edema Krishnendu Nandi
12.48-12.54	Macular detachment in myopic traction maculopathy: surgical intervention and outcomes Gianluigi Giuliani
12.54-13.00	Uncommon complication in ''macular plug'' surgery for macular holes Alberto Quarta

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13.00-14.30 LUNCH BREAK

MEETING ROOM NEW YORK

13.00-14.30 LUNCH SYMPOSIUM



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IS SUSTAINED DISEASE CONTROL THE NEW BENCHMARK FOR PATIENT CARE?

Chairpersons: Federico Ricci, Francesco Viola

Raising the bar with aflibercept 8mg Federico Ricci

Advancing patient management in nAMD Maria Vittoria Cicinelli

Advancing patient management in DME Marco Lupidi

Discussion on the topics above mentioned of the faculty involved

EyeFocus: sharing experiences with aflibercept 2mg Serena Fragiotta, Feliciana Menna

MEETING ROOM MADRID

13.00-14.30 LUNCH SYMPOSIUM



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3D APPROACH WITH FARICIMAB FOR PARADIGM SHIFT *Chairpersons: Francesco Bandello, Stela Vujosevic*

Dual pathway: inhibiting Ang-2, beyond VEGF Maria Cristina Savastano

Drying: rapid fluid resolution in nAMD and DME Alessandro Invernizzi, Mariacristina Parravano

Durability: maintaining disease control through extended intervals Panel discussion: Francesco Bandello, Alessandro Invernizzi, Mariacristina Parravano, Maria Cristina Savastano, Stela Vujosevic



FRIDAY MARCH 22, 2024

MEETING ROOM PARIGI

13.00-14.30 LUNCH SYMPOSIUM



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A MACULAR DEGENERATION ROADMAP: USING DIAGNOSTIC IMAGING TO ENHANCE PATIENT MANAGEMENT Chairperson: Giuseppe Querques Speakers: Enrico Borrelli, Riccardo Sacconi, Pasquale Viggiano

MEETING ROOM NEW YORK

14.30-15.00 ROSARIO BRANCATO RETINA AWARD Presentation Award Ceremony

Presentation of the case by the winner



15.00-15.30 BEST POSTER SESSION

Chairpersons: Francesco Bandello, Giuseppe Querques





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MEETING ROOM NEW YORK

15.30-17.30	OTHER RETINA DISEASES & INVESTIGATIONS <i>Chairpersons: Teresio Avitabile, Francesco Boscia,</i> <i>Michele Coppola, Cesare Mariotti</i>
15.30-15.40	Topographical assessment of Haller's and Sattler's choroidal vessels in geographic atrophy Enrico Borrelli
15.40-15.50	Real-life data in the treatment of neovascular AMD: results from the Imaculaweb registry evaluated in a single italian medical retina center Massimo Nicolò
15.50-16.00	Quantitative and qualitative assessments of retinal structure with variable A-Scan rate spectralis OCT: insights into IPL multilaminarity Marco Lupidi
16.00-16.10	Al integrated fundoscopy vs human assessment: results from prospective multicentric study Mario Romano
16.10-16.20	Lamina cribrosa perfusion in healthy eyes according axial length (axl) Luisa Pierro
16.20-16.30	Long term continuous eplerenone treatment for chronic central serous chorioretinopathy Francesco Boscia
16.30-16.40	Acquired vitelliform lesions in AMD Srinivas Sadda
16.40-16.50	Microcystoid macular edema: it is not a retrograde transynaptic degeneration Andrea Govetto
16.50-17.00	Use of AI in the screening and diagnosis of retinal conditions
17.00-17.10	Transudative-Exudative origins of retinal fluid: new insights by quantitative multimodal retinal imaging Alessandro Arrigo
17.10-17.30	Discussion

17.30-18.00 TAKE HOME MESSAGE & MEETING CLOSURE





POSTER



AGE-RELATED MACULAR DEGENERATION

P:01 EFFECTS OF PHOTODYNAMIC THERAPY ON OCT FEATURES IN PATIENTS WITH POLYPOIDAL CHOROIDAL

COLIN TAN National Healthcare Group Eye Institute, Singapore, SINGAPORE

P:02 NON-NEOVASCULAR SUBRETINAL FLUID WITH SEROUS RETINAL PIGMENT EPITHELIAL DETACHMENT: (TREAT OR WAIT)

