



DBI CONFERENCE 2009 - PROGRAMME

Tuesday September 22nd	
Auditorium La Fenice – Site 1	
10.00 19.00	Registration
La Rotonda – Site 14	
19.00	Evening Reception

Wednesday September 23rd	
Auditorium La Fenice – Site 1	
08.00	Registration
09.00 10.00	Opening Ceremony
10.00 11.00	1st Plenary Lecture DEVELOPMENT OF THINKING AND PRACTICE IN THE FIELD OF DEAFBLINDNESS Chairpersons: <i>Patrizia Ceccarani – Ges Roulstone</i> The Dynamics in Deafblindness. Towards evidence based practice Marleen Janssen (The Netherlands)
11.00 11.30	coffee break
11.30 12.15	2nd Plenary Session EARLY INTERVENTION Chairperson: <i>Mira Tzvetkova</i> Early Intervention: the significance of early interactions Deborah Chen (CA, USA)
12.15 14.30	lunch break
14.30 15.30	PARALLEL WORKSHOPS - GROUP A

Site 3	<p>W.1 Chairperson: Monique Snelting Talk with me the way I do! Early dialogues of a congenital deafblind girl with Cochlea Implant and her interventioner U. Horsch, A. Scheele (Heidelberg, Germany)</p>
Site 12	<p>W.2 Chairperson: Anthony Best Possibilities and limits of Augmentative and Alternative Communication with deafblind multiple impaired people B. Latzelsberger (Wien, Austria)</p>
Site 4	<p>W.3 Chairperson: Martha M. Majors CHARGE syndrome in Italy O. Gabrielli¹, L. Santoro¹, P. Ceccarani², D. Raimondi², L. Gambelli² (¹Ancona, Italy; ²Osimo, AN - Italy)</p>
Site 2	<p>W.4 Chairperson: Kim de Gooijer Recommended Practices for Assessing Communication and Learning Skills in Young Children Who are Deafblind ¹D. Chen, ²H. Mar, ³C. Rowland, ⁴R. Stillman (¹Northridge, CA; ²New York, NY - USA; ³Portland, OR - USA; ⁴Dallas, TX - USA)</p>
Site 5	<p>W.5 Chairperson: Eline van Rooij "Lost" in transition – Design and adaptation of the context to facilitate independent living all life long <u>S. von Prondzinski</u>, P. Ceccarani, E. Storani (Osimo, AN - Italy)</p>
Site 11	<p>W.6 Chairperson: Deborah Gleason Deafblind education and vocational training in Sweden H. Sikh, I. Sandelius, A. Mollberg, H. Brink (Örebro, Sweden)</p>
Site 6	<p>W.7 Chairperson: Beatriz Zoppi Basal Theatre (based on Basic Stimulation®) – a project that shows the possibilities for development advancement of deafblind children and youth K. Pollicino, I. Kleiner (Hannover, Germany)</p>
Site 7	<p>W.8 Chairperson: Stan Munroe Early intervention in sensorially multidisabled children: the Robert Hollman Foundation experience P. Cadironi, J. Lanners, <u>R. Salvo</u>, <u>G. Bartolj</u>, E. Mercuriali, M. Soni (Padova, Italy)</p>
Site 1	<p>W.9 Chairperson: Saskia Damen Rehabilitation of persons with deafblindness with the help of technical aids O. Smirnova (Moscow, Russian Federation)</p>
Site 10	<p>W.10 Chairperson: Jeanne Berkelmans Tell me the words! C. Blouin, C.-M. Pylouster (Biard, France)</p>
Site 8	<p>W.11 Chairperson: Richard Brook Creating Teachers' Training Guide on Orientation and Mobility for Educating Specialists in the Field of Deafblindness . Russian Experience L. Yemelina¹, D. Lolli² (¹Sergiev Posad, Russian Federation; ²Watertown, MA - USA)</p>
Site 9	<p>W.12 Chairperson: Josiene Korenstra How children with CHARGE-Syndrome make us reassess our educational principles: observations and experiences of two teachers of the Taubblindenzentrum Hannover (Education Center for Deafblind Children) T. Geck, S. Runge (Hannover, Germany)</p>
15.30 16.30	Break

