



CONGRESS PROGRAM

Friday, 8 October 2010

13.00–14.00 **Turquoise Hall 2**

Masterclass lunch

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Young Oncologist Masterclass

The importance of conducting well-designed clinical trials

Co-Chairs: Susana N. Banerjee, London, UK and

Marina C. Garassino, Milan, Italy

Session Shooters: Raffaele Califano, Manchester, UK,

Konstantinos Kamposioras, Haidari, Attica, Athens, Greece,

Christophe Massard, Villejuif, France

14.00 Statistical issues and how to use biomarkers as surrogates in the 21st century

Marc Buyse, Ottignies Louvain-la-Neuve, Belgium

14.50 Coffee break

15.10 Biobanking in clinical trials: What, when and how should I collect samples?

Maria Grazia Daidone, Milan, Italy

16.00 Break

16.10 Stopping a cancer trial early: is it really for the benefit of patients? What about the quality of data?

Pinuccia Valagussa, Milan, Italy

18.30–20.00 **Gold Hall**

Opening Ceremony

18.30 ESMO Presidential address

David J. Kerr, Oxford, UK

18.55 Congress Local Committee Welcome

Umberto Veronesi, Milan, Italy and

Roberto Labianca, Bergamo, Italy

19.05 Welcome to Lombardy

Roberto Formigoni, President of Lombardy Region (TBC)

19.15 Welcome to Milan

Letizia Moratti, Mayor of Milan

19.25 Scientific address

Rolf A. Stahel, Zurich, Switzerland, Scientific Chair

19.35 ESMO Award to Alberto Costa

19.40 Performance: "The best of Italian Opera"

20.00 Welcome Reception in the Gold Foyer

Saturday, 9 October 2010

08.00–08.45 **Turquoise Hall 2**

Young Oncologist Breakfast

How to write an outstanding manuscript

David J. Kerr, Oxford, UK

08.00–09.00 **Yellow Hall 1**

Challenge Your Expert session

Cancer of unknown primary site (CUP): 20 questions to be answered

Nicholas Pavlidis, Ioannina, Greece

08.00–09.00 **Yellow Hall 2**

Challenge Your Expert session

Mesothelioma

Walter Weder, Zurich, Switzerland

08.00–09.00 **Yellow Hall 3**

Challenge Your Expert session

Genetic counselling for hereditary predisposition to ovarian and breast cancer

James Mackay, London, UK

08.00–09.00 **Green Hall 3**

Challenge Your Expert session

Osteosarcoma

Stefan Bielack, Stuttgart, Germany

08.00–09.00 **Green Halls 1+2**

Patient Cases session

Team work in palliative care

Co-Chairs: Philip J. Larkin, Dublin, Ireland and

Lukas Radbruch, Bonn, Germany

08.00 What nurses contribute

Philip J. Larkin, Dublin, Ireland

08.10 What doctors contribute

Lukas Radbruch, Bonn, Germany

08.20 Discussion

08.00–09.00 **Orange Halls 2+3**

Patient Cases session

Hepatocellular carcinoma: A multi-step therapeutic approach

Co-Chairs: Jordi Bruix, Barcelona, Spain and

Jean-Luc Raoul, Rennes, France

08.00 An early-stage HCC

Jordi Bruix, Barcelona, Spain

08.10 An intermediate case of HCC

Jean-Luc Raoul, Rennes, France

08.20 Discussion

08.00–09.00 **Orange Hall 1**

Multidisciplinary Interactive session (MIS)

Optimal integration of chemotherapy and radiotherapy in small cell lung cancer

Co-Chairs: Fiona Blackhall, Manchester, UK and Corinne Faivre-Finn, Manchester, UK

- 08.00 Radiotherapy
Corinne Faivre-Finn, Manchester, UK
 - 08.15 Medical Oncology
Fiona Blackhall, Manchester, UK
 - 08.30 Discussion
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09.00–10.30 **Gold Hall**

Educational session

Diagnostic and management issues in metastatic breast cancer

Chairs: Fabrice André, Villejuif, France and José Baselga, Boston, MA, USA

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Giuseppe Viale, Milan, Italy
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New therapeutic opportunities in urological cancer

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Pierre Savagner, Montpellier, France
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Proffered Paper session

Supportive and palliative care

Chair: Jørn Herrstedt, Odense, Denmark
Co-Chair: Fausto Roila, Terni, Italy

- 09.00 **12340** – Randomised phase III clinical trial of 5 different arms of treatment for patients with cancer-related anorexia/cachexia syndrome (CACS)
Clelia Madeddu, Cagliari, Italy
- 09.15 **12350** – A randomized controlled trial of antimicrobial prophylaxis infusion after gastric cancer surgery (OGSG0501)
Yukinori Kurokawa, Osaka, Japan
- 09.30 Invited Discussant, Abstracts 12340 and 12350
Simon Van Belle, Ghent, Belgium
- 09.45 **11810** – First randomized trial comparing balloon kyphoplasty (BKP) to non-surgical management among cancer patients with vertebral compression fractures
Leonard Bastian, Leverkusen, Germany

- 10.00** 12360 – Control of nausea with palonosetron versus granisetron both combined with dexamethasone in patients undergoing cisplatin (CDDP) – or anthracycline plus cyclophosphamide (AC/EC)-based regimens
Kaoru Kubota, Tokyo, Japan
- 10.15** Invited Discussant, Abstracts 11810 and 12360
Fausto Roila, Terni, Italy

09.00–10.30 **Red Hall**

Special Symposium

ESMO/CSCO Joint Symposium. Personalised medicine:

Do ethnic differences matter?

Co-Chairs: David J. Kerr, Oxford, UK and Shu-Kui Qin, Nanjing, China

- 09.00** Pharmacogenomic and SNP in diverse ethnicity
Howard McLeod, Chapel Hill, NC, USA
- 09.20** Hepatocellular carcinoma (HCC)
Shu-Kui Qin, Nanjing, China
- 09.40** Personalized management of lung cancer:
EGFR mutation and beyond
Tony S. K. Mok, Hong Kong, China
- 10.00** Colorectal cancer
David J. Kerr, Oxford, UK
- 10.20** Conclusions

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Locally advanced pancreatic cancer

Co-Chairs: Christophe Louvet, Paris, France and Hanno Riess, Berlin, Germany

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Hanno Riess, Berlin, Germany
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Christophe Louvet, Paris, France
- 10.00** Radiotherapy
Florence Hugué, Paris, France
- 10.15** Discussion

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Christos Sotiriou, Brussels, Belgium

- 11.30** Benefits and adverse effects of endocrine therapy
Marco Colleoni, Milan, Italy
- 12.00** Chemotherapy with or without trastuzumab
Angelo Di Leo, Prato, Italy

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Educational session

Prevention and treatment of side effects of systemic treatment

Chair: Mario Dicato, Luxembourg

Co-Chair: Jørn Herrstedt, Odense, Denmark

- 11.00** Anemia
Mario Dicato, Luxembourg
- 11.30** Cardiotoxicity
Josep Taberner, Barcelona, Spain
- 12.00** Bone loss
Jean-Jacques Body, Brussels, Belgium

11.00–12.30 **Blue Hall**

Educational session

Updates in B-cell malignancies

Chair: Michele Ghilmini, Bellinzona, Switzerland

Co-Chair: Håkan Mellstedt, Stockholm, Sweden

- 11.00** Multiple myeloma
Meletios Dimopoulos, Athens, Greece
- 11.30** Follicular lymphoma
Michele Ghilmini, Bellinzona, Switzerland
- 12.00** Chronic lymphocytic leukemia
Michael Hallek, Cologne, Germany

11.00–12.30 **Silver Hall**

Proffered Paper session

Chest tumors I

Chair: Luis Paz-Ares, Seville, Spain

Co-Chair: Rolf A. Stahel, Zurich, Switzerland

- 11.00 **LBA13** – Efficacy results from the randomised phase III OPTIMAL (CTONG 0802) study comparing first-line erlotinib versus carboplatin (CBDCA) plus gemcitabine (GEM), in Chinese advanced non-small-cell lung cancer (NSCLC) patients (pts) with EGFR activating mutations
Caicun Zhou, Shanghai, China
- 11.15 **LBA14** – First biomarker analyses from a phase III, randomised, open-label, first-line study of erlotinib versus carboplatin (CBDCA) plus gemcitabine (GEM) in Chinese patients (pts) with advanced non-small-cell lung cancer (NSCLC) with EGFR activating mutations (OPTIMAL, CTONG 0802)
Yi-long Wu, Guangzhou, China
- 11.30 Invited Discussant, LBA13 and LBA14
Federico Cappuzzo, Livorno, Italy
- 11.45 **3630** – Final results from ARQ 197-209: a global randomized placebo-controlled phase 2 clinical trial of erlotinib plus ARQ 197 versus erlotinib plus placebo in previously treated EGFR-inhibitor naïve patients with advanced non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC)
Lecia Sequist, Boston, MA, USA
- 12.00 **LBA15** – Randomized multicenter double-blind placebo-controlled phase II study evaluating MetMab, an antibody to met receptor, in combination with erlotinib, in patients with advanced non-small-cell lung cancer
David Spigel, Nashville, TN, USA
- 12.15 Invited Discussant, Abstract 3630 and LBA15
Luis Paz-Ares, Seville, Spain

11.00–12.30 **Red Hall**

Special Symposium

ESMO/ESTRO/ESSO Joint Symposium. Surgery, radiotherapy and ablation of metastatic disease and chemotherapy for localized disease: Changing roles in multidisciplinary management of colorectal cancer

Co-Chairs: Jean Bourhis, Villejuif, France and David J. Kerr, Oxford, UK

- 11.00 Image guided therapy of metastases from colorectal cancer
Thierry de Baere, Villejuif, France
- 11.20 It's resectable, but is it curable?
Graeme Poston, Liverpool, UK
- 11.40 Radiotherapy: From palliation to cure and prophylaxis?
Guy Storme, Brussels, Belgium

- 12.00 Locoregional delivery of chemotherapy for metastatic CRC – what's the evidence?
Rachel Midgley, Oxford, UK
- 12.20 Conclusions
Peter Naredi, Umeå, Sweden

12.45–13.35 **Violet Hall**

Keynote Lecture

Polymorphisms in drug metabolising enzymes and drug transporters: Influence on drug pharmacokinetics and patient response to treatment

Chair: Marco A. Pierotti, Milan, Italy

Speaker: Jos Beijnen, Amsterdam, Netherlands

13.00–14.00 **Green Halls 1+2**

Poster Symposium (Discussion session)

Breast cancer, early

Co-Chairs: Bryan Hennessy, Dublin, Ireland and Xavier Pivot, Besançon, France

- 216PD – ABCSG-24: Efficacy of anthracycline- and taxane-based neoadjuvant therapy ± capecitabine (C) in triple-negative early breast cancer (TNBC)
Guenther Steger, Vienna, Austria
- 217PD – Adjuvant endocrine therapy, alone or in combination with zoledronic acid (ZOL), in premenopausal patients (pts) with endocrine-responsive early breast cancer (EBC): Subgroup analyses of ABCSG-12
Guenther Steger, Vienna, Austria
- 218PD – The development of a formulation of trastuzumab for subcutaneous administration
Vernon Harvey, Auckland, New Zealand
- 219PD – Neo-adjuvant chemotherapy treatment and response in different breast cancer subtypes: pooled multi-layer analysis of the German trials
Michael Untch, Berlin, Germany
- 220PD – A presurgical trial of lapatinib versus placebo in Her-2 positive breast cancer
Andrea De Censi, Genoa, Italy
- 13.00 Invited Discussant, Abstracts 216PD-220PD
Xavier Pivot, Besançon, France
- 221PD – Validation of PRO_10, a multigene prognostic signature, in patients (pts) with early, estrogen receptor positive (ER+) postmenopausal breast cancer (BC)
Andreas Moor, Berne, Switzerland
- 222PD – Prospective transGEICAM study of Oncotype DX® in clinical decision making in estrogen receptor-positive node-negative breast cancer women
Joan Albanell, Barcelona, Spain

223PD – Economic impact of Oncotype DX assay in axillary node negative breast cancer, (AxN-BC) with positive hormone receptor (rec+) and normal HER-2 (HER2-) Elaine Wilson, Dublin, Ireland

13.15 Invited Discussant, Abstracts 221PD-223PD

Bryan Hennessy, Dublin, Ireland

13.30 General Discussion

13.00–14.00 **Orange Halls 2+3**

Poster Symposium (Discussion session)

Colorectal cancer

Co-Chairs: Fortunato Ciardiello, Naples, Italy, Gunnar Folprecht, Dresden, Germany and Graeme Poston, Liverpool, UK

581PD – Trial participation in a multicentre phase III trial (CAIRO) in advanced colorectal cancer (ACC) patients (pts) in the Netherlands, and a comparison of outcome between trial and non-trial pts

Cornelis Punt, Nijmegen, Netherlands

582PD – Cetuximab plus XELIRI versus cetuximab plus XELOX as first-line treatment for patients with metastatic colorectal cancer (mCRC). Analysis of the randomized trial of the German AIO CRC study group: KRK-0204

Sebastian Stintzing, Munich, Germany

583PD – Efficacy and safety of second-line treatment with panitumumab plus irinotecan, both given every three weeks (Q3W), in patients (pts) with wild-type (WT) K-RAS metastatic colorectal cancer (mCRC): A study from the Spanish Cooperative Group for the Treatment of Digestive Tumors (TTD)

Auxiladora Gomez, Cordoba, Spain

13.00 Invited Discussant, Abstracts 581PD-583PD

Gunnar Folprecht, Dresden, Germany

584PD – Impact of KRAS status on survival in patients (pts.) with metastatic colorectal cancer (mCRC)

undergoing bevacizumab (bev) containing chemotherapy regimen – Analysis of the AIO Colorectal Cancer Study Group

Anke Claudia Reinacher-Schick, Bochum, Germany

585PD – The multi-targeted kinase inhibitor AEE788 exerts anti-proliferative effects in BRAF mutated colorectal cancer cells

Araceli Valverde, Cordoba, Spain

586PD – High throughput somatic profiling of the Ras-Raf-MAP and PI3K-PTEN-Akt pathways in advanced colorectal cancer and correlations with response to cetuximab

Christopher Smith, Cardiff, UK

13.12 Invited Discussant, Abstracts 584PD-586PD

Fortunato Ciardiello, Naples, Italy

587PD – Oncologic and functional outcomes after preoperative chemoradiotherapy followed by intersphincteric resection for very low rectal cancer

Masaaki Ito, Kashiwa, Japan

588PD – Trans-arterial chemoembolization of metastatic colorectal carcinoma (MCRC) to the liver adopting polyvinyl alcohol microspheres (PAM) loaded with irinotecan compared with FOLFIRI (CT): Evaluation at two years of a phase III clinical trial

Giammaria Fiorentini, Empoli, Italy

13.24 Invited Discussant, Abstracts 587PD-588PD

Graeme Poston, Liverpool, UK

13.36 General Discussion

13.00–14.00 **Yellow Hall 1**

Poster Symposium (Discussion session)

Gynecological cancer

Co-Chairs: James Brenton, Cambridge, UK and

Ate van der Zee, Groningen, Netherlands

973PD – The ENDORAD trial: RAD001 (everolimus) monotherapy as second-line or third line treatment of advanced endometrial carcinoma: a phase II trial of GINECO group

Isabelle Ray-coquard, Paris, France

974PD – Single-agent activity and safety of the investigational Aurora A kinase inhibitor MLN8237 in patients with platinum-treated epithelial ovarian, fallopian tube, or primary peritoneal carcinoma

Ursula Matulonis, Boston, MA, USA

975PD – A randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled phase II study of AMG 386 plus weekly paclitaxel in patients (pts) with advanced ovarian cancer

Ignace Vergote, Leuven, Belgium

976PD – Tolerability of trabectedin (Tr) plus pegylated liposomal doxorubicin (PLD) in platinum sensitive (P-S) vs. platinum resistant (P-R) patients (pts) with relapsed ovarian cancer

Karin Boman, Umeå, Sweden

13.00 Invited Discussant, Abstracts 973PD-976PD

James Brenton, Cambridge, UK

977PD – Prognostic value of early complete metabolic response by FDG-PET during neo-adjuvant chemotherapy in advanced ovarian cancer patients

Marta Rosati, Bologna, Italy

978PD – Safety and subgroup efficacy analyses in GOG218, a phase III trial of bevacizumab (BEV) in the

primary treatment of advanced epithelial ovarian cancer (EOC), primary peritoneal cancer (PPC) or Fallopian tube cancer (FTC): A Gynecologic Oncology Group study
Robert Burger, Philadelphia, PA, USA

979PD – Expression of DNA repair genes as biomarkers of outcome in epithelial ovarian cancer: A GEICO study
Andres M Poveda, Valencia, Spain

13.15 Invited Discussant, Abstracts 977PD-979PD
Ate van der Zee, Groningen, Netherlands

13.30 General Discussion

13.00–14.00 **Yellow Hall 2**

Poster Symposium (Discussion session)

Biomarkers I

Co-Chairs: Giampaolo Tortora, Naples, Italy and
Johan Vansteenkiste, Leuven, Belgium

160PD – Smoking-induced p16 methylation in young women

Yuk Ting Ma, Birmingham, UK

161PD – Diagnostic markers in bronchial fluid of lung cancer patients; immunoassay development and validation
Sergio Carrera, Barakaldo, Spain

162PD – ProGRP levels in patients with lung cancer
Rita Passerini, Milan, Italy

163PD – Long term follow-up for EBUS-TBNA negative mediastinal lesions

Matthew N. Wong, Hong Kong, China

164PD – Detection of tumor angiogenesis in solid tumours via the expression of α 3 integrin using an RGD peptide, [¹⁸F]fluciclatide, and positron emission tomography (PET) imaging

Rohini Sharma, London, UK

13.00 Invited Discussants, Abstract 160PD-164PD
Johan Vansteenkiste, Leuven, Belgium

165PD – An EZH2 polymorphism predicts progression-free survival (PFS) in metastatic colorectal cancer (CRC) patients treated with first-line FOLFIRI plus bevacizumab (BV)
Francesco Crea, Pisa, Italy

166PD – The single nucleotide polymorphism C>G rs420549 in TGFBR1 and microRNA 511 (miR-511) as a new biomarkers in advanced colorectal cancer

José Carlos Villa Guzmán, Ciudad Real, Spain

167PD – Predictive value of the simultaneous detection of somatic quantitative molecular alterations using the quantitative multiplex PCR of short fluorescent fragments method (QMPSF) in stage II-III colon cancer: A prospective study

Laura Debeir, Rouen, France

168PD – Baseline levels of circulating angiogenic factors in metastatic colorectal cancer pts (mCRC) treated with bevacizumab (BEV)

Antonia Martinetti, Milan, Italy

169PD – Clinical significance of incidental focal colorectal uptake detected in 18F-FDG PET-CT studies
Jordi Fuertes, Barcelona, Spain

13.15 Invited Discussants, Abstracts 165PD-169PD
Giampaolo Tortora, Naples, Italy

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Poster Symposium (Discussion session)

Supportive and palliative care

Co-Chairs: Dorothy M. K. Keefe, Adelaide, Australia and
Lukas Radbruch, Bonn, Germany

1199PD – Cognitive symptoms in cancer patients attending medical oncology clinics

Victoria Bray, Sydney, Australia

1200PD – What Greek women with breast cancer want to know about their illness and how much do they want to participate in treatment decision making?
Aygoustina Almyroudi, Ioannina, Greece

1182PD – Attitude and knowledge about end-of-life support: A Bavarian survey

Wolfgang Sandtner, Landshut, Germany

1237PD – Effect of low-molecular-weight heparin (LMWH) nadroparin on hemostatic variables in ambulatory cancer patients enrolled in the PROTECT trial

Anna Falanga, Bergamo, Italy

13.00 Invited Discussant, Abstracts 1199PD-1200PD-1182PD-1237PD

Lukas Radbruch, Bonn, Germany

1238PD – Granulocyte colony stimulating factor (G-CSF) prophylaxis and febrile neutropenia (FN) incidence in patients with solid tumours receiving myelotoxic chemotherapy who are assessed as high risk for FN: IMPACT SOLID study
Johanna Maenpää, Tampere, Finland

1239PD – Successful titration of fentanyl pectin nasal spray in a broad range of patient types for the treatment of breakthrough cancer pain

Luis Torres, Cadiz, Spain

1183PD – Randomized phase II trial (NCT00637975) evaluating activity and toxicity of fixed dose of oxycodone and increasing dose of pregabalin versus increasing dose of oxycodone and fixed dose of pregabalin for the treatment of oncological neuropathic pain (NEUROPAIN-01)
Marina Garassino, Milan, Italy

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Dorothy M. K. Keefe, Adelaide, Australia
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ESMO/JSMO Joint Symposium. Biomarkers and selected therapeutics in lung and gastrointestinal cancer

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- 14.00 Recent progress in JSMO and society activities
Kazuo Tamura, Fukuoka, Japan
- 14.05 EGFR-TKI for EGFR mutated NSCLC: New evidence
Isamu Okamoto, Osaka, Japan
- 14.25 Anti-HER2 and angiogenesis inhibitors for gastric cancer: Updated results
Atsushi Ohtsu, Kashiwa, Japan
- 14.45 Predictive biomarkers in the treatment of advanced colorectal cancer
Josep Tabernero, Barcelona, Spain
- 15.05 The immediate future of customized treatment in lung cancer
Rafael Rosell, Badalona, Barcelona, Spain
- 15.25 Conclusions
David J. Kerr, Oxford, UK

14.15–15.45 **Gold Hall**

Educational session

Early-stage NSCLC: Challenges in staging and adjuvant treatment

Chair: Thierry Le Chevalier, Villejuif, France

Co-Chair: Paul Baas, Amsterdam, Netherlands

- 14.15 Evidence-based staging
Johan Vansteenkiste, Leuven, Belgium
- 14.45 Adjuvant chemotherapy: Where is it going?
Thierry Le Chevalier, Villejuif, France
- 15.15 Do we have markers to select patients for adjuvant therapies?
Krzysztof Konopa, Gdansk, Poland

14.15–15.45 **Silver Hall**

Educational session

Challenging issues in ovarian cancer

Chair: Jonathan Ledermann, London, UK

Co-Chair: Cristiana Sessa, Bellinzona, Switzerland

- 14.15 How can proteomic profiling guide us in selecting therapy?
Elise Kohn, Bethesda, MD, USA

- 14.45 The addition of new drugs to standard therapy in the first-line treatment of ovarian cancer
Michael Bookman, Tucson, AZ, USA
- 15.15 Optimal treatment for relapsing ovarian cancer
Jonathan Ledermann, London, UK

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Special Session

Chronic Disease Alliance: A time to work across specialties

Chair: Hans-Jörg Senn, St. Gallen, Switzerland

16.00 Introduction

Hans-Jörg Senn, St. Gallen, Switzerland

16.05 Reducing mortality — prevention and treatment

Richard Peto, Oxford, UK

16.25 Cardioncology – An alliance for prevention and treatment

Roberto Ferrari, Ferrara, Italy

16.45 Diabetes and cancers

Ulf Smith, Gothenburg, Sweden

17.05 The burden of chronic respiratory diseases in Europe

Nikolaos Siafakas, Heraklion-Crete, Greece

17.25 Conclusions

David J. Kerr, Oxford, UK

17.30–19.30 **Blue Hall**

ESMO Examination 2010



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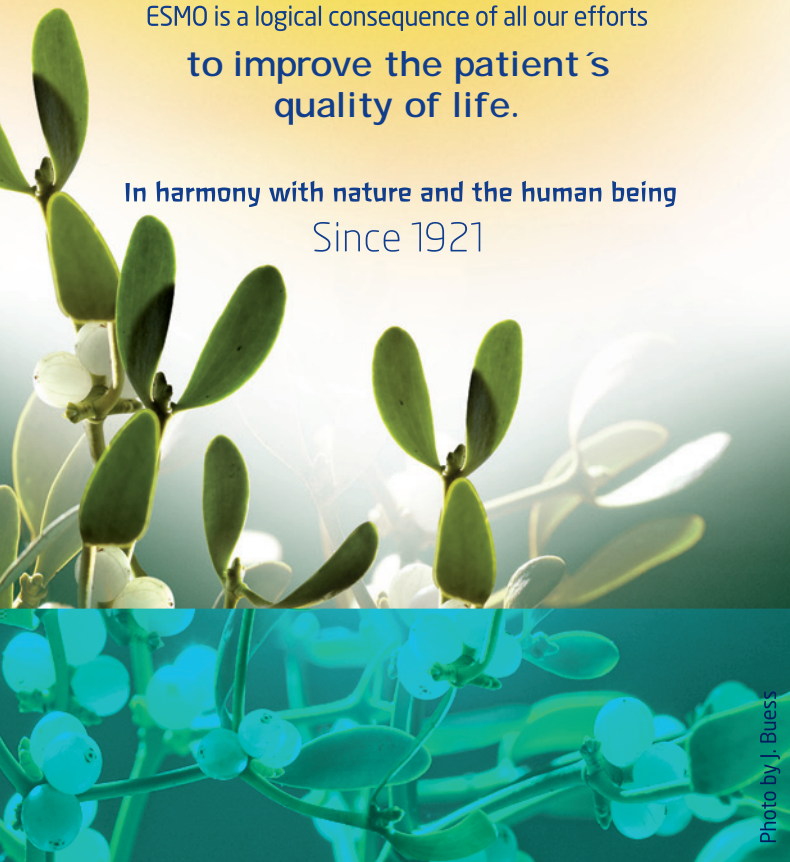