FAWWAZ F. ALMAMOORI Sharif Eye Center, Amman, JORDAN

P:03 OCT ONION SIGN IN N-AMD: CASE REPORT

ZEINAB ELSANABARY Faculty of Medicine, Cairo University, Cairo, EGYPT

P:04 RETICULAR PSEUDODRUSEN - PACHYCHOROID ASSOCIATION

GIUSI FAZZARI ¹, Matteo Menean ¹, Khaled Elmatri ², Riccardo Sacconi ¹, Vittorio Capuano ², Eric Souied ², Francesco Bandello ¹, Giuseppe Querques ¹

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ANGIOID STREAKS

P:05 MACULAR NEOVASCULARIZATION SECONDARY TO SUBCLINICAL ANGIOID STREAKS IN AGE-RELATED MACULAR DEGENERATION: TREATMENT RESPONSE TO ANTI-VEGF AT 2-YEAR FOLLOW-UP

LEONARDO BOTTAZZI ^{1,2}, Riccardo Sacconi ^{1,2}, Andrea Servillo ^{1,2}, Federico Rissotto ^{1,2}, Eliana Costanzo ³, Beatrice Tombolini ^{1,2}, Mariacristina Parravano ³, Francesco Bandello ^{1,2}, Giuseppe Querques ^{1,2}

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CENTRAL SEROUS CHORIO-RETINOPATHY

P:06 ULTRA-WIDEFIELD INDOCYANINE GREEN ANGIOGRAPHY CAN PREDICT THE RISK OF RECURRENT/PERSISTENT DISEASE IN EYES WITH ACUTE CENTRAL SEROUS CHORIORETINOPATHY

TOMMASO BACCI, Davide Marini, Sebastiano Ceriani, Gian Marco Tosi OPHTHALMOLOGY UNIT, Department of Medicine, Surgery and Neuroscience, University of Siena, Siena, ITALY

CHALLENGING CASES

P:07 MULTIMODAL IMAGING IN A CASE OF RETINAL INVOLVEMENT SECONDARY TO DABRAFENIB AND TRAMETINIB FOR METASTATIC MELANOMA

VALENTINA GATTI, Luca Grosso, Floriana Deraco, Rachele Zavaglia , Stefano De Cillà, Caterina Toma

Ospedale Maggiore della Carità, SCDU Oculistica, Novara, ITALY

P:08 MULTIMODAL IMAGING IS THE KEY TO DIAGNOSIS

HEBATALLA SAMIR MAKLED ¹ Kasr Al-Ainy hospital, faculty of medicine, Cairo University, Cairo, EGYPT, ² Primary health care corporation, Doha, QATAR

P:09 REACHING THE UNREACHED

VAIBHAV SETHI¹, Aditya Sethi², Subhadra Jallali³, Sahebaan Sethi⁴, Sundaram Natarajan⁵ ¹ Arunodaya Deseret Eye Hospital (ADEH), Gurugram, INDIA,² Arunodaya Deseret Eye Hospital (ADEH), Gurugram, INDIA,³ LV Prasad Eye Institute, Hyderabad, INDIA,⁴ Arunodaya Deseret Eye Hospital (ADEH), Gur-gram, INDIA,⁵ Aditya Jyot Eye Hospital, Mumbai, INDIA

DIABETIC RETINOPATHY

P:10 BEST POSTER* ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE FOR MASS SCREENING OF THE DIABETIC RETINOPATHY IN UKRAINE

ANDRII KOROL¹, Alla Nevska¹, Olena Chernenko², Olha Pohosyan¹, Taras Kustryn¹, Kyrylo Goncharuk³, Anastasiia Tolok¹

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P:11 OPTICAL COHERENCE TOMOGRAPHY ANGIOGRAPHY CHARACTERISTICS OF DIABETIC RETINOPATHY

COLIN TAN National Healthcare Group Eye Institute, Singapore, SINGAPORE

FUNCTIONAL IMAGING

P:12 INFLUENCE OF MACULAR DRUSEN PHENOTYPES ON DARK ADAPTATION IN INTERMEDIATE AGE-RELATED MACULAR DEGENERATION: INSIGHTS FROM COMPREHENSIVE CLINICAL ASSESSMENT

PAOLO FORTE, Federica Milanesi, Carlo Enrico Traverso, Massimo Nicolò IRCCS Ospedale Policlinico San Martino, Eye Unit, Genoa, ITALY

P:13 LONGITUDINAL MICROPERIMETRY EVALUATION OF MACULAR SENSITIVITY IN MULTIPLE EVANESCENT WHITE DOT SYNDROME

PIERLUIGI SCANDALE¹, Alessandro Marchese¹, Maria Vittoria Cicinelli¹, Giovanni Montesano², Francesco Bandello¹, Elisabetta Miserocchi¹ ¹ IRCCS Ospedale San Raffaele, department of Ophthalmology, Milan, ITALY, ² Ospedale San Paolo, Milan, ITALY

