



Programme at a glance for paediatricians

Amsterdam 2013 Paediatric Track

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Friday 27 September 2013

Opening Ceremony 19:15-21:00 (Rai Auditorium)

Saturday 28 September 2013

Biological Basis of Personalised Cancer Therapy 09:00-11:00 (Hall 7.1)

Welcome

Speaker: C.J.H. van de Velde – ECCO President (The Netherlands)

Panel Discussion

Chair Speaker: *C.J.H. van de Velde (The Netherlands)*

Scientific Co-Chair Speaker: *J. Yarnold (United Kingdom)*

Scientific Co-Chair Speaker: *C. Sternberg (Italy)*

- *Panel: M. Piccart (Belgium) ESMO*
 - *Panel: V. Valentini (Italy) ESTRO*
 - *Panel: G. Poston (United Kingdom) ESSO*
 - *Panel: M. Oren (Israel) EACR*
 - *Panel: B. Grube (Denmark) EONS*
 - *Panel: G. Vassal (France) SIOPE*
 - *Panel: I. Banks (Belgium) Patient Representative*
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- **Lgr5 Stem Cells in self-renewal and cancer** *Speaker: H. Clevers (The Netherlands)*
 - **The genetic basis for future cancer therapies** *Speaker: W.R. Sellers (USA)*
 - **Intratumour heterogeneity and cancer evolution** *Speaker: C. Swanton (United Kingdom)*

Scientific Symposium

11:15-13:15

(Room E104)

Cancer in Teenagers and Young Adults

Chair: S. Bielack (Germany)

Chair: I.J. Lewis (United Kingdom)

- **Introduction** Speaker: S. Bielack (Germany)
- **Specialist care for teenager and young adults with cancer** Speaker: J. Lewis (United Kingdom)
- **Specialist care for teenager and young adults with cancer** Speaker: A. Ferrari (Italy)
- **Developing multi-professional education for TYA with cancer** Speaker: D. Stark (United Kingdom)
- **Improving access to clinical trials for teenagers and young adults** Speaker: L. Brugieres (France)
- **Role of patients and advocacy groups** Speaker: S. Morgan (United Kingdom)
- **Concluding Remarks** I.J. Lewis (United Kingdom)

Sunday 29 September 2013

Teaching Lecture

08:00-08:45

(Room E104)

By-passing the blood brain barrier in paediatric oncology

Speaker: M. Vloerberghs (United Kingdom)



SIOPE Society Session

09:00-11:00

(Room E104)

Chair: G. Vassal (France)

Chair: P. Kearns (United Kingdom)

- **Award Lecture**

Special Session

13:15-14:15

(Room E104)

New insights into Biology of Brain Tumours

Chair: D. Walker (United Kingdom)

- **Histones and pediatric high grade gliomas** Speaker: C. Jones (United Kingdom)
- **Biology of low grade gliomas** Speaker: D. Jones (Germany)
- **Biomarkers in Ependymoma** Speaker: J. Grill (France)
- **Discussion & Roundup**

Scientific Symposium

14:45-16:45 (Room E104)

Treatment of Rhabdomyosarcoma in Children and Adolescents Across the Atlantic: Time for Increasing Joint Initiatives?

Chair: *H. Hasle (Denmark)*

Chair: *D.S. Hawkins (US)*

- **Introduction** Speaker: *H. Hasle (Denmark)*
- **Reducing radiation therapy for children with rhabdomyosarcoma: results of the European strategy** Speaker: *O. Oberlin (France)*
- **Progress in the treatment of rhabdomyosarcoma: results of the North American strategy** Speaker: *D.S. Hawkins (US)*
- **Treatment of relapsed rhabdomyosarcoma** Speaker: *E. Koscielniak (Germany)*
- **Biology-driven strategy for new drug development in Rhabdomyosarcoma** Speaker: *J. Chisholm (United Kingdom)*
- **Concluding Remarks** Speaker: *D.S. Hawkins (US)*

SIOPE Annual General Meeting

18:15-19:15 (Room E104)



General Assembly SIOPE

Monday 30 September 2013

Scientific Symposium

09:00-11:00 (Room E104)

