

*University of INSUBRIA, Neuroscience Center
PhD Course in Neurobiology*

**FROM BENCH TO BEDSIDE:
ADVANCES AND
PERSPECTIVES
IN THE TREATMENT OF
MALIGNANT GLIOMAS**



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*October 23rd, 2008, Molini Marzoli
Via A. da Giussano, 10
Busto Arsizio (VA)*

The workshop is free.
Space limited: registration needed by mailing to
marta.valenti@uninsubria.it until October 4th, 2008.

PROGRAM

10:00-10:20 WELCOME TO WORKSHOP PARTICIPANTS

Daniela Parolaro (University of Insubria, Neuroscience Centre)

10:20-10:40 CANNABIDIOL, A NON PSYCHOACTIVE CANNABINOID COMPOUND AS POTENTIAL NEW TOOL FOR THE MANAGEMENT OF GLIOMA

Massi P. (University of Milan)

10:40-11:00 CROSSTALK BETWEEN THE HIF-1 AND IGF PATHWAYS IN HUMAN GLIOBLASTOMA CELLS

Gariboldi M. and Monti E. (University of Insubria)

11:00-11:20 TRANSCRIPTOMIC AND PROTEOMIC APPROACHES IDENTIFY MOLECULAR DETERMINANTS OF ANTI ANGIOGENIC RESPONSE IN GLIOMAS

L. Bello (Clinica Neurochirurgica, Università di Milano)

11:20-11:40 CXCL12/CXCR4/CXCR7 LIGAND-RECEPTOR SYSTEM IN BRAIN TUMORS

A. Salmaggi (Istituto Neurologico Besta, IRCCS, Milano)

11:40-12:00 ANGIOGENESIS IN HIGH GRADE GLIOMAS : AN EXPERIMENTAL STUDY

S. Sangiorgi (Clinica Neurochirurgica, Università dell'Insubria)

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12:00-14:00 **LUNCH**
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14:00-14:20 MALIGNANT GLIOMAS AND THE SURGEON

M.Soldati (Clinica Neurochirurgica, Università dell'Insubria)

14:20-14:40 COMBINED CORTICAL AND SUBCORTICAL MAPPING AND IMAGING FOR SURGICAL REMOVAL OF GLIOMAS WITHIN LANGUAGE, MOTOR OR VISUOSPATIAL AREAS OR PATHWAYS

L. Bello (Clinica Neurochirurgica, Università di Milano)

14:40-15:00 NEW PERSPECTIVES : FROM TEMOZOLOMIDE TO TARGETED THERAPIES

R. Soffietti (Clinica Neurologica, Università di Torino)

15:00-15:20 NEW TECHNOLOGY FOR NEW RADIOTHERAPY PROTOCOLS IN GLIOBLASTOMA TREATMENT

L Fariselli (Istituto Neurologico Besta, IRCCS, Milano)

15:20-15:40 LOCOREGIONAL DRUG DELIVERY CAN IMPROVE SURVIVAL IN RECURRENT GLIOBLASTOMA PATIENTS ?

A.Boiardi (Istituto Neurologico Besta, IRCCS, Milano)

15:40-16:00 IMMUNOTHERAPY OF MALIGNANT GLIOMAS: CLINICAL PERSPECTIVES AND NEW TARGETS

G. Finocchiaro (Istituto Neurologico Besta, IRCCS, Milano)

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WORKSHOP VENUE

The Workshop will be held at the University of Insubria, in Busto Arsizio Molini Marzoli, via A. da Giussano,10.

How to reach Busto Arsizio by car: once in Milan take the Highway A8 Milano-Laghi, direction Varese. Exit at Busto Arsizio and follow the signs for Busto Arsizio. Then follow the signs for “Tecnocity-Molini Marzoli”.

How to reach Busto Arsizio by train from Milan:

- Cadorna Train Station - FNM : Regional Train – direction: Novara (departure at 46 minutes past the hour) or “Malpensa Express” (departure from Milan at 27 minutes past the hour)

-Porta Garibaldi or Central Train Station – FFSS – (Regional Train – direction: Varese/Domodossola).