OPTICAL COHERENCE TOMOGRAPHY ANGIOGRAPHY

P:14 COMBINED HAMARTOMA OF RETINA AND RETINAL PIGMENT EPITHELIUM -MULTIMODAL IMAGING EVALUATION

PEDRO MOREIRA MARTINS, João Castro Cabanas, Catarina Ferreira, Carolina Madeira Department of Ophthalmology, Centro Hospitalar de Vila Nova de Gaia/Espinho, Porto, PORTUGAL

P:15 BEST POSTER* EVALUATION OF RETINAL AND CHOROIDAL VASCULAR ALTERATIONS IN PATIENTS WITH PARKINSON'S DISEASE AND VASCULAR PARKINSONISM THROUGH OPTICAL COHERENCE TOMOGRAPHY ANGIOGRAPHY AND CHOROIDAL VASCULARITY INDEX

MARIACHIARA DI PIPPO, Solmaz Abdolrahimzadeh Department of Neuroscience, Mental Health and Sense Organs (NESMOS), University of Rome, Sapienza, Rome, ITALY

P:16 LONG-TERM EFFECTS OF COVID-19 ON CENTRAL RETINAL AND CHOROIDAL VASCULARIZATION - OWN EXPERIENCE BASED ON SWEPT-SOURCE OPTICAL COHERENCE TOMOGRAPHY ANGIOGRAPHY

MAGDALENA KAL¹, Dorota Zarebska-Michaluk¹, Dominik Odrobina², Jerzy Mackiewicz³ ¹ Collegium Medicum of Jan Kochanowski University, Kielce, POLAND, ² Institute of Medical Science of Jan Kochanowski University, Kielce, POLAND, ³ Department of Vitreo-Retinal Surgery, Medical University, Lublin, POLAND

P:17 OCT AND OCTA IN PACHYCHOROID DISEASES

ZEINAB ELSANABARY Faculty of Medicine, Cairo University, Cairo, EGYPT

P:18 OPTICAL COHERENCE TOMOGRAPHY ANGIOGRAPHY FINDINGS IN STELLATE NONHEREDITARY IDIOPATHIC FOVEOMACULAR RETINOSCHISIS

SEBASTIANO DEL FABBRO, Angela Malegori, Alessandro Arrigo, Andrea Saladino, Alessio Antropoli, Lorenzo Bianco, Francesco Bandello, Maurizio Battaglia Parodi *I.R.C.C.S. Ospedale San Raffaele - Department of Ophthalmology, Milan, ITALY*

P:19 BEST POSTER* SEVERITY STRATIFICATION OF CORONARY HEART DISEASE USING NOVEL INNER ELLIPSE BASED FOVEAL AVASCULAR ZONE BIOMARKERS

N. JEREMIC ^{1,2}, M. Pawloff ^{1,2}, D. Lachinov ^{1,3}, S. Rokitansky ², M. Hasun ⁴, F. Weidinger ⁴, A. Pollreisz ², H. Bogunovic ^{1,3}, U. Schmidt-Erfurth ^{1,2}

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RETINAL & MACULAR DYSTROPHIES

P:20 ASYMMETRIC RETINITIS PIGMENTOSA: A CLINICAL CASE

BEATRIZ VIEIRA¹, Ana Carolina Abreu^{1,2}, Ana Marta¹, Tânia Borges¹, Sílvia Monteiro^{1,2}, Maria João Furtado^{1,2}, Miguel Lume¹

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P:21 LARGE CHOROIDAL VESSELS AS A RISK FACTOR FOR IDIOPATHIC MACULAR NEOVASCULARIZATION

MARCO BATTISTA, Lisa Checchin, Riccardo Sacconi, Francesco Bandello, Giuseppe Querques San Raffaele Hospital, Milan, ITALY

RETINAL ARTERY OCCLUSION & PARACENTRAL ACUTE MIDDLE MACULOPATHY

P:22 PARACENTRAL ACUTE MIDDLE MACULOPATHY

STEFANICKOVA JANA Dpt. Ophthalmology Comenius University Bratislava, Bratislava, SLOVAK REPUBLIC

STRUCTURAL OPTICAL COHERENCE TOMOGRAPHY

P:23 INTRAVITREAL INJECTION OF RANIBIZUMAB IN MACULAR EDEMA SECONDARY TO RETINAL VEIN OCCLUSION

ASAAD AHMED GHAN GHANEM ASAAD Mansoura Ophthalmic Center, Mansoura, EGYPT

SURGICAL MACULAR RETINAL DISEASES

P:24 DEXAMETHASONE INTRAVITREAL IMPLANT 0.7MG IN MACULAR PUCKER; A NOVEL OCT-A APPROACH

ANTONIO BALDASCINO, Lorenzo Vielmo, Gloria Gambini, Nicola Claudio D'Onofrio, Fabio Margollicci, Stanislao Rizzo Fondazione Policlinico Universitario A. Gemelli IRCCS, Roma, ITALY

P:25 VITREOUS BIOAVAILABILITY AND ANTI-INFLAMMATORY ACTION OF ASSOCIATED ACTIVE PRINCIPLES ADMINISTERED PER OS: THE MULTICENTRIC "VIBIA STUDY"

Luca Ventre¹, ERIK MUS¹², Emilio Pedrotti³, Giorgio Marchini³, Vincenza Maria E. Bonfiglio⁴, Mario Romano^{5,6}, Paolo Vinciguerra⁶, Alessandro Randazzo⁶, Maria Costa⁷, Antonino Pioppo⁸, Gregorio Lo Giudice⁸, Gianluca Besozzi⁷, Rodolfo Mastropasqua⁹ ¹ Beauregard Hospital - Ophthalmology department, AUSL Valle d'Aosta, Aosta, ITALY, ² Eye Clinic, University of Turin, Torino, ITALY, ³ Eye Clinic, University hospital of Verona, Verona, ITALY, ⁴ Department of Experimental Biomedicine and Clinical Neuroscience, Ophthalmology Section, University of Palermo, Palermo, ITALY, ⁵ Department of Ophthalmology, Humanitas Gavazzeni - Castelli, Bergamo, ITALY, ⁶ Humanitas University, Department of Biomedical Sciences; Humanitas Clinical and Research Center, IRCCS, Rozzano, Milano, ITALY, ⁷ Ophthalmology department, Vito Fazzi Hospital, Lecce, ITALY, ⁸ Ophthalmology department, A.R.N.A.S. Ospedali Civico di Cristina Benfratelli, Palermo, ITALY, ⁹ Ophthalmology Clinic, Department of Medicine and Science of Ageing, D'Annunzio University of Chieti-Pescara, Chieti, ITALY

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THURSDAY March 21, 2024 12.30 - 19.30

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Each poster has been given a number and should be fixed to the board marked with the same number.

Hanging up the poster is allowed on Thursday March 21 from 13.00 to 14.00

Each Author is asked to stand by their poster during the coffee breaks and lunches on Thursday and Friday for the poster viewing session.

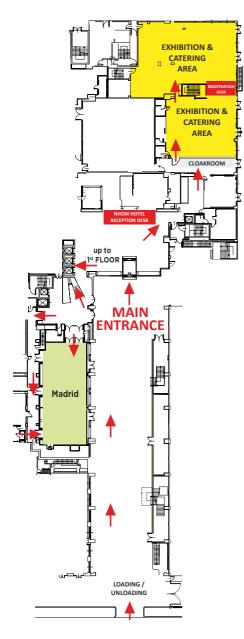
On Thursday, 21st March 2024 at 18:30, a walking poster discussion will take place.

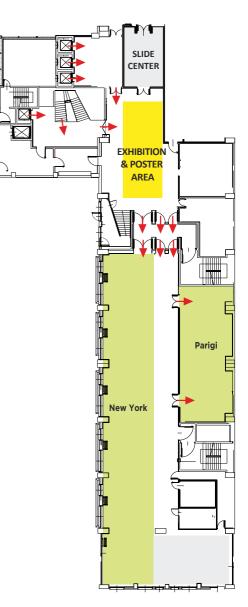
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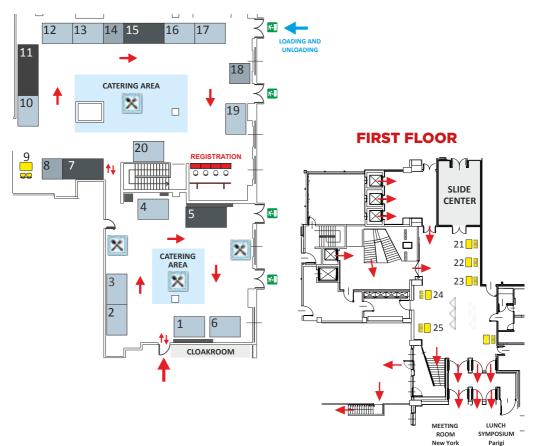
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