Empowering Survivors of Childhood and Adolescent Cancer

Chair: *L.J. Hjorth (Sweden)*

Chair: *K. Pritchard-Jones (United Kingdom)*

- **Introduction** Speaker: *L.J. Hjorth (Sweden)*
- **What is the issue? The survivor's view point** Speaker: *A. Brownson (United Kingdom)*
- **Genetic predisposition to late complications after cancer treatment – what do we know?** Speaker: *T. Langer (Germany)*
- **Non-visible subtle long-term complications to treatment – what are they, how do we find them and what do we do?** Speaker: *H. van der Pal (The Netherlands)*
- **Health Passport for risk adapted follow-up: A joint project of the ENCCA and PanCareSurFup EU consortia** Speaker: *R. Haupt (Italy)*
- **Concluding Remarks** Speaker: *K. Pritchard-Jones (United Kingdom)*

Special Session

13:15-14:15

(Room E104)

Shared Challenges of Small Group Trials

Chair: M. Valsecchi (Italy)

- **Principles of adaptive designs and application** *Speaker: A. Faldum (Germany)*
- **Multi-arm multi-stage studies for speeding the process of new drug evaluation**
Speaker: M. Parmar (United Kingdom)
- **Bayesian designs for early phase clinical trials** *Speaker: P.F. Thall (US)*
- **Discussion & Roundup**

Scientific Symposium

14:45-16:45

(Room E104)

Targeted Drugs and Personalised Medicine in Paediatric Oncology

Chair: G. Vassal (France)

Chair: M. Schrappe (Germany)

- **Introduction** *Speaker: G. Vassal (France)*
- **B-RAF as a druggable target in paediatric malignancies** *Speaker: D. Hargrave (United Kingdom)*
- **Targeting the sonic hedgehog pathway in paediatric malignancies** *Speaker: B. Georger (France)*
- **Targeting the mTOR/AKT/PI3K pathway in paediatric malignancies** *Speaker: A. Pearson (United Kingdom)*
- **Changing role of immunotherapy in neuroblastoma** *Speaker: H. Lode (Italy)*
- **Concluding Remarks** *Speaker: M. Schrappe (Germany)*

European Clinical Research Cancer Meeting (ECRC)

17:00-18:45

(Room E104)



ECRC Meeting

Tuesday 01 October 2013

Teaching Lecture

08:00-08:45 (Room E104)

Tailored Therapy of Childhood Leukaemia

Speaker: R. Pieters (The Netherlands)

Scientific Symposium

13:15-14:15 (Room E104)



The Future of Paediatric Oncology in Europe

Chair: A. Biondi (Italy)

Chair: R. Ladenstein (Austria)

- **Introduction** Speaker: A. Biondi (Italy)
- **Re-enforcing integration of research and care in childhood and adolescent cancer: a new role for clinical epidemiology?** Speaker: K. Pritchard-Jones (United Kingdom)
- **Risk adapted therapies for personalising medicine for children and adolescents with cancer** Speaker: M. Schrappe (Germany)
- **Improving access to innovative therapies across Europe** Speaker: G. Vassal (France)
- **What policy for sustainability of pediatric oncology research in Europe?** Speaker: R. Sullivan (United Kingdom)
- **Concluding Remarks** Speaker: R. Ladenstein (Austria)

Debate

13:15-14:15 (Room E104)

This House Believes That Children With Sarcoma and Their Families Should be Screened for Family Cancer Syndrome Mutations

Moderator: H. Hasle (Denmark)

Speaker in Favour: van 't Veer (US)

Speaker Against: H. Kovar (Austria)

Seconder in Favour: D. Malkin (Canada)

- **Questions and Answers Including Audience and Final Vote to See if Audience Have Changed Their Opinion**

Amsterdam 2013 General Sessions

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Saturday 28 September 2013

Presidential Session I

13:45-15:45

Best and Late Breaking Abstracts

ECCO Lifetime Achievement Award

Sunday 29 September 2013

Keynote Lecture

11:30-12:15

Mouse Hospital and the Co-Clinical Trial Project

Speaker: P.P. Pandolfi (US)

Presidential Session II

12:30-14:30

Best and Late Breaking Abstracts

Chair: M. Piccart (Belgium)

ECCO Pezcoller Award

ESMO Hamilton-Fairly Award

Monday 30 September 2013

Keynote Lecture

11:30-12:15

Mouse Hospital and the Co-Clinical Trial Project

Speaker: M. Baumann (Germany)

Presidential Session III

12:30-14:30

Best and Late Breaking Abstracts

ECCO Clinical Research Award