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Psychotic disorders are the most severely disabling of all mental illnesses, leading to great personal suffering for patients and their family members, due to still-persisting social stigma and repeated post-relapse hospitalisations. Most clinical and psychosocial deterioration in schizophrenia has been found to occur within the first 5 years of illness onset, suggesting this phase as a “critical period” for initiating treatment. Thus, the most recent research applications in the field have begun to focus on the aspects of early detection and intervention, with findings now revealing a direct relation between quality of clinical/social response and swiftness of treatment after psychosis onset. International treatment guidelines for first episode psychosis now recommend a prompt and integrated pharmacological and psychosocial approach, including cognitive behavioural psychotherapy for patients and psycho-educational intervention for their family members. Hence, policy planning must also be based on a combination of these different components in a multi-element perspective. Data from Italian and International studies, however, show that few mental health professionals have actually received training in the specific skills required by this approach, and that there is little knowledge on how these procedures can be best integrated into current CMHC clinical practices. The challenge is therefore that of learning how to effectively manage many inter-dependent organisational problems and to concurrently develop and implement intervention programmes that are targeted, effective, and tailored to patients and their family members. Moreover, all of this must be achieved in a context of great (patient, family, clinical, and social-relational) variability.

The Research Programme “**Genetics Endophenotypes and Treatment: Understanding early Psychosis**” (GET-UP, National Coordinator: Prof. Mirella Ruggeri, Verona) is financed by the Italian Ministry of Health, as part of a *National Health Care Research Programme* conducted by the Academic Hospital of Verona, in Italy. The Programme comprises four partner Projects--PIANO, TRUMPET, GUITAR, and CONTRABASS--which respectively correspond to research conducted with a high degree of synchronisation. The Projects comprehensively aim to identify biological, environmental, and clinical outcome predictors for innovative and targeted forms of early psychosis onset intervention. A further aim is to test its effectiveness and feasibility in Italian Community Mental Health Centres.

The present project involved 117 Mental Health Centres located throughout a 10 million-inhabitant catchment area, including **two Regions (Veneto and Emilia Romagna) and the Bolzano, Florence, and Milan provinces**. Specifically, this comprehensive research programme has launched a randomised controlled trial, based on sophisticated epidemiological, clinical, biological, and neurocognitive investigations. Over 300 CSM workers in these catchment areas have been trained in the above-mentioned forms of intervention, and numerous professionals have contributed to the study in various ways. The key aim of the initiative is to activate a virtuous circle to foster the dissemination of early prevention and intervention practices--not only for psychoses, but also in other mental health spheres.

The Conference will celebrate the conclusion of the data collection phase of this far-reaching Research Programme and will discuss the experience conducted to date, from national and international perspectives. Conference Speakers will be some of the world’s and Italy’s foremost experts on the topic, as well as clinicians and researchers coordinating the Research Programme’s various phases. Representatives from the Italian Ministry of Health and the Institutional Authorities, Public Health Care- and Mental Health Professionals; and Representatives from Service-User Associations involved in the GET-UP Programme will also contribute to the Conference work.

THE CONFERENCE IS OPEN TO: MENTAL HEALTH PROFESSIONALS; GENERAL PRACTITIONERS; MEMBERS FROM SERVICE USER-, FAMILY-, AND VOLUNTEER ASSOCIATIONS; STUDENTS; FAMILIES AND THE GENERAL PUBLIC FROM GET-UP STRATEGIC PROGRAMME AREAS AND FROM THE REST OF ITALY, AND VARIOUS INTERNATIONAL INSTITUTIONS.