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8th ESMO Patient Seminar

15.00–15.10 **Red Hall**

Introduction

15.00 Lorenz Jost, Bruderholz, Switzerland

15.05 Francesco De Lorenzo, Rome, Italy

15.10–16.40 **Red Hall**

Cancer: We all care and share

Co-Chairs: Francesco De Lorenzo, Rome, Italy and TBC

15.10 The status of cancer in Europe now
Andrea Micheli, Milan, Italy

15.25 What the European Union can do for patients
Alojz Peterle, Brussels, Belgium

15.40 What cancer advocacy groups can do for patients
Jan Geissler, Riemerling, Germany

15.55 General Discussion

16.40–17.10

Coffee break

17.10–18.40 **Red Hall**

Understanding new methods and new treatments of cancer

Co-Chairs: Roberto Labianca, Bergamo, Italy and
Elisabetta Iannelli, Rome, Italy

17.10 Targeted therapy: A general overview
Manfred Kaufmann, Witten, Germany

17.30 My life with targeted therapy
Elisabetta Iannelli, Rome, Italy

17.40 Targeted therapy: Hope or hype
Jean-Charles Soria, Villejuif, France

18.00 Participation in phase I studies
Silvia Marsoni, Milan, Italy

18.20 General Discussion

SATURDAY

Breast cancer, advanced

Chair: Fatima Cardoso, Lisbon, Portugal

287P – The impact of educational material (EM) on compliance and persistence rates with adjuvant aromatase inhibitor (AI) treatment: First year data, presented on behalf of the CARIATIDE study investigators
Christos Markopoulos, Athens, Greece

288P – Phase I study of S-1 plus trastuzumab combination therapy in human epidermal-growth receptor 2-positive metastatic breast cancer
Tsutomu Takashima, Osaka, Japan

289P – Trastuzumab-based therapy after disease progression following lapatinib and capecitabine in HER2-positive (HER2+) metastatic breast cancer (MBC)
Giulio Metro, Rome, Italy

290P – Level of HER2/neu gene (HER2) amplification in primary and metastatic sites in HER2-positive metastatic breast cancer and response to trastuzumab(T)-based therapy
Giuseppe Gullo, Dublin, Ireland

291P – Lapatinib (L) plus capecitabine (C) in HER2-positive metastatic breast cancer (MBC): An exploratory analysis of overall survival (OS) based on poststudy therapy
Eleni Stergiou, Thessaloniki, Greece

292P – Evaluation of neratinib (HKI-272) and paclitaxel pharmacokinetics (PK) in Asian and caucasian patients with ErbB2+ breast cancer: A Phase I/II study of neratinib in combination with paclitaxel
Richat Abbas, Collegeville, PA, USA

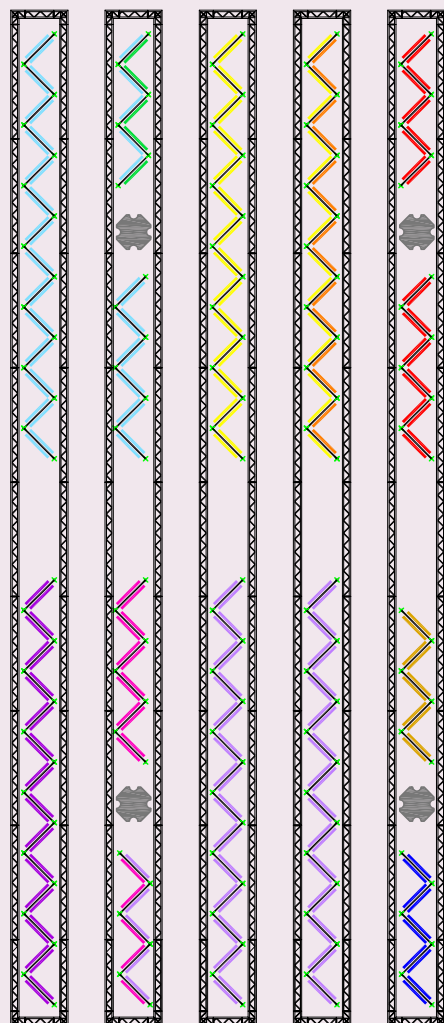
293P – HER-2 status correlation between primary breast cancer and corresponding distant metastatic sites
Isabel Frahm, Buenos Aires, Argentina

294P – Australian breast cancer patients enrolled in the lapatinib expanded access program (LEAP)
Jodi Lynch, Kogarah, Australia

295P – Trastuzumab (T) tolerability and activity in HER2+ metastatic breast cancer (MBC) patients (pts) aged ≥65 years
Alessandra Bernardi, Bologna, Italy

296P – Neoadjuvant chemotherapy (NAC) with docetaxel and liposome-encapsulated doxorubicin in locally advanced HER2-breast cancer (LABC)
Marco Merlano, Cuneo, Italy

297P – Taxane-based treatment options for patients with HER2-positive advanced breast cancer: Results of an observational study
Mahmut Gümüş, Istanbul, Turkey



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Gastrointestinal tumors
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Genitourinary tumors
Geriatric oncology

GI and neuroendocrine tumors
Health services and public health
Melanoma
Prevention and screening
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298P – A phase 1 study of neratinib (HKI-272) in combination with paclitaxel in Japanese patients with solid tumors
Yoshinori Ito, Tokyo, Japan

299P – Ixabepilone (Ixa) and capecitabine (C) in patients (pts) with triple-negative breast cancer (TNBC): A retrospective analysis of phase II and phase III clinical studies
Henri Roché, Toulouse, France

300P – Sorafenib (SOR) plus capecitabine (CAP) in patients (pts) with triple-negative (TN) advanced breast cancer (BC): Subgroup analysis of SOLTI-0701, a double-blind, randomised, placebo (PL)-controlled phase IIb study
Henri Roché, Toulouse, France

301P – Paclitaxel (P) and bevacizumab (Bev), as first-line chemotherapy, in patients with HER2-negative metastatic breast cancer (MBC). The Hellenic Cooperative Oncology Group experience with biomarker evaluation
Helen Kourea, Patras, Greece

302P – Updated results from a large, multicentre study of 1st-line bevacizumab (Bev) combined with paclitaxel (Pac) for HER2-negative metastatic breast cancer (mBC) in routine oncology practice
Frank Förster, Chemnitz, Germany

303P – High prevalence and poor prognosis of triple negative tumors in Hispanic patients with breast cancer
Monika Blake, Mexico City, Mexico

304P – Safety and efficacy of maintenance bevacizumab in HER2-negative metastatic breast cancer
Michelangelo Russillo, Rome, Italy

305P – Sequential vinorelbine (VNR)/capecitabine (CAP) combination followed by metronomic CAP as first-line treatment in HER2-negative metastatic breast cancer (MBC): Prospective evaluation of activity, safety and quality of life
Raffaella Palumbo, Pavia, Italy

306P – Meta-analysis of randomized clinical trials (RCTs) exploring single agent chemotherapy (SACH) versus multi-agent chemotherapy (MACH) in addition to trastuzumab (T) for HER-2-overexpressing advanced breast cancer (ABC): What is the most appropriate comparator?
Isabella Sperduti, Rome, Italy

307P – Neo-adjuvant chemotherapy (NACT) in hormonal receptor positive (HR+) or triple negative (TN) operable breast cancer (BC): A randomized study comparing standard to response-adapted sequence
Herve Cure, Reims, France

308P – Capecitabine (X) in advanced breast cancer in the real life setting – First 12-month results from the ELIXIR cohort
Phillipe Dalivoust, Marseille, France

309P – Factors affecting survival in patients given multiple lines of chemotherapy (CT) for metastatic breast cancer (MBC): What do we gain beyond the third-line?
Giovanni Bernardo, Pavia, Italy

310P – A qualitative systematic review of the evidence base for non cross-resistance between steroidal and non-steroidal aromatase inhibitors (AIs) in metastatic breast cancer
Jayeta Chakrabarti, Surrey, UK

311P – Male breast cancer: About 127 cases collected at the National Institute of Oncology from 1985 to 2007
Mouna Bourhafour, Rabat, Morocco

312P – Oral chemotherapy to optimize care of metastatic breast cancer (MBC) patients: Considering women's preference and quality of life (QoL)
Maria Strada, Pavia, Italy

313P – Indirect comparison and UK cost-effectiveness analysis of paclitaxel albumin vs docetaxel for pretreated metastatic breast cancer
Francois Prunieras, Paris, France

314P – Interim analysis of the German non-interventional post marketing surveillance study (NIS) on Quality of Life (QoL) of capecitabine in patients with metastatic breast cancer (MBC)
Matthias Zaiss, Freiburg, Germany

315P – A retrospective survey of systemic anticancer therapy in women with metastatic breast cancer (MBC) in Belgium
Christel Fontaine, Brussels, Belgium

316P – Implication of breast cancer phenotype in patients with leptomeningeal carcinomatosis
Davis Torrejon, Barcelona, Spain

317P – To detect the expression of cytokeratin 19 in peripheral blood of patients with breast cancer and its clinical significance
Xiu Dong, Dalian, China

318P – Serum IL-8 as a prognostic marker for triple negative advanced breast cancer
Gouri Shankar Bhattacharyya, Kolkata, India

319P – A clinico-pathological analysis of breast cancer patients with a family history
Yukie Yoda, Chuo-ku, Tokyo, Japan

320P – Ixabepilone (Ixa)-associated peripheral neuropathy (PN): Retrospective review of data from phase II and III clinical trials
Linda Vahdat, New York, NY, USA

321P – Vinflunine after failure of a first-line vinorelbine based chemotherapy in advanced breast cancer: Results of a phase II multicentre study
P. Bougnoux, Tours, France

322P – A phase I-II study of dasatinib (D) in combination with weekly (w) paclitaxel (P) for patients (pts) with metastatic breast carcinoma (MBC)

Monica Fornier, New York, NY, USA

323P – Population pharmacokinetic-pharmacodynamic (PK/PD) analysis of safety and efficacy of eribulin in metastatic or locally advanced breast cancer patients

Ziad Hussein, Hatfield, UK

324P – Effectiveness of taxane monotherapy (TM) and taxane combination (TC) treatment in patients with advanced breast cancer

Mutlu Demiray, Osmangazi-Bursa, Turkey

325P – Increasing role of metastasectomy in metastatic breast cancer patients: Who benefits more?

Fatih Selcukbiricik, Istanbul, Turkey

327P – Neoadjuvant chemotherapy with GM- or G-CSF:

Differential effects on dendritic cell subsets in patients with locally advanced breast cancer

Hester van Cruisen, Amsterdam, Netherlands

328P – Intrathecal chemotherapy (ITCT) improves prognosis in leptomeningeal carcinomatosis (LC) from breast cancer (BC): A single institution experience

Mafalda Oliveira, Lisboa, Portugal

329P – Does obesity hamper response to trastuzumab (T) in postmenopausal patients (pts) with metastatic breast cancer (MBC)?

I. Nuñez, Barcelona, Spain

717P – An Interim analysis of a phase II, open-label, multi-center, prospective study of paclitaxel plus capecitabine with subsequent capecitabine maintenance as first-line treatment in advanced gastric cancer

Xiaotian Zhang, Beijing, China

718P – Biweekly docetaxel, fluorouracil, leucovorin, oxaliplatin (TFOX) for advanced gastric and oesophageal adenocarcinoma (AGEC). Tolerance and response in 38 patients: Preliminary report

Simon Pernot, Malakoff, France

719P – Phase II study of weekly paclitaxel, cisplatin, and 5-fluorouracil (PCF) for advanced gastric cancer

Kazuhiro Nishikawa, Osaka, Japan

720P – Retrospective study regarding the efficacy of 2nd or higher line chemotherapy of patients in advanced or recurrent gastric cancer (ARGC) after the failure of S-1 or S-1 combination chemotherapy (S+)

Kazuma Kobayashi, Kochi City, Japan

721P – Triplet combination of capecitabine plus oxaliplatin and irinotecan in the treatment of patients with previously untreated advanced gastric cancer (AGC)

Elena Franceschelli, Milan, Italy

722P – Survival benefit associated with fluoropyrimidines, platinum agents, taxanes, and irinotecan during all lines of treatment in patients with advanced gastric cancer

Kohei Shitara, Nagoya, Japan

723P – Phase 2 study of telatinib in combination with capecitabine and cisplatin as first-line treatment in patients with advanced cancer of the stomach or gastro-oesophageal junction (GEJ)

Maria Alsina, Barcelona, Spain

724P – Prognostic significance of free peritoneal tumor cells (FPTCs) in the peritoneal cavity before and after neoadjuvant chemotherapy in patients with gastric carcinoma undergoing a potentially curative resection

Sylvie Lorenzen, Heidelberg, Germany

725P – Phase II study of everolimus in patients with advanced gastric cancer refractory to chemotherapy including fluoropyrimidine and platinum

Dok Hyun Yoon, Seoul, South Korea

726P – Helicobacter pylori infection as an independent prognostic factor for locally advanced gastric cancer patients treated with adjuvant chemotherapy after curative resection

Seok Yun Kang, Suwon, South Korea

727P – Expression of BAX predicts outcome in advanced gastric cancer patients treated with 5-fluorouracil and platinum palliative chemotherapy

Seong Hyun Jeong, Suwon, South Korea

Gastrointestinal tumors

Chair: TBC

713P – Randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled, multicentre phase III study of capecitabine / cisplatin + bevacizumab (bev) or placebo (pl) as 1st-line therapy in patients (pts) with advanced gastric cancer (AGC) (AVAGAST update)

Eric Van Cutsem, Leuven, Belgium

714P – Novel chemotherapy combinations in advanced gastric cancer: An updated meta-analysis

Anna Dorothea Wagner, Lausanne, Switzerland

715P – Epirubicin (E) in combination with cisplatin (CDDP) and capecitabine (C) versus docetaxel (D) combined with 5-fluorouracil (5-FU) by continuous infusion (C.I.) as front-line therapy in patients with advanced gastric cancer (AGC): Preliminary results of a randomised phase II trial of the Gruppo Oncologico dell'Italia Meridionale

Nicola Silvestris, Bari, Italy

716P – mFOLFOX-4 followed by mFOLFIRI or the reverse sequence in metastatic gastric cancer

Suee Lee, Busan, South Korea

728P – microRNA-196b and microRNA-363 were identified as gastric cancer specific microRNAs in human gastric cancer tissue using microarray experiment

Jae Yong Cho, Seoul, South Korea

729P – mRNA expression of BRCA1, RAP80 and SUMO ligases (PIAS1 and PIAS4) and survival in gastric cancer patients (p) receiving second-line docetaxel (doc)

Jia Wei, Nanjing, China

730P – SUVmax of F-18 FDG-PET/CT in advanced gastric cancer with tubular adenocarcinoma: Correlation with pathologic findings including immunohistochemical staining

Hong-Suk Song, Daegu, South Korea

731P – Predictive factors for adjuvant therapy in patients with localized gastric & gastro-esophageal junction (G/GEJ) cancer: A population based study
Shahid Ahmed, Saskatoon, SK, Canada

732P – Prognostic impact of immunohistochemical expression of Ki-67 in patient with advanced gastric cancer who underwent curative resection

Uhm Doyung, Incheon, South Korea

733P – Predictive significance of preoperative peripheral blood values for stage T4 gastric cancer
Masaki Aizawa, Kashiwa, Japan

734P – Survival benefit of gastrectomy ± metastasectomy in metastatic gastric cancer patients receiving chemotherapy

Ki Hwan Kim, Seoul, South Korea

735P – 10-year follow-up of gastric submucosal tumors
Akira Sawaki, Nagoya, Japan

736P – Development of a comprehensive registry of gastrointestinal stromal tumor (GIST) patients (pts) in Eastern Ontario

Esmeralda Marginean, Ottawa, ON, Canada

737P – Cost-effectiveness of adjuvant imatinib in patients with surgically resected localized gastrointestinal stromal tumors (GIST): Canadian societal perspective

Vivek Pawar, Medford, OR, USA

738P – Patient preferences for reducing toxicities of treatments for gastrointestinal stromal tumor (GIST): A conjoint analysis study

Juan Marcos Gonzalez, Research Triangle Park, NC, USA

739P – Randomized cross-over AIO phase III trial comparing gemcitabine plus erlotinib followed by capecitabine vs. capecitabine plus erlotinib followed by gemcitabine in advanced pancreatic cancer

Stefan Boeck, Munich, Germany

740P – 5-fluorouracil/leucovorin (5FU/LV) combined with irinotecan and oxaliplatin (FOLFIRINOX) as second-line chemotherapy in patients with metastatic pancreatic adenocarcinoma

Elias Assaf, Créteil, France

741P – Conatumumab (CON) or AMG 479 or placebo (pbo) + gemcitabine (GEM) in patients (pts) with metastatic pancreatic cancer (mPC): A placebo-controlled, randomized, phase II study
Hedy Kindler, Chicago, IL, USA

742P – A prospective, randomized, double-blind, placebo controlled, group sequential trial of Polyclonal Antibody Stimulator (PAS) for the treatment of advanced pancreatic cancer

J. Oortgiesen, Research Triangle Park, NC, USA

743P – Results of a phase I/II study of nab-paclitaxel plus gemcitabine in patients with advanced pancreatic cancer with SPARC and CA19-9 correlatives
Ramesh Ramanathan, Scottsdale, AZ, USA

744P – Efficacy of continuous infused 5-fluorouracil, doxorubicin, and mitomycin (iFAM) in the treatment of gemcitabine-pretreated pancreatic cancer and analysis of prognostic factors in salvage setting
Kyu-Hyoung Lim, Seoul, South Korea

745P – Gemcitabine (G) fixed rate dose infusion (FDR) plus erlotinib (E) in patients with advanced pancreatic cancer (APC)
Alberto Muñoz, Baracaldo, Spain

746P – A prognostic model to identify patients with advanced pancreas adenocarcinoma who could benefit from second-line chemotherapy

Seung Taek Kim, Cheonan, South Korea

747P – Evaluation of progression-free survival (PFS) by blinded independent central review (BICR) in patients (pts) with progressive, well-differentiated pancreatic neuroendocrine tumours (NET) treated with sunitinib (SU) or placebo

Eric Van Cutsem, Leuven, Belgium

748P – Therapeutic synergism of lapatinib and NVP-AEW541 against human pancreatic tumour cells
Adela Mazo, Barcelona, Spain

749P – Potentiation of gemcitabine effects with a cetuximab and trastuzumab combination in a novel human pancreatic orthotopic model

Anna Vidal-Pla, Barcelona, Spain

750P – Efficacy and safety of sorafenib (Sor) in patients (pts) with advanced hepatocellular carcinoma (HCC): Subgroup analyses of the SHARP and Asia-Pacific (AP) trials by baseline (BL) transaminase (ALT/AST)/alpha-fetoprotein (AFP) and bilirubin (Bil) levels

Jean-Luuc Raoul, Rennes, France

751P – Quality of life assessment with combined EORTC QLQ-C30 and EORTC-HCC18 as a prognostic factor for patients with hepatocellular carcinoma: A prospective study

Leung Li, Shatin, Hong Kong, China

752P – Preliminary pharmacokinetics (PK) and safety comparison of Child-Pugh A (CPA) vs. Child-Pugh B (CPB) patients (pts) enrolled in a phase II study in hepatocellular carcinoma (HCC)

Justin Ricker, Abbott Park, IL, USA

753P – Efficacy and tolerability of bevacizumab (B) and erlotinib (E) as first-line therapy in Asian patients (pts) with advanced hepatocellular carcinoma (HCC): A phase II trial

Chih-Hung Hsu, Taipei, Taiwan

754P – Management and cancer outcomes of secondary malignancies following liver transplantation

Hilary Martin, Bedford Park, Australia

755P – Second-line chemotherapy with fluorouracil, leucovorin, and irinotecan (FOLFIRI regimen) in patients with advanced small bowel adenocarcinoma after failure of first-line platinum-based chemotherapy: A multicenter AGEO study

Thomas Aparicio, Bobigny, France

756P – Alcohol, tobacco, and risk of gastrointestinal (GI) cancers

Arthur Klatsky, Oakland, CA, USA

883P – Baseline cardiovascular risk factors predict cardiovascular (CV) events during androgen deprivation therapy (ADT) with degarelix

Laurence Klotz, Toronto, ON, Canada

884P – Circulating tumor cells (CTC) and prostate-specific antigen (PSA) as response indicator biomarkers in chemotherapy-naïve patients with progressive castration-resistant prostate cancer (CRPC) treated with MDV3100

Mohammad Hirmand, San Francisco, CA, USA

885P – First results of high-intensity focused ultrasound for localized and locally advanced hormone-resistant prostate cancer

Vyacheslav Solovov, Samara, Russian Federation

886P – Immune vs. clinical response monitoring in patients with metastatic hormone-refractory prostate cancer receiving combined Prostate GVAX and anti-CTLA4 immunotherapy

Winald Gerritsen, Amsterdam, Netherlands

887P – Radium-223 chloride, a novel, highly targeted alpha-pharmaceutical for treatment of bone metastases from castration-resistant prostate cancer (CRPC): Hematologic and safety profile with repeated dosing

Christopher Parker, Surrey, UK

888P – A phase II prospective study of ketoconazole in castration-resistant prostate cancer patients (CRPC)

Elena Verzoni, Milan, Italy

889P – Hot flushes (HF) during androgen deprivation therapy: Direct comparison of monthly degarelix and leuprolide in a phase 3 trial

Peter Iversen, Copenhagen, Denmark

890P – Neutral endopeptidase (NEP) and endothelin 1 (ET-1) are inversely expressed in hormone-naïve prostate cancer and are predictors of biochemical failure from radical prostatectomy

Panagiotis Vlachostergios, Larissa, Greece

891P – Incidence of cancer treatment-induced bone loss (CTIBL) in non-osteoporotic men with prostate cancer (PC) receiving androgen deprivation therapy (ADT) and efficacy of treatment with zoledronic acid (ZOL): Results from the ROBUST bone mineral density (BMD) sub-study

Tim van den Wyngaert, Edegem, Belgium

892P – The influence of family history of breast and prostate cancer on prostate cancer diagnoses in the REDuction by DUTasteride of prostate Cancer Events (REDUCE) study

Ramiro Castro, Raleigh-Durham, NC, USA

893P – Effects of switching from leuprolide to degarelix on long-term prostate-specific antigen (PSA) and serum alkaline phosphatase (S-ALP) control

Bo-Eric Persson, St. Prex, Switzerland

Genitourinary tumors

Co-Chairs: Maria De Santis, Vienna, Austria and Thomas Powles, London, UK

879P – Reduction in surgical and non-surgical interventions for prostate cancer with Dutasteride Treatment in the REDuction by DUTasteride of prostate Cancer Events (REDUCE) study

Roger Rittmaster, Raleigh-Durham, NC, USA

880P – Integrated safety results from 4 randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled studies of sipuleucel-T

Mark Frohlich, Seattle, WA, USA

881P – An open-label phase II study of treatment with sunitinib in patients suffering from metastatic castrated refractory prostate cancer (CRPC) after progression with docetaxel-based regimen

Stephane Oudard, Paris, France

882P – Cetuximab in combination with docetaxel in patients (pts) with metastatic castration resistant (mCRPC) and docetaxel-refractory prostate cancer: Final analysis of the multicenter phase II trial SAKK 08/07

Richard Cathomas, Chur, Switzerland

894P – Pharmacogenomic profile of castration-resistant prostate cancer: The influence of AR +1733 G>A and SHBG +5790 G>A polymorphisms
Marta Sousa, Porto, Portugal

895P – Adjuvant effect of IV clodronate on delay of bone metastasis in high-risk prostate cancer patients: A prospective study
Paulo Rodrigues, São Paulo, Brazil

896P – A multi-institutional phase II study of single agent ABI-007 in platinum refractory urothelial carcinoma
Yoo-Joung Ko, Toronto, ON, Canada

897P – Carboplatin and gemcitabine in elderly and/or frail patients (pts) with advanced transitional cell carcinoma (TCC): A phase II study
Abdelbari Baitar, Antwerp, Belgium

898P – Accelerated MVAC chemotherapy in patients with advanced bladder cancer pretreated with platinum-gemcitabine regimens
Julien Edeline, Rennes, France

899P – The combination of DNA repair gene polymorphisms significantly affect the risk of bladder cancer in population of Southwest China
Zhiwen Chen, Chongqing, China

900P – Multicenter Phase II study of sunitinib in patients with transitional cell carcinoma of the urothelium (TCCU) who failed or progressed after first-line chemotherapy (CT) for locally advanced or metastatic disease. Preliminary results
Christine Theodore, Saint-Cloud, France

901P – A phase II study of paclitaxel, ifosfamide and nedaplatin as a second-line treatment in patients with cisplatin-refractory metastatic urothelial cancer
Hiroshi Kitamura, Sapporo, Japan

902P – Key predictive factors of axitinib (AG-013736)-induced proteinuria and efficacy: A Japanese phase II study in patients with cytokine-refractory metastatic renal cell cancer (mRCC)
Yoshihiko Tomita, Yamagata, Japan