16.30 17.30	PARALLEL WORKSHOPS - GROUP B
Site 12	W.13 Chairperson: Marga Martens Drama in everyday life J. Mölgård, V. Eriksson (Finspång, Sweden)
Site 3	W.14 Chairperson: Meredith Prain The meaning of communication in relation to challenging behavior in a young man with deafblindness J. Wiese, A. Schlagmüller, R. Oerlein (Würzburg, Germany)
Site 4	W.15 Chairperson: Martha M. Majors The challenge of eating and drinking in CHARGE Syndrome S. Rose (Barnet, UK)
Site 2	W.16 Chairperson: Trees van Nunen Assessment of Cognition in Relation to Congenital deafblindness – from sensation to dialogue H.E. Frölander (Gnesta, Sweden), J. Nicholas (Bergen, Norway)
Site 8	W.17 Chairperson: Mira Tzvetkova A dialogical approach of staff development A. Nafstad, J. Souriau, <u>F. Berteau</u> (Migné-Auxances, France)
Site 11	W.18 Chairperson: William Green Ready to face the world H. Brink (Enskede, Sweden)
Site 6	W.19 Chairperson: Maria Creutz Supporting the Sexuality and Relationship Needs of People who are Congenitally Deafblind within a Strong Current of Safeguarding M. Foster (Birmingham, UK)
Site 7	W.20 Chairperson: Lucia Santoro To be a mother of the child with CHARGE A. Dunikowska (Warszawa, Poland)
Site 1	W.21 Chairperson: Stefan von Prondzinski Tactile orientation boards M. van Welbergen (XM Doorn, The Netherlands)
Site 10	W.22 Chairperson: Joel Carlsson Being a balancing artist. A new way of looking at life with deafblindness F. Krijger (Leiden, The Netherlands)
Site 5	W.23 Chairperson: Anthony Best "Responsible Inclusion": Considerations in Providing Access to Quality Education for Children with Deafblindness S. Perreault, <u>D. Gleason</u> , <u>D. Lolli</u> (Watertown, MA – USA)
Site 9	W.24 Chairperson: Josiene Korenstra Experience and expectations of parents of congenital Deafblind children with cochlear implant - case study <u>B. Rönnåsen</u> , A. Boström (Gnesta, Sweden)
Site 2 18.00	Sala S. Rocco - Site 2 Photographic Show - Introduction <i>"Day and night in the photography of Evgen Bavcar"</i>

Thursday September 24th

Auditorium La Fenice - Site 1

09.00 10.30	<p>3rd Plenary Lecture CHILDHOOD Chairperson: <i>Sergei Sorokin</i></p> <p>Footprints on the beach; supporting children and families learning together Gail Deuce (UK), Liz Hodges (UK)</p>
10.30 11.00	coffee break
11.00 11.30	"Lifelong movement" – a performance by Lega del Filo d'Oro's young guests
11.30 12.30	<p>4th Plenary Lecture ADULTHOOD Chairperson: <i>Ari Suutarla</i></p> <p>Persons with Deafblindness in the light of the International Agreements Riku Virtanen (Finland)</p> <p>Brothers and sisters, a balancing act Sabine Kersten (Belgium)</p>
12.30 14.30	lunch break
14.30 15.30	PARALLEL WORKSHOPS - GROUP C
Site 3	<p>W.25 Chairperson: Maria Creutz Meaning construction in communication between congenital deafblind children and their communication partners: an intervention study S. Damen, M.J. Janssen, A.J.J.M. Ruijsenaars (Groningen, The Netherlands)</p>
Site 12	<p>W.26 Chairperson: Beatriz Zoppi A Man becomes an 'I' in relation to a 'you' M. Estenberger (Finspong, Sweden), K. Bruder (Finspong, Sweden)</p>
Site 4	<p>W.27 Chairperson: Maria Luz Neri de Troconis The role of rehabilitation for dysphagia at an early age <u>C.M. Vigo</u>, R. Belardinelli (Osimo, AN - Italy)</p>
Site 2	<p>W. 28 Chairperson: Anneke Antonissen The Swedish National Experts' Team for the diagnosis of persons with Deafblindness – a multi-disciplinary team in Sweden C. Möller, L. Falkensson (Örebro, Swden)</p>
Site 8	<p>W.29 Chairperson: Ges Roulstone Tools for Change: Developing Educational Service Guidelines for Students who are Deafblind M. Riggio, B. McLetchie (Watertown, MA – USA)</p>
Site 9	<p>W.30 Chairperson: Joel Carlsson Support of the Deafblind Persons on the Work Market M. Książek, G. Kozłowski (Warszawa, Poland)</p>