Under the Aegis of:

- *The Italian Society of Psychiatry (SIP)*
- *The Italian Society of Epidemiological Psychiatry (SIEP)*
- *The Italian Society of Psychosocial Rehabilitation Association (SIRP)*
- *The Italian Association for Early Intervention in Psychosis (AIPP)*
- *The Italian Association of Behavioural Analysis and Modification and Cognitive Behavioural Therapy (AIAMC)*

SCIENTIFIC PROGRAMME

Friday March 2nd

10.00 am Participant Registration

11.00 am Moderators: Eugenio Aguglia (Catania) and Mirella Ruggeri (Verona)

Greetings from the Authorities: Chief Representatives from participating GET-UP Strategic Programme Institutions will open the Conference

11.45 am Moderators: Mario Maj and Michele Tansella

Introduction by **Mirella Ruggeri**: The obligatory translation of knowledge into action: the GET-UP Strategic Programme example for improving treatments for individuals with first episode psychosis

Lectura Magistralis by **Jim van Os** (Maastricht, NL and London, UK): Environment and Psychosis: a Genetic Perspective

Discussion and comments: **Tali Mattioli Corona (Treviso)**

1.15 pm Buffet with Poster Session

Poster Evaluation Committee Coordinators: Franco Giubilini (Parma), Giovanni Neri (Bologna), Juliana Onwumere (London, UK), Rita Roncone (L'Aquila), Stefano Torresani (Bolzano)

ACHIEVING GET-UP TRUMPET SCIENTIFIC AIMS (SCIENTIFIC COORDINATOR: GIOVANNI DE GIROLAMO)

2.15 pm Moderators: Giovanni De Girolamo (Bologna and Brescia) and Stefano Mistura (Piacenza)

Francesca Pileggi (Bologna): CSM characteristics and trial implementation challenges in real world services.

Daniela Ghigi (Rimini): GET-UP Case management and psychoeducation: actions speak louder than words

Christa Zimmermann (Verona): Information needs and expectations expressed by patients and their family members at admission: A Qualitative Analysis

Federico Galvan (Milan and Sondrio): The contribution of *Programma 2000* to GET-UP training activities

GET-UP TRUMPET findings will be discussed by: **Joziën Bensing** (Utrecht, NL) and **Arcadio Erlicher** (Milan)

ACHIEVING GET-UP PIANO SCIENTIFIC AIMS (SCIENTIFIC COORDINATOR: MIRELLA RUGGERI)

4.00 pm Moderators: Robin Murray (London, UK) and Paolo Santonastaso (Padua)

Mirella Ruggeri (Verona): Cognitive behavioural psychotherapy for patients with first episode psychosis: Skill acquisition and implementation in routine Mental Health Service practice. How, and for whom?

Antonio Lasalvia (Verona): GET-UP Trial multi-componential intervention clinical and social outcomes

Carlo Faravelli (Firenze): The role of life events in predicting and modulating first episode psychosis characteristics and outcomes

5.00 pm Moderators: Craig Morgan (London, UK) and Silvio Scarone (Milan)

GET-UP PIANO findings will be discussed by: **Paul Bebbington** (London, UK), **Max Birchwood** (Birmingham, UK), **Elisabeth Kuipers** (London, UK), **Graham Thornicroft** (London, UK)

5.45 pm General Discussion

8.00 pm Dinner with Musical Entertainment, The Castellani di Sermeti Palace (*Palazzo Castellani di Sermeti*), Corso Castelvechio 25, City Centre (www.palazzocastellani.com) - Reservations Required

Saturday March 3rd

9.00 am Beginning of Conference day and Greetings from the Authorities

ACHIEVING GETUP GUITAR SCIENTIFIC AIMS (SCIENTIFIC COORDINATOR MASSIMO GENNARELLI)

9.15 am Moderators: Massimo Gennarelli (Brescia) and Carmine Pariante (London, UK)

Carmine Pariante (London, UK): Biological aspects of first episode psychosis

Massimo Gennarelli (Brescia): Genetic research potential for identifying the molecular bases of first episode psychosis

Luisella Bocchio- Chiavetto (Brescia): First episode psychosis Biomarkers.

