## **Know Before You Go**

## Welcome to the 8th International Congress on Controversies in Rheumatology and Autoimmunity (CORA 2025)

CORA 2025 is planned as a fully **in-person Congress** to be held on 6-8 March 2025 in Venice, Italy.

#### PRE-PAID REGISTRATION FOR ONSITE PARTICIPANTS

Print your name badge at any Self Check-In station located in the registration area during hours <u>listed below</u>. You can check in using one of the following options: Scan the barcode from this email or your Personal Area in the mobile app Use Face Recognition (available if you uploaded a photo during registration)

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#### FACULTY REGISTRATION DESK

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- Thursday, 6 March 10:00-19:00
- Friday, 7 March 08:00-18:00
- Saturday, 8 March 08:30-16:30

#### SPEAKER READY ROOM HOURS

- Thursday, 6 March 10:00-19:00
- Friday, 7 March 08:00-18:00
- Saturday, 8 March 08:30-16:00

#### **CLOAKROOM**

- Thursday, 6 March 12:00-20:00
- Friday, 7 March 08:00-19:00
- Saturday, 8 March 08:30-16:30

#### **EXHIBITION HOURS**

- Thursday, 6 March 14:30-20:00 End of Welcome Reception
- Friday, 7 March 09:30-17:00
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Learn how to get around VeniceFree WiFi is available to all Congress delegates throughout the venue. Please be aware that public WiFi capacity is limited to email and web browsing activity.

WiFi Network: **GSKforCORA25**| Password: **GSKcora25**!Enhance your Congress experience by using the **CORA 2025 mobile app**.<u>DOWNLOAD</u> <u>APP</u>Participants are advised to wear **business casual** for all Congress functions and programs.

The official language of the Congress is **English**.

The average temperature in Venice in early March is mild, around **8** – **13°C**.

The **Euro** is the currency of Italy.

You can compare your local currency to the Euro <u>HERE</u>.If you have any questions, please be sure to check out our <u>Frequently</u> <u>Asked Questions</u> or send us an email via the <u>Contact Us</u> form.Find below helpful information on how to get around Venice and how to reach the Congress venue from the airport or train station.

- Travel With Ease
- Get Around Venice

Please find below quick links to the CORA 2025 scientific program.

- Full Scientific Program
- Interactive Program
- Meet the Faculty
- Abstracts

Important Information for Presenters

We are pleased to invite congress delegates to the CORA 2025 Networking Event.

FRIDAY, 7 MARCH 2025, 20:30-00:30 Venetian Ballroom at Hilton Molino Stucky

Please note: Pre-registration and payment are required. Slots are limited. For further information, please <u>see here</u> or approach the Registration Desk onsite. The 8th International Congress on Controversies in Rheumatology and Autoimmunity, Venice, Italy 06/03/2025 – 08/03/2025, has been accredited by the European Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (EACCME®) with **15.0** European CME credits (ECMEC®s). Each medical specialist should claim only those hours of credit that he/she actually spent in the educational activity.

For more details about the congress accreditation, as well as information on how to receive your CME/CPD certificate, please click <u>HERE</u>.Please find below information regarding CORA 2025 Exhibitors and Industry-supported sessions.

- Sponsors and Exhibitors
- Industry Supported Sessions

Support from pharmaceutical partners helps make this event possible. As such, it is important that we comply with the various codes and directives relating to the manufacturing, distribution, and marketing of pharmaceutical products. The European Union directive (2001/83/EC, article 86) provides guidelines relating to medicinal products for human use. Within these guidelines is the restriction that access to pharmaceutical product marketing activities must be limited to only those participants licensed/authorized to prescribe or supply medicinal products. All participants, with the exception of the exhibitors, are asked the following question during registration: Are you licensed/authorized to prescribe or supply prescription-only medicines? You are invited to visit the Mosaic of Autoimmunity Booth (Booth #04) to learn more about how you can continue your autoimmunity learning journey in person at The 15th International Congress on Autoimmunity in Prague on 14-17 May 2026 and at The Mosaic of Autoimmunity Academy – the free, online, accredited knowledge & research hub for all autoimmunity healthcare practitioners. Get your free account

at <u>https://unlok-education.com/autoimmunity/</u>

Make sure to stop by our booth daily to have your say and vote about a brand new debate each day.

Find out how to access a wealth of free resources such as research papers, webinars & International Friday Meeting recordings and how you can earn CME credits for completing online courses, on the Mosaic of Autoimmunity Academy.



Participants are requested to check with the Consulate/Embassy of Italy or diplomatic mission in their home country or with their travel agency for visa requirements. It is the responsibility of the participant to obtain a visa if required.

An official personalized letter of invitation can be provided to registered participants as part of the registration procedure. This invitation is prepared solely for the purpose of visa applications and does not constitute a commitment on the part of the organizers to provide any financial support or confirmation of inclusion in the scientific program.

Invitation letters can be provided electronically (PDF) if required after the registration process is completed. If you

have already registered, please find the link for this visa letter portal in your registration confirmation email. For further information please contact us.All event activities (including educational sessions, meal functions, exhibit hall, etc.) are exclusively reserved for registered attendees. Nonregistered guests (including children, family members, colleagues, etc.) are not allowed in any of the event areas. Badges provided at registration are required for entrance into all functions and will be strictly enforced. The Congress Secretariat and Organizers cannot accept liability for personal accidents or loss of or damage to private property of participants. Participants are advised to take out their own personal travel and health insurance for their trip.As organizers of CORA 2025, taking place in Venice, Italy on 6-8 March, 2025 we have entrusted TWT srl, Rome, to collect the applications from the Pharmaceutical Companies for the Italian Ministry of Health agency AIFA procedure, in compliance with the instructions given by the Legislative Order 219 of the 24th April 2006 – art. 124.

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PLEASE NOTE: Kenes Group is not involved in the registration procedure. It is the pharmaceutical companies' sole responsibility to adhere to the above regulations directly via a local agent.

Please contact TWT srl no later than 80 days before the start of the congress.

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#### Format

CORA 2023 is planned as a fully in-person Congress to be held on 16-18 March 2023 in Turin, Italy.

#### Venue

Centro Congressi Lingotto / The Lingotto Congress Centre
Address: Via Nizza, 280, 10126 Torino TO, Italy
Phone: +39 011 631 1702
Website: www.centrocongressilingotto.it

Learn how to reach the venue

### Language

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## Climate

The average temperature in Turin in March is mild, around 9 - 14°C.

#### Visas

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## Visa Invitation Letter

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# Agent for Italian Organizations and Participants

As Organizers of the 7<sup>th</sup> International Congress on Controversies in Rheumatology & Autoimmunity taking place in Turin, Italy from 16-18 March 2023, we entrust TWT srl, Rome, to collect the applications from pharmaceutical companies (participating as sponsors or exhibitors) for the Italian Ministry of Health agency AIFA procedure, in compliance with the instructions given by the Legislative Order 219 of the 24th april 2006 – art. 124.

Further details are available on AIFA (Agenzia Italiana del Farmaco – Tel. +39 06 5978401) Web : <u>www.agenziafarmaco.gov.it/en</u> Go to : Quick links menu Click on : Authorization for Congresses & Meetings

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## Liability & Insurance

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## **Congress Organizers**

Please do not hesitate to contact the Organizers if you require any additional information or assistance. Kindly use the <u>Contact Us</u> form for this purpose.