Site 6	<p>W.31 Chairperson: Stefan von Prondzinski Tactile – bodily elements within togetherness in the communication with a woman who is deafblind M. Martens (St. Michielsgestel, The Netherlands)</p>
Site 7	<p>W.32 Chairperson: Lone Poggioni Challenges in family life B. Enggrav (Drammen, Norway)</p>
Site 5	<p>W.33 Chairperson: Mira Tzvetkova “Sliding doors”. Ideas, issues and best practice for developing ways of communication using technological devices with deafblind children at an early stage of development M.M. Coppa, M.L. Orlandoni, E. Orena, M. Spilotri, F. Accorroni (Osimo, AN - Italy)</p>
Site 1	<p>W.34 Chairperson: Richard Brook The use of digitalized short story with closed caption and video description in the teaching of reading to a third grade student with deaf-blindness J. Rodríguez, C. Iris Soto, M.V. Diaz, M. Sanabria (Aguirre, PR – USA)</p>
Site 10	<p>W.35 Chairperson: Monique Snelting Communication and Language N. Golovan (Moscow, Russian Federation)</p>
Site 11	<p>W.36 Chairperson: Meredith Prain A model for staff development: Using video analysis to develop skilful, competent interaction partners who work with congenitally deafblind adults A. Snow¹, P. Howell² (¹Robin Hood Wakefield, UK; ²Leeds, UK)</p>
15.30 16.30	Break
16.30 17.30	PARALLEL WORKSHOPS - GROUP D
Site 3	<p>W.37 Chairperson: Graciela Ferioli The importance of the tales in the pedagogic situation C. Landel, C. Blouin (Biard, France)</p>
Site 12	<p>W.38 Chairperson: Sergei Sorokin Developing communication systems in young children who are deafblind, non verbal, pre-intentional communicators ; A Case Study of Research and Action A. McWilliams (Park Holme, Australia)</p>
Site 4	<p>W.39 Chairperson: Trees van Nunen Assessing the Risks of Choking K. Lockett, C. Fuggle (Peterborough, UK)</p>
Site 2	<p>W.40 Chairperson: Anneke Antonissen Dimensions of Communication: A contextual approach to the assessment of communication behaviors and social interaction H.H. Mar, N. Sall (New York, NY - USA)</p>
Site 8	<p>W.41 Chairperson: Kim de Gooijer Improving Participation and Activity for Students with Multiple Disabilities Including Visual Impairments (ImPAct) I. Amaral¹, B.Elmerskog², J.M. Tellevik², D. Drave³, E. Fuchs³, A. Farrelly⁴, I.Prain⁵, E. Storani⁶, P. Ceccarani⁶, M. Skalická⁷ (¹Portugal; ²Norway; ³Germany; ⁴Ireland; ⁵Scotland; ⁶Italy; ⁷Czech Republic)</p>
Site 9	<p>W.42 Chairperson: Barbara B. Mason Identity and disability B. Latzelsberger (Wien, Austria)</p>

