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Laser Florence 2019 November 7th - 9th



Deadline for abstract's submission : July 30, 2019



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Report on Laser Florence 2017

The 29th Laser Florence International Medical Congress was held on 9-11 November 2017 in Florence.

This year the conference was particularly important, due it was jointed to other three international Congresses: IPTA (International Photo Therapy Association), ISLMS (International Society for Laser in Medicine and Surgery) and WFSLMS (World Federation Societies of Laser Medicine and Surgery). For this reason, the 2017 edition program level was very high, as well as the quality of the speakers, representing a very large number of Countries.

About 250 participants from 35 countries and 5 continents, were divided into 9 sessions: Laser Dentistry, Basic Science and Laser Physics, Laser ENT and Safety, Laser and Drugs, Laser/Light in Aesthetic Medicine and Surgery, Laser/Light in Surgery, Laser Biomodulation: Scientific Research and Clinical Practice, Laser Rehabilitation in Central Nervous System Injures, Laser Rehabilitation and Poster session.

The high scientific level of the program was testified by the achievement of 16 Credits by the North American and European CME Program (UEMS – Union European Medicine Specialists) for all the participants to the Congress, as well as by the publication of the Proceedings by SPIE Publisher, USA.

Very positive was the presence of a great number of young lecturers and poster presenter, this showing that Laser Florence Congress is considered one of the most important scientific events also by the young researchers and clinics who choose it for presenting their works.

The event was officially opened by Prof. Leonardo Longo, Congress Chairman, followed by three leading lecturers: Dr. R. Lanzafame, "*Laser Applications In Medicine: An Evolution*", Prof. P. Manzelli, "*Laser Therapy: Equivalence Between Biophotonic Field And Thin Energy In The Coherence's Reactivation Of Life Energy*", and Dr. D. Sliney "*Photobiological Dosimetry Of Tissue Exposure*"

An important and significant moment was represented by the memory of two people who recently passed away, Prof. Mario Postiglione and Prof. Venkatasami Jeganathan, respectively celebrated by Prof. Longo and Prof. Sharon Krishna.

Many lecturers were followed on the networks in real time by streaming, with more than 10000 visualizations and likes. The slides of the congress lectures are available on the web.site www.ialms.international, in the area members, covered by password.

The jury, formed by the chairpersons of all the scientific sessions, voted for the best oral communications and posters of young scientists and the winners were

<p>DYNAMIC CHANGES IN GAMMA-IRRADIATED MICE TREATED WITH LASER</p> <p><i>(Lecture granted with 500 eurodollars offered by the Lions Club Firenze Stibbert)</i></p>	<p>Yulia Efremova¹, Zuzana Sinkorova², Jaroslav Racek³, Anna Lierova², Marcela Jelicova², Leos Navratil²</p> <p>¹Czech Technical University in Prague, Faculty of Biomedical Engineering, Department of Health Care Disciplines and Population Protection</p> <p>²University of Defence, Faculty of Military Health Sciences, Department of Radiobiology</p> <p>³University Hospital in Pilsen Dept of Clinical Biochemistry</p>
<p>FUNDAMENTAL APPLICATIONS OF ER,CR:YSGG LASER IN COMBINATION WITH DIODE 980nm WAVELENGTH</p>	<p>Salam Alakash, MD</p> <p>Amman, Jordan Private clinic, Conservative and Laser Dentistry, Jordan</p>
<p>LASER AND BIOSCAFFOLDS IN OROMAXILLOFACIAL SURGERY</p>	<p>L. Cella¹, E. Merigo¹, C. Fornaini¹, F. Clini¹, N. Tinelli², M. Fontana¹, G. Lagori¹, A. Oppici¹</p> <p>¹Odontostomatology and Maxillofacial Unit; "Guglielmo da Saliceto" Hospital, Piacenza – Italy; ²ENT Unit; "G. da Saliceto" Hospital, Piacenza - Italy</p>



