

Thursday September 25, 2014			
19:00 21:00	Opening Ceremony		
Friday September 26, 2014			
Chair	Mohammed Aboulghar (Egypt)		
08:30 09:00	PERSONAL GROWTH I: (Roma 1) TRAIN YOUR BRAIN to thrive from nine to five Johnny Awwad (Lebanon)		
09:00 09:30	KEYNOTE LECTURE I: The Professor AboulGhar lecture (Roma 1) O1 Mitochondrial nutrients to energize old eggs Robert Casper (Canada)		
09:30 10:30	CONCURRENT SCIENTIFIC SESSION 1: Ovarian stimulation for ART (Roma 1) O2-O4	CONCURRENT SCIENTIFIC SESSION 2: Improving ART outcome (Roma 2) O5-O7	CONCURRENT SCIENTIFICSESSION 3: Polycystic Ovary Disease (Roma 3) O8-O10
Chair	Hisham Ayyoub (KSA), Jean Marc Ayyoubi (France), Jassim El Hijji (Kuwait)	Abdulaziz Al Shahrani (KSA), Micheal Fakh (UAE), Sarmad Khunda (Iraq)	Ghina Ghazeeri (Leb), Sara Faour (Leb), Mohamad Bugnah (KSA)
09:30 09:50	O2 The dilemma of optimizing ovarian stimulation Mohammed AboulGhar (Egypt)	O5 [Latin-American Association of Reproductive Medicine Exchange Lecture] Predicting factors for successful pregnancy (ovulation induction, IUI, and IVF/ICSI) Alejandro Manzur Yanine (Chile)	O8 PCOS: Contemporary diagnosis Ricardo Azziz (USA)
09:50 10:10	O3 Cycle Programming in GnRH antagonist cycles Paul Devroey (Belgium)	O6 Reduction of multiple pregnancies from gonadotropin-IUI cycles Elias Dahdouh (Canada)	O9 The effects of bariatric surgery on PCOS phenotype Firas Abiad (Lebanon)
10:10 10:30	O4 Update of letrozole versus clomiphene for ovulation induction Robert Casper (Canada)	O7 Advanced Paternal Age: Does it Matter? Fadi Mirza (Lebanon)	O10 How important is obesity in PCOS? Ricardo Azziz (USA)
10:30 10:45	DISCUSSION	DISCUSSION	DISCUSSION
10:30 11:00	Coffee Break		
11:00 12:00		FERRING Symposium: The Tale of Two Hormones: hCG and Progesterone (Roma 2) Chairman: Paul Devroy (Belgium) Implications of raised follicular phase progesterone Masoud Afnan (China) LH activity in ovarian stimulation: To whom it may concern Nicolas Polyzos (Belgium)	
12:00 13:00	CONCURRENT SCIENTIFIC SESSION 4: Reproductive Surgery (Roma 1) O11-O13	CONCURRENT SCIENTIFIC SESSION 5: Assisted Reproductive Technology (Roma 2) O14-O16	CONCURRENT SCIENTIFICSESSION 6: Polycystic Ovary Disease (Roma 3) O17-O19
Chair	Faouzi Mitri (Lebanon), Sedigheh Ghandi (Iran), Mamdouh Iskandar (KSA)	Abeer Annab (Jordan), Ariana Barzanji (Iraq), Suliman Dabit (Jordan)	Aboubakr Elnashar (Egypt), Fathi Zhioua (Tunisia), Serbülen Orhaner (Turkey)
12:00 12:20	O11 At a time of morcelator crisis, is the era of laparoscopic myomectomy over? Karim Nawfal (Lebanon)	O14 [Latin-American Association of Reproductive Medicine Exchange Lecture] Is there still a place for IUI? Limits and expectations Alejandro Manzur Yanine (Chile)	O17 Non-classic adrenal hyperplasia-The great impersonator Ricardo Azziz (USA)