Site 6	<p>W.43 Chairperson: Marianne Riggio Participatory research about participation for people with deafblindness K. Möller¹, L. Eriksson² (¹Örebro, Sweden; ²Fellingsbro, Sweden)</p>
Site 7	<p>W.44 Chairperson: Lone Poggioni RELATIONSHIPS WITH FAMILIES. Parte one: The emotional aspect, support and training of parents. Parte two: Is my brother an only child? The experience of siblings P. Ceccarani, A. Archibugi, C. Acquaroli, G. Giaccaglia, M. Pallotta (Osimo, AN – Italy)</p>
Site 1	<p>W.45 Chairperson: Carlo Geraci Congenitally deafblind children and cochlear implant – effect on communication J. Dammeyer (Brønshøj, Denmark)</p>
Site 5	<p>W.46 Chairperson: Stan Munroe Sharing artistic activities and aesthetic experiences with adults with congenital deafblindness – A new perspective on more than 10 years of Scandinavian practice F. Ask Larsen¹, S. Raahauge², K. Schjøll Brede³ (¹Dronninglund, Denmark; ²Ry, Denmark; ³Oslo, Norway)</p>
Site 10	<p>W.47 Chairperson: Isabel Jones Imagination, Intervention and Independence...going beyond boundaries K. Keyes, K. Patterson (Newmarket, Ontario - Canada)</p>
Site 11	<p>W.48 Chairperson: Jackie Brennan Pedagogical challenges in school related to a child with CHARGE syndrome and congenital deafblindness W. Andersen, E. Seljestad (Oslo, Norway)</p>

Friday September 25th	
09.00 13.00	NETWORK MORNING – PARALLEL WORK GROUPS
Site 4	<p>1. CHARGE NETWORK Steve Rose, Gail Deuce (UK)</p>
Site 3	<p>2. COMMUNICATION NETWORK Marleen Janssen (The Netherlands), Jutta Wiese (Germany), Aline Hanning (Jordan), Marga Martens (The Netherlands), Kari Brede (Norway), Petra Hagen (The Netherlands)</p>
Site 5	<p>3. CONGENITAL DEAFBLINDNESS IN ADULTS NETWORK Dominique Spriet (France)</p>
Site 8	<p>4. EUROPEAN DEAFBLINDNESS NETWORK - EDbN Lucy Drescher (UK), Ursula Heinemann (Austria), Ricard López (Spain)</p>
Site 6	<p>5. SIBLINGS NETWORK Sabine Kersten (Belgium)</p>
Site 2	<p>6. TACTILE COMMUNICATION NETWORK Bernadette van den Tillaart (The Netherlands), Gunnar Vege (Norway) Barbara Miles (USA), Paul Hart (Scotland, UK)</p>

Site 1	7. USHER STUDY GROUP Marylin Kilsby (UK), Tamsin Wengraf (UK)
Site 7	8. RUBELLA NETWORK Nancy O'Donnell (USA)
Site 12	9. ACQUIRED DEAFBLINDNESS - ADBN NETWORK <i>Speakers to be announced</i>