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A SUTURELESS CONDUCTIVE PATCH FOR ENHANCING THE CARDIAC ELECTRIC SIGNAL	Damia Mawad, PhD School of Materials Science and Engineering, University of New South Wales, Sydney, NSW 2052, Australia
INNOVATIVE COMBINATION TECHNIQUE FOR LOWER FACE AND NECK CONTOURING AND REJUVENATION	Pichansak Bunmas, MD. Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery, VPast Institute of Aesthetic and Plastic Surgery Center. Bangsaen & Pattaya Beach, Chon Buri, Thailand
PHOTOBIMODULATION OF AUTOIMMUNE SKIN DISEASES IN SMALL ANIMALS	Kitti Szenasi, K., Kovacs DVM, PhD Small Animal Laser Clinic, laser medicine Budapest, Hungary
THE MICROVASCULAR RESPONSE TO PHOTOBIMODULATION WITH NON-COHERENT LIGHT SOURCES IN HEALTHY SUBJECTS: THE ROLE OF WAVELENGTH, GENDER AND AGE	Lilach Gavish¹, L. Dudai², M. Halak³, B. Gavish⁴, Z. Ovadia-Blechman² ¹ The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Israel ² Afeka Tel-Aviv Academic College of Engineering, ³ Sheba Medical Center, ⁴ Yazmonit Ltd.
ER:YAG LASER-ACTIVATED IRRIGATION ASSISTED NON-SURGICAL RE-TREATMENT OF MAXILLARY FIRST MOLARS TREATED WITH “RUSSIAN RED CEMENT”: A CASE REPORT	Yuhao Bai, DDS, MSc Dept of Dentistry, Capital Medical University Xuanwu Hospital, Beijing, China
DIFFERENTIAL EXPRESSION OF MYOFIBROBLASTS ON CO ₂ LASER WOUNDS AND SCALPEL WOUNDS: AN EXPERIMENTAL MODEL	R. Machado, CRB Oliveira, LA Vitória, FCA Xavier, ALB Pinheiro, AC Freitas, L M P Ramalho. School of Dentistry, Federal University of Bahia, Salvador, Brasil

Inside the congress, the executive committees and the general assemblies of IPTA, ISLMS, WFLMS and IALMS were also held where some important decisions were reached:

- 1) The President of IPTA was elected, it'll be Prof. Toni Pinheiro from Brasil who will replace Prof. Cheng-Jen Chang from Taiwan.
- 2) Prof. Longo replaced Dr. Sharon Krishna as President of ASLMS
- 3) Prof. Carlo Fornaini replaced Prof. Mariano Postiglione as Treasurer of IALMS.

They were also decided locations and times of the next Congresses:

- 1) Next Congress of APALMS will be in Bangkok on October 2018, 19th - 21st, organized by Prof. Apirag Chuangsuwanich and Prof. Bounmas Pichansak.
- 2) Next Congress of WFLMS, IPTA and ISLMS will be in Taiwan on June 2019, organized by Prof. Cheng-Jen Chang and Prof. Ming Chen Kao.
- 3) Next Congress of ISLMS and WFLMS will be in Toronto in 2021, organized by Prof. S. Yang.

Traditionally, Laser Florence Congress' end is the Gala dinner and this year the final was wonderful! Inside the exciting atmosphere of Villa Viviani, Prof. Longo and his team prepared a dinner program rich of music, dance, typical Tuscan food and a lot of happiness. Laser Florence is a great family where everybody may appreciate this smell of authentic friendship!

See you in Laser Florence 2019, November 7th – 9th.

Carlo Fornaini, Rapporteur

ATTENTION: from next year 2018 the official journal of the IALMS will be always free for the IALMS members, but only on-line. Paper copies could be requested, but its are not included in the subscription fee.



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NETWORKS GENERATED BY PREVIOUS LASER FLORENCE CONFERENCES

1997: Pulse light for vascular lesions, advantages and limits. Endovascular laser therapy for various veins. Indication and contraindications for Laser resurfacing procedures.

1998: mechanism of action, ant inflammatory and anti-edema effects of Laser. Advantages and limits for laser in dentistry. Types of laser recommended for treatment of telangiectases and reticular veins.

1999: Prostatectomy laser. Non surgical endovenous laser modulating the immune system. Advantages and limits of Laser and IPL as hair removal techniques.

2000: PDD and PDT for the treatment of gastrointestinal and urological cancers. Laser therapy for wound healing and skin ulcers. , stretch marks,scars, keloids. Laser and IPL in skin rejuvenation.

2001: Laser treatment for diabetes type 1 and 2 (live demonstration on patients during the congress, probably, for the first time in the world). Advantages and limits of pulsed light in aesthetic medicine and surgery. What kind of laser should be in rheumatology and sport traumas? Role of European Community and World Health Organization in these issues.

2002: Laser Treatment of disk Hernias. Laser and light treatment for Psoriasis and Vitiligo.

2003: Laser therapy for nervous cells regeneration, in vitro and experimental. Complications of laser and light therapy and their treatment. Selection of affordable instrumentation. Advantages and limits of laser in ophthalmology. Position of FDA and other International Institution on non surgical laser.

2004: laser therapy of spinal cord injuries in clinical practice; first diabetic patients treated with laser in Italy, following Helsinki declaration rules; news on mechanisms of ant inflammatory and regenerative effects of lasers on the human tissues; prostatectomy laser in day surgery; advantages and limits of endoluminal laser surgery of varicose veins ; laser coupled with radio frequency scalpel for skin lesion treatment. Laser treatment of progenitor cells.