Discussion

11.00 am Coffee Break

ACHIEVING GET-UP CONTRABASS SCIENTIFIC AIMS (SCIENTIFIC COORDINATOR PAOLO BRAMBILLA)

11.30 am Moderators: Matteo Balestrieri (Udine) and Alberto Beltramello (Verona)

Paolo Brambilla (Udine, Verona): Cognitive and morphofunctional neurological endophenotypes in Psychosis

Franco Alessandrini (Verona): Neuroimaging application in clinical neuroscience

Stephen Lawrie (Edinburgh, UK): Edinburgh high risk study: findings concerning participants at high genetic risk of developing schizophrenia

Roberto Furlan (Milan): Neuroimmune aspects in psychosis

GET-UP CONTRABASS findings will be discussed by **Paola Dazzan** (London, UK), **Carmine Pariante** (London, UK), **Cinzia Perlini** (Verona), **Pierluigi Politi** (Pavia)

1.15 pm Lunch Break

2.15 pm Moderators: Davide Dettore (Florence) and David Fowler (Norwich, UK)

Anna Meneghelli (Milan): Training and Supervision in GET-UP experimental intervention: mission accomplished?

Round Table: *From research to healthcare policy planning and clinical practice: prevention-oriented mental health care*

3.00 pm Moderators: Angelo Cocchi (Milan) and Maurizio Miceli (Florence)

Angelo Cocchi (Milan) and **Maurizio Miceli** (Florence), representing the Heads of the Operative Units enrolling and treating patients locally: *Introduction*

Carlo Lucchina (General Director Department of Healthcare, Lombardy Region): Health Care Prevention and Planning

Pierluigi Tosi (Director, Florence Local Health Authority): Mental Health Department roles in innovation

Mariella Martini (General Director, Health and Social Policy, Emilia Romagna Region): Financing innovative projects

Michele Tansella (Dean, Faculty of Medicine and Surgery, University of Verona): Applying Mental Health Care Organisational Models to facilitate the implementation of innovative and evidence-based treatment

Domenico Mantoan (Secretary General for Healthcare, Veneto Region): Future healthcare policy and planning prospects in the field of prevention

Luigi Ferrannini (Genoa) will comment on and conduct the Discussion

17.00 Closing Ceremony with Artistic Performances and the participation of Patients, Families, and Mental Health Centre workers; Poster Awards

18.00 Art Exhibition - Guided Tour: "Verona in the 18th century: The Nobility of Painting. *Tiepolo, Rotari, Cignaroli*". Moreover, on Sunday morning, March 4th, Art-Exhibition theme-oriented sightseeing itineraries will be organised to allow interested Conference-goers to wander through and explore 18th century Verona.