Friday September 25th	
09.00 13.00	PARALLEL WORKSHOPS - GROUP E "CHANGING POPULATION – CHANGING NEEDS"
Site 9 09.00 10.00	W.49 Chairperson: Patrizia Ceccarani Unseen and Unheard - A study into the number of people who are deafblind in Western Australia D. Karasinski (Burswood, Australia)
Site 9 10.30 11.30	W.50 Chairperson: Debbie Karasinski The characteristics of disabilities arising from the birth process: an epidemiological study P. Ceccarani ¹ , R. Luconi ¹ , M. Cuttini ² , S. Piga ² (¹ Osimo, AN - Italy; ² Roma, Italy)
Site 9 12.00 13.00	W.51 Chairperson: Debbie Karasinski Changes Among the Deafblind Population in Russia T. Basilova, <u>A. Paykova</u> (Moscow, Russian Federation)
09.00 13.00	PARALLEL WORKSHOPS - GROUP F "TRANSITION"
Site 10 09.00 10.00	W.52 Chairperson: Ans van Duijnhoven Encouraging the personal participation of young deafblind people in planning for the future: the value of human support and simple technology in the process J. Fletcher, E. Boothroyd (London, UK)
Site 10 10.30 11.30	W.54 Chairperson: Eileen Boothroyd The client that can not appeal to us for help A. van Duijnhoven ¹ , M. van der Meij ² (¹ Sint Michielsgestel, ² Utrecht - The Netherlands)
09.00 13.00	PARALLEL WORKSHOPS - GROUP G "RECREATION AND LEISURE"
Site 11 09.00 10.00	W.55 Chairperson: William Green Respite: a moment of being F. Acunzo ¹ , S. La Penna ² , G. Lovino ³ , <u>L. Mondaini</u> ⁴ (¹ Napoli, Italy; ² Roma, Italy; ³ Molfetta, BA - Italy; ⁴ Osimo, AN - Italy)
Site 11 10.30 11.30	W.56 Chairperson: Michael Lohner Leisure Time of the Young People in the Group Home Majak n.o. in Slovakia <u>J. Sarisska</u> , H. Hajdeckerova (Sady nad Torysou, Slovakia)

Site 10 12.00 13.00	W.57 Chairperson: Michael Lohner Developing Cultural and Creative Activity of Deafblind Aimed at Their Socialization in the Community S. Zarechnova (Moscow Region, Russian Federation)
13.00 14.30	lunch break
14.30 19.30	Social Programme – Excursions (<i>see details under «Social Events» section</i>)

Saturday September 26th

Auditorium La Fenice - Site 1

09.00 10.00	5th Plenary Lecture OLDER PEOPLE Chairperson: Trees Van Nunen Congenital deafblindness, ageing, communication, and culture in a lifetime perspective. Empirical research Jesper Dammeyer (Denmark) Chairperson: Ges Roulstone Acquired deafblindness in older people: a challenge for epidemiological approaches, prevention, rehabilitation and professional training Marie Dominique Lussier (France)
10.00 11.00	coffee break
11.00 12.00	PARALLEL WORKSHOPS - GROUP H
Site 3	W.58 Chairperson: Saskia Damen Developing Communication: Enabling Choice and Control A. Telling ¹ , A. Snow ² (¹ Rotherham, UK; ² Robin Hood Wakefield, UK)
Site 12	W.59 Chairperson: Gillian Morbey Marte meo – on one's own strength F. Racksäter Nerback, J. Morehouse (Hägersten, Sweden)
Site 4	W.60 Chairperson: Debbie Karasinski Use of melatonin to improve the quality of EEG recordings in deafblind subjects with cerebral damage M. Signorino ¹ , C. Calzolari ² , S. Cercaci ² , P. Ceccarani ² (¹ Fermo, AP - Italy; ² Osimo, AN - Italy)
Site 15	W.61 Chairperson: William Green Deafblindness and ageing related difficulties: diagnostics and treatment A. Antonissen, K. de Gooijer (Sint-Michielsgestel, The Netherlands)
Site 8	W.62 Chairperson: Asunción Snow George Brown College – A Two Year Diploma Program Training Intervenors C. Monaco, C. Ramey (Toronto, Canada)
Site 11	W.63 Chairperson: Maria Luz Neri de Troconis Occupational activity as rehabilitation L. Gatto, N. Marconi, C. Sartini, F. Gambini, E. Selleri, S. Stefani (Osimo, AN - Italy)