903P – Microbubble ultrasound compared to dynamic contrast MRI and CT for the assessment of vascular response to sunitinib in renal cell carcinoma
Georg Bjarnason, Toronto, Canada

904P – Incidence and management of hepatic toxicity in pazopanib-treated patients
Vicki Goodman, Collegeville, PA, USA

905P – Sorafenib safety over time in >4600 patients with renal cell carcinoma (RCC): Insights from an integrated database of 8 company-sponsored trials
Timothy Eisen, Cambridge, UK

906P – Sorafenib in older patients with advanced renal cell carcinoma: Subanalysis by age of an integrated database of 8 company-sponsored clinical trials
Giuseppe Procopio, Milan, Italy

907P – Axitinib pharmacokinetics and blood pressure changes in front-line metastatic renal cell carcinoma (RCC) patients
Mayer Fishman, Tampa, FL, USA

908P – Are TKIs still active in patients treated with TKI and everolimus? Experience from 36 patients treated in France in the RECORD 1 trial
Aurore Blesius, Villejuif, France

909P – Serum thrombospondin-1 (TSP-1), basic-fibroblast growth factor (B-FGF), vascular endothelial growth factor (VEGF) and VEGF receptor-2 (VEGFR-2) as predictive factors for sorafenib plus interferon-2a (IFN) in metastatic renal cell carcinoma (mRCC): Biologic results from the “RAPSODY” randomized phase II trial
Sergio Bracarda, Arezzo, Italy

910P – Second-line treatment with pazopanib following first-line sunitinib or bevacizumab in advanced renal cell carcinoma: Preliminary results of a phase II trial
John Hainsworth, Nashville, TN, USA

911P – Phase 3 RECORD-1 study of everolimus in metastatic renal cell carcinoma (mRCC): Subgroup analysis of patients (pts) with 1 versus 2 prior vascular endothelial growth factor receptor-tyrosine kinase inhibitor (VEGFR-TKI) therapies
Emiliano Calvo, Madrid, Spain

912P – Bevacizumab (B) plus immunotherapy (IT) plus chemotherapy (C) (BIC) in metastatic renal cell cancer (mRCC): Results and evaluation of circulating T-regulatory cells (TREG) and other cytokines. A GOIRC study
Rodolfo Passalacqua, Cremona, Italy

913P – Clinical outcome of Asian vs. non-Asian patients with metastatic renal cell carcinoma (mRCC) with continuous once-daily dosing of sunitinib as first-line therapy
Carlos Barrios, Porto Alegre, Brazil

914P – Comparative outpatient resource utilization study of metastatic renal cell carcinoma patients receiving oral vs. intravenous mTOR inhibitors
Zhimei Liu, East Hanover, NJ, USA

915P – Trough PK concentration, age of patient, and baseline ALT are important factors in predicting ALT elevations in pazopanib treated mRCC patients
Lini Pandite, Research Triangle Park, NC, USA

916P – Sorafenib (Sor) dosage patterns in >4600 patients (pts) with renal cell carcinoma (RCC), including the elderly and pts treated for >12 months (mo): Results from an integrated database of 8 company-sponsored trials
Carsten Bokemeyer, Hamburg, Germany

917P – Zoledronic acid (ZOL) reduces the incidence of skeletal-related event (SREs) and may improve survival in patients with bone metastases (mets) from renal cell carcinoma (RCC): A retrospective integrated analysis
Dror Michaelson, Boston, MA, USA

918P – Sequential therapy in metastatic renal cell carcinoma – simulation and comparison of progression-free-survival outcomes
Gerald Mickisch, Bremen, Germany

919P – Targeted therapy in first-line therapy of metastatic renal cell cancer (mRCC): Systematic review with meta-analysis (SRMA)
Flavio Carcano, Sao Paulo, Brazil

920P – mTOR Inhibition and renal cell carcinoma; a comparison between sirolimus and temsirolimus
Jim Barber, Cardiff, UK

921P – Bone metastasis in clear cell renal cell carcinoma: a predictive factor for outcome on sunitinib in retrospective analysis
Benoit Beuselink, Paris, France

922P – An Italian multicentre retrospective analysis of 189 advanced renal-cell carcinoma patients treated sequentially, either with sorafenib followed by sunitinib, or vice versa
Camillo Porta, Pavia, Italy

923P – Thyroid-stimulating hormone (TSH) levels in patients with metastatic renal cell cancer treated with sunitinib
Theofanis Vassileiadis, Thessaloniki, Greece

924P – Baseline quality of life as a prognostic tool of median survival in patients receiving sunitinib for metastatic renal cell carcinoma
David Cella, Chicago, IL, USA

925P – An adjusted indirect comparison of everolimus and sorafenib therapy in sunitinib-refractory mRCC patients using a robust matching technique
Giuseppe Di Lorenzo, Naples, Italy

926P – A phase II study of safety and efficacy of temsirolimus (CCI-779) administered as a single agent in East Asian patients with advanced renal cell carcinoma
Yan Sun, Beijing, China

927P – Cost-effectiveness of treating metastatic renal cell carcinoma (mRCC) patients whose disease failed on VEGF-TKI therapies with everolimus compared to treating with best supportive care (BSC) alone: A Canadian societal perspective
Khalid El Ouagari, Dorval, QC, Canada

928P – PREDICT global non-interventional study: baseline characteristics of RCC patients treated with sorafenib
Dirk Jäger, Heidelberg, Germany

929P – Randomized, placebo-controlled, phase III study of everolimus in patients with metastatic renal cell carcinoma (mRCC): Subgroup analysis of patients intolerant of prior vascular endothelial growth factor receptor-tyrosine kinase inhibitor (VEGFR-TKI) therapy
Sergio Bracarda, Arezzo, Italy

930P – Patient preferences for targeted agents in renal cell carcinoma (RCC): A benefit risk conjoint study
Ateesha Mohamed, Research Triangle Park, NC, USA

931P – The outcome of patients who fail sunitinib and do not have access to sunitinib therapy
Emilio Poffiri, Birmingham, UK

932P – Incidence, time and mode of detection of testis cancer (TC) relapses: Retrospective analysis of a single-institution cohort on a uniform follow-up program
Mark Bachner, Vienna, Austria

933P – Teratoma with malignant differentiation in male germ-cell tumors (GCT): Updated results from a single institution series and future perspectives
Andrea Necchi, Milan, Italy

934P – Salvage chemotherapy (CT) of patients (pts) with late-relapse metastatic germ cell tumor (mGCT): Single institute experience
Mikhail Fedyanin, Moscow, Russian Federation

935P – Increased age is associated with thromboembolic events in patients with germ cell tumors treated with chemotherapy
Maria Luengo, Murcia, Spain

936P – Updated results of adjuvant carboplatin (carbo AUC 7 and 7.7) in stage I seminoma (sem) of the testis from the BOC Oncology Centre
Marios Decatris, Nicosia, Cyprus

937P – Salvage chemotherapy with high dose chemotherapy and peripheral blood stem cell transplant in patients with germ cell tumors
Ignacio Garcia-Escobar, Madrid, Spain

938P – Updated results of the combination of paclitaxel, cisplatin and gemcitabine (TPG) followed by surgery as third-line therapy for male germ cell tumors
Andrea Necchi, Milan, Italy

939P – A combination of cisplatin and 5-fluorouracil plus a taxane for advanced squamous-cell carcinoma (SCC) of the penis. A single institution series
Andrea Necchi, Milan, Italy

Geriatric oncology

Chair: Riccardo Audisio, Liverpool, UK

576P – Treatment of lymphoma in the elderly – toxicities and outcomes

Louise Fullam, Dublin, Ireland

577P – Multiple tumors in elderly patients: Epidemiology and survival in a single center experience

Antonella Brunello, Padova, Italy

578P – 2-year tolerance of adjuvant trastuzumab for early breast cancer occurring in elderly: A companion study of the GERICO-06 phase II trial

Marc Debled, Bordeaux, France

579P – Cancer in an Italian nursing home

Claudia D'Alessandro, Milan, Italy

Health services and public health

Chair: TBC

1094P – Rare cancers in Europe

Gemma Gatta, Milan, Italy

1095P – Cancer registry integration in the Umbria Regional Cancer Network: Breast cancer as a model to build a supportive information system

Fabrizio Stracci, Perugia, Italy

1096P – A review of data collected on non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC) patients in cancer registries, databases, retrospective and non-randomized prospective studies

Henrik Finnern, Ingelheim, Germany

1097P – Development of a multi-centric assessment tool for measuring and improving standardised organisation and provision of care in cancer structures

Mahasti Saghatchian, Villejuif, France

1098P – Integrated care pathways (ICPs) for non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC) patients (Pts): A multidisciplinary quality improvement project

Simona Rizzato, Udine, Italy

1099P – Patient (pt) reported symptoms of chemotherapy (chemo) and VEGFR/EGFR antibody therapies for the treatment of metastatic colorectal cancer (MCRC) in a US community-based oncology practice network

Elaine Yu, South San Francisco, CA, USA

1100P – What have we accomplished with targeted chemotherapy for incurable solid cancers?

Henry Conter, Edmonton, AB, Canada

1101P – Health resource utilization (HRU) associated with skeletal-related events (SREs) in patients (pts) with bone metastases (BM) – US interim analysis (IA) results from a multinational observational study

Peter Suenart, Uxbridge, UK

1102P – The Italian cross-sectional survey on the management of bone health in oncology: The ZETA study

Francesco Bertoldo, Verona, Italy

1103P – Long-term economic burden of cancer patients

Nobuo Koinuma, Sendai, Japan

1104P – Environmental contamination with cytotoxic drugs in the home setting in outpatients on cancer chemotherapy

Michiko Yuki, Fukushima, Japan

1105P – Reducing mortality rates related to capecitabine induced diarrhoea: Importance of clinical audit

Sindu Vivekanandan, Colchester, UK

1106P – Healthcare costs of second-line (2L) metastatic colorectal cancer (mCRC) patients treated with bevacizumab (BV) versus cetuximab (CX)

Yeunmi Yim, South San Francisco, CA, USA

1107P – Testing and treatment patterns in HER2+ breast cancer patients in the adjuvant setting

Deepa Lalla, South San Francisco, CA, USA

1108P – A new organizational model in the city of Milan has improved the best setting of care for terminal patients

Shela Piva, Milan, Italy

1109P – A survey on ethics committees reviewing cancer clinical trials in India

Mohandas K. Mallath, Mumbai, India

1110P – An awareness and screening programme of cervical cancer in rural West Bengal

Jayasri Basak, Kolkata, India

1111P – Darbepoetin alfa versus epoetin alfa for treatment of chemotherapy-induced anemia: A health economic evaluation

Jindrich Finek, Plzen, Czech Republic

1112P – Interactions with anticancer agents in clinical practice: More frequent than we imagine

Ariane Mouzon, Yvoir, Belgium

1113P – Clinical outcome of patients with cancer submitted to hemodialysis (HD) at the Brazilian National Cancer Institute (INCA)

Daniel Herchenhorn, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil

1114P – Cancer research is leading the way – A study of cancer publications in pivotal medical journals over the last two decades

Paul Barnfield, Toronto, ON, Canada

Melanoma

Chair: TBC

- 1326P** – Ipilimumab produces durable objective responses in patients with previously treated, advanced melanoma: Results from a phase III trial
Christian Ottensmeier, Southampton, UK
- 1327P** – Ipilimumab improves overall survival in patients with previously treated, advanced melanoma: Long-term survival results from a phase III trial
John Haanen, Amsterdam, Netherlands
- 1328P** – Health related quality of life (HRQL) outcomes of ipilimumab treatment in patients with previously treated unresectable stage III or IV melanoma (USIII/IV Mel)
Dennis Revicki, Bethesda, MD, USA
- 1329P** – Assessment of pharmacokinetic interaction between ipilimumab and chemotherapy in a randomized study
Jeffrey Weber, Tampa, FL, USA
- 1330P** – Re-induction with ipilimumab, gp100 peptide vaccine, or a combination of both in a phase III study of previously-treated patients with advanced melanoma: Update of clinical characteristics of patients
Caroline Robert, Villejuif, France
- 1331P** – Clinical response to ipilimumab: Effect of systemic corticosteroids used to manage immune-related adverse events (irAEs)
Paul Lorigan, Manchester, UK
- 1332P** – Long term survival of high risk melanoma patients immunized with an allogeneic whole cell genetically modified vaccine (AGI-101) after complete resection
Andrzej Mackiewicz, Poznan, Poland
- 1333P** – Toward the characterization of a genetic profile with prognostic value at CDKN2A locus in melanoma patients
Giuseppe Palmieri, Sassari, Italy
- 1334P** – Use of subcutaneous NGcGM3/VSSP vaccine in the treatment of advanced melanoma patients. A phase I/II clinical trial
Elias Gracia, Ciudad de la Habana, Cuba
- 1335P** – CTC biomarker assessment to aid dosing selection of E6201, a potential MEK1 inhibitor, for treatment of BRAF-mutated melanoma
Andrew Eisen, Woodcliff Lake, NJ, USA
- 1336P** – Cyclin dependent kinase 4 as a therapeutic target for metastatic melanoma
Thamir Mahgoub, Dublin, Ireland

1337P – The effects of patient and tumor characteristics and treatment modalities on prognosis of patients with uveal melanoma

Deniz Tural, Istanbul, Turkey

1338P – Histology and outcomes of newly detected lung lesions in malignant melanoma (MM) patients
Elizabeth Smyth, New York, NY, USA

1339P – Socio-economic status and education level influence Breslow thickness, disease free and overall survival in clinical stage I-II AJCC skin melanoma
Mario Mandalà, Bergamo, Italy

Neuroendocrine tumors and CUP

Chair: TBC

- 846P** – Phase III trial of sunitinib (SU) versus placebo (PBO) for treatment of pancreatic neuroendocrine tumors (NET): Impact of somatostatin analogue (SSA) treatment on progression-free survival (PFS)
Juan Valle, Manchester, UK
- 847P** – Sunitinib efficacy and tolerability in patients with neuroendocrine tumors out of a trial: A Spanish multicenter cohort
Jorge Barriuso, Madrid, Spain
- 848P** – mTOR activation in advanced neuroendocrine tumors in treatment with somatostatin analogues – a single center study
Isabel Fernandes, Lisboa, Portugal
- 849P** – mTOR expression analysis in lung and gastroenteropancreatic poorly differentiated endocrine carcinoma (PDEC)
Laura Catena, Milan, Italy
- 850P** – Sorafenib and bevacizumab combination targeted therapy in advanced neuroendocrine tumor: A phase II study of Spanish Neuroendocrine Tumor Group (GETNE-0801)
Daniel Castellano, Madrid, Spain
- 851P** – Utility of progression-free survival (PFS) as a primary endpoint in clinical studies of advanced neuroendocrine tumors (NET)
Simron Singh, Toronto, ON, Canada
- 852P** – Characteristics associated with health-related quality of life of patients with neuroendocrine tumor (NET)
James Yao, Houston, TX, USA
- 853P** – Prognostic and predictive value of chromogranin A and neuron-specific enolase in patients (pts) with advanced pancreatic neuroendocrine tumors (pNET) treated with everolimus
Kjell Öberg, Uppsala, Sweden

854P – Carcinoid & neuroendocrine tumor society of Singapore (CNETS) survey on delay in diagnosis of neuroendocrine tumors (NET)

W. Claxton, Singapore

855P – Neuroendocrine tumors: 20-years rare hormonal tumors group experience

Fernando Cirillo, Cremona, Italy

856P – A cost-consequence model for octreotide LAR as treatment for metastatic midgut NET

Sonia Pulgar, Florham Park, NJ, USA

857P – Diagnosis and management of metastatic malignant disease of unknown primary origin (MUP) – Large cancer centre experience

Syed Zubair, Leeds, UK

858P – Molecular profiling as a strategy to prospectively identify primary solid tumours in metastatic cancer patients

Evandro De Azambuja, Brussels, Belgium

1350P – Correlation of microRNA profile with kinase genotype in gastrointestinal stromal tumours (GISTs)

Maria Pantaleo, Bologna, Italy

1351P – Value of educational campaign to raise awareness of gastrointestinal stromal tumours (GIST) and its impact on the referral patterns in a tertiary referral cancer centre

Marios Decatris, Nicosia, Cyprus

1352P – Phase I dose-escalation study of imatinib mesylate (IM) associated with fixed dose of oral metronomic cyclophosphamide (MC) in selected tumors which may benefit from IM

Antoine Adenis, Lille, France

1353P – Neo-adjuvant chemotherapy with regional hyperthermia (RHT) for localized high-risk soft-tissue sarcoma (HR-STs) with abdominal/retroperitoneal location

Lars Lindner, Munich, Germany

1354P – No improvement of outcome with reduced vs. conventional high intensity conditioning for allogeneic stem cell transplants in Ewing tumor patients

Uwe Thiel, Munich, Germany

1355P – A retrospective analysis of trabectedin activity in pre-treated advanced Ewing sarcoma (ES): Experience in 31 patients

Palma Dileo, Milan, Italy

1356P – Clinical activity of gemcitabine-based chemotherapy in frail and/or heavily pre-treated patients with bone sarcomas

Olivier Mir, Paris, France

1357P – Does the mutation of Wnt occur in osteosarcomas?

Kanji Sasaki, Niigata-city, Japan

1358P – RNA expression of XPG, ERCC1 and BRCA1 in myxoid liposarcoma patients treated with neoadjuvant trabectedin

Alessandro Gronchi, Milan, Italy

1359P – Nonpegylated liposomal doxorubicin plus ifosfamide versus conventional doxorubicin plus ifosfamide in locally advanced or metastatic soft tissue sarcoma: Interim analysis of a randomized phase II trial

Maren Knoedler, Berlin, Germany

1360P – Gemcitabine in angiosarcoma

Silvia Stacchiotti, Milan, Italy

1361P – Activity of sunitinib in advanced soft tissue sarcoma and its correlation with potential predictive biomarkers

Lore Decoster, Brussels, Belgium

1362P – Treatment and outcomes in primary cardiac sarcoma: The IGR experience

Meryem Glaoui, Rabat, Morocco

Prevention and screening

Chair: TBC

1125P – Early detection program focusing on primary and secondary health care providers achieved major and sustainable reduction of late stage diagnosis of breast cancer

C. R. Beena Devi, Sarawak, Malaysia

1126P – An assessment of annual lung cancer screening in Yokohama: The 27 years' cumulative data

Yuki Misumi, Yokohama, Japan

1127P – A large, multicenter, retrospective epidemiological survey: The incidence and treatment of bone metastatic disease in Chinese cancer patients

Li Zhang, Guangzhou, China

1128P – Genetic testing of cancer predisposition and progression: Analysis of gene variations in tumor is required

Evgeny Denisov, Tomsk, Russian Federation

1129P – School health program to prevent tobacco use

Natia Jokhadze, Tbilisi, Georgia

Sarcoma

Chair: Paolo G. Casali, Milan, Italy

1348P – First-line treatment of patients with metastatic or unresectable gastrointestinal stromal tumors (GIST) with nilotinib

Peter Reichardt, Bad Saarow, Germany

1349P – Early evaluation of efficacy in molecularly targeted therapy of gastrointestinal stromal tumor

Toshirou Nishida, Osaka, Japan

1363P – Increased Dicer expression levels are associated with higher grades of leiomyosarcomas
Dionysios Papachristou, Rion Patras, Greece
1365P – Pulmonary artery sarcomas presenting as pulmonary hypertension: A review and discussion of further treatment
Ioannis Gounaris, Cambridge, UK

Upper gastrointestinal tumors

Chair: TBC

803P – Phase II study of induction treatment (IT) of cetuximab (Cet) with chemotherapy (docetaxel, cisplatin, 5FU –DCF-) followed by Cet with concurrent chemoradiotherapy (cisplatin) in patients (p) with locoregional oesophageal cancer (LROC). The TTD-06-02/ GICOR Spanish Cooperative Groups trial
Fernando Rivera, Santander, Spain
804P – Results of neoadjuvant chemoradiotherapy with docetaxel and 5-FU followed by esophagectomy for locally advanced esophageal cancer
Yoichi Hamai, Hiroshima, Japan
805P – Neoadjuvant therapy in esophageal carcinoma followed by a long interval until resection: A high incidence of complete pathological response
Rachel Blom, Heerlen, Netherlands
806P – Docetaxel, cisplatin and capecitabine (DCX) as perioperative chemotherapy in gastro-oesophageal adenocarcinoma. A phase II study of the Arbeitsgemeinschaft Internistische Onkologie AIO
Dmitry Bichev, Berlin, Germany
807P – Predictive factors in locally advanced squamous cell carcinoma (SCC) of the oesophagus treated with preoperative radiochemotherapy (RCT) and surgery
Michael Stahl, Essen, Germany
808P – Rationale and design of the GASTRANOX trial on a low-molecular-weight heparin [LMWH], enoxaparin, with chemotherapy vs. chemotherapy alone in inoperable gastric and gastro-oesophageal cancer
Ajay Kakkar, London, UK
809P – Does external ultrasonography of the neck add diagnostic value to integrated PET-CT scanning in the diagnosis of cervical metastases in patients with esophageal carcinoma?
Meindert Sosef, Heerlen, Netherlands
810P – Response and survival in oesophageal cancer patients following neoadjuvant chemotherapy assessed by FDG-PETCT imaging and correlation to pathologic response

Yogesh Manikyam, Belfast, UK

811P – FDG-PET/CT evaluation of early metabolic response after neoadjuvant chemotherapy in patients with esophageal and GEJ cancer – a pilot study
Milada Zemanová, Prague, Czech Republic
812P – What direct costs are associated with evaluation of upper gastrointestinal cancers? Results of a 32 month audit
Aiza Jamil, Ashford, UK
813P – Comparison of a sequential treatment versus a 5-FU/LV regimen as adjuvant therapy for resected gastric cancer. Tolerability and feasibility analysis of ITACA-S (Intergroup Trial of Adjuvant Chemotherapy in Adenocarcinoma of the Stomach) trial
Emilio Bajetta, Milan, Italy
814P – Patterns of gastric cancer recurrence after adjuvant chemoradiation
Steven Maclellan, Toronto, ON, Canada
815P – Sunitinib (SU) with cisplatin (P) and capecitabine (X) or oxaliplatin (O) and X (XELOX) in advanced gastric cancer (GC) – a phase I, dose-finding study
Jennifer Tursi, Milan, Italy
816P – Phase I study of sunitinib (SU) plus S-1 and cisplatin (P) in patients (pts) with advanced or metastatic gastric cancer (GC)
Kei Muro, Aichi, Japan
817P – Lapatinib + capecitabine in advanced gastric cancer: an open-label phase II study of non-ErbB2-targeted disease
Heinz-Josef Lenz, Los Angeles, CA, USA
818P – A phase I, dose-finding study of sunitinib (SU) in combination with cisplatin (P) and 5-fluorouracil (5-FU) in patients (pts) with advanced gastric cancer (GC)
Carlos Gómez-Martín, Madrid, Spain
819P – Randomized phase II trial of S-1 plus irinotecan versus S-1 plus paclitaxel as first-line treatment for advanced gastric cancer (OGSG0402)
Kazumasa Fujitani, Osaka, Japan
820P – Although the AJCC new 7th edition's number-based N-category improves over the 6th, Lymph Node Ratios are still a better prognostic indicator for overall survival
Iain Tan, Singapore
821P – Clinical outcome of advanced gastric cancer (GC) patients (pts) by human epidermal growth factor receptor 2 (HER2) status when treated before the trastuzumab era
Roberto Pazo Cid, Zaragoza, Spain
822P – Her2 over-expression and gene amplification in gastric cancer
Young Soo Park, Seoul, South Korea

823P – HER2 status in primary and paired distant metastatic sites of gastric carcinoma

Francesca Negri, Parma, Italy

824P – SOCS-1,-3 gene delivery in gastric cancer cells induces a potent anti-proliferative effect via the suppression of JAK/STAT and P38 MAPK signaling pathways

Satoshi Serada, Ibaraki City (Osaka), Japan

825P – Long term survival post curative intent gastrectomy in gastric cancer patients with positive peritoneal cytology (an independent indicator of poor prognosis)

Hwee Yong Lim, Singapore

826P – Oxaliplatin + 5-fluorouracil/leucovorin (FOLFOX4) in advanced HCC: Updated efficacy results of the EACH trial

Shukui Qin, Nanjing, China

827P – First interim results of the Global Investigation of therapeutic DEcisions in hepatocellular carcinoma and Of its treatment with sorafeNib (GIDEON) study

Riccardo Lencioni, Pisa, Italy

828P – Prognostic factors in patients with advanced hepatocellular carcinoma treated with sorafenib: A retrospective comparison with previously known prognostic models

Kyung Kee Baek, Seoul, South Korea

829P – Novel KRAS mutation detected amongst gallbladder cancer patients from Eastern India
Rakesh Roy, Kolkata, West Bengal, India

Sunday, 10 October 2010

08.00–08.45 **Turquoise 2**

Young Oncologist Breakfast

How to conduct effective public speaking and slide presentations

Jan Vermorken, Edegem, Belgium

08.00–09.00 **Yellow Hall 1**

Challenge Your Expert session (Repetition)

Cancer of unknown primary site (CUP): 20 questions to be answered

Nicholas Pavlidis, Ioannina, Greece

08.00–09.00 **Yellow Hall 2**

Challenge Your Expert session (Repetition)