12:20 12:40	O12 Uterine transplantation: How close are we? Antoine Hanoun (Lebanon)	O15 Routine Elective Single Embryo Transfer: pros and cons Elias Dahdouh (Canada)	O18 Crash n' Burn: Navigating Highs and Lows of PCOS And inflammation Ghina Ghazeeri (Lebanon)
12:40 13:00	O13 Genetic and Clinical features of women with adenomyosis Natalia Artymuk (Russia)	O16 Optimization of Antagonists protocol: The new gold standard? Omar Sefrioui (Morocco)	O19 Surgical Management of PCOD, Dose it still work? Ebrahim Parsanezhad (Iran)
13:00 14:00	Lunch Break		
Chair	Hamad Al Sufyan (KSA)		
14:00 14:30	KEYNOTE LECTURE II: (Roma 1) O20 Present and future uses of umbilical cord blood cells Robert Casper (Canada)		
14:30 15:30	MERCK-SERONO Symposium (Roma 1)	CONCURRENT SCIENTIFIC SESSION 7: Endometrial receptivity (Roma 2) O21-O23	CONCURRENT SCIENTIFIC SESSION 8: Menopause (Roma 3) O24-O26
Chair	Klaus Buhler (Germany)	Eman Elgindy (Egypt), Abdellatif Ashmig (Sudan),	Mona Aboulghar (Egypt), Helmi Nour (Sudan)
14:30 14:50	14:30 Tools to segment patient & predict ovarian Response Scott Nelson (Scotland)	O21 Biology of stimulated luteal phase Paul Devroey (Belgium)	O24 Systemic Hormone Therapy in 2014: A guide to the busy clinician Raja Sayegh (USA)
14:50 15:10	15:00 Protocols to maximize results in ART Peter Humaidan (Denmark)	O22 Elevated progesterone and/or elevated progesterone/estradiol ratio on the day of hCG: which is more detrimental? Eman Elgindy (Egypt)	O25 The role of ghrelin in reproduction Ioannis Messinis (Greece)
15:10 15:30		O23 Repeated Implantation Failure: Novel therapies Antonis Makrigiannakis (Greece)	O26 Menopause Therapy: Clinically challenging case vignettes Raja Sayegh (USA)
15:30 15:45		DISCUSSION	DISCUSSION
15:30 16:00	Coffee Break		
16:00 17:00	ORAL PRESENTATIONS SESSION 9: Ovarian Stimulation (Roma 1) O27-O30	ORAL PRESENTATIONS SESSION 10: Reproduction (Roma 2) O31-O34	ORAL PRESENTATIONS SESSION 11: Reproduction (Roma 3) O35-O38
Chair	Mohamed Youssef (Egypt), Ahmed Abouelserour (Egypt)	Alain Abdallah (Lebanon), Dina Roumieh (Lebanon)	Ahmad Fakh (UAE), Clara Saba (Lebanon)
16:00 16:15	O27 Mild versus Standard ovarian Stimulation in Poor Responder women Undergoing IVF and ICSI (PRIMA). Multicenter Randomized Controlled Study Mohamed Youssef (Egypt)	O31 Morphokinetics marker for aneuploidy risk classification Sujin Chanchamroen (Thailand)	O35 Timing of Hysteroscopy and endometrial injury in relation to the timing of embryo transfer: an analysis of 277 cases of previous in-vitro fertilization failure Monika Chawla (UAE)
