

## Speaker Profile

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**A persistent, refractory Early Pre-T-ALL: victory in the battle is not necessarily a victory in the war**

**Expert:** Gunnar Cario (DE)



Prof. Gunnar Cario is a paediatric haemato-oncologist born in Berlin, with expertise in stem cell transplantation. Since February 2020 he is a full professor for clinical studies in paediatric oncology at the Christian-Albrechts-Universität zu Kiel.

He is working at the paediatrics department of the university clinic Schleswig-Holstein since 2005, acting as chief medical officer and deputy director of the clinic since 2014.

He graduated at the Medical University of Hannover in 2000 and gained his state doctorate in 2010 at the University of Kiel.

**Speaker:** Adi Nitzan – Luques (CA)



Adi Nitzan - Luques, MD/Phd, is currently a Clinical Associate at SickKids Hospital, in Toronto, Canada. She completed her fellowship in Paediatric Haemato-Oncology in Hadassah Medical Centre, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Israel. Her main interests in paediatric oncology include solid tumours, novel agents/targeted-therapy, cancer genetics and palliative care. She is a member of the ISPHO, the Israeli Society of Paediatric and of SIOPE Europe, the European Society for Paediatric Oncology. Recently, she has been selected to receive a two-year research/clinical fellowship from the Garron Family Cancer Centre (GFCC) in SickKids hospital, under the co-supervision of Professor Meredith Irwin and Assistant Professor Madeline Hayes. As part of this translational research, she will take part in the development of clinically relevant models for high-risk neuroblastoma.