

Final Program

9.45 Welcome from the President of the Accademia Nazionale dei Lincei, Prof. Giorgio Parisi

10.00-10.45

“Cannabis: the plant, its evolution and its genetics” - John McPartland (Department of Family Medicine, University of Vermont, Burlington, Vermont, USA)

10.45-11.30

“The troubled and controversial history of cannabis and cannabinoids” - Giovanni Appendino (Università del Piemonte Orientale, Novara, Italy)

11.30-12.15

“Cannabinoids: a class of unique natural products with unique pharmacology” - Vincenzo Di Marzo (Istituto di Chimica Biomolecolare, CNR, Pozzuoli, and Université Laval, Quebec City, Canada)

12.15-13.00

“Cannabinoids and endocannabinoids: naturally different” - Mauro Maccarrone (Campus Biomedico, Roma)

13.00-14.15 Light lunch and coffee

14.15-15.00

“Therapeutic and toxicological aspects of the use of cannabis and cannabinoids in medicine” - Daniela Parolaro (Università dell’Insubria, Busto Arsizio, and Fondazione Zardi-Gori, Milano)

15.00-15.45

“Psychosociological aspects of cannabis abuse and its consequences” - Furio Ravera (Clinica specialistica delle Betulle, Appiano Gentile, Como, Italy)

15.45-16.30

“New emerging industrial applications of cannabis” – Giuseppe Sorrentino (Istituto per i Sistemi Agricoli e Forestali del Mediterraneo, CNR, Napoli)

16.30-17.00

Round Table and Conclusions

- *The conference official languages will be English and Italian.*
- *If presenting in Italian, the Italian speakers are invited to use powerpoint presentations with titles (and possibly text) in English.*
- *Speakers are required to include at least 10 min for Q/A in their 45 min presentations*