20.00 Dinner in a local restaurant with *Valpolicella* Wine Tasting

SPEAKERS AND MODERATORS

- Eugenio Aguglia** - Professor of Psychiatry and Director, University of Catania Psychiatry Clinic; President of the Italian Society of Psychiatry
- Franco Alessandrini** – Neuroradiologist, MR Unit Head, Neuroradiology Comprehensive Operating Unit, *Azienda Ospedaliera Universitaria Integrata*, Verona
- Matteo Balestrieri** - Professor of Psychiatry; Director, Psychiatric Clinic and Interuniversity Centre of Behavioural Neuroscience, University of Udine
- Paul Bebbington** - Emeritus Professor of Social and Community Psychiatry UCL Department of Mental Health Sciences, London, UK
- Alberto Beltramello** - Neuroradiologist; Director, Neuroradiology Comprehensive Operating Unit, *Azienda Ospedaliera Universitaria Integrata*, Verona
- Jozien Bensing** - Professor of Clinical Psychology, Utrecht University; Honorary Research fellow Communication and Health Psychology, The Netherlands Institute for Health Services Research (NIVEL), NL
- Max Birchwood** - Professor of Clinical Psychology, University of Birmingham, UK. Director of Birmingham Early Intervention Services and Director of Research and Development, Birmingham and Solihull Mental Health Trust, UK
- Luisella Bocchio-Chiavetto** - Neuropsychopharmacology Unit, *IRCCS Centro S. Giovanni di Dio, Fatebenefratelli*, Brescia.
- Paolo Brambilla** - Psychiatry Researcher; Coordinator, Brain Imaging and Neuropsychology Research Unit, Interuniversity Centre of Behavioural Neuroscience, University of Udine
- Angelo Cocchi** - Scientific Director of *Programma 2000*, Mental Health Department, *Niguarda Ca' Granda* Hospital, Milan
- Paola Dazzan** - Associate Professor of Psychiatry, Department of Psychosis Studies, Institute of Psychiatry, King's College London, UK
- Davide Dettore** - Professor of Clinical Psychology, Department of Psychology, University of Florence, President AIAMC
- Giovanni de Girolamo** - Psychiatrist; Scientific Director, *IRCSS Centro S. Giovanni di Dio, Fatebenefratelli*, Brescia
- Katia De Santi** - Psychiatrist, *Azienda Ospedaliera Universitaria Integrata*, Verona; WHO Collaborating Centre for Research and Training in Mental Health
- Arcadio Erlicher** - Psychiatrist; Director, Mental Health and Psychiatry Department 1, *Ospedale Niguarda Ca' Granda*, Milan
- Carlo Faravelli** - Professor of Psychiatry, Department of Psychology, University of Florence
- Luigi Ferrannini** - Psychiatrist; Director, Mental Health Department, Genoa Local Health Authority 3; Past-President Italian Society of Psychiatry
- Angelo Fioritti**, Psychiatrist, Director Mental Health Department, Local Health Authority Unit of Bologna
- David Fowler** – Psychologist, Professor of Social Psychiatry, Mental Health Research Lead, University of East Anglia, Norwich, UK
- Roberto Furlan** - Clinical Neuro-Immunology Unit, *S. Raffaele* Scientific Institute, Milan
- Federico Galvan** - Professional Educator, *TempoZero* Project, *Azienda Ospedaliera della Valtellina e della Valchiavenna*, Sondrio
- Massimo Gennarelli** - Professor of Medical Genetics, Biology and Genetics Division, Department of Biomedical Science and Biotechnologies, University of Brescia; Coordinator Genetics Unit, *IRCCS Centro S. Giovanni di Dio, Fatebenefratelli*, Brescia.
- Daniela Ghigi** – Psychiatrist; Director Mental Health Department, Local Health Authority Unit, Rimini
- Franco Giubilini** – Psychiatrist; Director Mental Health Department, Local Health Authority Unit, Parma
- Elisabeth Kuipers** - Professor of Clinical Psychology, Head of Department of Psychology, Institute of Psychiatry, King's College London, UK
- Antonio Lasalvia** - Psychiatrist, *Azienda Ospedaliera Universitaria Integrata*, Verona; WHO Collaborating Centre for Research and Training in Mental Health
- Stephen Lawrie** - Professor of Psychiatry and Neuroimaging, Centre for Clinical Brain Sciences, University of Edinburgh, UK; Consultant Psychiatrist Royal Edinburgh Hospital, UK
- Carlo Lucchina** - General Director, Lombardy Region Health Care Department
- Mario Maj** - Professor of Psychiatry; Director Department of Psychiatry and Clinical Psychiatry, University of Naples; President of the Italian Society for Psychopathology (SOPSI) and the World Psychiatric Association (WPA), Naples
- Domenico Mantovan** - Secretary General for Health Care, Veneto Region
- Mariella Martini** - Secretary General for Health Care and Social Policy, Emilia Romagna Region
- Tali Corona Mattioli** - President, Italian Association for Mental Health Care Defence (AITSAM)
- Anna Meneghelli** - Psychologist; *Programma 2000* Coordinator, Mental Health Department, *Niguarda Ca' Granda* Hospital, Milan, Past President AIAMC
- Maurizio Miceli** - Psychiatrist; Director, Adult Mental Health Florence Local Health Authority 3, Florence
- Stefano Mistura** - Health Director, *AUSL* Piacenza

