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**Florence**

## **WINFOCUS International Campus**

An immersive experience on whole-body Point of Care Ultrasound  
with some of the world's foremost PoCUS experts

**October 29-30, 2024**



## Get ready to unlock the secrets of Point-of-Care Ultrasound (PoCUS) as you immerse yourself in dynamic discussions, hands-on workshops, and groundbreaking insights!

The WINFOCUS international campus in Florence will offer a menu of unique PoCUS teaching opportunities in an innovative educational format. Registrants will tailor their learning experience to their needs. It will be hosted by a roster of undisputed international experts sharing their expertise in face-to-face exchanges with small groups of learners.

The Amici del Pronto Soccorso Foundation, guided by President Elisabetta Bardelli and advised by Professor Stefano Grifoni, upholds the belief that investment in the training of doctors and nurses is essential to ensure that acute medicine services are delivered for patients with the utmost promptness and effectiveness. This year, the foundation is collaborating with WINFOCUS to host an International Campus focused on point of care ultrasound. Moreover, the foundation is committed to extending the reach of this knowledge to developing countries by involving their representatives in the Campus.

**DIRECTORS:** Peiman Nazerian (Florence, Italy), Gabriele Via (Lugano, Switzerland)

**FACULTY:** Rita Bertuetti (Brescia, ITALY), Gian Cibinel (Pinerolo, ITALY), James Connolly (Newcastle, UK), Francesco Corradi (Pisa, ITALY), Luna Gargani (Pisa, ITALY), Gianfranco Giannasi (Florence, ITALY), Chiara Lazzeri (Florence, ITALY), Peiman Nazerian (Florence, ITALY), Niccolò Parri (Florence, ITALY), Emanuele Pivetta (Torino, ITALY), Simone Vanni (Florence, ITALY), Gabriele Via (Lugano, SWITZERLAND), Giovanni Volpicelli (Catanzaro, ITALY), Adrian Wong (London, UK)

### Topics covered:

- Management of acutely ill patients using focused multi-system point-of-care ultrasound.
- Discussion of new approaches based on emerging scientific literature.
- Small-group seminars discussing difficult or unusual cases.
- Common technical challenges and mistakes.
- Fake-outs, look-alikes, and normal variants.
- Hands-on teaching sessions.
- Best practice in established applications of PoCUS.
- Management of PoCUS in the context of multi-specialty teams and interdisciplinary collaboration.
- Discussion of clinical cases that showcase real-world decision-making using evidence-based sonology.
- Small-group seminars discussing difficult or unusual cases.





# Scientific Program

## DAY ONE - October 29

13.00-13.30	Registration
13.30-14.00	<b>Plenary</b> - <a href="#">Presentation of the WINFOCUS International Campus</a> Stefano Grifoni, Peiman Nazerian, Elisabetta Bardelli
14.00-16.40	<b>Plenary</b> - <a href="#">Whole-body Point of Care ultrasound (PoCUS) for the diagnosis and monitoring of the acutely ill patient</a> (15 min talks + 5 min Q&A) Chair: Gabriele Via
14.00	<b>PoCUS in cardiac arrest</b> Gabriele Via
14.20	<b>PoCUS in shock</b> Francesco Corradi
14.40	<b>PoCUS in traumatic brain injury</b> Rita Bertuetti
15.00	<b>PoCUS in heart failure</b> Luna Gargani
15.20	<b>PoCUS in the febrile patient</b> Giovanni Volpicelli
15.40	<b>PoCUS in acute chest pain</b> Gian Cibinel
16.00	<b>PoCUS in acute abdomen</b> James Connolly
16.20	<b>PoCUS to guide fluid management</b> Adrian Wong
16.40-17.00	<i>Coffee break</i>
17.00-18.20	<b>WORKSHOPS</b> - <a href="#">Whole-body Point of Care ultrasound (PoCUS) for the diagnosis and monitoring of the acutely ill patient</a> 8 workstations with clinical case, discussion with the expert, hands-on scanning fine tuning (first two rotations) 1. Cardiac arrest (G. Via) - 2. Shock (F. Corradi) - 3. Monitoring trauma (R. Bertuetti) - 4. Heart failure (L. Gargani/E. Pivetta) - 5. The febrile patient (G. Volpicelli) - 6. Chest pain (G. Cibinel) - 7. Acute abdomen (J. Connolly) - 8. Fluid management (A. Wong)
18.20-18.30	<b>Plenary</b> - Adjourn
20.30	SOCIAL DINNER