Site 6	<p>W.64 Chairperson: Chrétienne van der Burg Conditions for friendly relations between deafblind people and surrounding people: experience and reflections S. Sirotkin, A. Kalyanova (Moscow, Russian Federation)</p>
Site 7	<p>W.65 Chairperson: Ursula Heinemann Family Weekends and supporting the parents of congenitally deafblind adults who live in residential care G. Bartlett (Birmingham, UK)</p>
Site 1	<p>W.66 Chairperson: Mira Tzvetkova The deafblind and technology S. Fleytin (Moscow, Russian Federation)</p>
Site 10	<p>W.67 Chairperson: Lone Poggioni Out of the comfort zone – A preliminary analysis of the psychological dynamics of letting go and still being safe – examples from climbing with cdb adults J. Gibson¹, F. Ask Larsen² (¹Glasgow, UK; ²Dronninglund, Danmark)</p>
Site 9	<p>W.68 Chairperson: Eileen Boothroyd Deafblind Individuals in the Workplace P. Curtis, G. Gaudet, S. Copeland (Fredericton, Canada)</p>
Site 5	<p>W.69 Chairperson: Sergei Sorokin A New Step-by Step Manual on the van Dijk Approach to Assessment C. Nelson¹, J. van Dijk², T. Oster¹, A. McDonnell¹ (¹Salt Lake City, UT – USA; ²Haaren, The Netherlands)</p>
12.00 14.30	lunch break

14.30 15.30	PARALLEL WORKSHOPS - GROUP I
Site 3	<p>W.70 Chairperson: Mario Signorino Haptics and Haptemes – Environmental information through Touch R. Lahtinen¹, R. Palmer² (¹Iiris, Finland; ²Helsinki, Finland)</p>
Site 1	<p>W.71 Chairperson: Ursula Heinemann Question formation in LISt (tactile Italian Sign Language): a case of grammaticalization? C. Cecchetto, A. Checchetto, <u>C. Geraci</u>, A. Zucchi (Milano, Italy)</p>
Site 4	<p>W.72 Chairperson: Eline van Rooij Rubella: prevention and immunisation in Europe - a call for DbI action J. McGill (London, UK)</p>
Site 15	<p>W.73 Chairperson: Ges Roulstone Collaboration during turbulent times on rough seas – a multidisciplinary approach to deafblindness and mental health problems Å. A. Endresen¹, H. Saltnes² (¹Bergen, Norway; ²Oslo, Norway)</p>
Site 7	<p>W.74 Chairperson: Jackie Brennan A Journey of Discovery – Exploring how to Enhance Possibilities for Meaningful and Reciprocal Communication through Touch between People who are Congenitally Deafblind and Others M. Foster, J.Greatrex (Birmingham, UK)</p>
Site 11	<p>W.75 Chairperson: Eberhard Fuchs The Importance of employment, career aspirations and self esteem to MDVI and deafblind adults M. Lohner¹, A.-I. Lohner¹, P. Ceccarani² (¹Munich, Germany; ²Osimo, AN - Italy)</p>