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- Craig Morgan** - Associate Professor of Psychiatry, Department of Psychological Medicine, Institute of Psychiatry, King's College London, UK
- Robin Murray** - Professor of Psychiatric Research, Institute of Psychiatry, King's College London; Honorary Consultant, South London and Maudsley NHS Foundation Trust, UK
- Giovanni Neri** - Consultant, Regional Health Care and Social Authority, Emilia Romagna Region
- Juliana Onwumere** - Consultant Clinical Psychologist with the psychosis Service and the Psychological Interventions Clinic for Outpatients with Psychosis (PICuP), Institute of Psychiatry, King's College London, UK
- Carmine Pariante** - Associate Professor of Psychiatry, Department of Psychological Medicine, Institute of Psychiatry, King's College London, UK
- Cinzia Perlini** - Psychologist, University of Verona; WHO Collaborating Centre for Research and Training in Mental Health
- Francesca Pileggi** - Psychiatrist, Mental Health Department, Local Health Authority Unit Bologna
- Pierluigi Politi** - Professor of Psychiatry, University of Pavia
- Rita Roncone** - Professor of Psychiatry, University of L'Aquila
- Mirella Ruggeri** - Professor of Psychiatry, University of Verona; Director, Psychosomatic and Clinical Psychology Comprehensive Operative Unit, *Azienda Ospedaliera Universitaria Integrata*, Verona
- Paolo Santonastaso** - Professor of Psychiatry and Director, Psychiatric clinic and Graduate School in Psychiatry, University of Padua
- Silvio Scarone** - Professor of Psychiatry and Director of Psychiatry, *Azienda Ospedaliera S.Paolo*, University of Milan
- Michele Tansella** - Professor of Psychiatry, University of Verona; Director, WHO Collaborating Centre for Research and Training in Mental Health; Director Mental Health Department of Verona; Dean, Faculty of Medicine and Surgery, University of Verona
- Graham Thornicroft** - Professor of Community Psychiatry, Health Service and Population Research Department, Institute of Psychiatry, King's College London, UK
- Stefano Torresani** - Psychiatrist, Bolzano Comprehensive Health Care Agency
- Sarah Tosato** - Researcher in Psychiatry, University of Verona; WHO Collaborating Centre for Research and Training in Mental Health
- Pierluigi Tosi** - Director, Florence Local Health Authority
- Jim van Os** - Professor of Psychiatry Epidemiology, Maastricht University Medical Centre, Maastricht, NL; and Institute of Psychiatry, London, UK
- Christa Zimmermann** - Professor of Clinical Psychology, University of Verona; Head of the Clinical Psychology and Communication in Medicine Unit, *Azienda Ospedaliera Universitaria Integrata*, Verona.

All presentations reporting findings from the GET-UP Strategic Programme will be conducted by Speakers representing the GET-UP Operative Unit Heads and the comprehensive GET-UP GROUP. The GET-UP GROUP comprises more than 500 CSM Members, Researches, and Supervisors. Participating members are described in detail at the following website www.psychiatry.univr.it/page_getup

In addition to the above-listed Scientific Presentations, poems written by patients with psychotic disorders will be read. These contributions will make up part of a special Conference Programme Section called "*Thoughts and Words*" dedicated to the subjective experiences of individuals with psychosis.

ITALIAN/ENGLISH SIMULTANEOUS TRANSLATION WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR ALL CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

GET-UP STRATEGIC PROGRAMME

Genetics, Endophenotypes, Treatment: Understanding early Psychosis

National Coordinator: Mirella Ruggeri

Head Project: PIANO

Psychosis: Early **I**ntervention and **A**ssessment of **N**eeds and **O**utcome

Scientific Coordinator: Mirella Ruggeri

Institutional Recipient: *Azienda Ospedaliera Universitaria Integrata* of Verona, Veneto Region

West Veneto OPERATIVE UNIT - Coord: Antonio Lasalvia

East Veneto OPERATIVE UNIT - Coord: Paolo Santonastaso

Florence OPERATIVE UNIT - Coord: Maurizio Miceli

Bolzano OPERATIVE UNIT - Coord: Stefano Torresani

Life Events Florence OPERATIVE UNIT - Coord: Carlo Faravelli

The TRUMPET Project

TTraining and **U**nderstanding of Service **M**odels for **P**schosis **E**arly **T**reatment