## DAY TWO - October 30

8.30-10.30	<b>WORKSHOPS</b> - Whole-body Point of Care ultrasound (PoCUS) for the diagnosis and monitoring of the acutely ill patient 8 workstations with clinical case, discussion with the expert, hands-on scanning fine tuning (three rotations)
10.30-11.00	<i>Coffee break</i>
11.00-13.00	<b>WORKSHOPS</b> - Whole-body Point of Care ultrasound (PoCUS) for the diagnosis and monitoring of the acutely ill patient 8 workstations with clinical case, discussion with the expert, hands-on scanning fine tuning (last three rotations)
13.00-14.00	<i>Lunch</i>
14.00-14.40	<b>Plenary</b> - Evidence-based clinical-sonographic diagnostic algorithms (15 min talks + 5 min Q&A) Chair: Giovanni Volpicelli
14.00	<b>Acute Dyspnea</b> Emanuele Pivetta
14.20	<b>Suspected acute aortic syndromes</b> Peiman Nazerian
14.40-16.20	<b>Plenary</b> - Whole-body Point of Care ultrasound (PoCUS) for guiding therapies and procedures (15 min talks + 5 min Q&A) Chair: Peiman Nazerian
14.40	<b>PoCUS to guide invasive and noninvasive mechanical ventilation</b> Francesco Corradi
15.00	<b>PoCUS to guide ECMO management</b> Chiara Lazzeri
15.20	<b>PoCUS to guide the treatment of pulmonary embolism</b> Simone Vanni
15.40	<b>PoCUS to guide chest drain management</b> Gianfranco Giannasi
16.00	<b>Pearls and pitfalls of pediatric point of care ultrasound</b> Niccolò Parri
16.20-17.40	<b>Plenary</b> - Final Test, Conclusions

### Organizing Committee

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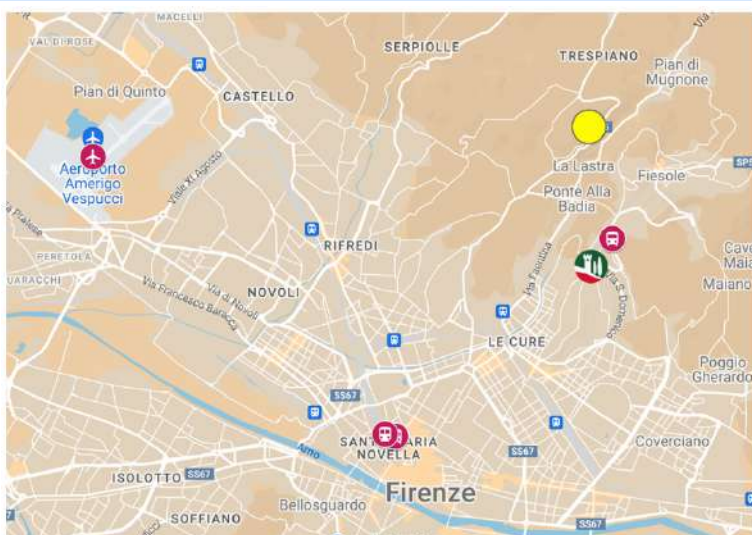
## Venue

WINFOCUS International Campus will be held in the CISL Study Centre on the hill that rises from Florence to Fiesole, near San Domenico (Centro Studi CISL, Via della Piazzuola, 71 - 50133 Firenze, ITALY). The centre is in proximity to the historic centers of Florence and Fiesole and is located in a large park in the green hills of Florence, in a quiet and attractive environment.

Participants will be hosted in simple, functional, and comfortable accommodations in the centre, in the same building where the scientific activities will take place (room charge is included in the registration fee).

Directions and instructions to reach the Campus venue can be found at:

<https://shorturl.at/dfrW5>



## Registration

The registration fee includes: 1 day and half Campus attendance (Oct 29-30, 2024) - one-night lodging at the CISL Study Centre - Day One's Social Dinner, Day Two Breakfast and Lunch, all Coffee breaks - All lectures' handouts. Italian, EACCME® and AMA PRA Category 8 CME Credits™ have been requested. Registration instructions can be found at:

<https://www.winfocus.org/winfocus-international-campus>.

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