Site 8	<p>W.76 Chairperson: Deborah Gleason Reflections on the emergence of an informal deafblind outdoor network J. Gibson¹, H. Lie², A. Berg², P. Mathiasen³, R. Jensen³ (¹Glasgow, UK; ²Andebu, Norway; ³Aalborg, Denmark)</p>
Site 9	<p>W.77 Chairperson: Gillian Morbey Life as a Challenge: Family, Adolescence and Deafblindness D. Sterbova (Olomouc, Czech Republic)</p>
Site 6	<p>W.78 Chairperson: Marga Martens Encouraging adaptive responses and social contact using microswitch and VOCA programmes G. Lancioni, D. Oliva Doretta, <u>A. Smaldone</u> (Osimo, AN – Italy)</p>
Site 10	<p>W.79 Chairperson: Asunción Snow Formation and Transformation of Problem-oriented Life-stories – Narrative consultation to Parents of Congenitally deafblind Children and Professionals <u>H.E. Frölander</u>, D. Ottoson (Gnesta, Sweden)</p>
Site 12	<p>W.80 Chairperson: William Green DbI Advocacy Working Group Reporting on the Status Of “Advocacy for Deafblind people” in the world B. Mason¹, G. Atieli², G. Ferioli³, L. Drescher⁴, M. Requena⁵, <u>R. Lopez</u>⁶, S. Munroe⁷, U. Heinemann⁸ (¹USA, ²Kenya, ³Argentina, ⁴UK, ⁵Venezuela, ⁶Spain, ⁷Canada, ⁸Austria)</p>
Site 5	<p>W.81 Chairperson: Dennis Lolli Pedagogical matrices for staff and supervisors with the purpose of surveying the development of persons with deafblindness J. Granli, I. Axelhed (Finspång Sweden)</p>
15.30 16.30	Break
16.30 17.30	PARALLEL WORKSHOPS - GROUP L
Site 3	<p>W.82 Chairperson: Eberhard Fuchs Development of communication of a young man with congenital deafblindness – presented in a longitudinal study M. Rascher-Wolfring (Wuerzburg, Germany)</p>
Site 5	<p>W.83 Chairperson: Carlo Geraci Communication and language of adult people with deaf-blindness in Bulgaria D. Parapanov (Plovdiv, Bulgaria)</p>
Site 4	<p>W.84 Chairperson: Trees van Nunen Successful Learners: Meeting the Educational Needs of Children with CHARGE Syndrome M. Majors (Watertown, MA - USA)</p>
Site 15	<p>W.85 Chairperson: Rob Jones For people who lack formal language skills - Behaviours that could indicate worsening vision <u>C. Fuggle</u>, A. Oram, E. Blanchard-Moore (Peterborough, UK)</p>
Site 7	<p>W.86 Chairperson: Barabara B. Mason Improving the quality of interactions and the role of caregiver characteristics <u>M. Worm</u>¹, <u>S. Damen</u>^{1,2}, S. Kef³, H.J.M. Janssen², C. Schuengel³ (¹Doorn, The Netherlands; ²Groningen, The Netherlands; ³Amsterdam, The Netherlands)</p>
Site 6	<p>W.87 Chairperson: Chrétienne van der Burg Getting in touch – Interactions between adults with congenital deafblindness and the staff who support them <u>M. Prain</u>, K. McVilly, P. Ramcharan (Melbourne, Australia)</p>

Site 8	<p>W.88 Chairperson: Dennis Lolli Finding your identity by taking part in a network group. A meeting between 6 women with a severe loss of sight and hearing H. Brögger, <u>A.R. Joergensen</u>, <u>E. M. Jensen</u> (Fredericia, Denmark)</p>
Site 10	<p>W.89 Chairperson: Gillian Morbey Family, school and social inclusion of deafblind and multiple sensory impaired people in Rondônia – Brazil S.M. Mana de Araújo¹, M. Piedade Resende da Costa², S. Rodrigues Maia², <u>V.M. Ikonomidis</u>² (¹Rondônia, Brazil; ²São Paulo, Brazil)</p>
Site 1	<p>W.90 Chairperson: Jeanne Berkelmans Access to new technology P. De Cecco¹, A. Lertola², <u>A. Vitanza</u>³ (¹Osimo, AN - Italy; ²Modena, Italy; ³Milano, Italy)</p>
Site 11	<p>W.91 Chairperson: Lone Poggioni The role of volunteers in the search for happiness D. Armenio¹, V. Barzanti², U. Dreijer³, <u>F. Pastore</u>⁴ (¹Naples, Italy; ²Rome, Italy; ³Modena, Italy; ⁴Osimo, AN – Italy)</p>
Site 12	<p>W.92 Chairperson: Graciela Ferioli Staff and Management Development at Broder Pehr, Mo Gård Group, Sweden G. Nylander, U. Rosendahl, I. Karlsson-Markie (Hägersten, Sweden)</p>
Site 9	<p>W.93 Chairperson: Marianne Riggio New directions in organizing work with families having children with multiple sensory and psycho-neurological developmental disorders and problem behavior L. Abdukamalova (Moscow Region, Russian Federation)</p>
20.00	Transfer by bus to the Restaurant "Finis Africae" for the Social Dinner

Sunday September 27th

Auditorium La Fenice - Site 1

10.00 12.30	Closing Ceremony
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