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TUESDAY 9 April 2019

09:00 **Registration**

09:30 **Welcome address**
Angelo Tagliabue, Rector of the University of Insubria
Paolo Luca Bernardini, Head of Department of Human Sciences, Territory and Innovation, University of Insubria
The Scientific Committee: **Alessandra Vicentini** (University of Insubria), **Kim Grego** (University of Milan), **Federico Pasquarè Mariotto** (University of Insubria)

10:00 **Plenary Session** (Chair: **Kim Grego**)
Boyd Davis (University of North Carolina at Charlotte, US)
Aging care is a world concern

11:00 Coffee break

Medical views (Chair: **Elisabetta Lonati**)
11:30 **Alessandra Agnese Grossi**, **Paolo Antonio Grossi**, **Mario Picozzi** (University of Insubria)
A multidisciplinary perspective on kidney transplantation in an elderly patient with an immigration background
12:00 **Stefania Maci** (University of Bergamo)
"Living with dying": the elderly's language of terminal illness
12:30 **Sarah Bigi** (Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore)
Negotiating a role: types of dialogical behavior of caregivers in dialogues between doctors and elderly patients. A qualitative analysis
13:00 **Judith Turnbull** (Sapienza University of Rome)
Health information and advice for and about the elderly

13:30 Lunch

Identity issues 1 (Chair: **Paola Catenaccio**)
14:30 **Moira Luraschi** (University of Insubria)
"It could happen to me": youth perspectives about ageing in Varese, Italy
15:00 **Marianna Lya Zummo** (University of Palermo)
"Dear Young People, don't vote". Seniors in political advertisements: irony and/or legitimation
15:30 **Enrica Favaro**, **Antonella Trombetta**, **Tatiana Lopatina**, **Irene De Angelis**, **Paola Della Valle**, **Carmen Concilio** (University of Turin)
Third age and imaging ageing

16.00 Coffee break

Academic and educational views (Chair: **Giulio Facchetti**)
16:30 **Paola Catenaccio** (University of Milan)
Frail, old, and dying? Representations of the elderly in social gerontology textbooks
17:00 **Barbara Pozzo** (University of Insubria)
Recent initiatives in order to cope with the ageing of population: a comparative law assessment
17:30 **Anna Franca Plastina** (University of Calabria), **Rosita Maglie** (Università degli Studi di Bari Aldo Moro)
The research abstract-mediated constitution of ageing: a source of ideological conflict within bio/gerontology
18:00 **Laura Tommaso** (University of Molise)
Images and identities of ageing: a proposal to integrate humanistic gerontology in social work education

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18:30 **Daniel Russo, Moira Luraschi, Alessandra Vicentini** (University of Insubria), **Kim Grego** (University of Milan), **Federico Pasquarè Mariotto** (University of Insubria), **Giulia Rovelli** (University of Insubria)
Age.Vol.A. project: designing a survey for care workers, the elderly and their families

19:00 Social dinner

WEDNESDAY 10 April 2019

Plenary Session (Chair: **Laura Pinnavaia**)

09:00 **Giuliana Garzone** (IULM University)
Ageing and elderly citizens' rights in institutional documents: discursive perspectives

Spatial issues (Chair: **Alessandra Vicentini**)

10:00 **Elena Maggi**, **Evangelia Pantelaki**, **Daniele Crotti** (University of Insubria)
Investing in mobility: a worthy asset in later age

10:30 **Carlotta Fiammenghi** (University of Milan)
Webpages, (e)brochures, and image promotion in long-term healthcare: the case of Lombardy's Residenze Sanitarie Assistenziali

11.00 Coffee break

Identity issues 2 (Chair: **Laura Pinnavaia**)

11:30 **Miriam Bait** (University of Milan)
'Struggling to cope'?: Negotiating Older People's Identities on Age UK

12:00 **Giulia Rovelli** (University of Insubria)
The representation of older people in English quality newspapers: comparing articles and readers' letters

12:30 **Barbara Berti** (University of Milan)
Elderly people on Couchsurfing: self-perception versus community perception

13:00 **Catherine Blundell** (University of Bologna)
Constructing a professional identity as an in-home carer of the elderly

13:30 Lunch

Plenary Session (Chair: **Mario Picozzi**)

14:30 **Michael Brannigan** (College of Saint Rose, NY, US)
Dispossessed, without place and face. The plight of elders

Philosophical views (Chair: **Stefania Maci**)

15:30 **Paolo Bellini** (University of Insubria)
The myth of eternal youth and post-modern civilization

16:00 **Monica Consolandi** (Università Vita-Salute San Raffaele)
Who is a "senior"? Looking for a definition in the healthcare system

16.30 Coffee break

Views of/on caregivers (Chair: **Miriam Bait**)

17:00 **Daniel Russo** (University of Insubria)
Terminology of elderly care: a corpus-based approach

17:30 **Francesca Alice Vianello** (University of Padua)
The health of foreign caregivers from the employer's point of view

18:00 **Jekaterina Nikitina** (University of Milan)
Identity construction of caregivers and seniors: from recruitment websites to narratives of resident caregivers

18:30 **Daniele Brigadoi Cologna** (University of Insubria)
Chinese domestic helpers and caregivers within Chinese families living in Italy. The growing caregiving needs of an ageing migrant community

19:00 Closing remarks