Mesothelioma

Walter Weder, Zurich, Switzerland

08.00–09.00 **Yellow Hall 3**

Challenge Your Expert session (Repetition)

Genetic counselling for hereditary predisposition to ovarian and breast cancer

James Mackay, London, UK

08.00–09.00 **Green Hall 3**

Challenge Your Expert session (Repetition)

Osteosarcoma

Stefan Bielack, Stuttgart, Germany

08.00–09.00 **Green Halls 1+2**

Patient Cases

Challenging cases in testicular cancer

Co-Chairs: Carsten Bokemeyer, Hamburg, Germany and Christian Kollmannsberger, Vancouver, BC, Canada

08.00 Treatment options in early stage seminoma
Christian Kollmannsberger, Vancouver, BC, Canada

08.10 Relapsed and/or refractory non-seminoma
Carsten Bokemeyer, Hamburg, Germany

08.20 Discussion

08.00–09.00 **Orange Halls 2+3**

Patient Cases

How to improve curability of locally advanced head and neck cancer

Co-Chairs: Johannes A. Langendijk, Groningen, Netherlands and Dirk Schrijvers, Antwerp, Belgium

08.00 Site-related co-morbidities in decision making
Johannes Langendijk, Groningen, Netherlands

- 08.10 Supportive care measures to improve patient outcome
Dirk Schrijvers, Antwerp, Belgium
- 08.20 Discussion

08.00–09.00 **Orange Hall 1**

Special Session

European Union Translational Research Program

Coordination of cancer research through the
FP7 HEALTH programme
Jan-Willem van de Loo, Brussels, Belgium

09.00–10.30 **Silver Hall**

Educational session (Repetition)

**Early-stage NSCLC: Challenges in staging and
adjuvant treatment**

Chair: Thierry Le Chevalier, Villejuif, France
Co-Chair: Paul Baas, Amsterdam, Netherlands

- 09.00 Evidence-based staging
Johan Vansteenkiste, Leuven, Belgium
- 09.30 Adjuvant chemotherapy: Where is it going?
Thierry Le Chevalier, Villejuif, France
- 10.00 Do we have markers to select patients for
adjuvant therapies?
Krzysztof Konopa, Gdansk, Poland

09.00–10.30 **Blue Hall**

Educational session (Repetition)

Updates in B-cell malignancies

Chair: Michele Ghilmini, Bellinzona, Switzerland
Co-Chair: Håkan Mellstedt, Stockholm, Sweden

- 09.00 Multiple myeloma
Meletios Dimopoulos, Athens, Greece
- 09.30 Follicular lymphoma
Michele Ghilmini, Bellinzona, Switzerland
- 10.00 Chronic lymphocytic leukemia
Michael Hallek, Cologne, Germany

09.00–10.30 **Violet Hall**

Proffered Paper session

Upper gastrointestinal tumors

Chair: Arnaud Roth, Geneva, Switzerland
Co-Chair: Claus-Henning Koehne, Oldenburg, Germany

- 09.00 8000 – Impact of neoadjuvant chemoradiation in
localised oesophageal cancer: results of a randomised
controlled phase III trial FFCD 9901
Christophe Mariette, Lille, France

- 09.15 8010 – Final results of the intergroup FFCD-GERCOR-
FNCLCC 03-07 phase III study comparing two sequences of
chemotherapy in advanced gastric cancers
Rosine Guimbaud, Toulouse, France
- 09.30 Invited Discussant, Abstracts 8000 and 8010
Michael Stahl, Essen, Germany
- 09.45 8020 – Photostent-02; Porfimer Sodium photodynamic therapy
plus stenting versus stenting alone in patients (pts) with
advanced or metastatic cholangiocarcinomas and other biliary
tract tumours (BTC): A multicentre, randomised phase III trial
Stephen Pereira, London, UK
- 10.00 730 – Final results of a randomized phase III trial
comparing folfinirox (F: 5FU/leucovorin [LV], irinotecan [I]
and oxaliplatin [O]) vs gemcitabine (G) as first-line
treatment for metastatic pancreatic adenocarcinoma
(MPA). The Prodigé 4 / ACCORD 11 trial
Françoise Desseigne, Lyon, France
- 10.00 Invited Discussant, Abstract 8020 and 730
TBC

09.00–10.45 **Pink Hall**

Proffered Paper session

Sarcoma

Chair: Axel Le Cesne, Villejuif, France
Co-Chair: Paolo G. Casali, Milan, Italy

- 09.00 13430 – Bone angiosarcoma: A retrospective analysis of
73 patients from two referral centres
Emanuela Palmerini, Bologna, Italy
- 09.15 13440 – Safety and efficacy results from a phase 1/2
study of the anti-IGF-1R antibody figitumumab in patients
with refractory Ewing's and othersarcomas
Heribert Juergens, Muenster, Germany
- 09.30 Invited Discussant, Abstracts 13430 and 13440
Hans Gelderblom, Leiden, Netherlands
- 09.40 13450 – A pooled analysis of the final results of the two
randomized phase II studies comparing gemcitabine (G)
vs gemcitabine + docetaxel (G+D) in patients (pts) with
metastatic/relapsed leiomyosarcoma (LMS)
Florence Duffaud, Marseille, France
- 09.55 13460 – A retrospective analysis of 41 primary localized
rectal/pararectal gastrointestinal stromal tumors (GISTs)
from the French Sarcoma Group (FSG).
Thanh K. Huynh, Marseille, France
- 10.10 13470 – Antitumor activity of sunitinib malate (SM) in
solitary fibrous tumors (SFT)
Silvia Stacchiotti, Milan, Italy
- 10.25 Invited Discussant, Abstracts 13450, 13460 and 13470
Serge Leyvraz, Lausanne, Switzerland

09.15–10.15 **Gold Hall**

Controversy session

Over-diagnosis of breast cancer by screening is a peril

Moderator: Ian Smith, London, UK

- 09.15 Introduction and vote
Ian Smith, London, UK
 - 09.25 Benefit
Harry De Koning, Rotterdam, Netherlands
 - 09.45 Peril
Karsten J. Jørgensen, Copenhagen, Denmark
 - 10.05 Vote and conclusions
Ian Smith, London, UK
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09.15–10.15 **Orange Hall 1**

Multidisciplinary Interactive session (MIS)

Locally advanced rectal cancer

Co-Chairs: Andrés Cervantes, Valencia, Spain and
Cornelis van de Velde, Leiden, Netherlands

- 09.15 Surgery
Cornelis van de Velde, Leiden, Netherlands
 - 09.30 Medical Oncology
Andrés Cervantes, Valencia, Spain
 - 09.45 Discussion
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09.30–11.00 **Yellow Hall 2**

Special Session

Communication skills training (CST)

Chair: Alexander Kiss, Basel, Switzerland

Co-Chair: Friedrich Stiefel, Lausanne, Switzerland

- 09.30 Introduction
Alexander Kiss, Basel, Switzerland
- 09.35 CST in oncology: Results from a consensus meeting
among European experts in 2009
Friedrich Stiefel, Lausanne, Switzerland
- 09.55 A reaction to the proposition of the European consensus
on CST in oncology
Darius Razavi, Brussels, Belgium
- 10.15 Mandatory training, minimal requirements and
implementation of CST in oncology:
The European perspective
Wolf Langewitz, Basel, Switzerland
- 10.35 The future of CST in oncology
Lesley Fallowfield, Brighton, UK
- 10.55 Conclusions
Alexander Kiss, Basel, Switzerland

10.30–12.00 **Orange Hall 1**

Special Symposium

The more (we are), the better (we serve)!

ESMO and OECl: towards high-quality cancer care

Co-Chairs: David J. Kerr, Oxford, UK and
Mahasti Saghatchian, Villejuif, France

- 10.30 Introduction: Quality fatality, necessity or opportunity?
Mahasti Saghatchian, Villejuif, France and
Richard Sullivan, London, UK
 - 10.40 The OECl accreditation programme
Mahasti Saghatchian, Villejuif, France
 - 10.55 ESMO designated Centres of Integrated Oncology and
Palliative Care
Nathan Cherny, Jerusalem, Israel
 - 11.10 Developing a designation system for cancer centres
Wim van Harten, Amsterdam, Netherlands
 - 11.25 Assessment frameworks for cancer centres: novel methodologies
Richard Sullivan, London, UK
 - 11.40 Q&A and Conclusions
David J. Kerr, Oxford, UK and
Mahasti Saghatchian, Villejuif, France
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10.45–12.45 **Gold Hall**

ESMO Clinical Practice Guidelines

Chair: Nicholas Pavlidis, Ioannina, Greece

Co-Chair: Andrés Cervantes, Valencia, Spain

- 10.45 Introduction
Nicholas Pavlidis, Ioannina, Greece
- 10.50 ESMO CPG Questionnaire
Andrés Cervantes, Valencia, Spain
Breast cancer (triple negative)
- 10.55 Speaker
Helen Gogas, Athens, Greece
- 11.15 Discussant
Andrew Tutt, London, UK
GIST
- 11.30 Speaker
Laura Kairevice, Kaunas, Lithuania
- 11.50 Discussant
Alessandro Gronchi, Milan, Italy
Pancreatic cancer
- 12.05 Speaker
Stefan Boeck, Munich, Germany
- 12.25 Discussant
Stefano Cascinu, Ancona, Italy
- 12.40 Conclusions
Andrés Cervantes, Valencia, Spain

10.45–12.15 **Silver Hall**

Educational session (Repetition)

Challenging issues in ovarian cancer

Chair: Jonathan Ledermann, London, UK

Co-Chair: Cristiana Sessa, Bellinzona, Switzerland

10.45 How can proteomic profiling guide us in selecting therapy?

Elise Kohn, Bethesda, MD, USA

11.15 The addition of new drugs to standard therapy in the

first-line treatment of ovarian cancer

Michael Bookman, Tucson, AZ, USA

11.45 Optimal treatment for relapsing ovarian cancer

Jonathan Ledermann, London, UK

10.45–12.15 **Green Halls 1+2**

Educational session (Repetition)

**Prevention and treatment of side effects
of systemic treatment**

Chair: Mario Dicato, Luxembourg

Co-Chair: Jørn Herrstedt, Odense, Denmark

10.45 Anemia

Mario Dicato, Luxembourg

11.15 Cardiotoxicity

Josep Taberero, Barcelona, Spain

11.45 Bone loss

Jean-Jacques Body, Brussels, Belgium

10.45–12.15 **Violet Hall**

Special Symposium

**Targeted therapies in NSCLC: State-of-the-art and
new developments**

Chair: Luis Paz-Ares, Seville, Spain

Co-Chair: Rolf A. Stahel, Zurich, Switzerland

10.45 Introduction

Luis Paz-Ares, Seville, Spain

10.50 Gefitinib – the resurrection

Luis Paz-Ares, Seville, Spain

11.05 Erlotinib – the adult

Rafael Rosell, Badalona, Barcelona, Spain

11.20 Bevacizumab – the adolescent

Jean-Charles Soria, Villejuif, France

11.35 Cetuximab – the newborn

Ken O'Byrne, Dublin, Ireland

11.50 New molecular targets – the next generation of drugs

Cesare Gridelli, Avellino, Italy

12.05 Conclusions

Rolf A. Stahel, Zurich, Switzerland

11.00–12.15 **Pink Hall**

Proffered Paper session

Melanoma

Chair: Patrick Schöffski, Leuven, Belgium

Co-Chair: Alexander M. M. Eggermont, Rotterdam, Netherlands

11.00 13240 – Ipilimumab improves survival in previously treated, advanced melanoma patients with poor prognostic factors: Subgroup analyses from a phase III trial
Céleste Lebbé, Paris, France

11.15 Invited Discussant, Abstract 13240 plus 1 expected LBA
Cornelis J.A. Punt, Nijmegen, Netherlands

11.30 13250 – Retrospective analysis of 470 metastatic uveal melanoma (MUM) patients managed at Institut Curie between 2000 and 2008

Sophie Piperno-Neumann, Paris, France

11.45 LBA27 – Phase 1/2 study of GSK2118436, a selective inhibitor of V600 Mutant (Mut) BRAF kinase: Evidence of activity in melanoma brain metastases (Mets)
Georgina Long, Westmead, Australia

12.00 Invited Discussant, Abstract 13250 and LBA27
Caroline Robert, Paris, France

11.00–12.30 **Blue Hall**

Special Symposium

**Targeting molecular pathways in the jungle of
soft tissue sarcoma histology**

Chair: Eva Wardelmann, Bonn, Germany

Co-Chair: Michael Montemurro, Lausanne, Switzerland

11.00 Introduction

Michael Montemurro, Lausanne, Switzerland

11.05 Angiogenesis inhibitors: Are they useful for all sarcomas?
Stefan Sleijfer, Rotterdam, Netherlands

11.25 mTOR inhibitors: From lymphangiomyomatosis to where?
Paolo Casali, Milan, Italy

11.45 Is the indication of IGFR antibodies in advanced refractory sarcomas expanding?
Jean-Yves Blay, Lyon, France

12.05 At the crossroads of molecular pathways and sarcoma subtypes
Jean-Michel Coindre, Bordeaux, France

12.25 Conclusions

Eva Wardelmann, Bonn, Germany

12.30–13.20 **Violet Hall**

Keynote Lecture

A historical view and perspectives on angiogenesis inhibition and in particular anti-VEGF therapy in cancer

Chair: Marco A. Pierotti, Milan, Italy

Speaker: Peter Carmeliet, Leuven, Belgium

12.30–13.30 **Green Halls 1+2**

Poster Symposium (Discussion session)

Chest tumors

Co-Chairs: Lucio Crinò, Perugia, Italy,

Filippo de Marinis, Rome, Italy and Robert Pirker, Vienna, Austria

364PD – QOL Analysis from NEJ 002 study comparing gefitinib to chemotherapy for non-small cell lung cancer with mutated EGFR

Hirohisa Yoshizawa, Niigata, Japan

365PD – Randomized phase II study of PF299804, an irreversible human epidermal growth factor receptor (EGFR) inhibitor, versus (v) erlotinib (E) in patients (pts) with advanced non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC) after chemotherapy (CT) failure: Quantitative and qualitative benefits

Suresh Ramalingam, Atlanta, GA, USA

366PD – Clinical activity of crizotinib (PF-02341066), in ALK-positive patients with non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC)

David Ross Camidge, Aurora, CO, USA

367PD – A phase II study of BIBW 2992 in patients with adenocarcinoma of the lung and activating EGFR/HER1 mutations (LUX-Lung 2)

Wu-Chou, Tainan, Taiwan

12.30 Invited Discussant, Abstracts 364PD-367PD

Filippo de Marinis, Rome, Italy

368PD – A double-blind, randomized, placebo-controlled phase III study of gefitinib (G) versus placebo (P) in patients (Pts) with advanced NSCLC, non-progressing after first-line platinum-based chemotherapy (EORTC 08021- ILCP)

Veerie Surmont, Ghent, Belgium

369PD – Erlotinib maintenance therapy in patients with stable disease after first-line platinum-doublet chemotherapy for advanced NSCLC

Frederico Cappuzzo, Livorno, Italy

370PD – Final results from the IFCT-GFPC 0502 phase III study: Maintenance therapy in advanced NSCLC with either gemcitabine (G) or erlotinib (E) versus observation (O) after cisplatin-gemcitabine induction chemotherapy (CT), with a predefined second-line treatment

Maurice Pérol, Lyon, France

12.42 Invited Discussant, Abstracts 368PD-370PD

Lucio Crinò, Perugia, Italy

371PD – A phase II study of Tumor Treating Fields (TTFields) in combination with pemetrexed for advanced non small cell lung cancer (NSCLC)

Miklos Pless, Winterthur, Switzerland

372PD – Oral vinorelbine (NVBo) and cisplatin (P) with concomitant radiotherapy (RT) followed by either consolidation therapy with NVBo and P plus best supportive care (BSC) or BSC alone in stage (st) III non small cell lung cancer (NSCLC): Preliminary results of a phase III study

Michael Flentje, Würzburg, Germany

373PD – Immunohistochemistry (IHC) with EGFR mutation-specific monoclonal antibodies (mAbs) for screening EGFR mutations in non-small-cell lung cancer (NSCLC) patients (p)

Sara Simonetti, Barcelona, Spain

374PD – S-1 plus carboplatin has become one of the standard regimens for advanced non-small-cell lung cancer: Results of a randomized phase III study conducted by the West Japan Oncology Group (WJTOG 3605)

Takashi Seto, Fukuoka, Japan

375PD – Overall survival (OS) and progression free survival (PFS) results for a randomized phase II trial of ipilimumab (IPI) and paclitaxel/carboplatin (P/C) in first-line stage IIIb/IV non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC)

Thomas Lynch, Jr, New Haven, CT, USA

12.54 Invited Discussant, Abstracts 371PD-375PD

Robert Pirker, Vienna, Austria

13.06 General Discussion

12.30–13.30 **Green Hall 3**

Poster Symposium (Discussion session)

Health services and public health

Co-Chairs: Christos Chouaid, Paris, France and Heinz Ludwig, Vienna, Austria

1085PD – Maintenance chemotherapy in advanced non-small cell lung cancer: Cost utility of pemetrexed and gemcitabine

Tiago Takahashi, Sao Paulo, Brazil

1086PD – Improving the quality of abstracts for cost-effectiveness analyses (CEA) in oncology

Winson Cheung, Vancouver, BC, Canada

12.30 Invited Discussant, Abstracts 1085PD-1086PD

Christos Chouaid, Paris, France

1087PD – Oral prevalence and clearance of high-risk human papilloma virus (HR-HPV) in healthy people in San Patrignano, a rehabilitation community for substance abusers

Davide Pugliese, Coriano, Italy

1088PD – Breast cancer is a more aggressive disease in Palestinian Arab women than in Jewish women in Israel
Jamal Zidan, Safed, Israel

1089PD – Breast cancer survival in Brazil related with the disparities in health services access
Roberta Wolp Diniz, Villejuif, France

1090PD – Patterns of adjuvant endocrine therapy for early breast cancer in Ontario: A population-based study
Yolanda Madarnas, Kingston, ON, Canada

1091PD – Computerized physician order entry systems and chemotherapy (CT) prescription errors
Marianna Aita, Udine, Italy

1092PD – How are departments of cancer medicine organized in Europe? Results from a survey conducted in 7 countries
Karim Fizazi, Villejuif, France

1093PD – What do German office-based community oncologists expect from ESMO? Results from a 2010 survey among members of the Professional Association of Haematologists and Oncologists in Germany (BNHO)
Robert Eckert, Wendlingen, Germany

12.45 Invited Discussant, Abstracts 1087PD-1093PD
Heinz Ludwig, Vienna, Austria

13.00 General Discussion

12.30–13.30 **Orange Halls 2+3**

Poster Symposium (Discussion session)

Biomarkers II – Circulating tumor cells and molecular markers

Co-Chairs: Maria Grazia Daidone, Milan, Italy and Klaus Pantel, Hamburg, Germany

170PD – Circulating tumor cells in breast cancer: are currently available detection methods enough?
Cristina Raimondi, Rome, Italy

171PD – Relationship between lymphopenia and circulating tumor cells as prognostic factors for overall survival in metastatic breast cancer
Ugo De Giorgi, Lecce, Italy

172PD – Baseline circulating tumour cell (CTC) counts enhance the performance of the Royal Marsden Hospital (RMH) prognostic score to optimise patient selection for phase 1 clinical trials
Christophe Massard, Sutton, UK

173PD – Enumeration circulating tumor cells (CTCs) is a prognostic and predictive factor for progression-free survival (PFS) and overall survival (OS) in colon cancer patients receiving first-line chemotherapy plus bevacizumab. A TTD Spanish Group Cooperative Study
Javier Sastre, Madrid, Spain

12.30 Invited Discussant, Abstracts 170PD-173PD

Klaus Pantel, Hamburg, Germany

174PD – Tumor and blood plasma biomarker analyses in the AVAGAST phase III randomized study of first-line bevacizumab + capecitabine/cisplatin in patients with advanced gastric cancer
Manish Shah, New York, NY, USA

175PD – Circulating amphiregulin (AR) plasma levels as surrogate pharmacodynamic markers of EGFR inhibition with cetuximab in metastatic colorectal cancer (mCRC) patients (pts)
Chiara Cremolini, Livorno, Italy

176PD – SPARC microenvironment signature (SMS) as a prognostic biomarker when combined with LDH and plasma SPARC
Neil Desai, Los Angeles, CA, USA

177PD – Circulating SPARC levels negatively impact chemotherapies in cancer models
Neil Desai, Los Angeles, CA, USA

12.45 Invited Discussant, Abstracts 174PD-177PD
Maria Grazia Daidone, Milan, Italy

13.00 General Discussion

12.30–13.30 **Yellow Hall 1**

Poster Symposium (Discussion session)

Developmental therapeutics

Co-Chairs: Johann de Bono, Sutton, UK and Anthony Tolcher, San Antonio, TX, USA

498PD – Dynamic tumor growth evaluation could predict overall survival for patients included in phase I clinical trials
Bertrand Billemonet, Paris, France

499PD – Current phase I trials: Dose-levels and first signs of efficacy
Jacques Bonneterre, Lille, France

500PD – Phase I study of the tumor-targeting human L19TNF monoclonal antibody-cytokine fusion protein in patients with advanced solid tumors
Gianluca Spitaleri, Milan, Italy

12.30 Invited Discussant, Abstracts 498PD-500PD
Anthony Tolcher, San Antonio, TX, USA

501PD – A phase 1 study of IPI-926, an inhibitor of the hedgehog pathway, in patients (pts) with advanced or metastatic solid tumors
Antonio Jimeno, Aurora, CO, USA

502PD – LDE225, a smoothed (Smo) antagonist: Phase I safety and pharmacologic results in patients with advanced tumors
Jordi Rodon Ahnert, Barcelona, Spain

503PD – Treatment of castration refractory prostate cancer patients with 2 different immunotherapeutic approaches against EGFR

Tania Crombet, Havana, Cuba

12.45 Invited Discussant, Abstracts 501PD-503PD

Johann de Bono, Sutton, UK

13.00 General Discussion

12.30–13.30 **Yellow Hall 2**

Poster Symposium (Discussion session)

Basic science and translational research

Co-Chairs: Cristiana Sessa, Bellinzona, Switzerland and TBC

77PD – P3H collagen prolyl hydroxylases are tissue selective tumour suppressors

Cristiana Lo Nigro, Cuneo, Italy

78PD – Expression of matrix metalloproteinase 1 (MMP1), Dickkopf-1 (Dkk1) and colony-stimulating factor receptor 1 (CSF1R) in bone metastatic tissue (BMT) and in serum of patients with bone metastases (BM) from different solid tumors

Luis Costa, Lisbon, Portugal

79PD – mRNA expression of VEGF family members has prognostic significance in high-risk early breast cancer patients participating in a prospective randomized study of the Hellenic Cooperative Oncology Group (HeCOG)

Helena Linardou, Athens, Greece

12.30 Invited Discussant, Abstracts 77PD-79PD

TBC

80PD – Antitumor activity of nab-paclitaxel and bevacizumab against a new triple negative breast cancer model

Vuong Trieu, Los Angeles, CA, USA

81PD – The mTOR signaling pathway as potential therapeutic target in meningiomas

Christian Mawrin, Magdeburg, Germany

82PD – Novel insights for therapeutic strategies in pancreatic neuroendocrine tumors (pNET)

Aldo Scarpa, Verona, Italy

83PD – Considerations in the development and validation of genomic tests for cancer recurrence and treatment benefit

David J. Kerr, Oxford, UK

12.45 Invited Discussant, Abstracts 80PD-83PD

Cristiana Sessa, Bellinzona, Switzerland

13.00 General Discussion

12.30–13.30 **Yellow Hall 3**

Poster Symposium (Discussion session)

Hematological malignancies

Co-Chairs: Lena Specht, Copenhagen, Denmark and TBC

1136PD – Melphalan, prednisone, lenalidomide (MPR) versus melphalan (200 mg/m²) and autologous transplantation (MEL200) in newly diagnosed myeloma patients: A phase III trial

Federica Cavallo, Turin, Italy

1137PD – Long term follow up of new cases of acute promyelocytic leukemia treated by arsenic trioxide as sole treatment without ATRA and/or chemotherapy

Ardeshir Ghavamzadeh, Tehran, Iran

1138PD – Results of a randomized, phase II study of bevacizumab and bortezomib vs. bortezomib in patients with relapsed/refractory multiple myeloma: AMBER study

Darrell White, Halifax, NS, Canada

12.30 Invited Discussant, Abstracts 1136PD-1138PD

TBC

1139PD – The role of del(13q14.3) in diffuse large B-cell lymphomas

Ekaterina Chigrinova, Bellinzona, Switzerland

1140PD – Bone marrow involvement and 7q gain in diffuse large B-cell lymphoma: A combination of clinical and molecular data

Ekaterina Chigrinova, Bellinzona, Switzerland

1141PD – Activity and safety of dose-adjusted infusional CHOP chemotherapy with rituximab (DA-POCH-R) in very elderly patients with poor-prognostic untreated diffuse large B-cell non-Hodgkin's lymphoma

Daniela Boggiani, Parma, Italy

12.40 Invited Discussant, Abstracts 1139PD-1141PD

TBC

1142PD – Non-Hodgkin lymphoma: Increased survival in case of adherence to quality indicators

