

Đuro Armen Baglivi - Homage in June

Commemorating 300th Anniversary of Đuro Baglivi Death

June Homage to Đuro Baglivi, commemorating the 300th anniversary of Đuro (Giorgio) Armen Baglivi's death, took place in Dubrovnik, Croatia, June 23-30, 2007. Đuro Baglivi was a great scientist and a man of the Croatian medical history. The program included: Presentation of a commemorative stamp with the image of Đuro Baglivi; Requiem mass on the day of Đuro Baglivi's death; Works by high school students on the topic of "Đuro Baglivi in classroom"; International Seminar History of Mediterranean Medicine – Đuro Baglivi; and exhibition entitled Đuro Baglivi and His Era. The International Seminar included active participants from Croatia, Italy, France, Switzerland and Armenia, a country of his birth and all countries where he lived and worked. On June 30, 2007, a web page www.baglivi.net was created with the

help of experts from the Island of Koločep, showing virtual exhibition of the famous letters from the holdings of Waller and for exchange of information, literature and contacts aimed at creating a network of experts and scientists related to the Town of Dubrovnik.

Đuro Baglivi is one of the three scientists from Dubrovnik who are listed among the sixteen great figures in the Croatian science. Đuro Baglivi entered the history of medicine as a neo-Hippocrates and prominent representative of physical medicine from Croatia and Italy, a famous poet and numismatist. We are proud of having such a great figure in our history. For all those attending the meeting it was an event to remember.

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