DIASMOKE 2.0: KICK OFF MEETING
22 MARCH 2021 from 9.30 to 17.30 CET
ZOOM PLATFORM

MORNING SESSION 09.30 – 13.00 CET

09.30 – 10.00

Greetings and Welcome
Vania Patanè
(Vice Rector of the University of Catania)
Salvatore Baglio
(Rector’s Delegate for Research – University of Catania)
Giovanni Li Volti
(Director of CoEHAR – University of Catania)
Francesco Purrello
(Director of MEDCLIN Department – University of Catania and President of the Italian Foundation Diabetes & Research)
Agostino Consoli
(President of the Italian Society of Diabetology)
Paolo Di Bartolo
(President of Italian Association of Diabetologists)

10.00 – 10.10

Tobacco Harm Reduction and possible health impact
Riccardo Polosa
(CoEHAR Founder – University of Catania)
10.10 – 10.30  **Overview of the DIASMOKE study**  
Pankai Sharma  
(Chief Project Leader – Ashford and St Peter’s Hospital NHS)

10.30 – 11.15  **Introduction of Partners and Research Staff**  
Moderated by Cristina Russo  
(DIASMOKE coordinator – Ashford and St Peter’s Hospital NHS)

*Each PI will give a brief description of his/her professional life (i.e. a spoken biosketch) and discuss any challenges that may arise during conduction of DIASMOKE at their Institutions.*

**Chong Wei Lim** – PI at Ashford and St Peter’s Hospital NHS – Chertsey - UK  
**Francesco Purrello** – PI at ARNAOS Garibaldi Hospital – University of Catania – Italy  
**Edward Franek** – PI at Mossakowski Medical Research Centre – Polish Academy of Sciences – Warsaw – Poland  
**Lorina Vudu** – PI at IMSP Republican Clinical Hospital – Chisinau – Moldova  
**Maurizio Di Mauro** – PI at AOU Policlinico “G. Rodolico-S. Marco” – University of Catania – Italy  
**Isaac John** – CRO Lead – Metanoic Health – London – UK

11.15 – 11.35  **Recruitment and retention strategies: lesson learned and tips from previous clinical trials**  
Pasquale Caponnetto  
(Smoking Cessation Lead – University of Catania)

11.35 – 11.55  **Q&A session**

11.55 – 12.25  **Tools for DIASMOKE study – part 1**  
Training on eCRF and database  
Megan McGee and Kieran Brack (Metanoic Health – London – UK)

12.25 – 12.45  **Q&A session**

VIRTUAL BREAK  12.45 - 14.15 CET
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