

SPINE AND FRIENDS

A SCIENTIFIC MATCH RACE 3rd edition

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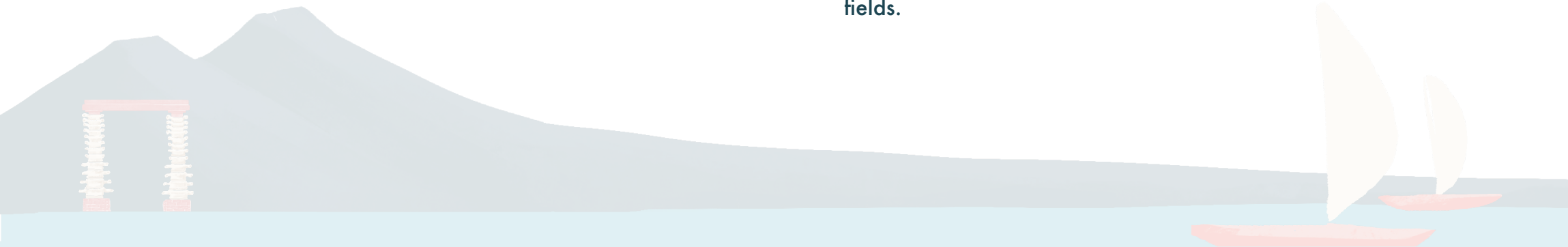
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We are excited to announce the Joint Congress of Interventional Neuroradiologists and Spinal Surgeons “SPINE AND FRIENDS” at its third edition, set to take place in May 2025 in the historic city of Pompeii, Italy. This unique event aims to harness the power of multidisciplinary collaboration, providing an innovative platform for exchanging expertise between our two fields.

Structured as engaging “one-on-one matches,” this congress will showcase direct debates between interventional neuroradiologists and spinal surgeons. Each session will highlight divergent viewpoints on clinical cases, imaging techniques, and treatment options, fostering a deeper understanding of how our specialties intersect and complement each other. Participants can expect a rich program featuring expert-led presentations, interactive discussions, and hands-on workshops focused on critical topics such as advanced interventional strategies, minimally invasive approaches, and cutting-edge technologies in spinal care. This is a rare opportunity to gain insights into the latest advancements while engaging in meaningful dialogue that can enhance patient outcomes. Set against the backdrop of Pompeii’s extraordinary history, this congress promises not only to be intellectually enriching but also to facilitate valuable networking opportunities among professionals dedicated to advancing our fields.



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Thursday May 22nd

- 08.00 Participant registration
- 08.30 Welcome message from the Course Directors, M. Muto, C. Schonauer, E. Tessitore
- 08.50 Welcome message from GIS President, C. Ruosi

ROUND 1

Primary spine tumours

- 09.00 A. Gasbarrini
- 09.20 A. Kelekis
- 09.40 Discussants: M. Muto, C. Schonauer, F. Tortora

ROUND 2

Aggressive hemangioma of the spine

- 10.00 M. Ivanov
- 10.20 A. Cianfoni
- 10.40 Discussants: M. Bellini, A. Kelekis, E. Tessitore

11.00 Coffee Break

ROUND 3

Osteoporotic fractures

- 11.15 L. Manfrè
- 11.35 M. Gandia-Gonzalez
- 11.55 Discussants: G. Anselmetti, G. Capo, A. Demetriades

- 12.15 Lunch Seminary, Brainlab *NO ECM

12.30 Light Lunch

- 13.30 Lunch Seminary, Biocomposite *NO ECM

ROUND 4

MIS management of spine trauma

- 13.40 S. Masala
- 14.00 G. Maestretti
- 14.20 Discussants: L. Manfre, E. Pola, C. Zini



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ROUND 5

Secondary spine tumors

14.40 J. Morris

15.00 E. Shiban

15.20 V. Ravo

15.40 Discussants: G. Catapano, O. De Divitiis, A. Rapanà

16.00 Coffee Break

ROUND 6

Lumbar spine stenosis

16.20 S. Marcia

16.40 G. Molliqaj

17.00 Discussants: P. De Marinis, F. Ringel, C. Zini

17.30 Final discussion

Friday May 23rd

ROUND 7

Virtual Reality in spine practice

08.30 M. Bellini

08.50 E. Tessitore

09.10 Discussants: J. Hirsch, J. Morris, C. Schonauer

ROUND 8

Cervical Degenerative Disease

09.30 A. Demetriades

09.50 A. Brook

10.10 Discussants: G. Barbagallo, N. Gabrovsky, F. Signorelli

10.30 Coffee Break



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ROUND 9

Grade I Spondylolisthesis

10.50 H.A. Leroy

11.10 N. Amoretti

11.30 Discussants: A. Brunori, R. De Falco, G. Parbonetti, E. Tessitore

ROUND 10

Modic I-II and intractable low back pain

11.50 Is there a place for fusion? N. Gabrovsky

12.10 Basivertebral nerve ablation, M. Muto

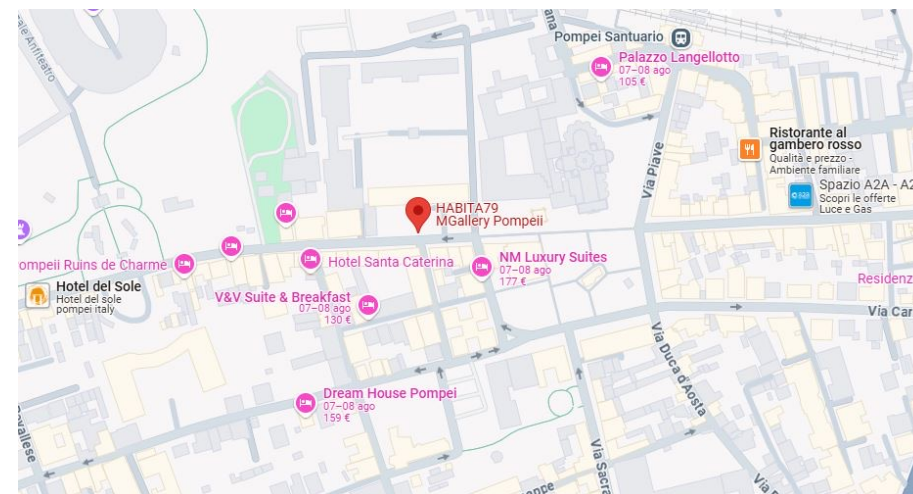
12.50 Discussants: C. Irace, H.A. Leroy, P. Nina

13.10 Final remarks and CME test

GENERAL INFORMATION

Congress Venue

Habita 79, Pompeii
Via Roma 10 - 80045 Pompei, (Na)



CME Accreditation

ID Provider: 6931 - 443517

Num. crediti 11 per:

Medico Chirurgo Specialista in Neurologia; Chirurgia Generale; Neurochirurgia; Ortopedia e Traumatologia; Anestesia e Rianimazione; Neuroradiologia; Radiodiagnostica; Medicina Generale; Tecnico Sanitario di Radiologia Medica; Infermiere

Obiettivo Formativo: Documentazione clinica. Percorsi clinico-assistenziali diagnostici e riabilitativi, profili di assistenza - profili di cura.
Il rilascio della certificazione dei crediti è subordinato alla partecipazione del 90% dei lavori scientifici e al superamento della prova di apprendimento con almeno l'80% delle risposte corrette.

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