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# An International Educational Event PADUA MASTERCLASS IN NEURO-ONCOLOGY 2026

## Advances in the Management of Primary Brain Tumors

Scientific Coordinators

**Giuseppe Lombardi, Luca Denaro, Marco Krengli,  
Maurizio Corbetta, Franco Chioffi**



**22<sup>nd</sup>**  
**June**  
**2026**  
**PADUA**

# Scientific Program

**08.00** Registration

**08.15** Institutional greetings & opening remarks

## SESSION I INTEGRATED TUMOR BIOLOGY AND MOLECULAR PROFILING

*Chairs:* **Maurizio Corbetta, Paolo Dei Tos, Susanna Mandruzzato**

**08.45** **KEYNOTE LECTURE**  
Who classification of CNS tumors: what has changed and why it matters  
**Felix Sahn**

**09.10** Glucose metabolism and treatment resistance in brain tumors  
**Stefano Indraccolo**

**09.30** The connectomic revolution in neurosurgical oncology  
**Silvio Sarubbo**

**09.50** Interactive panel discussion

**10.10** **Coffee Break**

## SESSION II HIGH-GRADE GLIOMAS

*Chairs:* **Luca Denaro, Marco Krengli, Emilie Le Rhun**

**10.20** **KEYNOTE LECTURE**  
Future directions in glioblastoma: a transatlantic perspective  
**Patrick Wen**

**10.45** Surgery and oncologic therapies: toward an integrated treatment approach?  
**Carlo Serra**

**11.05** Radiotherapy combined with systemic therapies: rationale and future directions  
**Piera Navarria**

**11.25** Targeted therapies in high-grade gliomas: are we really making a difference?  
**Enrico Franceschi**

**11.45** Glioblastoma: current standards and ongoing clinical trials  
**Giuseppe Lombardi**

**12.05** **KEYNOTE LECTURE**  
Emerging strategies in glioblastoma: a European perspective  
**Michael Weller**

**12.30** Interactive panel discussion

**12.45** **Lunch**

## SESSION III LOW-GRADE GLIOMAS

*Chairs:* **Franco Chioffi, Sara Lonardi, Patrick Wen**

**13.45** Extensive surgery for LGG: oncologic & functional outcomes  
**Francesco Signorelli**

**14.05** IDH inhibitors and precision treatment approaches  
**Roberta Rudà**

**14.25** PET/MR response assessment in anti-IDH-treated LGG  
**Diego Cecchin**

**14.45** Radiotherapy in the era of molecular targeting  
**Giuseppe Minniti**

**15.05** Interactive panel discussion

## SESSION IV MENINGIOMAS

*Chairs:* **Antonio Silvani, Matteo Simonelli, Michael Weller**

**15.20** **KEYNOTE LECTURE**  
Systemic advances in meningioma: current evidence and future perspectives  
**Emilie Le Rhun**

**15.45** Surgical management of meningioma: indications, timing and functional outcomes  
**Federico Pessina**

**16.05** Radiotherapy: patient selection and treatment strategies  
**Luisa Bellu**

**16.25** Interactive panel discussion

**16.45** Closing remarks & take-home messages  
**Giuseppe Lombardi**

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## Overview

Primary brain tumors are among the most complex challenges in contemporary oncology, requiring close integration between molecular diagnostics, imaging, surgery, radiotherapy, and systemic treatments.

The Padua Masterclass in Neuro-Oncology 2026 offers an updated overview of current advances in the management of glioblastoma, low-grade gliomas, and meningiomas, combining expert lectures with interactive discussion among internationally recognized specialists.

## INFORMATION

### SCIENTIFIC SECRETARIAT

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### OFFICIAL LANGUAGE

The official language is English.

### REGISTRATION

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