16:15 16:30	O28 150 IU Gonadotropin Starting Dose in High-Responders Emre Pabuccu (Turkey)	O32 Male fertility, clinical aspects Ghina Shami (UAE)	O36 ICSI outcome post PGS for day 3 biopsy with 3 different approaches for embryo transfer Ahmad Fakh (UAE)
16:30 16:45	O29 Antagonist versus short term agonist protocol in normal responding patients for in vitro fertilization: a prospective randomized controlled study Nagwan Bahgat (UAE)	O33 Knowledge, attitudes and awareness regarding fertility preservation among cancer patients, oncologists and clinical practitioners in Lebanon Alain Abdallah (Lebanon)	O37 Acupuncture on the day of ET: Significant improvement on pregnancy rate Ghosoun Badran (Palestine)
16:45 17:00	O30 Risk Factors for Premature Ovarian Failure in Women from Babylon/ Iraq Hanan Al-Tae (Iraq)	O34 Does Metformin potentiate the effect of Rosuvastatin therapy on biochemical markers in Patients with Polycystic Ovary Syndrome? A prospective randomized, double-blinded, placebo-controlled study Elie Moubarak (Lebanon)	O38 Impact of levels of peak serum estradiol (E2), serum progesterone (P4) and serum progesterone / estradiol (P4/E2) ratio on IVF (In vitro fertilization) pregnancy outcomes Monika Chawla (UAE)
17:00 17:30	Meeting at Exhibit		

Saturday September 27, 2014			
Chair	Jean Marc Ayyoubi (France), Hamad Al Sufyan (KSA)		
08:30 09:00	PERSONAL GROWTH II: (Roma 1) Presentation skills Karim Nawfal (Lebanon)		
09:00 09:30	KEYNOTE LECTURE III: The Prince Sultan Bin Abdul Aziz Al Saud lecture (Roma 1) O39 Making Sperm and Eggs from Skin Cells: A dream or a reality? Sherman Silber (USA)		
09:30 10:30	CONCURRENT SCIENTIFIC SESSION 12: Fertility Preservation (Roma 1) O40-O42	CONCURRENT SCIENTIFIC SESSION 13: Improving ART outcome (Roma 2) O43-O45	CONCURRENT SCIENTIFICSESSION 14: Genetics (Roma 3) O46-O48 [Sponsored by an Unrestricted Educational grant from IBSA]
Chair	Marwan Halabi (Syria), Elie Attieh (Lebanon), Emad Darwich (Egypt)	Majeed Aloum (UAE), Ziad Massad (Lebanon), John Sawaya (Lebanon)	Mariam Ghuloom (Bahrain), Chantal Farra (Lebanon), Walid Ghutmi (Lebanon)
09:30 09:50	O40 Spermatogonial Stem Cells and Preservation of Fertility In Prepubertal Boys With Cancer Sherman Silber (USA)	O43 Minimal stimulation vs standard long protocol for IVF : reality or fiction Hesham Al-Inany (Egypt)	O46 Preimplantation Genetics: Techniques and technology made easy Chantal Farra (Lebanon)