How to reach Busto Arsizio from Malpensa Airport:

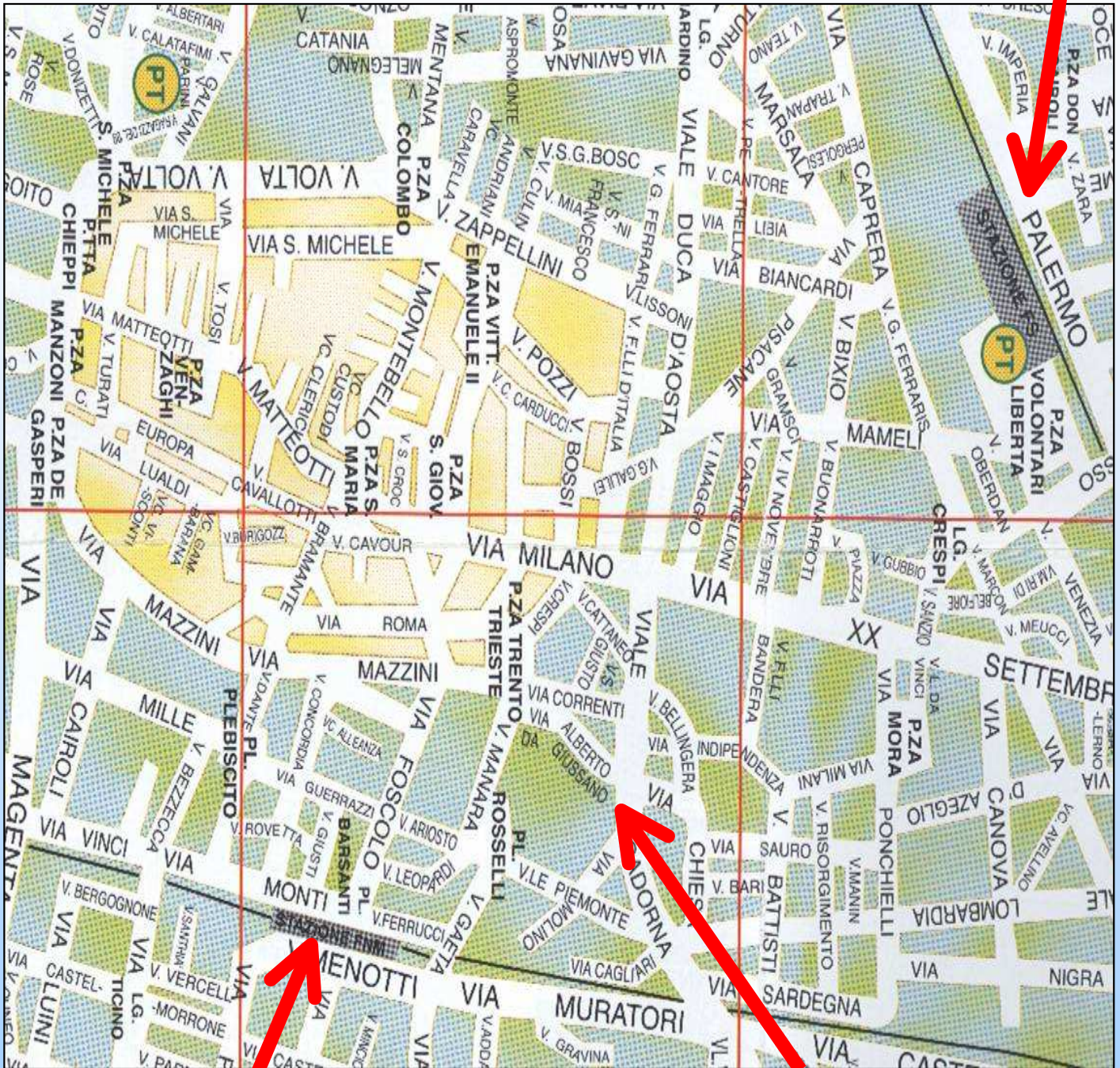
- by car, with the speed way n. 336 Busto – Malpensa
- by taxi, (the taxi fare is around 30 Euro)
- by train, “Malpensa Express” to Busto leaves every hour (departure from MXP at 53 minutes past the hour), check at <http://www.ferrovienord.it/webmxc/ing/frame-orari-ing.htm>

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