Scientific Coordinator: Giovanni De Girolamo

Institutional Recipient: *Agenzia Sanitaria e Sociale Regionale*, Emilia Romagna Region

Emilia OPERATIVE UNIT – Coord: Giovanni Neri, Franco Giubilini

Romagna OPERATIVE UNIT - Coord: Francesca Pileggi, Daniela Ghigi

Niguarda Milan OPERATIVE UNIT – Coord: Angelo Cocchi

S. Paolo Milan OPERATIVE UNIT – Coord: Silvio Scarone

Communication Skills OPERATIVE UNIT – Coord: Christa Zimmermann

The GUITAR Project

Genetic data **U**tilization and **I**mplementation of **T**argeted Drug **A**dministration in the Clinical **R**outine

Scientific Coordinator: Massimo Gennarelli

Institutional Recipient: *IRCCS, Fatebenefratelli*, Brescia

Genetics OPERATIVE UNIT - IRCCS, FBF Brescia – Coord: Massimo Gennarelli

Neuro-Psychopharmacology OPERATIVE UNIT - IRCCS, FBF Brescia – Coord: Luisella Bocchio

Molecular Biology OPERATIVE UNIT, AFaR, FBF, Roma – Coord: Maria Carla Ventriglia

LENITEM OPERATIVE UNIT - IRCCS, FBF Brescia – Coord: Giovanni Frisoni

The CONTRABASS Project

COgnitive **N**euroendophenotypes for **T**reatment and **R**eh**A**bilitation of psychoses: **B**rain imaging, **I**nfl**A**mmation and **S**tre**S**S

Scientific Coordinator: Paolo Brambilla

Institutional Recipient: *Azienda Ospedaliera Universitaria Integrata* of Verona, Veneto Region

RUBIN OPERATIVE UNIT, Udine-Verona – Coord: Matteo Balestrieri

Section of Psychiatry OPERATIVE UNIT, Pavia – Coord: Pierluigi Politi

Neuro-Immunology OPERATIVE UNIT, *IRCCS S. Raffaele*, Milan – Coord: Gianvito Martino

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I INTEND TO PRESENT A POSTER NO SI (if yes, indicate number of posters).....

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Date..... Signature.....

INSTRUCTION FOR PREPARING AND SENDING POSTERS:

Conference participation is also possible through the presentation of one or more Posters. The size must be 100 x 70 cm, and the Poster topic(s) must concern psychosis onset. Posters can report data and research, but also clinical cases, experiences, reflections, and proposals for improving clinical practice.

The Poster Session is open to EVERYONE endeavouring to increase knowledge in the field, either within the scope of the GET-UP project, or in other national and international contexts. The Posters will be exhibited in a highly visible context throughout the entire duration of the Conference, i.e., in an area adjacent to the *Gran Guardia* Auditorium itself. Guided Poster tours will be conducted, and a committee of Experts will propose the Posters to be awarded during the Closing Ceremony. Upon conclusion of the Conference, the Posters will appear on the GET-UP website www.psychiatry.univr.it/page_getup

Those wishing to present Posters must first submit an abstract (max 400 words) generally describing the topic examined in the Poster, for approval. Abstracts must arrive at the Organisational Office (*Segreteria Organizzativa*) no later than January 31st, 2012 and must be sent exclusively via email to: donatella.castiglioni@univr.it.

How to reach the Conference site: The *Gran Guardia* Palace (*Palazzo della Gran Guardia*) located in *Piazza Brà, Verona*

From the Verona *Porta Nuova* railway station: From Platform A, take city bus n°11, 12, or 13; get off at the *piazza Brà* bus-stop (approx. 5-6 minutes).

From the A4 motorway: take the *Verona Sud* exit; follow the signs to the City Centre/Arena. Go straight along *Viale delle Nazioni*, then *Viale del Lavoro*. When you reach the intersection with *Porta Nuova* follow the signs to the Arena until the end of *Corso Porta Nuova*. Turn right in *Piazza Brà* (approx. 15 minutes)

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