09:50 10:10	O41 The role of FSH and LH/hCG in IVM and IVG Dimitrios Loutradis (Greece)	O44 Gonadotropin-releasing hormone agonist versus HCG for oocyte triggering in antagonist assisted reproductive technology Mohamed Youssef (Egypt)	O47 PGS using Comprehensive Chromosome Screening: achievements and challenges Elias Dahdouh (Canada)
10:10 10:30	O42 Fresh and Frozen Ovary Transplantation for Fertility Preservation In Cancer Patients Sherman Silber (USA)	O45 Gonadotrophin surge attenuating factor (GnSAF): A physiological regulator Ioannis Messinis (Greece)	O48 Preimplantation genetic screening (PGS), still in search of a clinical application Norbert Gleisher (USA)
10:30 11:00	Coffee Break		
11:00 12:00	CONCURRENT SCIENTIFIC SESSION 15: Ovarian Stimulation (Roma 1) O49-O51 [Sponsored by an Unrestricted Educational grant from Merck-Serono]	CONCURRENT SCIENTIFIC SESSION 16: Endometriosis (Roma 2) O52-O54	CONCURRENT SCIENTIFICSESSION 17: Genetics (Roma 3) O55-O57
Chair	Johnny Awwad (Lebanon), Mohamed ElMahaishi (Libya), Edgar Haddad (Lebanon)	Mohamed Yahya (Egypt), Loyal Abi Zeid Daou (Lebanon), Mehmet Sait Yücebilgin (Turkey)	Chantal Farra (Lebanon), Patrick Egbase (Kuwait), Mesut Oktem (Turkey)
11:00 11:20	O49 Conventional ovarian stimulation no longer exists: Welcome to the age of individualized ovarian stimulation Scott Nelson (Scotland)	O52 Receptivity in patients with Endometriosis Antonis Makrigiannakis (Greece)	O55 Is there a new genetic(s) biomarker and optimal ovulation regime(s) for poor ovarian response Dimitrios Loutradis (Greece)
11:20 11:40	O50 Optimal number of oocytes in ART and protocols individualization Peter Humaidan (Denmark)	O53 Elagolix vs Dienogest for treatment of endometriosis Hesham Al-Inany (Egypt)	O56 The FMR1 gene, the most important unknown gene in human reproduction Norbert Gleisher (USA)
11:40 12:00	O51 PCOs diagnosis and optimal stimulation protocols Klaus Buhler (Germany)	O54 The clinical usefulness of endometrial biopsy in women with infertility related to endometriosis Moamar Al-Jefout (Jordan)	O57 Genetic abnormalities in patients with idiopathic non-obstructive azoospermia Marwan Halabi (Syria)
12:00 13:00	BECKMAN Coulter AMH Symposium: (Roma 1) Recent Advances in AMH Testing and Fertility		
Chair	Abeer Annab (Jordan), Majeed AlOum (UAE)		
12:00 12:30	Recent Advances in AMH and Fertility Richard Anderson (UK)		
12:30 13:00	Recent advances in AMH testing Sherry Faye (UK)		
13:00 14:00	Lunch Break		



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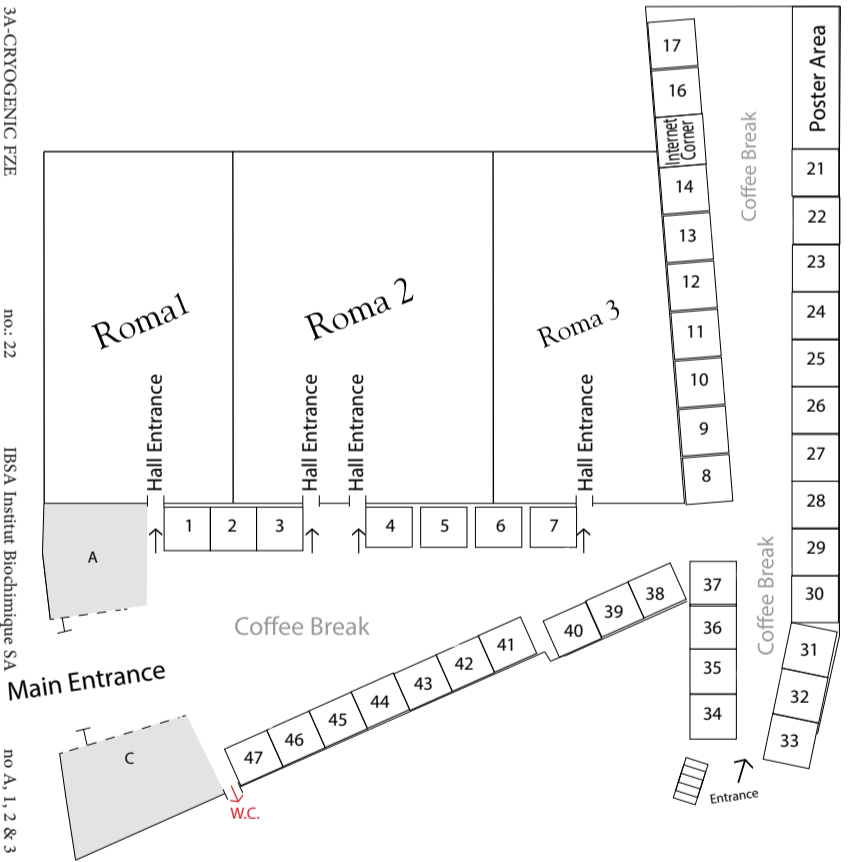
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Chair	Michel Abou Abdallah (Lebanon)		
14:00	KEYNOTE LECTURE IV: (Roma 1) O58		
14:30	The OHSS-free clinic: Dream or reality? Paul Devroey (Belgium)		