2005: Cesarean incision with laser. Photodyalisis laser for chronic degenerative conditions. Follow-up of laser therapy for diabetes. Laser therapy of traumatic spinal cord injuries. Action mechanism of laser beam on nervous tissue.

2006: Photoplethysmography multi laser in vascular diseases. News substances for PDT of lung cancer. Ant inflammatory and regenerative mechanisms of laser treatment of experimental myocardial infarct. News on Laser therapy in sport traumatology Radio protective effects of non surgical laser.



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2007: Laser in stem cells therapy: preclinical phase. Laser therapy for traumatic and degenerative spinal cord injuries with live patients presentation. Follow-up of laser therapy in diabetes type 1 e 2. Laser therapy for female infertility. Laser vascular and aesthetic surgery. State-of-the art on laser dentistry and PDD/PDT.

2008: Laser in brain traumatic injuries; Laser therapy for male infertility. Laser and energetic medicine; laser and nervous progenitor cells.

2009: Guidelines for the use of non surgical lasers. Laser Diagnosis. Laser therapy for infertility. Laser and stem cells

2010: Follow up of positive results on central nervous system traumatic injuries. Laser therapy for peripheral nerve reconstruction. Laser therapy for prevention of central nervous system post-traumatic damages. Laser diagnosis of early cancer of lung, uterus, breast, urinary bladder, prosthate. Laser and photodynamic therapy of prosthate cancer and lung cancer. Laser therapy of the menopause. Light for improving the follow-up of laser therapy of diabetes. Laser and stem cells for treatment of myocardial lesions.

2011: mechanisms of laser effects in quantum medicine; new procedures of percutaneous laser disc decompression of inter-vertebral disks. antimicrobial photodynamic therapy in chronic osteomyelitis. Multispectral visualization of glial brain tumors containing ppix in diffuse and laser-induced fluorescent light. Follow-up of laser treatment of spinal cord traumatic injuries.

2012: new treatment of non ablative laser for hypertrophic scars and keloids; new lasers in sport medicine; lasers for differentiation of stem cells; laser doppler myography; laser surgery of pancreas

2013: new laser treatment of acnis, vitiligo, psoriasis, melasma, scars, La Peyronie's disease; ablative laser therapy guided by optical coherence tomography; green laser promotes proliferation of neural progenitor cell; laser biomodulation of normal and neoplastic cells; sEMG-biofeedback for the evaluation of laser therapy on traumatic central nervous system injuries ; updata on laser and physical therapy applied to traumatic central nervous system injuries; laser for tennis player shoulder; multidiodes laser for dentistry application.

2015: Laser in sexually transmitted disease & sexual dysfunction, Laser in chronic abdominal wall pain syndrome, spinal cord injuries, Breast cancer, Use of Laser in telesurgical systems, skin regeneration by means of laser and Growth hormone, new Laser solutions for hemangiomas, dyschromia, melasma, new discoveries in PDT, lasers in Veterinary, dentistry, ENT, laser role in the treatments of musculoskeletal disorders and rehabilitation medicine. New Diamond laser.

2017: Multi-wavelength approach for many lesions, as peri-implantitis, Spinal Cord traumatic injuries, low back pain syndrome, induratio penis plastica.Red LED and Ultraviolet selection of parameters for the treatment of Psoriasis, Raman Spectroscopy in Diabetes diagnosis, New continuous cooling system for laser surgery, laser and nanotechnology for acnis and rejuvenation, photodynamic therapy of onychomycosis, laser in association with physiotherapy manoeuvres for the treatment of patient whit Spine coord injuries for headache and stress.



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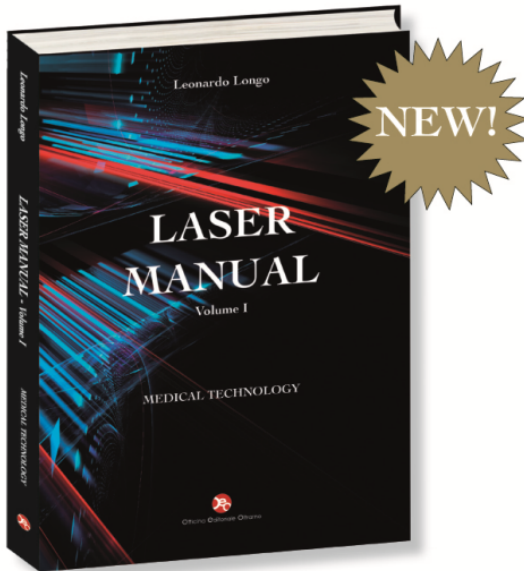


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The PALMS President, Dr. José María Aguilera Cantero, asked and obtained the cooperation with the IALMS. We hope to realize jointed projects in next future!



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