

VENUES

November 07th: Hotel Tivoli Palazzo Gaddi
Via del Giglio, 9 Florence - IT
Accommodation for attendees at special rate, ask us for availability and more information

November 08th: Breast Dpt Careggi
Largo Brambilla 3, Florence - IT

GENERAL INFORMATION

REGISTRATION

Mandatory registration, CME credits not assigned for unregistered attendees.

Registration fee: Euro 793,00 (VAT INCL)

Included:

conference kit, light lunch, welcome dinner, attendance certificate and CEM accreditation

Payment via bank transfer

CME ACCREDITATION

Officially accredited by EACCME® for 13 European CME credits (ECMEC®)

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LIMITED PARTICIPATION: up to 30 attendees



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THEORETICAL AND PRACTICAL COURSE OF

PERCUTANEOUS BREAST TREATMENT

1st Edition

November 07 > 08 2025
Hotel Tivoli Palazzo Gaddi
& Breast Unit Careggi
Florence



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C. Bellini - D. De Benedetto - F. Di Naro - J. Nori Cucchiari - P. Tonelli - E. Vanzi - S. Vidali

SPEAKERS

Annarosa Arcangeli	University of Florence Department of Experimental and Clinical Medicine Section of Internal Medicine
Chiara Bellini	Consultant Breast Radiologist, AOU Careggi
Giulia Bicchierai	Consultant Breast Radiologist, AOU Careggi
Cecilia Boeri	Consultant Breast Radiologist, AOU Careggi
Diego De Benedetto	Consultant Breast Radiologist, AOU Careggi
Federica Di Naro	Consultant Breast Radiologist, AOU Careggi
Jacopo Nori Cucchiari	Director of Breast Imaging Dpt. Consultant Breast Radiologist, AOU Careggi
Lorenzo Orzalesi	Breast Surgery AOU Careggi
Paolina Tonelli	Breast Radiologist AOU Careggi
Ermanno Vanzi	Consultant Breast Radiologist, AOU Careggi
Sofia Vidali	Consultant Breast Radiologist, AOU Careggi
SPECIAL GUESTS	
Luisa Grana Lopez	Head of Breast Unit at University Hospital Lucus Augusti, Lugo, Spain
Rudolf M. Pijnappel	Utrecht, The Netherlands Professor
Toulsie Ramtohul	Radiologist Institut Curie
Luc Rotenberg	Neuilly Sur Seine-France; Imagerie Cardinet- Radiologie Paris Ouest-RPO Hartmann Breast Institute-ISHH; Franco-Britannique Hospital-HFB
Robert Carlton Ward	Warren Alpert Medical School of Brown University

INTRODUCTION

This course stems from the continuous evolution of interventional techniques in breast care, which now make it possible — thanks to increasingly advanced devices such as fine needles and fibers — to treat, remove, or ablate selected breast lesions through minimally invasive, non-surgical approaches.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

The first day will be dedicated to the theoretical session, including presentations from leading national and European breast centers and discussion of relevant clinical cases. The day will also feature a hands-on session on phantoms, allowing participants to practice and become familiar with the techniques and devices in a simulated environment. The second day will focus entirely on practical activities: participants will take part in the viewing of procedural videos and live demonstrations of percutaneous treatments, including tomographic/ultrasound-guided VAE and cryoablation of selected breast lesions.

DAILY PROGRAM

Friday Nov 07th

08.30 - 08.50 Opening Remarks and Course Presentation
J. Nori Cucchiari; V. Miele

I Session - B3 Lesions: Imaging and Management

08.50 - 09.20	Percutaneous breast treatment: A new era for the Radiologist	R. Pijnappel
09.20 - 09.40	The surgeon's opinion	L. Orzalesi
09.40 - 10.00	Imaging and follow-up B3 lesions Vacuum-Assisted Excision (VAE): Experiences and Perspectives	C. Bellini
10.00 - 10.20	Florence experience	E. Vanzi
10.20 - 10.50	Other experience	L. Rotenberg
10.50 - 11.00	Discussion	
11.00 - 11.30	Coffee Break	

II Session - Cryoablation Treatment

11.30 - 11.50	Introduction to the cryoablation: Techniques, Tips and Tricks	F. Di Naro
11.50 - 12.10	Biological pathways of cryoablation: necrosis and immunity	A. Arcangeli
12.10 - 12.40	Review of Literature	R. Ward
12.40 - 13.00	Discussion	
13.00 - 14.00	Light Lunch	

III Session - Cryoablation: International Experiences

14.00 - 14.30	Cryoablation: American Experience	R. Ward
14.30 - 15.00	Cryoablation: French Experience	T. Ramtohul
15.00 - 15.30	Cryoablation: Spanish Experience	L. Grana Lopez
15.30 - 16.00	Discussion and end session	

IV Session - Phantom Test

16.00 - 18.30	Phantom test and devices exhibition C. Bellini; F. Di Naro; J. Nori Cucchiari; P. Tonelli; E. Vanzi; S. Vidali Hands-on sessions: In-depth ultrasound-guided Vacuum Assisted Excision In-depth X-ray tomosynthesis guided Vacuum Assisted Excision In-depth Cryoablation Treatment	
18.30 - 19.00	Conclusions	

Saturday Nov 08th

08.00 - 13.00 Diagnostic-Interventional Pathway: Illustration of techniques, real-time execution of stereotactic VAE and ultrasound guided VAE, and cryoablation treatment

RED GROUP **G. Bicchierai; D. De Benedetto; F. Di Naro; J. Nori Cucchiari**

GREEN GROUP **C. Bellini; C. Boeri; E. Vanzi; S. Vidali**

BLUE GROUP **C. Bellini; F. Di Naro; E. Vanzi; P. Tonelli**