L. Wennekes, Nijmegen, Netherlands

1143PD – Evaluation of 18F-Fluorodeoxyglucose PET/CT compared to contrast-enhanced full-dose PET/CT in the management of patients with lymphoma

David Fuster, Barcelona, Spain

1144PD – Phase II study of intrathecal long acting liposomal cytarabine in the prophylaxis of lymphomatous meningitis in HIV-related non-Hodgkin's lymphoma

Michele Spina, Aviano, Italy

12.50 Invited Discussant, Abstracts 1142PD-1144PD

Lena Specht, Copenhagen, Denmark

13.00 General Discussion

13.30–15.00 **Gold Hall**

Proffered Paper session

Colorectal cancer

Chair: Jean-Yves Douillard, St. Herblain, France

Co-Chair: Alberto Sobrero, Genoa, Italy

- 13.30 **LBA19** – Cediranib + FOLFOX/XELOX versus placebo + FOLFOX/XELOX in patients (pts) with previously untreated metastatic colorectal cancer (mCRC): A randomized, double-blind, phase III STUDY (HORIZON II)
Paulo Hoff, São Paulo, Brasil
- 13.45 **5800** – mFOLFOX6 + cediranib vs mFOLFOX6 + bevacizumab in previously untreated metastatic colorectal cancer (mCRC): A randomized, double-blind, Phase II/III study (HORIZON III)
Hans-Joachim Schmoll, Halle, Germany
- 14.00 Invited Discussant, LBA19 and Abstract 5800
Claus-Henning Koehne, Oldenburg, Germany
- 14.15 **LBA20** – Randomized phase III study of 5-fluorouracil/folate/oxaliplatin given continuously or intermittently with or without cetuximab, as first-line treatment of metastatic colorectal cancer: The NORDIC VII study (NCT00145314), by the Nordic Colorectal Cancer Biomodulation Group
Kjell Magne Tveit, Oslo, Norway
- 14.30 **LBA21** – A phase 2, randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled study of hedgehog pathway inhibitor (HPI) GDC-0449 in patients with previously untreated metastatic colorectal cancer (mCRC)
Jordan Berlin, Nashville, TN, USA
- 14.45 Invited Discussant, LBA20 and LBA21
Alberto Sobrero, Genoa, Italy

13.45–15.15 **Silver Hall**

Educational session

Diagnostic and management issues in gastroesophageal cancer

Chair: Florian Lordick, Hannover, Germany

Co-Chair: João Oliveira, Lisbon, Portugal

- 13.45 Is there any role for surgery in the multidisciplinary treatment of esophageal cancer?
Michael Stahl, Essen, Germany
- 14.15 Multimodality treatment for localized gastroesophageal cancer
David Cunningham, Sutton, UK
- 14.45 New trends for staging and therapy for localized gastroesophageal cancer: The role of PET scan
Florian Lordick, Hannover, Germany

13.45–15.15 **Violet Hall**

Special Symposium

ESMO/AIOM Joint Symposium: Young medical oncologists facing daily difficulties in clinical practice

Co-Chairs: Massimo Di Maio, Naples, Italy and

Michael V. Karamouzis, Papagou, Greece

- 13.45 Introduction
Massimo Di Maio, Naples, Italy and
Michael V. Karamouzis, Papagou, Greece
- 13.50 Presenting bad news to the patient
Francesco Atzori, Cagliari, Italy
- 14.05 The risk of burn out: Are young oncologists at higher risk?
Laurence Albiges, Villejuif, France
- 14.20 Presenting a completed research project as an oral presentation
Valentina Guarneri, Modena, Italy
- 14.35 Presenting the data of a project in a manuscript
Evandro De Azambuja, Brussels, Belgium
- 14.50 Invited Discussant
Valter Torri, Milan, Italy
- 15.00 Q&A

13.45–15.15 **Pink Hall**

Special Symposium

Bullseye: PARP

Chair: Johann de Bono, Sutton, UK

Co-Chair: Hilary Calvert, London, UK

- 13.45 From platinum to PARP
Hilary Calvert, London, UK
- 13.50 Targeting the Achilles heel: Synthetic lethality
Alan Ashworth, London, UK
- 14.10 Encouraging first experiences with PARP inhibitors
Ruth Plummer, London, UK
- 14.30 Early tales: PARP and BRCA
Jan H M Schellens, Amsterdam, Netherlands
- 14.50 Later tales: Phase II and beyond
Andrew Tutt, London, UK
- 15.10 Conclusions
Johann de Bono, Sutton, UK

13.45–15.15 **Blue Hall**

Special Symposium

Toxicities of targeted therapies: Prevention and management

Chair: Fausto Roila, Terni, Italy

Co-Chair: Dorothy M. K. Keefe, Adelaide, Australia

- 13.45 Introduction
Dorothy M. K. Keefe, Adelaide, Australia

- 13.50 Skin toxicity
Mario Lacouture, Chicago, IL, USA
- 14.15 Gastrointestinal toxicity
Dorothy M. K. Keefe, Adelaide, Australia
- 14.40 Renovascular and cardiac toxicity
Thomas Suter, Bern, Switzerland
- 15.05 Conclusions
Fausto Roila, Terni, Italy

15.15–16.15 **Gold Hall**

Controversy session

Active surveillance in early prognosis prostate cancer should be standard of care

Moderator: Sten Nilsson, Stockholm, Sweden

- 15.15 Introduction and vote
Sten Nilsson, Stockholm, Sweden
- 15.25 Pro speaker
Fritz Schröder, Rotterdam, Netherlands
- 15.45 Contra speaker
Kurt Miller, Berlin, Germany
- 16.05 Vote and conclusions
Sten Nilsson, Stockholm, Sweden

15.30–17.30 **Violet Hall**

Proffered Paper session

Breast cancer, advanced

Chair: Fatima Cardoso, Lisbon, Portugal
Co-Chair: PierFranco Conte, Modena, Italy

- 15.30 **LBA11** – Final Efficacy and Safety Results of a Randomized Phase II Study of the PARP Inhibitor Iniparib (BSI-201) in Combination with Gemcitabine/Carboplatin (G/C) in Metastatic Triple Negative Breast Cancer (TNBC)
Joyce O'Shaughnessy, Dallas, TX, USA
- 15.45 **LBA12** – Results of the first randomized phase II study of cationic liposomal paclitaxel (EndoTAGTM-1) targeting tumor endothelial cells in advanced triple-negative breast cancer (TNBC)
Ahmad Awada, Brussels, BE
- 16.00 Invited Discussant, LBA11 and LBA12
Richard Bell, Milan, Italy
- 16.15 **2750** – Eribulin mesylate (E7389) vs treatment of physician's choice (TPC) in patients (pts) with metastatic breast cancer (MBC): Subgroup analyses from the EMBRACE study
Chris Twelves, Leeds, UK
- 16.30 **2760** – Prolonging chemotherapy until disease progression improves progression free and overall survival in metastatic breast cancer: Results of a systematic review
Alessandra Gennari, Genoa, Italy

- 16.45 Invited Discussant, Abstracts 2750, 2760
Miguel Martin, Madrid, Spain
- 17.00 **2770** – A phase II study of the HER2 antibody-drug conjugate trastuzumab-DM1 (T-DM1) in patients (pts) with HER2-positive metastatic breast cancer (MBC) previously treated with trastuzumab, lapatinib, and chemotherapy
Ian Krop, Boston, MA, USA
- 17.15 Invited Discussant, Abstract 2770
Fabio Puglisi, Udine, Italy

15.30–17.00 **Silver Hall**

Educational session

Towards an individualized approach of advanced non-small cell lung cancer

Chair: Enriqueta Felip, Barcelona, Spain
Co-Chair: Rafal Dziadziuszko, Gdansk, Poland

- 15.30 Should we continue to use the term non-small cell lung cancer?
Adi F Gazdar, Dallas, TX, USA
- 16.00 How to integrate current knowledge in selecting first-line therapy
Enriqueta Felip, Barcelona, Spain
- 16.30 Consequences of targeted treatments for second-line therapy
Federico Cappuzzo, Livorno, Italy

15.30–17.00 **Pink Hall**

Educational session

Advances in head and neck cancer

Chair: Jan Vermorken, Edegem, Belgium
Co-Chair: Marshall Posner, New York, NY, USA

- 15.30 The role of papilloma virus infection
Stina Syrjänen, Turku, Finland
- 16.00 Integrating systemic agents into multimodality treatment of locally advanced diseases
Marshall Posner, New York, NY, USA
- 16.30 Optimal treatment for relapsing or metastatic disease
Jan Vermorken, Edegem, Belgium

15.30–17.00 **Blue Hall**

Educational session

Soft tissue sarcoma: From molecular diagnosis to selection of treatment

Chair: Ian Judson, Sutton, UK
Co-Chair: Serge Leyvraz, Lausanne, Switzerland

- 15.30 Pathologic diagnosis of soft tissue sarcoma amid molecular biology and targeted therapies
Eva Wardelmann, Bonn, Germany

- 16.00** Histology-driven chemotherapy of soft tissue sarcoma
Mikael Eriksson, Lund, Sweden
- 16.30** Targeted therapies in soft tissue sarcoma
Ian Judson, Sutton, UK

16.30–17.30 **Gold Hall**

Controversy session

Access to novel drugs improves survival

Moderator: Thomas Szucs, Basel, Switzerland

- 16.30** Introduction and vote
Thomas Szucs, Basel, Switzerland
- 16.40** Pro Speaker
Ivar S. Kristiansen, Oslo, Norway
- 17.00** Contra Speaker
Franz Porzsolt, Ulm, Germany
- 17.20** Vote and conclusions
Thomas Szucs, Basel, Switzerland

8th ESMO Patient Seminar

09.30–10.30 **Red Hall**

Living with cancer: Early rehabilitation

Co-Chairs: Paola Varese, Ovada, Italy and
Stella Kyriakides, Nicosia, Cyprus

- 09.30** Early rehabilitation: where does it lead?
Anita Margulies, Zurich, Switzerland
- 09.45** The importance of psycho-oncology
Luigi Grassi, Ferrara, Italy
- 10.00** Common paths in the European Union
Sanja Rozman, Ljubljana, Slovenia
- 10.15** General Discussion

10.30–10.45

Break

10.45–12.15 **Red Hall**

Living with cancer: Long-term rehabilitation

Co-Chairs: Elisabetta Iannelli, Rome, Italy
and Dorothy M. K. Keefe, Adelaide, Australia

- 10.45** The long term and late effects of cancer.
Implications for research and public policy
Kevin Stein, Atlanta, GA, USA
- 11.15** Psychological and social consequences
Patrizia Pugliese, Formello, Rome, Italy
- 11.30** Poster discussion
AIMaC (Associazione Italiana Malati di Cancro), Italy
APOZ and Friends, Bulgaria
ATTIVECOMEPRIMA, Italy
WALCE (Women Against Lung Cancer in Europe), Italy

12.15–13.15

Lunch

13.15–14.15 **Red Hall**

Do we always need specific cancer treatment?

Co-Chairs: Kevin Stein, Atlanta, GA, USA
and Stella Kyriakides, Nicosia, Cyprus

- 13.15 General principles in treatment of frail and elderly patients
Matti S. Aapro, Genolier, Switzerland
 - 13.30 What is co-morbidity and how is it evaluated?
Dirk Schrijvers, Antwerp, Belgium
 - 13.45 When not to operate
Alberto Costa, Milan, Italy
 - 14.00 General Discussion
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15.15–14.30

Move to breakout sessions

14.30–15.30 **Red Hall**

Latest developments in breast cancer

Co-Chairs: Rosalba Torrasi, Milan, Italy and
Anna Mancuso, Milan, Italy

- 14.30 Short overview
Rosalba Torrasi, Milan, Italy
 - 14.45 Revision and management of patients with skin problems for radiotherapy
Marie Paule Gardes, Milan, Italy
 - 15.00 General discussion
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14.30–15.30 **Yellow Hall 1**

Latest developments in gastrointestinal tumors

Co-Chairs: Jim Cassidy, Glasgow, UK and TBC

- 14.30 Short overview
Jim Cassidy, Glasgow, UK
 - 14.45 Management of alopecia problems for best QoL
Alessandra Milani, Milan, Italy
 - 15.00 General discussion
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14.30–15.30 **Yellow Hall 2**

Latest developments in haematological malignancies

Co-Chairs Michael Hallek, Cologne, Germany and
Davide Petruzzelli, Brugherio, Italy

- 14.30 Short overview
Michael Hallek, Cologne, Germany
 - 14.45 Therapeutic relation with the patient
Miriam Magri, Milan, Italy
 - 15.00 General discussion
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14.30–15.30 **Yellow Hall 3**

Latest developments in prostate cancer

Co-Chairs Francesco Montorsi, Milan, Italy IT and
Riccardo Valdagni, Milan, Italy

- 14.30 Short overview
Francesco Montorsi, Milan, Italy
 - 14.45 The rehabilitative nursing function for urinary incontinence. A challenge for best QoL
Mara Marchetti, Milan, Italy
 - 15.00 General discussion
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15.30–15.40

Move back to plenary

15.40–16.40 **Red Hall**

Review and general discussion

Co-Chairs: Lorenz Jost, Bruderholz, Switzerland and TBC

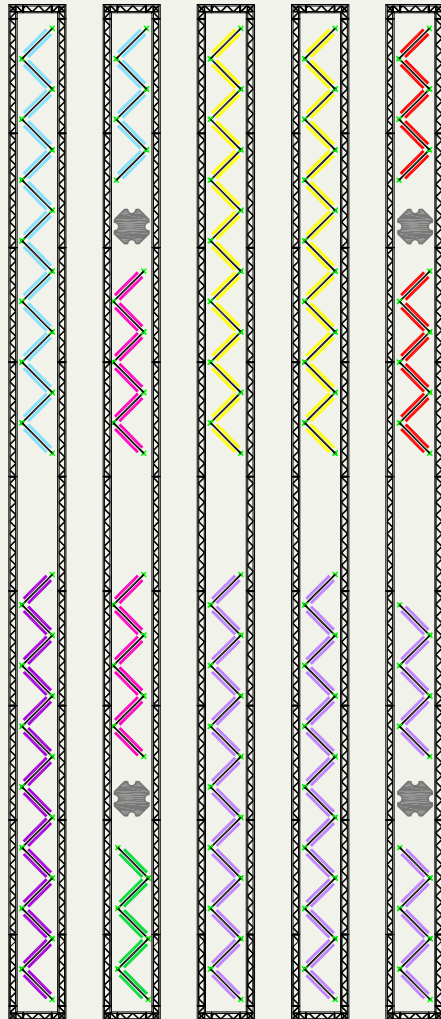
- 15.40 Best Cancer Reporter Award Ceremony,
presented by Kathy Redmond, Milan, Italy
 - 15.45 Short review of major points emerging from the breakout sessions
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 - 16.00 General Discussion
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16.40–17.15

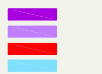
Farewell drink

Breast cancer, early

Chair: Luca Gianni, Milan, Italy



Breast cancer, early
 Colorectal cancer
 Gynecological cancer
 Head and neck cancer



Neuro-oncology
 Palliative care
 Supportive care



- 224P** – Letrozole or anastrozole for the treatment of hormone positive breast cancer: A clinical comparison using indirect statistical techniques
 Satyin Kaura, Florham Park, NJ, USA
- 225P** – Effects of exemestane or tamoxifen on bone health within the tamoxifen exemestane adjuvant multinational (TEAM) trial: A meta-analysis
 Peyman Hadji, Marburg, Germany
- 226P** – Elevated serum levels of the HER2 extracellular domain (ECD) in primary breast cancer (PBC) with HER2 overexpression predict early failure of adjuvant trastuzumab
 Sebastien Thureau, Rouen, France
- 227P** – Her2 status and trastuzumab use among patients with early breast cancer receiving care within the US oncology network
 Justin Doan, South San Francisco, CA, USA
- 228P** – Triple-negative (TN) treatment approach in Italy: An update of NEMESI, a multicenter observational study on early breast cancer (EBC) management
 Vincenzo Adamo, Milan, Italy
- 229P** – Anthracycline and concurrent radiotherapy significantly reduced breast cancer relapse rate
 Nabil Ismaili, Rabat, Morocco
- 230P** – Timing of subsequent surgery (S2) for positive margins (PM) and initiation of adjuvant systemic treatment (Tx) in early breast cancer (EBC)
 Leticia de Mattos-Arruda, Barcelona, Spain
- 231P** – A multicenter study of image-guided radiofrequency ablation of small breast carcinomas
 Takayuki Kinoshita, Tokyo, Japan
- 232P** – Long term persistent alopecia and suboptimal hair regrowth after adjuvant chemotherapy for breast cancer, alert for an emerging side effect: French ALOPERS observatory
 Hugues Bourgeois, Le Mans, France
- 233P** – Adjuvant chemotherapy for early breast cancer in Italy: What has changed today versus the early 2000's. A comparison between two observational national studies – NORA and NEMESI
 Giorgio Mustacchi, Milan, Italy
- 234P** – High-dose chemotherapy and autologous hematopoietic stem cell transplantation as adjuvant treatment in early stage and operable breast cancer: Retrospective long-term analysis of the European experience
 Carmelo Bengala, Modena, Italy

235P – Access of high-risk breast cancer patients to adjuvant clinical research programs in French comprehensive cancer centres: A survey by the REMAGUS group

Nawal Ahbeddou, Saint Cloud, France

236P – Early breast cancer: Prognosis related to Ki-67 expression

Raquel Gerson, Mexico City, Mexico

237P – The biological characteristics of early breast cancer (EBC) from NEMESI, an Italian retrospective observational study

Marco Venturini, Negrar, Italy

238P – Adjuvant breast cancer chemotherapy based on sequential anthracyclin and taxane: Retrospective analysis of hematological toxicity

Nuno Couto, Porto, Portugal

239P – NEMESI: A retrospective observational longitudinal study to investigate patient characteristics and treatment in the early breast cancer (EBC) in Italy

Matteo Clavarezza, Milan, Italy

240P – Abdominal obesity and weight gain as a consequence of taxane-based adjuvant chemotherapy for breast cancer

Dimitris Mavroudis, Heraklion, Greece

241P – Impact of Mammaprint on the routine treatment decision making process in an unselected early breast cancer patient population in Belgium

Pino Cusumano, Liège, Belgium

242P – The outcomes of the specialized genetic program provided for the carriers of the genetic alterations predisposing to the breast cancer

Martina Zimovjanova, Prague, Czech Republic

243P – Adjuvant chemotherapy prescription according to multidisciplinary team decision or the MINDACT protocol (Microarray in Node-negative and 1 to 3 positive lymph node Disease may Avoid ChemoTherapy) (EORTC10041 BIG 3-04)

Carine Mitine, Haine Saint Paul, Belgium

244P – Dynamics of circulating endothelial cells and endothelial progenitor cells in breast cancer patients receiving cytotoxic chemotherapy

Yu Hsuan Kuo, Taipei, Taiwan

245P – Impact of different prognostic factors on the development of brain metastasis in adjuvant breast cancer patients

Sara Amin, Giza, Egypt

246P – Are breast cancer (BC) prognostic factors different in young patients?

Zora Baretta, Padova, Italy

247P – Low expression level of nucleostemin (GNL3), stimulator of cancer stem cell feather, is a promising biomarker to predict pathologic complete response (pCR) in neoadjuvant treatment with breast cancer

Kenji Tamura, Tokyo, Chuo-ku, Japan

248P – Predictive factors for complete pathological response after neoadjuvant chemotherapy in breast cancer. Results from a single institution

Vanessa Pons, Valencia, Spain

249P – The 70-gene expression profile for breast cancer patients in Italian hospitals

Daniele Generali, Amsterdam, Netherlands

250P – Evaluation of completeness and quality of the information process during genetic counselling for cancer predisposition. Preliminary results of the genetic counselling service (GCS) of Southern Switzerland

Elena Scaffidi, Viganello, Switzerland

251P – Breastfeeding in breast cancer survivors: Pattern, behaviour and effect on breast cancer outcome

Hatem Azim Jr, Cairo, Egypt

Colorectal cancer

Chair: Eduardo Diaz-Rubio, Madrid, Spain

589P – Integrative evaluation of EGFR downstream signalling functionality to predict response to anti-EGFR monoclonal antibodies in KRAS wild-type mCRC

Anne-Sophie Chretien, Vandoeuvre les Nancy, France

590P – Inter-observer reproducibility of evaluation of EGFR status in colorectal carcinoma

Catherine Julié, Boulogne-Billancourt, France

591P – European relementation for cetuximab still required the EGFR positive status: Results of a French translational study OMIT of 330 patients to define if this criteria is relevant

Jean-Philippe Metges, Brest, France

592P – “Determina KRAS” Project: What’s new after twenty months?

Jesus Garcia-Foncillas, Pamplona, Spain

593P – Evaluation of KRAS mutation status in primary colorectal tumours and corresponding liver metastases

Nikki Knijn, Nijmegen, Netherlands

594P – Evaluation of KRAS, BRAF and PI3KCA in synchronous and metachronous metastatic colorectal cancer (MCRC)

Fabiola Rojas Llimpe, Bologna, Italy

595P – KRAS mutational status in Japanese patients with colorectal cancer: Results from a multicenter, cross-sectional, large observational study conducted by the Japan Study Group of KRAS mutation in colorectal cancer

Kentaro Yamazaki, Shizuoka, Japan

596P – Early tumor shrinkage for the prediction of efficacy of cetuximab in metastatic colorectal cancer (MCRC): Analysis from the CRYSTAL study
Hubert Piessevaux, Brussels, Belgium

597P – Cetuximab and 1st-line chemotherapy in elderly and younger patients with metastatic colorectal cancer (MCRC): A pooled analysis of the CRYSTAL and OPUS studies
Gunnar Folprecht, Dresden, Germany

598P – The role of HER-3 expression in the prediction of clinical outcome for advanced colorectal cancer patients receiving irinotecan-cetuximab
Mario Scartozzi, Ancona, Italy

599P – Incidence and prognostic value of BRAF mutation in metastatic colorectal cancer (CRC) with mismatch repair deficiency (dMMR)
Miriam Koopman, Nijmegen, Netherlands

600P – Multicenter phase II study of second-line FOLFIRI+cetuximab with KRAS wild type gene in metastatic CRC (FLIER)
Takeshi Kato, Minoh, Japan

601P – Efficacy and safety of cetuximab plus irinotecan in irinotecan-refractory elderly patients (>65 years) with metastatic colorectal cancer (mCRC)
Christian Jehn, Berlin, Germany

602P – Safety, pharmacokinetics (PK), and efficacy of imprime PGG plus cetuximab (cetux) with and without irinotecan (irino) in advanced metastatic colorectal cancer (mCRC) patients
Ma Tamayo, Manila, Philippines

603P – Early magnesium modifications as a surrogate markers of efficacy of cetuximab based anticancer treatment in advanced colorectal cancer patients
Sara Galluzzo, Rome, Italy

604P – Hypomagnesemia related to anti-EGFR monoclonal antibody therapies: A pooled analysis of randomised trials
Faustro Petrelli, Treviglio, Italy

605P – Genetic polymorphisms of the Fc RIIa-Fc RIIIa are not predictive of clinical outcomes after cetuximab based chemotherapy in patients with metastatic colorectal cancer
Seong Joon Park, Seougl, South Korea

606P – Chemotherapy with or without bevacizumab in advanced colorectal cancer: A phase III trial
Georgios Stathopoulos, Athens, Greece

607P – Phase II trial of combined chemotherapy with irinotecan, S-1, and bevacizumab in patients with metastatic colorectal cancer
Yoshito Komatsu, Sapporo, Japan

608P – Bevacizumab (BV) in combination with FOLFOXIRI compared with BV plus FOLFIRI as first-line treatment of metastatic colorectal cancer (MCRC): Preliminary safety results of the TRIBE study by the Gruppo Oncologico Nord-Ovest (GONO)
Gianluca Masi, Pisa, Italy

609P – Efficacy and safety of second-line bevacizumab (BV) plus FOLFIRI / FOLFOX in patients with metastatic colorectal cancer (mCRC) who failed prior-combination chemotherapy without BV: Multicenter retrospective 2nd-BV study in Tsukuba Cancer Clinical Trial Group (TCTG)
Toshikazu Moriwaki, Tsukuba-Shi, Japan

610P – Impact of KRAS and BRAF gene mutation status on outcomes from the phase III AGITG MAX trial of capecitabine (C) alone or in combination with bevacizumab (B) +/- mitomycin C (M) in advanced colorectal cancer (CRC)
Timothy Price, Adelaide, Australia

611P – Current chemotherapy and monoclonal antibody use patterns in metastatic colorectal cancer in Western Europe
Zhongyun Zhao, Newbury Park, CA, USA

612P – Clinical and economic burden of toxicities associated with monoclonal antibodies for metastatic colorectal cancer (mCRC)
Chakkarin Burudpakdee, Philadelphia, PA, USA

613P – Perfusion computed tomography as prognostic and predictive factor in patients with colorectal cancer liver metastases treated with bevacizumab
Rita De Sanctis, Rome, Italy

614P – A blinded placebo (P) controlled phase I/II dose escalation study (DES) of brivanib (B), an oral selective dual inhibitor of FGF and VEGF signaling, in combination with cetuximab (C) and irinotecan (I) in patients (pts) with KRAS wild type (KWT) advanced or metastatic colorectal cancer (amCRC): Safety, tolerability and pharmacokinetics (PK) findings
Young Suk Park, Seoul, South Korea

615P – A phase II study of cediranib in combination with mFOLFOX6 in Japanese patients (pts) with metastatic colorectal cancer (CRC)
Kei Muro, Nagoya, Japan

616P – Phase II study of first-line sunitinib (SU) in combination with irinotecan, leucovorin, and 5-fluorouracil (5-FU) (FOLFIRI) in Japanese patients (pts) with unresectable/metastatic colorectal cancer (mCRC)
Akihito Tsuji, Kochi, Japan

617P – Sorafenib (S) with FOLFIRI as first-line therapy for metastatic colorectal cancer (mCRC): A phase I study
Jean Maroun, Ottawa, ON, Canada

618P – A phase II study of two dose levels of vorinostat (V) in combination with fluorouracil (5-FU) and leucovorin (LV) in fluoropyrimidine-refractory colorectal cancer (CRC) patients (pts)

Marwan Fakih, Buffalo, NY, USA

619P – Analysis of plasma biomarkers, DCE-MRI, and KRAS mutations in patients (pts) with advanced colorectal carcinoma (CRC) treated with the multikinase inhibitor regorafenib

Olaf Christensen, Montville, CT, USA

620P – Identification of predictive biomarkers for individual response to mFOLFOX6 in colorectal cancer patients
Masahiko Nishiyama, Hidaka, Saitama, Japan

621P – Intermittent versus continuous erlotinib with concomitant modified 'XELOX' (q3W) in first-line treatment of metastatic colorectal cancer (mCRC)

Steven L. Chan, Hong Kong, China

622P – Cost comparison: Capecitabine + oxaliplatin (XELOX) vs 5-FU/LV + oxaliplatin (FOLFOX4) in the adjuvant treatment of patients with colon cancer (aCC)

Klaus Hieke, Binningen, Switzerland

623P – Meta-analysis of the validity of progression-free survival as a surrogate endpoint for overall survival in metastatic colorectal cancer trials

Chirila Costel, Research Triangle Park, NC, USA

624P – Analysis of neurosensory adverse events (NSAEs) induced by FOLFOX4 treatment in advanced/recurrent or adjuvant colorectal cancer in Asian and Western patients (pts)
Kenichi Sugihara, Tokyo, Japan

625P – Significant Impact of Her2/neu, Bcl-2 and P53 overexpression on survival in colorectal cancer (using tissue microarray)

Ola Khorshid, Cairo, Egypt

626P – Thrombocytosis as a predictive and prognostic marker in advanced colorectal cancer (aCRC): Results of the MRC COIN trial explored

Tim Maughan, Cardiff, UK

627P – Natural history of malignant bone disease in colorectal cancer: Final results of a large Italian "bone metastases" survey

Daniele Santini, Rome, Italy

628P – Efficacy of zoledronic acid in patients with colorectal cancer metastatic to bone

Giuseppe Tonini, Rome, Italy

629P – Preliminary results from the South Australian (SA) Clinical Registry for advanced colorectal cancer (CRC) assessing the impact of age and choice of chemotherapy on outcome

Amanda Townsend, Adelaide, Australia

630P – Patients not receiving systemic therapy for metastatic colorectal cancer – what are the drivers and what are the outcomes?

Mark Voskoboinik, Melbourne, Australia

631P – Should the primary tumor be resected in patients with unresectable synchronous metastasis of colorectal cancer? Prognostic retrospective multicentric study of 128 patients
Elise Desot, Reims, France

632P – Survival after surgical resection of hepatic metastases from colorectal cancer: A systematic review and meta-analysis

Aliki Taylor, Uxbridge, UK

633P – Analysis of overall survival among patients with metastatic colorectal cancer, with and without undergoing elective colectomy

Mariana Ferreira, Barretos, Brazil

634P – RIPK1 polymorphism as prognostic marker for survival in patients with colorectal cancer after complete resection

Won Sik Lee, Daegu, South Korea

635P – Resection of colorectal cancer (CRC) metastases after bevacizumab (BV) treatment for 1st-line therapy: Results of the ETNA cohort study
Denis Smith, Bordeaux, France

636P – FUFIRI or mIROX for first-line treatment in metastatic colorectal cancer (mCRC) and secondary resection of liver metastasis: A post-hoc analysis of tumor response and overall survival in the FIRE-trial
Clemens Giessen, Munich, Germany

637P – The role of perioperative bevacizumab in the management of patients with colorectal cancer and liver metastases treated with liver metastasectomy
Anastasia Constantinidou, London, UK

638P – Liver resection plus local destruction of liver metastases for patients with metastatic colorectal cancer
Igor Sagaidak, Moscow, Russian Federation

639P – Treatment for recurrence after hepatectomy in patients with colorectal liver metastasis
Shinichi Miyagawa, Matsumoto, Japan

640P – A randomized phase III trial of adjuvant chemotherapy with irinotecan, leucovorin and fluorouracil versus leucovorin and fluorouracil for stage II and III colon cancer: A Hellenic Cooperative Oncology Group study
Christos Papadimitriou, Athens, Greece

641P – Randomised phase III trial of capecitabine + oxaliplatin vs. bolus 5-FU/LV for stage III colon cancer (NO16968): Impact of age on disease-free survival (DFS) or overall survival (OS)

Daniel Haller, Philadelphia, PA, USA

642P – Efficacy findings from the X-ACT trial of capecitabine vs. 5-FU/LV as adjuvant therapy for patients with stage III colon cancer: No impact of age on disease-free survival or overall survival

Chris Twelves, Leeds, UK

643P – Stroma production within the primary tumor correlates with poor survival for stage I-II colon cancer patients

Wilma Mesker, Leiden, Netherlands

644P – Is mucinous carcinoma an independent histologic type in colon cancer? A significance of mucin in histologic classification

Yuji Maeda, Isehara, Japan

645P – CpG island methylator phenotype and microsatellite instability as a prognostic factor in colon cancer treated with adjuvant FOLFOX chemotherapy

Hyun Jung Lee, Seoul, South Korea

646P – CpG island methylation in MGMT, cadherin E and H promoters, K-ras and B-raf mutations: Determining progression and sequence in colorectal adenoma-carcinoma

Brigitte Metzger, Luxembourg

647P – Importance of perineural invasion in early stage colorectal cancer

Mehmet Ozturk, Istanbul, Turkey

648P – Perineural invasion is a strong independent prognostic factor following pre-operative chemo/radiotherapy for locally advanced rectal cancer

Amandeep Dhadda, Hull, UK

649P – Early detection of colorectal cancer using mass spectrometry based serum protein profiling

Anouck Huijbers, Leiden, Netherlands

650P – Development and measurement of guideline-based indicators for colorectal carcinoma

P. B. Ottevanger, Nijmegen, Netherlands

651P – MGMT -535G>T polymorphism is associated with prognosis for patients with metastatic colorectal cancer treated with oxaliplatin-based chemotherapy

Byung Woog Kang, Seoul, South Korea

652P – Prognostic impact of insulin-like growth factor gene polymorphisms on survival of patients with colorectal cancer

Jong Gwang Kim, Daegu, South Korea

653P – Is obesity changes the expression profile of genes coding IGF in the colorectal cancer patients?

Ewa Nowakowska Zajdel, Bytom, Poland

654P – Phase II study with panitumumab, oxaliplatin, 5-fluorouracil and concurrent radiotherapy in high-risk locally advanced rectal cancer patients (STARPAN/STAR-02 study)

Carmine Pinto, Bologna, Italy

655P – CRAB trial: Updated results from a prospective phase II study evaluating neoadjuvant capecitabine, radiotherapy (RT) and bevacizumab in locally advanced rectal cancer

Vaneja Velenik, Ljubljana, Slovenia

656P – Chemoradiotherapy with 5-FU versus capecitabine on rectal cancer downstaging

Lúcia Águas, Porto, Portugal

657P – Final safety and efficacy results of a phase II trial of Bevacizumab, Capecitabine, Oxaliplatin, Radiation Rectal Cancer Trial (A-CORRECT)

Hagen Kennecke, Vancouver, BC, Canada

658P – Critical role of bevacizumab schedule in combination with chemo-radiotherapy in neo-adjuvant treatment of rectal cancer: Circulating endothelial cells and FDG-PET as markers for early prediction

Antonio Avallone, Naples, Italy

659P – The location of lymphangiogenesis is an independent prognostic factor in rectal cancers with or without preoperative radiotherapy

Annica Holmqvist, Linköping, Sweden

660P – Biomarker profiles are not of predictive value for response and outcome in patients with locally advanced rectal cancer undergoing cetuximab-based preoperative chemoradiotherapy

Kathrin Dellas, Halle (Saale), Germany

661P – Circulating level of VEGF, E-selectin, TGF- β , EGF and 18F-FDG PET uptake in locally advanced rectal cancer (LARC) patients treated with chemoradiation (CTRT) and panitumumab (StarPan/STAR-02 phase II study)

Sara Pini, Bologna, Italy

662P – Topoisomerase II in colorectal carcinoma:

Expression and prognostic role

Antonio Juretic, Zagreb, Croatia

663P – A Let-7 microRNA complementary site polymorphism in the KRAS 3'-UTR region as a genetic regulator in advanced colorectal cancer

David Páez, Barcelona, Spain

664P – Circulating tumor cells in colorectal cancer. A prospective study

Virginia Arrazubi, Pamplona, Spain

Gynecological cancer

Chair: TBC

980P – Randomized phase II study of paclitaxel-carboplatin (PC) versus gemcitabine-carboplatin (GC) followed by paclitaxel-carboplatin (PC) in platinum-sensitive recurrent ovarian carcinoma (PSROC): A GEICO

(Spanish Group for Investigation in Ovarian Cancer) study
Antonio Gonzalez Martin, Madrid, Spain

981P – Should CA 125 still be part of tumour evaluation criteria in ovarian cancer trials? Experience of the GCIG CALYPSO trial
Jerome Alexandre, Paris, France

982P – NGR-hTNF in combination with doxorubicin in progressive or recurrent ovarian cancer
Domenica Lorusso, Rome, Italy

983P – Exposure-response relationships of AMG 386 in combination with weekly paclitaxel in advanced ovarian cancer: Facilitation of phase 3 dose selection by population pharmacokinetic/pharmacodynamic (PK/PD) modeling
Jian-Feng Lu, Thousand Oaks, CA, USA

984P – Trabectedin has a low cardiac risk profile: A comprehensive safety analysis
Claudia Lebedinsky, Madrid, Spain

985P – Paclitaxel/carboplatin versus single agent carboplatin in patients with epithelial ovarian cancer and correlation to serum marker VEGF
Raafat Abdel Malek, Cairo, Egypt

986P – Evaluation of rebound ascites following discontinuation of bevacizumab in recurrent ovarian cancer
Roisin O’Cearbhaill, New York, NY, USA

987P – Bowel obstruction in ovarian and peritoneal malignancy: The Christie Hospital experience
Emma Dean, Manchester, UK

988P – Clinical features and outcomes in epithelial ovarian cancer (EOC) associated with BRCA1 and BRCA2 mutations in Polish population – an observational study
Malgorzata Hutka, Katowice, Poland

989P – BRCA1 germline mutations are associated with gynecologic sarcomas
Dorota Nowakowska, Warsaw, Poland

990P – CYP3A4*1B (rs2740574) gene polymorphism has prognostic value in ovarian cancer
Dania Santos, Porto, Portugal

991P – CARMA3: A novel target for cancer therapy
Jiyuan Sun, Houston, TX, USA

992P – Long-term follow-up of a phase II feasibility study of regional hyperthermia added to chemoradiotherapy in advanced cervical cancer
Anneke Westermann, Amsterdam, Netherlands

993P – Phase II study of neoadjuvant chemotherapy with CPT-11 and nedaplatin (CPT-11/NDP) for stage IB2/II carcinoma of the cervix (Japanese Gynecologic Oncology Group 1065 study)
Tadahiro Shoji, Morioka Iwate, Japan

994P – Intraarterial chemotherapy in treatment of advanced primary cervix cancer
Nargiza Yuldasheva, Tashkent, Uzbekistan

995P – Weekly paclitaxel and paraptatin as first-line treatment in patients with recurrent or metastatic cervical carcinoma
Wael El-Sadda, Mansoura, Dakahlia, Egypt

996P – Chemotherapy using gemcitabine (G) & cisplatin (C) in recurrent and metastatic squamous cell carcinoma of the cervix
Hassen Mahfouf, Algiers, Algeria

997P – EGFR mutation status and the efficacy of gefitinib in combination with paclitaxel and carboplatin as neoadjuvant treatment in locally advanced cancer of cervix: A study from Eastern India
Ritwik Pandey, Kolkata, India

998P – A phase II trial of paclitaxel plus doxorubicin plus carboplatin in patients with intermediate risk, high risk, or recurrent endometrial cancer: A Japan Endometrial Cancer Study Group trial
Seisuke Kumagai, Iwate, Japan

999P – Expression of annexin A4 in endometrial cancer and relation to carboplatin sensitivity
Shinya Matsuzaki, Suita Osaka, Japan

1000P – Incidence of second malignancies (SM) in the treatment field following pelvic radiotherapy (RT): A case-control study from South East Wales (SEW)
Ayman Madi, Newcastle upon Tyne, UK

Head and neck cancer

Chair: Lisa Licitra, Milan, Italy

1012P – The expression of Toll-like receptor pathway molecules in peripheral blood mononuclear cells and its use as a potential biomarker for tumor behavior in laryngeal carcinoma
Katarzyna Starska, Lodz, Poland

1013P – Heat shock proteins 27, 105 expressions in oral tongue squamous cell carcinoma and their correlations with clinicopathological characteristics by immunohistochemistry
Kazem Anvari, Mashhad, Iran

1014P – Expression of survivin in adenoid cystic carcinoma of the head and neck and its clinicopathological relationship
Yoon Ho Ko, Seoul, South Korea

1015P – Tumor stage, humanpapilloma virus (HPV) and smoking status affect the survival of patients with oropharyngeal cancer: An Italian validation study
Roberta Granata, Milan, Italy

1016P – Is concurrent chemoradiotherapy with altered fractionation (C-AFRT) better than standard concurrent chemoradiotherapy (C-RT) in head and neck cancer? An exploratory network meta-analysis using individual patient data
Pierre Blanchard, Villejuif, France

1017P – Larynx preservation (LP) in selected stage III and IV patients (pts) with squamous cell carcinoma (LC) using concurrent chemotherapy (CT) and hyperfractionated radiotherapy (RT)

Raul Giglio, Buenos Aires, Argentina

1018P – Efficacy and safety of induction chemotherapy with cisplatin plus paclitaxel followed by chemoradiotherapy for locally advanced head and neck cancer – An interim analysis of safety and response rate

Alexandre Jácome, Barretos, Brazil

1019P – Is there a role for induction chemotherapy (iCT) in locally advanced head and neck squamous cell carcinoma (LAHNSCC)? A single institution experience

Isabel Sargento, Lisboa, Portugal

1020P – Comparison of two modalities of induction chemotherapy in head and neck cancer with unresectable bulky nodal disease; an intent-to-treat analysis

Svetislav Jelic, Belgrade, Serbia

1021P – Induction docetaxel and S-1 followed by concomitant radiotherapy with low-dose daily cisplatin in locally advanced head and neck carcinoma

Hye Ryun Kim, Seoul, South Korea

1022P – Impact of age on prognosis of locally advanced head and neck cancer (LAHNC) treated with chemoradiation (CRT). A single institutional experience

Nerina Denaro, Messina, Italy

1023P – A multicenter phase II trial to evaluate the combination of cetuximab (C) plus TPF (docetaxel, cisplatin and fluorouracil) as induction chemotherapy (iC) followed by cetuximab plus accelerated radiotherapy (RT) with concomitant boost in patients (pts) with unresectable locally advanced squamous cell carcinoma of head and neck (SCCHN)

Ricard Mesia, Barcelona, Spain

1024P – Single-centre experience of quality assurance (QA) measures in a phase II trial of radiotherapy (RT) + panitumumab vs chemo-RT (CRT) in patients with locally advanced squamous cell carcinoma of the head and neck (SCCHN)

Andreas Meister, Aarau, Switzerland

1025P – Phase I study of concurrent pemetrexed, cetuximab and radiation therapy with or without cisplatin in patients with locally advanced squamous cell carcinoma of the head and neck (SCCHN)

Lisa Licitra, Milan, Italy

1026P – Impact of salivary composition changes on saliva quality & quality of life after radiotherapy of head and neck cancer: A prospective longitudinal study

Manpreet Tiwana, Dehradun, India

1027P – Oropharyngeal mucositis prophylaxis in combined radioimmunochemotherapy

Wolf Jordan, Lehrte, Germany

1028P – Hypomagnesaemia after induction TPF chemotherapy followed by concomitant cisplatin/cetuximab/radiotherapy (ccRT) in locally advanced head and neck cancer (LAHNC)

Cvetka Grasic Kuhar, Ljubljana, Slovenia

1029P – Clinical outcome and incidence of renal failure (RF) after concurrent chemo-radiation with 3-weekly (3WC) versus weekly (1WC) cisplatin for locally advanced squamocellular head and neck cancer (SCHNC)

Vittoria Espeli, Geneva, Switzerland

1030P – Body mass index (BMI) in prognosis of locoregionally advanced and metastatic squamocellular head and neck carcinomas (SCHNC)

Miroslav Kreacic, Belgrade, Serbia

1031P – Trends in the treatment of locally advanced squamous cell carcinoma of the head and neck (LASCCHN) in Europe between 2006 and 2009

Volker Budach, Berlin, Germany

1032P – Ability of FDG-PET/CT to detect residual disease on posttreatment follow-up of patients with head and neck squamous cell carcinoma treated with chemoradiotherapy compared with CT

Pilar De La Morena, Murcia, Spain

1033P – Recurrent and/or metastatic squamous cell carcinoma of the head and neck (R/M SCCHN): Changes in 1st-line treatment patterns in Europe 2008–2009

Hansjochen Wilke, Essen, Germany

1035P – Weekly regimen of paclitaxel-carboplatin-cetuximab as first-line chemotherapy in patients with platinum-resistant recurrent or metastatic squamous cell carcinoma of head and neck (SSCHN): Results of a phase II study

Antonio Rozzi, Grottaferrata (Rome), Italy

1034P – Cetuximab in combination with bendamustine as an alternative therapeutic option for recurrent head and neck cancer

Hayssam Zakaria, Lehrte, Germany

1036P – Panitumumab (PMAB) regimen in second-line monotherapy (PRISM) in patients (pts) with recurrent (R) or metastatic (M) squamous cell carcinoma of the head and neck (SCCHN): Interim safety analysis

Danny Rischin, East Melbourne, Australia

1037P – Analysis of antibodies against Epstein-Barr virus and viral DNA quantification as early screening tools of nasopharyngeal carcinoma

Susanna Hutajulu, Yogyakarta, Indonesia

1038P – The continuing role of platinum-based chemotherapy in the era of targeted drugs in advanced nasopharyngeal carcinoma (NPC): A systematic review
Quan-Sing Ng, Singapore

1039P – Phase II trial of first-line capecitabine plus oxaliplatin in patients with metastatic nasopharyngeal carcinoma

Daniel Chua, Happy Valley, Hong Kong, China

1040P – Induction chemotherapy (CT) with docetaxel, cisplatin, and fluorouracil (TPF) followed by concomitant cisplatin plus radiotherapy in locally advanced nasopharyngeal cancer (NPC)

Esma Kerboua, Algiers, Algeria

1041P – A phase II trial of induction chemotherapy with cisplatin, docetaxel and capecitabine followed by concurrent cisplatin- radiotherapy in advanced nasopharyngeal carcinoma

Mohamed Yamouni, Oran, Algeria

1042P – Introduction chemotherapy with docetaxel, cisplatin and S-1(TPS) followed by concurrent chemoradiotherapy in patients with nasopharyngeal carcinoma

Tomoko Yamazaki, Kashiwa, Japan

1043P – A dendritic cell vaccine transduced with Ad5-f35-dLMP1-I-LMP2 for patients with metastatic nasopharyngeal carcinoma – A phase II clinical trial
John Chia, Singapore

1044P – Prognostic factors influencing outcome of patients with recurrent or metastatic carcinoma (R&M) of the head and neck: Results of an Italian monoinstitutional study
Aurora Mirabile, Milan, Italy

1045P – Radiotherapy after hyperbaric oxygen concurrent with superselective intra-arterial carboplatin chemotherapy enhances survival of patients with oral cancer

Ryoichi Oya, Kitakyushu, Japan

1046P – Oral carcinoma after stem cell transplantation – a single centre experience

Ana Castro, Porto, Portugal

1047P – Local use of carboplatin in complex treatment of retinoblastoma

Rustam Usmanov, Tashkent, Uzbekistan

1048P – Gemcitabine plus oxaliplatin (GEMOX) regimen in radioactive iodine resistant metastatic thyroid cancer: Activity and safety study

Yann Vano, Paris, France

1049P – Olfactory neuroblastoma: Impact of induction chemotherapy and proton beam therapy

Makoto Tahara, Kashiwa, Chiba, Japan

Neuro-oncology

Chair: Roger Stupp, Vevey and Lausanne, Switzerland

1056P – Bevacizumab (B) with irinotecan (I) in recurrent glioblastoma (GBM): A national retrospective cohort of the ANOCEF (Association des Neuro-oncologues d'Expression Française) group

Sophie Taillibert, Paris, France

1057P – Encouraging overall survival (OS) with bevacizumab (Bev) in patients with recurrent high-grade glioma (HGG) treated outside clinical trials

Silvia Hofer, Zurich, Switzerland

1058P – Bevacizumab and irinotecan in recurrent malignant glioma: Results of a French retrospective cohort study OMIT of 264 patients in real practice!
Françoise Grudé, Angers, France

1059P – Efficacy, safety and pattern of relapse of bevacizumab (BEV) versus chemotherapy for recurrent glioblastoma multiforme (GBM):

A McGill University study

Solmaz Sahebjam, Montreal, QC, Canada

1060P – Clinical predictive factors of increased overall survival with bevacizumab/irinotecan for primary recurrent glioblastoma (GBM)

Jean Sebastien Frenel, Saint Herblain, Nantes, France

1061P – Experience with the monoclonal antibody bevacizumab (Bev) combined with chemotherapy in children with poorly differentiated glial CNS tumours
Boris Kholodov, Moscow, Russian Federation

1062P – Sorafenib (So) in association with low-dose metronomic temozolomide (TMZ) in recurrent glioblastoma multiforme (GBM): Preliminary results of a phase II study

Lorenza Landi, Livorno, Italy

1063P – TEMOCAR: Carboplatin in addition to radiotherapy and temozolomide in newly diagnosed unresectable glioblastoma

Nicolas Pecuchet, Paris, France

1064P – Contribution of low-molecular weight heparin addition to concomitant chemoradiotherapy in the treatment of glioblastoma multiforme

Seyit Zincircioglu, Diyarbakir, Turkey

1065P – Pre-treatment platelet count as a prognostic marker in patients with glioblastoma (GBM) treated with radiotherapy and concurrent and adjuvant temozolomide (RCAT)

Vasiliki Michalarea, London, UK

1066P – Maintenance temozolomide in glioblastoma – 6 versus 12 cycles

Matilde Salgado, Porto, Portugal

- 1067P** – Transition from 2D conventional to 3D conformal radiation therapy in patients with brain gliomas: Clinical outcome (Mansoura University experience)
Ibrahim Awad, Mansoura, Dakhliya, Egypt
- 1068P** – MGMT promotor methylation status and Ki-67 in correlation to survival and response to treatment with temozolamide and radiotherapy in newly diagnosed glioblastoma patients
Khaled Abdel Karim, Cairo, Egypt
- 1069P** – Correlation of epidermal growth factor receptor status with treatment outcome in postoperative glioblastoma multiforme patients treated with chemoradiotherapy
Supriya Mallick, New Delhi, India
- 1070P** – Radiotherapy response of brain metastases in patients with non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC) and methylation status of O6-methyl guanine methyl transferase (MGMT) promoter region
Kenji Hashimoto, Tokyo, Japan
- 1071P** – Pemetrexed (P) plus carboplatin (Cb) as up-front treatment for patients with brain metastases of lung adenocarcinoma
Kader Chouahnia, Bobigny, France
- 1072P** – Influence of cytostatic agents on pH-regulating transporter in glioma cells
Nicole Basler, Greifswald, Germany
- 1073P** – Influence of ABCB1, ABCG2 and MGMT promoter methylation and gene polymorphisms on clinico-pathological characteristics of glioma patients
Sandra Bien, Greifswald, Germany
- 1074P** – Histone deacetylase inhibitor vorinostat reduces expression of platelet-derived growth factor receptor A (PDGFRA) and matrix metalloproteinase-2 (MMP2) genes in glioblastoma cell lines
Pavel Bezecny, London, UK
- 1075P** – The activity of MRP1 membrane transporter confers resistance to anticancer drugs in glioblastoma multiforme cells
Claudia Quezada, Valdivia, Chile
- 1076P** – mRNAs overexpression in glioblastomas versus low-grade gliomas
Juan Carlos Martinez, Madrid, Spain
- 1077P** – Silibinin inhibits invasive properties of human glioblastoma U87MG cells through suppression of cathepsin B and nuclear factor kappa B-mediated induction of matrix metalloproteinase 9
Reza Ghasemi, Tehran, Iran
- 1078P** – The role of multislice CT-angiography to assess giant cranio-facial meningiomas vascular supply mode
David Miminoshvili, Tbilisi, Georgia

Palliative care

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- 1184P** – Evaluation of the possibility of outpatient management of febrile neutropenia patients with an intermediary risk of complications and impact on cost
Isabelle Borget, Villejuif, France
- 1185P** – Bone antiresorptive agents in patients with metastatic bone disease: Pharmacokinetic and pharmacodynamic effects
Peyman Hadji, Marburg, Germany
- 1186P** – Cancer pain management in oncological settings. The role of oxycodone: A new option as starting strategy therapy?
Olga Martelli, Rome, Italy
- 1187P** – Positive airway stenting for symptomatic tracheobronchial strictures in metastatic non-lung cancer patients
Masahiro Endo, Shizuoka, Japan
- 1188P** – Increased patient medication safety in advanced palliative home care through the inclusion of dispensing pharmacists: A development project
Barbro Norrstrom, Alvsjo, Sweden
- 1189P** – Description and prevalence of palliative care inpatients: A prospective study in 14 Belgian hospitals
Marianne Desmedt, Brussels, Belgium
- 1190P** – Analysis of advance directives among terminal cancer patients admitted to a palliative care unit: A single center's experience
So Yeon Oh, Seoul, South Korea
- 1191P** – Comparison of medical expenditure according to types of hospice care
Bong Seog Kim, Seoul, South Korea
- 1192P** – Literature search on end-of-life aggressiveness of care studies with respect to anticancer treatments
Lea Choung Wong, Singapore

Supportive care

Chair: Jørn Herrstedt, Odense, Denmark

- 1240P** – The analgesic therapy of patients with hematologic or solid tumours: Results from Italian ECAD_0 survey
Carla Ripamonti, Milan, Italy
- 1241P** – Pain management in critically ill patients: What is important? The results from Italian ECAD_0 survey
Carla Ripamonti, Milan, Italy

1242P – Oxycodone/acetaminophen combination tablet in patients with metastatic bone pain: A randomized, double-blinded, placebo-controlled trial
Lei Sima, Beijing, China

1243P – Study on the prevalence of post-treatment chronic pain in breast cancer patients and interference of pain with life functions

Ali Taghizadeh Kermani, Mashhad, Iran

1244P – Multicenter phase II study of an opioid-based pain control program for patients with head and neck cancer treated by chemoradiotherapy

Akihiro Homma, Sapporo, Japan

1245P – Supportive care in relapsed head and neck cancer: Transdermal buprenorphine formulation
Mario Airoidi, Turin, Italy

1246P – First baseline results of a Pan-European phase IV open-label multicentre study of the titration of fentanyl buccal tablets (FBT) in patients with breakthrough cancer pain (BTcP)

Jerzy Jarosz, Warsaw, Poland

1247P – Opioid-induced constipation prevalence and correlation with the therapy: An Italian prospective, multicentric analysis of 1210 oncologic patients
Furio Zucco, Garbagnate Milanese, Italy

1248P – Effects of denosumab vs zoledronic acid (ZA) on pain in patients (pts) with advanced cancer and bone metastases: An integrated analysis of 3 pivotal trials
Charles Cleeland, Houston, TX, USA

1249P – Comparison of denosumab versus zoledronic acid (ZA) for treatment of bone metastases in advanced cancer patients: An integrated analysis of 3 pivotal trials

Allan Lipton, Hershey, PA, USA

1250P – Medical ozone (O₃) heals osteonecrosis of the jaw (ONJ) in patients treated with bisphosphonates (BPs). Preliminary results

Carla Ripamonti, Milan, Italy

1251P – Randomized pharmacokinetic evaluation of subcutaneous versus intravenous palonosetron in cancer patients treated with platinum-based chemotherapy
Anabel Del Barrio, Pamplona, Spain

1252P – Aprepitant palonosetron and dexamethasone to prevent nausea and vomiting during multiple cycles of cisplatin-based chemotherapy

Flavia Longo, Rome, Italy

1253P – Evaluation of adrenal suppression after dexamethasone therapy as an antiemetic in cancer patients

Hye-Suk Han, Cheongju, South Korea

1254P – Identification and ranking of side-effects in patients receiving radiotherapy and concomitant weekly cisplatin. A multinational collaborative survey
Christina Ruhlmann, Odense, Denmark

1255P – Dexamethasone (DEX)-sparing regimen for prevention of emesis following moderately emetogenic chemotherapy (MEC): Analysis of prognostic factors affecting anti-emetic outcome. An I.T.M.O. study
Luigi Celio, Milan, Italy

1258P – High-level resistance to antimicrobials in febrile neutropenia: Experience from a tertiary care cancer center in India

Indranil Ghosh, New Delhi, India

1256P – Administration of granulocyte-colony stimulating factors (G-CSF) in solid tumors. An Italian observational study by the OBSERVE Study Group
Sandro Barni, Treviglio, Italy

1257P – Management of febrile neutropenia at an outpatient clinic: Risk self-assessment by a simplified scoring system

Toshiro Mizuno, Tsu City, Japan

1259P – A predictive model to estimate the true risk of severe neutropenia in cancer patients treated with chemotherapy

Eugeniu Banu, Cluj Napoca, Romania

1260P – A randomised trial comparing peripherally inserted central venous catheters (PICC) vs subcutaneously implanted port-chamber catheters (PORT) for delivery of chemotherapy to patients with non-haematological malignancies

Kunal Jain, Ludhiana, India

1261P – Thrombovascular events (TVEs) and predisposing TVE risk factors in cancer patients receiving chemotherapy and epoetin alfa QW or TIW for anemia
Kris Deprince, Beerse, Belgium

1262P – Nadroparin for the prevention of thromboembolic events in ambulatory patients receiving chemotherapy with metastatic or locally advanced cancer: A post-hoc analysis of thromboembolic risk related to type chemotherapy in the PROTECT study

Giampietro Gasparini, Rome, Italy

1263P – Pulmonary embolism: Unsuspected finding in cancer patients

Ignacio García-Escobar, Madrid, Spain

1264P – Master oncology: A multicenter, case-control, observational study on the epidemiology and risk factors for thromboembolic events in cancer patients
Roberto Labianca, Bergamo, Italy

1265P – Impact of epistaxis on the use of fentanyl pectin nasal spray to treat breakthrough cancer pain

David Brooks, Chesterfield, UK

1266P – A phase III, randomized double-blind placebo-controlled study of epoetin beta in lung and gynecological cancer receiving platinum-based chemotherapy: Japan Erythropoietin Study Group

Akira Yoshizaki, Morioka, Iwate, Japan

1267P – Darbepoetin alfa dosing weekly and every three weeks in cancer patients with chemotherapy-induced anaemia – efficacy data from the CHOICE study

Simon Van Belle, Ghent, Belgium

1268P – Darbepoetin alfa in the treatment of chemotherapy-induced anaemia; effects of target haemoglobin label change: Data from the APRIORI study

Veronika Sárosi, Pécs, Hungary

1269P – A European patient record study on diagnosis and treatment of chemotherapy-induced anaemia

Daniell Mitchell, Glattbrugg, Switzerland

1270P – Anemia and darbepoetin alfa administration in patients treated with CHOP+/-R chemotherapy: Results from an observational study of patients with non-Hodgkin lymphoma

Beatrix Pujol, Zug, Switzerland

1271P – Cardioprotective effect of telmisartan in cancer patients treated with epirubicin

Giovanni Mantovani, Cagliari, Italy

1272P – High incidence of severe sorafenib-induced diarrhea in patients with hyperbilirubinemia and/or hypoalbuminemia

Judith Michels, Paris, France

1273P – Sulphasalazine in the prevention of radiation-induced acute proctitis in patients with prostate cancer

Simin Hemati, Isfahan, Iran

1274P – Duration of paclitaxel (PTX)-induced peripheral neuropathy (PN)

Yuko Tanabe, Tsukiji, Chuo-ku, Tokyo, Japan

1275P – Topical silver sulfadiazine for prevention of acute dermatitis during irradiation for breast cancer

Simin Hemati, Isfahan, Iran

1278P – Cutaneous infections in the emergency unit of a cancer research centre

Emna Elleuche, Sfax, Tunisia

1276P – Pre-emptive skin toxicity treatment for anti-EGFR drugs: Evaluation of efficacy of skin moisturizers and limeicline. A phase II study

Roberta Grande, Frosinone, Italy

1277P – Assessment of supportive care for hand-foot syndrome and stomatitis in relapsed ovarian cancer patients receiving pegylated liposomal doxorubicin

Takeo Otsuki, Sendai, Japan

1279P – Palmar-plantar erythrodysesthesia (PPE) in patients (pts) with ovarian cancer (OC) or metastatic breast cancer (MBC) treated with pegylated liposomal doxorubicin (PLD): An observational study

Maria Luisa Gonzalez, Murcia, Spain

1280P – Management of oral mucositis (OM) with a muco-adhesive oral rinse: European clinical experience

Andreas Duckert, Frankfurt/Oder, Germany

1281P – Functional magnetic resonance imaging with food stimuli in lung cancer patients with and without anorexia

Karla Sanchez Lara, Mexico City, Mexico

1282P – Improvement of physical activity as an alternative objective variable to measure treatment effects of anti cachexia therapy in cancer patients

Giovanni Mantovani, Cagliari, Italy

1283P – Relationship between performance status, nutritional status and chemotherapy dose-intensity in patients with solid tumors

Anatole Cessot, Paris, France

1284P – Evaluation of a hospital-home medical program (HHMP) for the management of chemotherapy-related toxicities in the outpatient setting

Romein Coriat, Paris, France

1285P – Attitudes of health professionals to patients who receive chemotherapy information from the internet and their discussion of internet information with patients

Elaine Davies, Northampton, UK

1286P – Internet usage by patients receiving chemotherapy information – is the Internet beneficial or deleterious to patients?

Elaine Davies, Northampton, UK

1287P – Importance of religion and spirituality in cancer patients cared for in oncological, supportive care, psychological and rehabilitation ambulatory settings

Carla Ripamonti, Milan, Italy

1288P – Sexual dysfunctions and cancer, or cancer and sexual dysfunctions?

Silvia Bonicatto, Gonnet, Argentina

1289P – Pharmacological interventions for fertility preservation during chemotherapy – a systematic review and meta-analysis

Irit Ben-Aharon, Petach-Tikva, Israel

1290P – Feasibility of removal of Huber needle by patients or their family members during chemotherapy for colorectal cancer

Kaoru Shibamoto, Shizuoka, Japan

1291P – A randomized, pilot, stratified trial regarding the perception and satisfaction of patients with complementary therapies in a dedicated room

Daniela Grosso, Padova, Italy

1292P – Changes in daily activities of cancer patients after diagnosis: How do Canadian and Iranian patients perceive the change?

Ali Taghizadeh Kermani, Mashhad, Iran

1293P – N-terminal pro-brain natriuretic peptide (NT-proBNP) as a marker of outcome in elderly cancer patients receiving chemotherapy

Camille Chenevier-Gobeaux, Paris, France

1294P – Patients' ratings of the effect of toxicities on likely adherence to gastrointestinal stromal tumor (GIST) treatments

Brett Hauber, Research Triangle Park, NC, USA

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08.00–08.45 **Turquoise Hall 2**

YO Breakfast

Medical information. Where to find it, what to trust

Medical information: Where to find it, what to trust
Lewis Rowett, Oxford, UK

08.00–09.00 **Yellow Hall 1**

Challenge Your Expert session

Nasopharyngeal cancer

Anthony Chan, Hong Kong, China

08.00–09.00 **Yellow Hall 2**

Challenge Your Expert session

Multiple myeloma

Joan Bladé, Barcelona, Spain

08.00–09.00 **Yellow Hall 3**

Challenge Your Expert session

Advances of systemic treatment in metastatic melanoma

Alexander M. M. Eggermont, Rotterdam, Netherlands

08.00–09.00 **Green Hall 3**

Challenge Your Expert session

Advances in the treatment of metastatic or unresectable biliary tract cancer

Juan W. Valle, Manchester, UK

08.00–09.00 **Green Halls 1+2**

Patient Cases

Early endometrial cancer

Co-Chairs: Carien L. Creuzberg, Leiden, Netherlands and Thomas Högberg, Lund, Sweden

08.00 Chemotherapy

Thomas Högberg, Lund, Sweden

08.10 Radiotherapy

Carien L. Creuzberg, Leiden, Netherlands

08.20 Discussion

08.00–09.00 **Orange Halls 2+3**

Patient Cases

Genotyping GIST for clinical decision-making

Co-Chairs: Alessandro Gronchi, Milan, Italy and Peter Reichardt, Bad Saarow, Germany

08.00 Tailoring the drug

Peter Reichardt, Bad Saarow, Germany

- 08.10 Tailoring the scalpel
Alessandro Gronchi, Milan, Italy
- 08.20 Discussion

09.00–10.30 **Violet Hall**

Proffered Paper session

Breast cancer, early

Chair: Martine Piccart, Brussels, Belgium

Co-Chair: Luca Gianni, Milan, Italy

- 09.00 2130 – Distant recurrences at median of 5-years among 9.779 postmenopausal women with hormone receptor-positive early breast cancer treated on the TEAM trial of adjuvant endocrine therapy
Hans Nortier, Leiden, Netherlands
- 09.15 2140 – Final results of the Hellenic Cooperative Oncology Group phase III trial (HE10/00) exploring the efficacy of postoperative dose-dense sequential chemotherapy with epirubicin, paclitaxel and CMF in high risk breast cancer patients
Helen Gogas, Athens, Greece
- 09.30 Invited Discussant, Abstracts 2130 and 2140
Heikki Joensuu, Helsinki, Finland
- 09.45 LBA10 – Optimal treatment of the axilla after positive sentinel lymph node biopsy in primary invasive breast cancer patients (surgery versus radiotherapy). Early results of a randomized clinical trial
Gábor Péley, Norwich, UK
- 10.00 2150 – HER2 status as predictor of mammographic screening detection: Comparison of interval- and screen-detected breast cancers
Antonino Musolino, Parma, Italy
- 10.15 Invited Discussant, LBA10 and Abstract 2150
Richard Bell, Milan, Italy

09.00–10.30 **Pink Hall**

Proffered Paper session

Developmental therapeutics

Chair: James Spicer, London, UK

Co-Chair: Christian Ditttrich, Vienna, Austria

- 09.00 4940 – A European multi-institutional study of prognostic factors in cancer patients (pts) treated within phase-I (Ph I) oncology trials
David Olmos, Sutton, UK
- 09.15 4950 – The oral MEK 1/2 inhibitor GSK1120212 demonstrates early efficacy signals
Gerald Falchook, Houston, TX, USA
- 09.30 Invited Discussant, Abstracts 4940 and 4950
Francesco Cognetti, Rome, Italy

- 09.45 4960 – A first-in-human phase I study to evaluate the dual PI3K/mTOR inhibitor GDC-0980 administered QD in patients with advanced solid tumors or non-Hodgkin's lymphoma (NHL)
Johanna Bendell, Nashville, TN, USA
- 10.00 4970 – A first-in-human phase I study to evaluate the pan-PI3K inhibitor GDC-0941 administered QD or BID in patients with advanced solid tumors
Andrew Wagner, Boston, MA, USA
- 10.15 Invited Discussant, Abstracts 4960 and 4970
Christian Ditttrich, Vienna, Austria

09.00–10.30 **Red Hall**

Proffered Paper session

Biomarkers

Chair: Carlos Caldas, Cambridge, UK

Co-Chair: Rafal Dziadziuszko, Gdansk, Poland

- 09.00 1560 – LACE-bio pooled analysis of the prognostic and predictive value of KRAS mutation in completely resected non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC)
Ming Tsao, Toronto, ON, Canada
- 09.15 1570 – Prognostic and predictive role of PIK3CA mutations in non small cell lung cancer patients treated with EGFR tyrosine kinase inhibitors (TKIs)
Vienna Ludovini, Perugia, Italy
- 09.30 Invited Discussant, Abstracts 1560 and 1570
Rafal Dziadziuszko, Gdansk, Poland
- 09.45 1580 – Prognostic value of a cell cycle expression profile score among men with conservatively treated localized prostate cancer
Jack Cuzick, London, UK
- 10.00 1590 – A RNA gene signature for screening of colorectal cancer from whole blood with high sensitivity and a specificity close to that of colonoscopy
André Rosenthal, Potsdam, Germany
- 10.15 Invited Discussant, Abstracts 1580 and 1590
Carlos Caldas, Cambridge, UK

09.00–10.30 **Silver Hall**

Special Symposium

Targeted agents in prostate cancer: Changing the paradigms

Chair: Thomas Powles, London, UK

Co-Chair: Karim Fizazi, Villejuif, France

- 09.00 Introduction
Karim Fizazi, Villejuif, France
- 09.05 Improved inhibition of the androgen receptor
Gerhardt Attard, Sutton, UK
- 09.25 Angiogenesis in prostate cancer
William K. Kelly, New Haven, CT, USA

- 09.45 Bone targeting in prostate cancer
Karim Fizazi, Villejuif, France
- 10.05 Results from molecular biology that translate to treatment
Jack Schalken, Nijmegen, Netherlands
- 10.25 Conclusions
Thomas Powles, London, UK
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09.00–10.30 **Blue Hall**

Young Oncologist Forum

Supportive care of cancer patients

Chair: Michael V. Karamouzis, Papagou, Greece
Co-Chair: Serena Di Cosimo, Barcelona, Spain
Session Shooters: Gilberto de Castro Junior, São Paulo, Brazil;
Eduardo De Azambuja, Brussels, Belgium; Margaret Hutka,
Gliwice, Poland and Pia Osterlund, Helsinki, Finland

- 09.00 Introduction
Michael V. Karamouzis, Papagou, Greece
- 09.05 Management of cancer pain
Julia Riley, London, UK
- 09.25 Systemic therapeutic options for bone metastases
Tiina Saarto, Helsinki, Finland
- 09.45 Management of fatigue / cachexia
Stein Kaasa, Trondheim, Norway
- 10.05 Palliative chemotherapy versus best palliative care –
evidence based decision
Jean-Philippe Durand, Paris, France
- 10.25 Conclusions
Serena Di Cosimo, Barcelona, Spain
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09.15–10.15 **Gold Hall**

Controversy session

Maintenance treatment of advanced NSCLC: Utopia or necessity?

Moderator: Robert Pirker, Vienna, Austria

- 09.15 Introduction and vote
Robert Pirker, Vienna, Austria
- 09.25 Necessity
Maurice Pérol, Lyon, France
- 09.45 Utopia
Giorgio Scagliotti, Orbassano, Italy
- 10.05 Vote and conclusions
Robert Pirker, Vienna, Austria

09.15–10.15 **Orange Hall 1**

Multidisciplinary Interactive session (MIS)

Localised prostate cancer

Co-Chairs: Alan Horwich, Sutton, UK and
Robert A. Huddart, Sutton, UK

- 09.15 Medical Oncology
Alan Horwich, Sutton, UK
- 09.30 Radiotherapy
Robert Huddart, Sutton, UK
- 09.45 Discussion
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10.30–12.15 **Gold Hall**

Proffered Paper session

Late-Breaking Abstract Session

Chair: Rolf A. Stahel, Zurich, Switzerland
Co-Chair: Josep Taberner, Barcelona, Spain

- 10.30 **LBA6** – Sunitinib (SU) in combination with erlotinib (E) for
the treatment of advanced/metastatic non-small cell lung
cancer (NSCLC): a phase III study
Giorgio Scagliotti, Orbassano, Italy
- 10.45 Invited Discussant, LBA6
Cesare Gridelli, Avellino, Italy
- 11.00 **LBA7** – A Phase III randomized study comparing the efficacy
of cediranib as monotherapy, and in combination with
lomustine, with lomustine alone in recurrent glioblastoma
patients
Tracy Batchelor, Boston, MA, USA
- 11.15 Invited Discussant, LBA7
Roger Stupp, Vevey and Lausanne, Switzerland
- 11.30 **LBA8** – A randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled,
multicenter phase III trial of everolimus + octreotide LAR
vs placebo + octreotide LAR in patients with advanced
neuroendocrine tumors (NET) (RADIANT-2)
Marianne Pavel, Berlin, Germany
- 11.45 **LBA9** – A randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled,
multicenter phase III trial of everolimus in patients with
advanced pancreatic neuroendocrine tumors (pNET)
(RADIANT-3)
James Yao, Houston, TX, USA
- 12.00 Invited Discussant, LBA8 and LBA9
Michel Ducreux, Villejuif, France

10.45–12.15 **Silver Hall**

Special Symposium

Breast cancer challenges in the setting of curable disease

Chair: Wolfgang Eiermann, Munich, Germany

Co-Chair: Sabino De Placido, Naples, Italy

- 10.45 Introduction
Sabino De Placido, Naples, Italy
- 10.50 Preservation of fertility in young patients
Kutluk Oktay, New York, NY, USA
- 11.10 Optimizing endocrine treatment of pre-menopausal women
Mitchell Dowsett, London, UK
- 11.30 Should bone-targeted treatment be used in the adjuvant setting?
Robert Coleman, Sheffield, UK
- 11.50 Evolving issues in inflammatory breast cancer
Luca Gianni, Milan, Italy
- 12.10 Conclusions
Wolfgang Eiermann, Munich, Germany

10.45–12.15 **Violet Hall**

Special Symposium

ESMO/ASCO Joint Symposium:

The future of antiangiogenesis therapy

Co-Chairs: David J. Kerr, Oxford, UK and

George Sledge, Indianapolis, IN, USA

- 10.45 Introduction
George Sledge, Indianapolis, IN, USA
- 10.55 The biology of antiangiogenic therapy in the adjuvant setting
Peter Carmeliet, Leuven, Belgium
- 11.15 Re-appraising the biological basis of antiangiogenic drugs for adjuvant therapy
Robert Kerbel, Toronto, ON, Canada
- 11.35 An analysis of currently available adjuvant colorectal data
Lee M. Ellis, Houston, TX, USA
- 11.55 COX-2 inhibition in the adjuvant setting for colorectal cancer
David J. Kerr, Oxford, UK

10.45–12.15 **Blue Hall**

Special Symposium

Overcoming disparities in cancer control in Europe

Chair: Lars Holmberg, London, UK

Co-Chair: Hans-Jörg Senn, St. Gallen, Switzerland

- 10.45 Introduction
Hans-Jörg Senn, St. Gallen, Switzerland

- 10.50 Differences in cancer survival in Europe
Franco Berrino, Milan, Italy
- 11.10 Social inequalities and cancer
Anton Kunst, Amsterdam, Netherlands
- 11.30 Cancer control plans in Europe
Andreas Ullrich, Geneva, Switzerland
- 11.50 Moving forward with cancer control
Nick Fahy, Luxembourg
- 12.10 Conclusions
Lars Holmberg, London, UK

10.45–12.30 **Pink Hall**

Proffered Paper session

Gynecological cancer

Chair: Antonio Gonzalez Martin, Madrid, Spain

Co-Chair: Michael Bookman, Tucson, AZ, USA

- 10.45 9700 – Carboplatin plus paclitaxel versus carboplatin plus pegylated liposomal doxorubicin as first-line treatment for patients with ovarian cancer: The MITO-2 (Multicentre Italian Trials in Ovarian cancer) randomized phase III trial
Sandro Pignata, Naples, Italy
- 10.55 Invited Discussant, Abstract 9700
Antonio Gonzalez Martin, Madrid, Spain
- 11.10 LBA24 – Results of a randomized, open-label, phase III trial of patupilone (P) versus pegylated liposomal doxorubicin (PLD) in taxane/platinum refractory/resistant patients with recurrent ovarian, fallopian, or peritoneal cancer
Nicoletta Colombo, Milan, Italy
- 11.25 9710 – Phase II study of the oral PARP inhibitor olaparib (AZD2281) versus liposomal doxorubicin in ovarian cancer patients with BRCA1 and/or BRCA2 mutations
Stan Kaye, Sutton, UK
- 11.40 9720 – A randomized phase II clinical trial of the SRC inhibitor saracatinib (AZD0530) and carboplatin + paclitaxel (C+P) versus C+P in patients (pts) with advanced platinum-sensitive epithelial ovarian cancer (EOC)
Christopher Poole, Coventry, UK
- 11.55 LBA25 – A phase 2, randomized, placebo-controlled study of Hedgehog (Hh) Pathway Inhibitor GDC-0449 as maintenance therapy in patients with ovarian cancer in 2nd or 3rd complete remission (CR)
Stan Kaye, Sutton, UK
- 12.10 Invited Discussant, 9710, 9720 and 2 expected LBAs
Elise Kohn, Bethesda, MA, USA

10.45–11.45 **Red Hall**

Proffered Paper session

Basic science and translational research

Chair: TBC

Co-Chair: Eric Van Cutsem, Leuven, Belgium

- 10.45 740** – Clinicopathologic correlation of cancer susceptibility loci from genome-wide association (GWAS) studies of colorectal cancer (CRC)
Derek Power, New York, NY, USA
- 11.00 750** – Differences in clinicopathological features, DNA copy number profiles and outcome of metastatic colorectal cancer (CRC) patients with hepatic versus extrahepatic disease
Leonie Mekenkamp, Nijmegen, Netherlands
- 11.15 760** – A novel colorectal cancer susceptibility SNP in the EIF3H promoter influences patient survival and response to treatment
Christopher Smith, Cardiff, UK
- 11.30** Invited Discussant, Abstracts 740, 750 and 760
Eric Van Cutsem, Leuven, Belgium