14:30	ORAL PRESENTATIONS SESSION 18: Implantation (Roma 1) O59-O62	ORAL PRESENTATIONS SESSION 19: Embryology (Roma 2) O63-O66	ORAL PRESENTATIONS SESSION 20: Reproduction (Roma 3) O67-O69
Chair	Imad Aboujaoude (Lebanon), Elie Moubarak (Lebanon)	Fady Choucair (Lebanon), Daad Farhat (Lebanon)	Ajina Mounir (Tunisia), Howaida Hashem (KSA)
14:30	O59	O63	O67
14:45	Ultrasound endometrial pattern and endometrial gene expression at the time of embryo transfer in oocyte donation program Imad Aboujaoude (Lebanon)	New Integrated Advanced IVF Culture System - Where Complexity Meets Simplicity for Physiology's Sake Francisco Gomes (Canada)	Granulocyte colony-stimulating factor in the treatment of unexplained recurrent miscarriage: a randomized controlled trial Fabio Scarpellini (Italy)
14:45	O60	O64	O68
15:00	Endometrial Thickness as a Predictor of Endometrial Hyperplasia in Infertile Patients with Polycystic Ovary Syndrome Moamar Al-Jefout (Jordan)	Single blastocyst transfer in vitrified-warmed cycle after comprehensive chromosome screening: Is it a better way to success? Jariya Lorwatthanasirikul (Thailand)	Serum and follicular fluid leptin levels of obese patients and their impact on the outcome of in vitro fertilization Ajina Mounir (Tunisia)
15:00	O61	O65	O69
15:15	Uterine arteries perfusion assessment in repeated IVF Failure Lamia Sayegh (UAE)	Time lapse imaging: Our experience. Does it have a role in choosing euploid embryos and improving success rate of assisted reproduction? Monika Chawla (UAE)	Oocyte-secreted factors (OSFs) enhance developmental competence of ovine oocytes Zeinab Vahabi (Iran)
15:15	O62	O66	
15:30	Assessment of endometrial thickness and volume by 3D ultrasound prior to embryo transfer: clues to pregnancy outcome Firoozeh Ahmadi (Iran)	Pre-implantation genetic diagnosis: current and future applications Ali Hellani (UAE)	
15:30	Coffee Break		
16:00	ORAL PRESENTATIONS SESSION 21: Reproduction (Roma 1) O70-O71	ORAL PRESENTATIONS SESSION 22: Reproductive Surgery (Roma 2) O72-O73	
Chair	Saad Al Dujaily (Iraq), Fadi Fahd (Lebanon)	Naim Ojaimi (Lebanon), Stephanie Fellas (Lebanon)	
16:00	O70	O72	
16:15	Impact of calpain activity assay in correlation to human sperm parameters in fertile and infertile men Saad Al Dujaily (Iraq)	The incidence and etiology of an embedded Intrauterine device (IUD) with a 3D ultrasound study Imad Aboujaoude (Lebanon)	
16:15	O71	O73	
16:30	The Effective of Cord Blood Platelet Extraction on Meiosis Resumption of Oocyte at Germinal Vesicle Stage with Granulosa Cells and without Granulosa Cells Hasan Pazoki (Iran)	Hysteroscopic Adhesiolysis: efficacy and safety Ahmad Sameer Sanad (Egypt)	
16:30	Meeting at Exhibit		
16:45			