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# CONNECT TO WIN

November 8th - 9th 2022 **Congress Centre Lombardia Region** 

Sala Marco Biagi, Entrance N4 Piazza Città di Lombardia, 1 - Milan



Connect to Win, DIGICORE's annual meeting, provides a forum where attendees meet in-person over two days to discuss important issues in cancer care and get updated on the Grouping's running activities. As a result, the event constitutes a friendly interaction between DIGICORE Members, potential partners from European Cancer Centres and industry stakeholders, all brought together by a common goal: developing and implementing a European research network to accelerate the standardisation of precision oncology.

Every year, Connect to Win is supported by a DIGICORE Member. The 2022 Edition is organised by the **Fondazione IRCCS Istituto Nazionale dei Tumori of Milan** and will be held in Milan on November 8<sup>th</sup> - 9<sup>th</sup> (with some premeetings on the 7<sup>th</sup>). The Event is organised with the collaboration of the Istituto Nazionale dei Tumori "Regina Elena" in Rome.

This year's Event encourages attendees to learn firsthand about the research potential of DIGICORE's Platinum infrastructure. On November 8<sup>th</sup>, the winners of the Platinum Fund 1.0 proof-of concept federated network will be announced. The winners of the IDEAL4RWE proof-of concept studies will also be announced on the same day. On November 9<sup>th</sup>, we will discuss transformative research opportunities from academic pragmatic trials through to novel commercial research programmes. The plan is to create a dynamic group of cancer centres with the needed maturity and readiness to best coordinate future major near term goals, namely implementation of a high quality, interoperable European clinical informatics network at our Centers and participations to EC bids.

We are aware of the necessity to work more collectively as a network to prepare for better re-use of high-quality routine EMR data in protocolised research at scale. Digital methods have the potential to transform care quality management, whilst also contributing to multi-national research. It is thanks to the collaboration with some of the most prominent cancer centres across Europe that DIGICORE is set to drive this digital revolution.

We warmly invite leaders from Europe's cancer community in clinical informatics, pragmatic trials, care quality management and cancer centre leadership in IT and R&D to join us in this challenge, and welcome your active participation in the 2022 Meeting. Connect to Win is a great opportunity to synthesise the content in discussion, plan towards successful collaborations within the network and create links with other similar initiatives.

DIGICORE is grateful to Fondazione Istituto Nazionale dei Tumori of Milan and Regione Lombardia for hosting the Event at its congress centre in Milan.

### Day 0 - Monday, 7 November 2022

### **Working Group Meetings**

IQVIA Headquarter Milan, Via Fabio Filzi, 29

14.00 - 17.00 The Platinum Technology Fund

Chairperson: **Piers Mahon**Giglio room (capacity limited to 20)

14.00 - 18.00 DIGICORE's Leadership Advisory Board (LAB)

**Team Interviews** 

Chaired by **Iwona Lugowska**LAB to interview 4 teams and review study proposals





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# Day 1 – Tuesday, 8 November 2022

**Connect to Win 2022 looking** 

back/forwards
Registration
Welcome of the Lombardia Region Authorities and of the Scientific Director of the Fondazione INT Giovanni Apolone
Introduction of the DIGICORE President Gennaro Ciliberto
Agenda overview Serena Di Cosimo
News from IDEAL4RWE Chairpersons: Iwona Lugowska and James Anderson
News from Platinum & Clinical Informatics Interoperability Working Group Chairpersons: Piers Mahon, Giovanni Tonon guest speaker Richard Bergstrom
Lunch
European funding for digital research and digital infrastructure Chairpersons: Maria Luisa Lavitrano Apostolia Karamali Research Infrastructures in the new ERA context: services and challenges Mariana Guergova-Kuras Marie Curie Doctoral Networks: what are they, and how could they help DIGICORE

## 15.00 - 15.50 Pharma's need for advanced oncology RWE

Chairpersons: James Anderson
and Piers Mahon
Amanda Bruno
VP and Head RWE Oncology at Baye
Pharmaceuticals
Brock Schroeder
VP market access, Illumina
Clinical Evidence Development using linked
Clinical and Genomic Data: Progress
and Opportunities

### 15.50 - 17.30 **DIGICORE's involvement in EC Funding**

Chairpersons: Claudio Lombardo & Gennaro Ciliberto

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**Annalisa Trama** 

- Horizon Europe | HORIZON-MISS-2022-CANCER-01-02: Strengthening research capacities of Comprehensive Cancer Infrastructures Giovanni Apolone
- cEU4H-2021-PJ2: Building the EU Cancer and Health Genomics platform Marc Van Den Bulcke
- HORIZON-MISS-2021-CANCER-02: Quality of Life in Oncology: measuring what matters for cancer patients and survivors in Europe Cinzia Brunelli
- Horizon Europe | EU Cancer Mission Jan van de Loo

### Day 2 - Wednesday, 9 November 2022

08.30 - 09.00	Registration
09.00 - 10.30	Session 1 Pragmatic trials in precision oncology: state of the art Chairperson: Aslåug Helland Speakers: Denis Lacombe & Kristoffer Staal Rohrber
10.30 - 12.00	Advances in clinical informatics for outcome research Chairperson: Andre Dekker
	1. Advances in clinical informatics for outcome research Federated learning Speaker to be confirmed
	2. Advances in clinical informatics for outcome research Pragmatic outcome from images Alberto Traverso
	3. Data Science infrastructure and strategies for pragmatic digital medicine solution implementation Alfredo Cesario
12.00 - 12.15	Closing remarks Gennaro Ciliberto
12.15 - 13.00	Lunch

### **Speakers**

### **James Anderson** IOVIA UK

Giovanni Apolone

Fondazione Istituto Nazionale Tumori IRCCS, Milan, Italy

### **Richard Bergstrom**

European Federation of Pharmaceutical Industries and Associations

### Cinzia Brunelli

Fondazione Istituto Nazionale Tumori IRCCS, Milan, Italy

### Amanda Bruno

VP and Head RWE Oncology at Bayer Pharmaceuticals

### Alfredo Cesario

Policlinico Universitario A. Gemelli, Rome, Italy

### Gennaro Ciliberto

Istituto Nazionale Tumori Regina Elena, Rome, Italy

### Andre Dekker

Maastro Clinic, Maastricht, Netherlands

### Serena Di Cosimo

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### Mariana Guergova-Kuras

Network Research Lead OEN – IQVIA, UK

### Aslåug Helland

Oslo University Hospital, Norway

### Apostolia Karamali

DG Research and Innovation— R&I Actors and Research Careers

### Denis Lacombe

EORTC, Brussles, Belgium

### Maria Luisa Lavitrano

University Bicocca – Milan - Italy

### Claudio Lombardo

DIGICORE General manager, Brussels - Italy

### Iwona Lugowska

Maria Skłodowska Curie Memorial Cancer Centre, Warsaw, Poland

### Piers Mahon,

IOVIA UK

### **Brock Schroeder**

Illumina, UK

### Kristoffer Staal Rohrberg

Vejle Cancer Centre, Vejle, Denmark

### Giovanni Tonon

San Raffaele Hospital, Milan, Italy

### Annalisa Trama

Fondazione Istituto Nazionale Tumori IRCCS, Milan, Italy

### **Alberto Traverso**

Maastro Clinic, Maastricht, Netherlands

### Jan van de Loo

EC-GD Research and Innovation, CancerTheme, Brussels, Belgium

### Marc Van Den Bulcke

Sciensano,, Brussels, Belgium



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