10.45–12.15 **Yellow Hall 2**

Special Session

Oncology mentors Forum

Chair: Heine H. Hansen, Copenhagen, Denmark

Co-Chair: Martin Gore, London, UK

- 10.45** Introduction
Heine H. Hansen, Copenhagen, Denmark
- 10.50** Global recognition of Medical Oncology
Eduardo Cazap, Buenos Aires, Argentina
- 11.00** ESMO/ASCO updated Global Core Curriculum for training in medical oncology and log book opportunities
Heine H. Hansen, Copenhagen, Denmark
- 11.20** How you and your institution can benefit from being a home or host mentor within the ESMO fellowship program
Martin Gore, London, UK
- 11.35** How to check the status of your trainees knowledge and readiness for the license exam: ESMO examination opportunities
Carsten Bokemeyer, Hamburg, Germany
- 11.50** Teaching medical oncology to medical students
Nicholas Pavlidis, Ioannina, Greece
- 12.05** Q&A

12.30–13.20 **Violet Hall**

Keynote Lecture

Detection, clinical relevance and specific biological properties of disseminated cancer cells

Chair: Carlos Caldas, Cambridge, UK

Speaker: Klaus Pantel, Hamburg, Germany

12.30–13.30 **Green Halls 1+2**

Poster Symposium (Discussion session)

Breast cancer, advanced

Co-Chairs: John Crown, Dublin, Ireland and
Dimitros Tryfonopoulos, Athens, Greece

278PD – Meta-analysis of patients (pts) ≥ 65 years from three randomized trials of bevacizumab (BV) and first-line chemotherapy as treatment for metastatic breast cancer (MBC)
David Miles, London, UK

279PD – Meta-analysis of patients (pts) previously treated with taxanes from three randomized trials of bevacizumab (BV) and first-line chemotherapy as treatment for metastatic breast cancer (MBC)
David Miles, London, UK

280PD – Outcomes for metastatic breast cancer patients continuing on bevacizumab alone in study E2100
See-Chun Phan, South San Francisco, CA, USA

281PD – Safety subgroup analyses from the CECOG phase III TURANDOT trial: First-line bevacizumab (Bev) in combination with capecitabine (X) or paclitaxel (P) for HER2-negative locally recurrent or metastatic breast cancer (LR/MBC)

Istvan Lang, Budapest, Hungary

282PD – Evolution of chemotherapy options in HER2-negative metastatic breast cancer (MBC)
Sunil Verma, Toronto, Canada

12.30 Invited Discussant, Abstracts 278PD-282PD

John Crown, Dublin, Ireland

283PD – Beyond CHAT: Overall survival (OS) update from the CHAT study of first-line trastuzumab (H) plus docetaxel (T) with or without capecitabine (X) in HER2-positive metastatic breast cancer (MBC)
Richard Bell, Geelong, Australia

284PD – Results from two phase I trials of Her2/Neu-directed active cellular immunotherapy in patients with advanced malignancies
Robert Sims, Seattle, WA, USA

285PD – Duration of trastuzumab therapy may improve survival in HER2(+) metastatic breast carcinoma patients in the absence of adjuvant trastuzumab
Ibrahim Türker, Ankara, Turkey

286PD – Evaluation of the predictive value of PIK3CA mutations and PTEN loss in the efficacy of trastuzumab therapy
Evangelia Razis, Athens, Greece

12.45 Invited Discussant, Abstracts 283PD-286PD
Dimitrios Tryfonopoulos, Athens, Greece

13.00 General Discussion

12.30–13.30 **Orange Halls 2+3**

Poster Symposium (Discussion session)

Genitourinary tumors

Co-Chairs: Vesa Kataja, Kuopio, Finland and
Thomas Powles, London, UK

870PD – Survival results of the IMPACT trial of sipuleucel-L for advanced prostate cancer

Daniel George, Durham, NC, USA

871PD – Cabazitaxel plus prednisone /prednisolone significantly increases overall survival compared to mitoxantrone plus prednisone/prednisolone in patients with metastatic castration-resistant prostate cancer (mCRPC) previously treated with docetaxel: Final results with updated overall survival of a multinational phase III trial (TROPIC)

Stephane Oudard, Paris, France

872PD – PSA doubling time is the strongest predictor for metastases, castration resistance, and death in patients with prostate cancer treated with intermittent androgen deprivation for isolated biochemical relapse

Laurence Albiges, Villejuif, France

873PD – A Phase II pharmacodynamic study of pre-operative figitumumab (F) in patients (pts) with localized prostate cancer (PCa)

Kim Chi, Vancouver, BC, Canada

874PD – MAGE-C2/CT10 protein expression is an independent predictor of recurrence in prostate cancer

Lotta von Boehmer, Zurich, Switzerland

12.30 Invited Discussant, Abstracts 870PD-874PD

Vesa Kataja, Kuopio, Finland

875PD – Survival update of a randomized phase 2 study (IMA901-202) investigating therapeutic vaccination with multiple tumor-associated peptides (TUMAP) in renal cell carcinoma (RCC) patients after failure of previous therapy with cytokines or kinase inhibitors

Wolfram Brugger, Villingen-Schwenningen, Germany

876PD – Combined chemo-radiotherapy with gemcitabine in patients with locally advanced inoperable transitional cell carcinoma (TCC) of the urinary bladder and/or in patients ineligible for surgery: Results of a phase I trial
Maria De Santis, Vienna, Austria

877PD – An international expanded access program (EAP) of everolimus in patients with metastatic renal cell carcinoma (mRCC) who are intolerant of or have progressed after prior vascular endothelial growth factor receptor-tyrosine kinase inhibitor (VEGFR-TKI) therapy
Viktor Grunwald, Hannover, Germany

878PD – The mTOR inhibitor everolimus cooperates with the TLR9 agonist IMO in renal cell carcinoma by interfering with both tumor cells and microenvironment
Giampaolo Tortora, Naples, Italy

12.45 Invited Discussant, Abstracts 875PD-878PD
Thomas Powles, London, UK

13.00 General Discussant

12.30–13.30 **Yellow Hall 1**

Poster Symposium (Discussion session)

Upper gastrointestinal tumors

Co-Chairs: David Cunningham, Sutton, UK and TBC

709PD – Five-year results of the randomized phase III trial comparing S-1 monotherapy versus surgery alone for stage II/III gastric cancer patients after curative D2 gastrectomy (ACTS-GC study)

Mitsuru Sasako, Nishinomiya, Japan

710PD – Sorafenib does not improve the results of chemotherapy in advanced pancreatic cancer: A GISCAD randomised phase II trial

Rossana Berardi, Ancona, Italy

12.30 Invited Discussant, Abstracts 709PD-710PD

David Cunningham, Sutton, UK

711PD – Impact of circumferential margin (CRM) size on overall survival (OS) in oesophageal cancer (OC)

David Landau, London, UK

712PD – Randomized phase II trial with an uPA inhibitor (WX-671) in patients with locally advanced non-metastatic pancreatic cancer

Volker Heinemann, Munich, Germany

12.40 Invited Discussant, Abstracts 711PD-712PD
TBC

12.50 General Discussion

12.30–13.30 **Yellow Hall 2**

Poster Symposium (Discussion session)

Head and neck cancer

Co-Chairs: Ezra Cohen, Chicago, IL, USA and
Amanda Psyrris, Athens, Greece

- 1006PD – Randomized phase II/III trial of a tumor vascular disrupting agent, fosbretabulin tromethamine (CA4P), with carboplatin (C), and paclitaxel (P) in anaplastic thyroid cancer (ATC): Interim safety and efficacy results of the FACT trial
Rossella Elisei, Pisa, Italy
- 1007PD – Vandetanib in locally advanced or metastatic medullary thyroid cancer (MTC): A randomized, double-blind phase III trial (ZETA)
Eric Baudin, Villejuif, France
- 1008PD – Vandetanib in locally advanced or metastatic differentiated thyroid cancer (papillary or follicular; DTC): A randomized, double-blind phase II trial
Sophie Leboulleux, Villejuif, France
- 12.30 Invited Discussant, Abstracts 1006PD-1008PD
Ezra Cohen, Chicago, IL, USA
- 1009PD – Identification and validation of gene expression models that predict outcome in patients with early stage laryngeal cancer
Elena Fountzilas, Boston, MA, USA
- 1010PD – Updated results of a randomized, open-label phase II study exploring BIBW 2992 versus cetuximab in patients with platinum-refractory metastatic/recurrent head and neck cancer (SCCHN)
Tanguy Seiwert, Chicago, IL, USA
- 1011PD – Influence of AKT1, AKT2 and FRAP1 polymorphisms on response and survival in head and neck cancer (SCCHN) patients treated with docetaxel and cetuximab
Katharina Pfisterer, Berlin, Germany
- 12.45 Invited Discussant, Abstracts 1009PD-1011PD
Amanda Psyrris, Athens, Greece
- 13.00 General Discussion

12.30–13.30 **Yellow Hall 3**

Poster Symposium (Discussion session)

Geriatric oncology

Co-Chairs: Riccardo Audisio, Liverpool, UK and
Pierre Soubeyran, Bordeaux, France

- 567PD – Comprehensive geriatric assessment-adapted chemotherapy in elderly patients (> 70 years) with diffuse large B-cell non-Hodgkin's lymphoma (DLBCL): Final results and long term follow-up
Michele Spina, Aviano, Italy

569PD – Digestive cancers in an elderly population: Which treatment for the intermediate Balducci group?
Olivier Dubreuil, Paris, France

570PD – Influence of age on the pharmacokinetic of i.v. vinflunine: Results of a phase I trial in elderly cancer patients
Jean-Marie Tourani, Poitiers, France

574PD – Safety of gemcitabine in elderly patients
Hanene Djedi, Annaba, Algeria

575PD – Treatment of advanced non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC) in patients (p) older than 70
Eduardo Richardet, Cordoba, Argentina

12.30 Invited Discussant, Abstracts 567PD, 569PD, 570PD, 574PD and 575PD

Pierre Soubeyran, Bordeaux, France

566PD – Evaluation of the Groningen Frailty Index (GFI) as a screening tool in elderly patients (pts): An interim analysis
Dirk Schrijvers, Antwerp, Belgium

568PD – Prediction of chemotherapy toxicity by the Groningen Frailty Index (GFI) and the Comprehensive Geriatric Assessment (CGA) in elderly cancer patients (pts): An interim analysis
Frank van Fraeyenhove, Antwerp, Belgium

571PD – Prognosis of elderly breast cancer patients with intermediate or high risk who received suboptimal adjuvant therapy
Harukaze Yamamoto, Tokyo, Japan

572PD – Screening success and inclusion failure rates in a prospective trial of adjuvant chemotherapy for breast cancer in elderly women by the French Geriatric Oncology Group GERICO
Etienne Brain, Saint Cloud, France

573PD – Assessment and treatment of osteopenia/osteoporosis in elderly women receiving anastrozole for early breast cancer
Cristina Falci, Padova, Italy

12.45 Invited Discussant, Abstracts 566PD, 568PD, 571PD, 572PD and 573PD
Riccardo Audisio, Liverpool, UK

13.15–14.30 **Gold Hall**

Proffered Paper session

Chest tumors II

Chair: Thierry Le Chevalier, Villejuif, France
Co-Chair: Filippo de Marinis, Rome, Italy

- 13.15 **LBA16** – Sorafenib (S) + gemcitabine/cisplatin (GC) vs GC alone in the first-line treatment of advanced non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC): Phase III NSCLC research Experience Utilizing Sorafenib (NEXUS) trial
Ulrich Gatzemeier, Hamburg, Germany

- 13.30 Invited Discussant, LBA16
Benjamin Besse, Villejuif, France
- 13.45 LBA17 – Randomized phase 2b study of pralatrexate vs erlotinib in patients with stage IIIB/IV non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC) after failure of prior platinum-based therapy
Karen Kelly, Kansas City, KS, USA
- 14.00 LBA18 – Efficacy and safety of PF299804 as first-line treatment (tx) of patients (pts) with advanced (adv) NSCLC selected for activating mutation (mu) of epidermal growth factor receptor (EGFR)
Tony S. K. Mok, Hong Kong, China
- 14.15 Invited Discussant, LBA17 and LBA18
Giuseppe Giaccone, Bethesda, MD, USA

13.15–14.45 **Red Hall**

Special Symposium

Ovarian cancer: New biology, new targets

Chair: Stan Kaye, Sutton, UK

Co-Chair: David Huntsman, Vancouver, BC, Canada

- 13.15 Introduction
Stan Kaye, Sutton, UK
- 13.20 Molecular subtypes of ovarian cancer: Insights into the drivers of high-grade ovarian serous and clear cell tumours
David Bowtell, Melbourne, Australia
- 13.40 The molecular classification of ovarian carcinoma: implications for treatment
David Huntsman, Vancouver, BC, Canada
- 14.00 Pathway driven treatments of ovarian cancer: Beyond chemotherapy
Cristiana Sessa, Bellinzona, Switzerland
- 14.20 Functional imaging of ovarian cancer
Elisabeth De Vries, Groningen, Netherlands
- 14.40 Conclusions
Stan Kaye, Sutton, UK

13.30–15.15 **Silver Hall**

Awards session

Co-Chairs: David J. Kerr, Oxford, UK and Josep Taberero, Barcelona, Spain

- 13.30 Hamilton Fairley Award to Bengt Glimelius presented by David J. Kerr
- 13.35 Hamilton Fairley Award Lecture “Colorectal Cancer: A multidisciplinary disease revealing significant progress”
Bengt Glimelius, Uppsala and Stockholm, Sweden
- 13.50 ESMO 2009 Best Exam Award to Juergen Wehmeyer, Münster, Germany
- 13.50 Fellowship Awards 2010, presented by David J. Kerr and Josep Taberero
- 14.00 Fellowship Program – new Institutes, presented by Josep Taberero
- Karolinska Institut, Stockholm, Sweden
 - Vall d’Hebron Hospital, Barcelona, Spain
- 14.05 Palliative Care Designated Centre accreditation presented by Nathan Cherny, Jerusalem, Israel
- 14.15 ESMO Lifetime Achievement Award supported by an unrestricted grant from GSK to Alan Hilary Calvert, presented by David J. Kerr
- 14.20 ESMO Lifetime Achievement Award lecture
Alan Hilary Calvert
- 14.35 ESMO Flower of Hope to José Baselga, ESMO Honorary Member, presented by David J. Kerr

13.30–15.15 **Violet Hall**

Proffered Paper session

Genitourinary tumors

Co-Chairs: Carsten Bokemeyer, Hamburg, Germany and Maria De Santis, Vienna, Austria

- 13.30 LBA22– Randomized, double-blind phase III study of pazopanib in patients with advanced/metastatic renal cell carcinoma (mRCC): final overall survival (OS) results
Cora N. Sternberg, Rome, Italy
- 13.45 8670 – Evaluation of different polymorphisms as markers of sunitinib efficacy and toxicity in first line treatment of renal clear cell carcinoma: a prospective study of the Spanish Oncologic GenitoUrinary Group
Jesus Garcia-Donas, Alcorcon, Spain
- 14.00 8680 – Phase 2 Randomized Discontinuation Trial (RDT) of Tivozanib in Patients With Renal Cell Carcinoma (RCC): Results in Patients Randomized to Tivozanib vs. Placebo
Dmitry Nosov, Moscow, Russian Federation
- 14.15 Invited Discussant, LBA22 and Abstracts 8670 and 8680
Tim Eisen, Cambridge, UK

- 14.35** **LBA23** – Phase II study of Pazopanib monotherapy for patients with relapsed/refractory urothelial cancer (INT70/09, NCT01031875)
Andrea Necchi, Milan, Italy
- 14.50** **8690** – A prospective multicenter GETUG phase II trial of gemcitabine, cisplatin, and ifosfamide (GIP) in patients with relapsed metastatic germ-cell tumors (GCT)
Karim Fizazi, Villejuif, France
- 15.05** Invited Discussant, LBA23 and Abstract 8690
Jörg Beyer, Berlin, Germany

13.30–14.45 **Blue Hall**

Proffered Paper session

Head and neck cancer

Chair: Lisa Licitra, Milan, IT

Co-Chair: Francesco Cognetti, Rome, Italy

- 13.30** **LBA26** – Primary efficacy and safety results of SPECTRUM, a phase 3 trial in patients (pts) with recurrent and/or metastatic (R/M) squamous cell carcinoma of the head and neck (SCCHN) receiving chemotherapy with or without panitumumab (pmab)
Jan Vermorken, Edegem, Belgium
- 13.45** **10030** – Phase III study of pemetrexed in combination with cisplatin (PEM/CIS) versus placebo plus cisplatin (CIS) in patients with recurrent or metastatic squamous cell head and neck cancer (HNC)
Susan Urba, Ann Arbor, MI, USA
- 14.00** Invited Discussant, LBA26 and Abstract 10030
Marshall Posner, New York, NY, USA
- 14.15** **10040** – Five-year survival (OS) and patterns of failure for human papillomavirus (HPV) positive and negative oropharynx cancer (OPC) in the TAX 324 clinical trial: Results of sequential therapy
Marshall Posner, New York, NY, USA
- 14.30** Invited Discussant, Abstract 10040
Lisa Licitra, Milan, Italy

15.00–17.30 **Gold Hall**

Presidential Symposium

Chair: David J. Kerr, Oxford, UK

Co-Chair: Rolf A. Stahel, Zurich, Switzerland

- 15.00** **LBA1** – Phase IIb/III double-blind randomized trial of afatinib (BIBW 2992, an irreversible inhibitor of EGFR/HER1 and HER2) + best supportive care (BSC) versus placebo + BSC in patients with NSCLC failing 1–2 lines of chemotherapy and erlotinib or gefitinib (LUX-Lung 1)
Vincent Miller, New York, NY, USA
- 15.15** **LBA2** – Final overall survival (OS) results from a phase III, randomised, open-label, first-line study of gefitinib (G) v carboplatin/paclitaxel (C/P) in clinically selected patients with advanced non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC) in Asia (IPASS)
Chi-Hsin Yang, Taipei, Taiwan
- 15.30** Invited Discussant, LBA1 and LBA2
Jean-Charles Soria, Villejuif, France
- 15.45** **2740** – The addition of cetuximab to cisplatin increases overall response rate (ORR) and progression-free survival (PFS) in metastatic triple-negative breast cancer (TNBC): results of a randomized phase II study (BALI-1)
José Baselga, Boston, MA, USA
- 16.00** **LBA3** – Efficacy and safety of trastuzumab-DM1 versus trastuzumab plus docetaxel in HER2-positive metastatic breast cancer patients with no prior chemotherapy for metastatic disease: preliminary results of a randomized, multicenter, open-label phase 2 study (TDM4450g)
Edith Perez, Jacksonville, FL, USA
- 16.15** Invited Discussant, Abstract 2740 and LBA3
Eric Winer, Boston, MA, USA
- 16.30** **LBA4** – ICON7: A phase III randomised Gynaecologic Cancer InterGroup trial of concurrent bevacizumab and chemotherapy followed by maintenance bevacizumab, versus chemotherapy alone in women with newly diagnosed epithelial ovarian (EOC), primary peritoneal (PPC) or fallopian tube cancer (FTC)
Tim Perren, Leeds, UK
- 16.45** Invited Discussant, LBA4
Michael Bookman, Tucson, AZ, USA
- 17.00** **LBA5** – Abiraterone acetate (AA) plus low dose prednisone (P) improves overall survival (OS) in patients (pts) with metastatic castration-resistant prostate cancer (mCRPC) who have progressed after docetaxel-based chemotherapy (chemo): Results of COU-AA-301, a randomized double-blind placebo-controlled phase III study
Johann de Bono, Sutton, UK
- 17.15** Invited Discussant, LBA5
Cora Sternberg, Rome, Italy

15.30–17.00 **Pink Hall**

Special Symposium

Tailoring treatment of metastatic colorectal cancer

Chair: Jean-Yves Douillard, St. Herblain, France

Co-Chair: Eduardo Diaz-Rubio, Madrid, Spain

- 15.30 Introduction
Eduardo Diaz-Rubio, Madrid, Spain
- 15.35 Aggressive versus non-aggressive initial treatment
Tim Maughan, Cardiff, UK
- 15.55 Intermittent or continuous therapy
Cornelis Punt, Nijmegen, Netherlands
- 16.15 21IN – Personalizing treatment based on biomarkers
Sabine Tejpar, Leuven, Belgium
- 16.35 22IN – The combination of targeted agents: A look to the future
Arnaud Roth, Geneva, Switzerland
- 16.55 Conclusions
Jean-Yves Douillard, St-Herblain, France

15.30–17.00 **Red Hall**

Special Symposium

MicroRNA's: The new genes involved in cancer

Chair: Carlo Croce, Columbus, OH, USA

Co-Chair: Ruggero De Maria, Rome, Italy

- 15.30 Introduction
Ruggero De Maria, Rome, Italy
- 15.35 MicroRNA identification in plasma and serum: A new tool to diagnose and monitor diseases
George Calin, Houston, TX, USA
- 15.55 Micromanagers of malignancy: The role of microRNAs in regulating metastasis
Carlo Croce, Columbus, OH, USA
- 16.15 miRNA in lymphomas, profile expression/prognosis
Charles Lawrie, Oxford, UK
- 16.35 Cancerous microRNAs and regulatory RNA binding proteins
Reuven Agami, Amsterdam, Netherlands
- 16.55 Conclusions
Ruggero De Maria, Rome, Italy

15.30–17.00 **Blue Hall**

Proffered Paper session

Hematological malignancies

Chair: Lena Specht, Copenhagen, Denmark

Co-Chair: TBC

- 15.30 11320 – Zoledronic acid (ZOL) significantly reduces skeletal-related events (SREs) versus clodronate (CLO) in patients (pts) with multiple myeloma (MM): Results of the Medical Research Council (MRC) Myeloma IX study
Gareth Morgan, London, UK
- 15.45 11330 – Bortezomib-melphalan-prednisone-thalidomide followed by bortezomib-thalidomide maintenance for initial therapy of multiple myeloma: A prospective randomized trial
Sara Bringhen, Turin, Italy
- 16.00 11340 – Cytokine interleukin-16 is an important growth-promoting factor for multiple myeloma
Djordje Atanackovic, Hamburg, Germany
- 16.15 Invited Discussant, Abstracts 11320, 11330 and 11340
Joan Bladé, Barcelona, Spain
- 16.35 11350 – Long-term follow-up of rituximab and infusional cyclophosphamide, doxorubicin, and etoposide (CDE) in combination with HAART in HIV-related non-Hodgkin's lymphomas (NHL)
Michele Spina, Aviano, Italy
- 16.50 Invited Discussant, Abstract 11350
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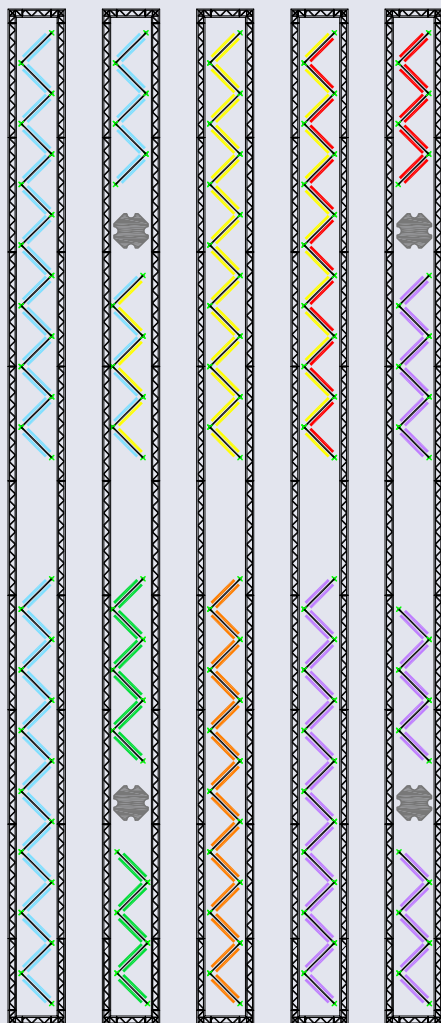
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12.30–13.30 **Hall 3**

Poster Presentation (Display)

Basic science and translational research

Chair: Maria Grazia Daidone, Milan, Italy



Basic science and translational research
Biomarkers
Chest tumors

Developmental therapeutics
Hematological malignancies
Psycho-oncology



84P – Novel gold speckled silica nanoparticles as mediators of tumor imaging and photothermal ablation therapy for breast cancer

Nobutaka Iwakuma, Fukuoka, Japan

85P – Cytotoxicity of curcumin combined with docetaxel in MCF7 breast tumor cells implicates the glutathione cycle and an antioxidant response: A metabolomics investigation

Mathilde Bayet-Robert, Clermont-Ferrand, France

86P – S-nitrosothiol homeostasis and nitrosative stress modulate proliferation of breast cancer cells

Amanda Cañas, Cordoba, Spain

87P – Molecular mechanisms involved in the response to combined antiangiogenic-antihormonal therapy in breast cancer

Miguel Angel Berciano Guerrero, Cordoba, Spain

88P – Zoledronic acid blocks the interaction between mesenchymal stem cells and breast cancer cells

Nicola Normanno, Naples, