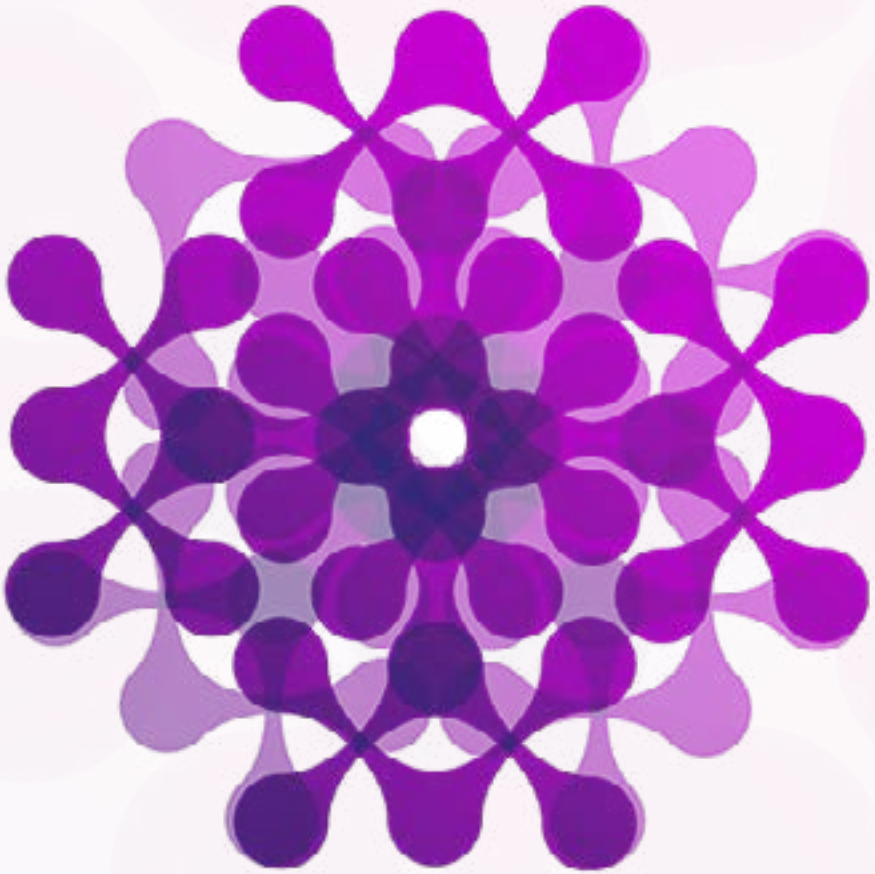

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AIM of the project

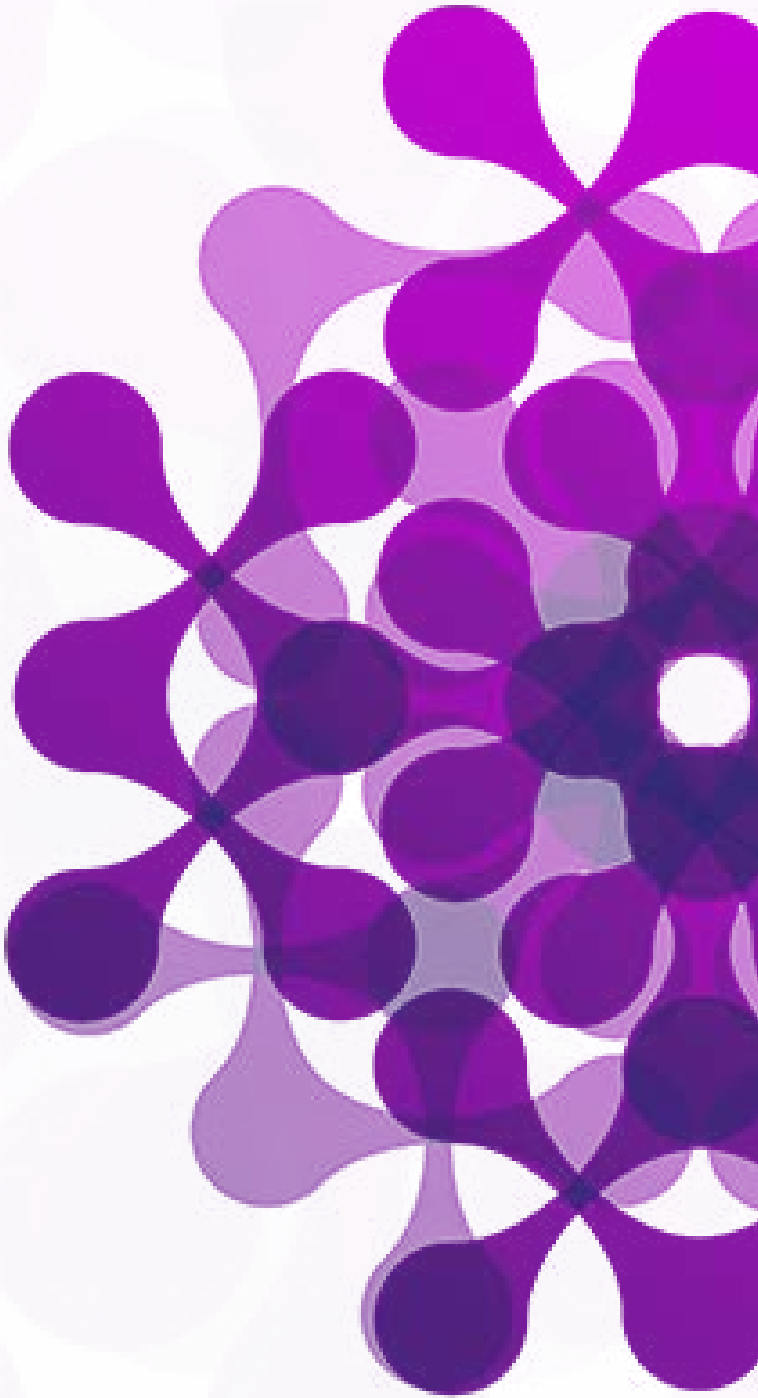
Rare diseases affect a small number of people compared to the general population, but there are six to seven thousand rare diseases that have been discovered, and new diseases are regularly described in medical literature.

Not all rare diseases are genetic, but often are serious, chronic, and progressive. For many rare diseases, signs may be observed at birth or in childhood. However, over 50% of rare diseases appear during adulthood.

The field of rare diseases suffers from a deficit of medical and scientific knowledge. For a long time, doctors, researchers, and policy makers were unaware of rare diseases and until very recently there was no real research or public health policy concerning issues related to the field.

The aim of this course is to focus attention and increase knowledge on: Leber Hereditary Optic Neuropathy (LHON).

Due to the lack of sufficient scientific and medical knowledge, many patients are not diagnosed, and their disease remains unidentified. The course will help doctors in disease diagnosis, in addressing the best therapies today available and in the management of affected patients



Scientific Program

Saturday, March 18th, 2023

Atypical presentations and management of LHON
Time: Singapore: 2pm
Rome: 7am

Moderator
Prof. Marko Hawlina

Topics:

- Atypical presentations and differential diagnosis
  Prof. Marko Hawlina
- Management of patients with LHON: Established and emerging therapies
  Prof. An-Guor Wang
- Clinical Case
  Dr. Melissa Tien

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