

Multidisciplinary approach in the Omics and AI era

Maria Antonietta Gambacorta

Fondazione Policlinico Universitario A. Gemelli IRCCS Rome-Italy







- interdisciplinary approach for decision-making in cancer care
- originally intended to educate health care professionals
- positively affectes the quality of medical service and clinical outcomes

Cancer complexity in the 21st Century





How **OMICS** integrates the Multidisciplinary Approach?

Omics Guided Oncology

Omics Guided Radiotherapy

Image Omics Guided Radiotherapy



OMICS for Precision Oncology

Use in Precision Oncology		Examples	
well established in clinical practice	Genomics Mutation Analysis	Alexandrow et al. (2013) Burrell et al. (2013) Tomczak et al. (2015) Bailey et al. (2018)	[20] [21] [22] [30]
well established in clinical practice	Genomics Copy Number Variation	Hu et al. (2018) Davoli et al. (2017) Zak et al. (2013) Lee et al. (2012)	[29] [33] [34] [35]
extensive research data	Transcriptomics	Cancer Genome Atlas (2013) Pratt et al. (2011) Duarte et al. (2012) Li et al. (2012) Botling et al. (2013)	[41] [43] [44] [45] [46]
significant research data	Epigenetics DNA Methylation	Kulis and Esteller (2010) Hegi et al. (2005) Neureiter et al. (2014)	[55] [60] [63]
significant research data	Epigenetics microRNA	Kohlhapp et al. (2015) Teplyuk et al. (2016)	[57] [64]
increasing research data	Proteomics	Swiatly et al. (2018) Yanovich et al. (2018)	[66] [67]
emerging research data	Metabolomics	Chaturvedi et al. (2013) Zhang et al. (2016) Giskeodegrard et al. (2013)	[70] [71] [72]
exploratory data	Other Omics		

Early diagnosis/familiarity

(Lynch syndrome, BRCA breast and ovarian)

PROGNOSIS

PERSONALIZED treatments Molecular Targeted Drugs

Figure 1. Summary of the applications of individual omics technologies to study cancer and other human disorders.

Molecular Tumor Board

51 metastatic colorectal cancer patients:

67% received > 1 based on individual tumor characteristics,

33% patients received unmatched therapies



Mutation Rearrangement Deletion Amplification Insertion Multiple Aberrations

Fig. 2. Frequency of characterized genomic alterations from tissue NGS and cfDNA of colorectal cancer. (A) Alterations identified by tissue NGS (N = 47). Alterations present in $\ge 4\%$ of patients were included. (B) Alterations identified by cell-free DNA (N = 30). Alterations present in $\ge 3\%$ of patients were included. Colored bars show the percent of patients with the specific type of genomic alteration for each gene. Multiple aberrations indicates that some patients harbored multiple types of alterations (e.g. mutation, deletion, insertion) within the same gene.

molecular profiling information



Progression-Free Survival



Clinical Benefit

Louie BH et al Molecular Oncology 16 (2022)

How **OMICS** integrates the Multidisciplinary Approach?

Omics Guided Oncology

Omics Guided Radiotherapy

Image Omics Guided Radiotherapy



Omic guided radioterapy

New radiotherapy dose definition protocols Genomic-Adjusted Radiation Dose (GARD)

Correlation with time to first recurrence and overall survival

	Events	Patients		Relative hazard (95% CI)
GARD				
Breast (Erasmus)	91	282	÷	0.99 (0.97-1.01)
Breast (Karolinksa)	19	77		0.96 (0.89-1.02)
Breast (NKI)	99	285	4	0.99 (0.97-1.02)
Endometrium (TCC)	11	63		0.93 (0.84-1.03)
Head and neck (NKI)	28	92	+	0.99 (0.96-1.01)
Melanoma (TCC)	5	10		0.95 (0.87-1-04)
Non-small-cell lung (MCC)	23	60		0.96 (0.91-1.00)
Triple-negative breast cancer (MCC)	9	55		0.93 (0.86-1.02)
Triple-negative breast cancer (NKI)	20	58		0.98 (0.92-1.04)
Pooled	305	982	-	0.98 (0.97-0.99)
UNIVERSITÀ CATTOLICA del Sacro Cuore	Ind	o.8 icates associat improved c	3 0.9 1.0 1.1	1.5 ssociation e outcome

NERSITAS



Scott JG et al. Lancet Oncol. 2021 Sep;22(9):1221-1229



Of 100 cancer patients analysed with genomics 100

A driver alteration can be found in 60%

50% can be treated by an appropriate drug

50% of the patients will respond to treatment

UNIVERSITÀ CATTOLICA del Sacro Cuore 50% of these responses will be of quality

Modified from F. Calvo

60

30

15

Tumor Complexity and Heterogeneity





Radiomics



- Not invasive
- Repeatable
- Analyzes entire tumor volume
- Uses already available diagnostic exams
- Cheap





E. J. Limkin et al. Ann Oncol. 2017 Jun 1;28(6):1191-120

CanDrewealkntowe their endetenisions prairies provide the mice testures?





No, but we can start integrating them in multivariable predictive models

Radiomics





Dinapoli al. - IJROBP - 2018

Hybrid Machine



DELTA RADIOMICS





pCR prediction during treatment





2020 $i_{0} \\ i_{0} \\ i_{0}$

Early regression index

Boldrini et al, La Radiologia Medica 2019

STUDY PROTOCOL

Open Access

Check for

THUNDER 2: THeragnostic Utilities for Neoplastic DisEases of the Rectum by MRI guided radiotherapy

Giuditta Chiloiro, Davide Cusumano, Luca Boldrini, Angela Romano[®], Lorenzo Placidi, Matteo Nardini, Elisa Meldolesi, Brunella Barbaro, Claudio Coco, Antonio Crucitti, Roberto Persiani, Lucio Petruzziello, Riccardo Ricci, Lisa Salvatore, Luigi Sofo, Sergio Alfieri, Riccardo Manfredi, Vincenzo Valentini and Maria Antonietta Gambacorta

ACTIONABLE prediction (iOGRT)



active trial NCT04815694

Innovation Hype: Omic



Rationale for using AI in healthcare

• TASK REPLACEMENT

To do quicker (and better) what humans can already do

DECISION SUPPORT

To do what humans can not do



How AI may support MTD?



-1

Restaging

After surgery

PREPARATION TIME: task replacement



Roche Molecular Systems, Santa Clara, CA

Mean PREPARATION TIME REDUCTION per PTS

Breast: 28%

GI: 23%

ENT: 33%



Hammer. JCO Clinical Cancer Informatics 2020

PATIENTS PRIORITIZATION: task replacement

SMART CLINICAL ASSISTANT





Variables

Parametrium involvment Lower Third involvment Middle Third involvment **Upper Third involvment Bladder** involvment **Rectum involvment** Vesico-vaginal septum inv. Recto-vaginal septum inv. **Hydronephrosis** Lymph nodes involvment Lymph nodes activity **Cervical lesion Cervical activity** Fornix involvment Stromal involvment Metabolic activity "Other" Activity

Legend



Features absent

Features present



Macchia G. Frontier Oncol 2022

PATIENTS PRIORITIZATION

SMART VIRTUAL ASSISTANT



PatientsPatient name; hospital code, age: 59; BMI: 23.4Patient name; hospital code, age: 55; BMI: 21.4Patient name; hospital code, age: 56; BMI: 30.1Patient name; hospital code, age: 29; BMI: 26.4Patient name; hospital code, age: 76; BMI: 29.1Patient name; hospital code, age: 44; BMI: 28.5





Macchia G. AIRO 2021

ACCESS TO CURE: task replacement

DIGITAL RESEARCH ASSISTANT

to report real-time every available **clinical trial** and support clinician in matchmaking single patients with existing trials

Field	Value Type	Values	Notes
		T (1,2,3,4, IS)	
TNM	Text	N (0,1,2,3)	
		M (0,1)	
TNM stage	Numerical	From 0 to 4	If 1,2,3 specify the TNM
Age	Numerical	Range	
		Luminal A	
Immunophonotypo	Taxt	Luminal B	
minunophenotype	lext	Triple Negative	
		HER 2 +	
Histological examination	D:+	Internal	
Thistological examination	DIt	External	
BMI	Numerical	Mathematic formula	Specify if ≥ 25
		Neoadjuvant	
Thorapy stage	Taxt	Adjuvant	
merapy stage	lext	First line metastatic	
		After the first line	
		Positive	
Genetic test	Ternary	Negative	Possibility to specify the test
		Not applicable	
		Yes	
Mutated PI3K	Ternary	No	
		Not applicable	

Ð	Codice Anonimo		Esame istologico 👻				*	BMI		✓ Stadio ✓		r Immunofenotipo r		Tipo Terapia	
	Codice Anonimo	Età	Esame Istologico	BMI	Ŧ	N	м	Stadio	Immunofenotipo	Tipo Terapia	Test Genetico	Specifica Test Genetico	PI3K Mutato	Cognome Nome	Azioni Possibil
•	giorgino	74	Interno	24.44	Т2	N1	мо	Stadio IIB	Triplo Negativo	Adiuvante	sadasd	adad	adsafsd	null null	1
•	prova 1000	44	interno	27.51	Т2	N2	MO	Stadio IIIA	Triplo Negativo	Prima Linea Metastatica	asasda	dadas	asdasd	null null	1
•	sfdsdf	2	Esterno	2.00	тз	N2	MO	Stadio IIIA	Luminale B	Adiuvante	asdasd	sdasdasdas	dasda	null null	1
•	prova put	33	Interno	26.12	тз	NO	MO	Stadio IIB	Luminale A	Neoadiuvante	a3	b2	К4	null null	1
•	dfsdfsdf	22	Esterno	45.00	Т2	N1	MO	Stadio IIB	Luminale A	Neoadiuvante	asdasd	asdasd	adasdasd	null null	1
•	dfsdfsdf	22	Esterno	45.00	Tis	NO	MO	Stadio 0	Luminale A	Neoadiuvante	asdasd	asdasd	adasdasd	null null	1
•	dfsdfsdf	22	Esterno	45.00	T2	NI	мо	Stadio IIB	Luminale A	Neoadiuvante	asdasd	asdasd	adasdasd	null null	1

the platform.



Cesario A. et al. J Pers Med. 2021.27;11(4):244

CLINICAL DECISION based on AI and BIG DATA



DIGITAL AVATAR - SURGICAL COMPLICATIONS









Innovation Hype: Al



'If you are not failing everynow and again, it's a sign you're not doing anything very innovative'

Woody Allen

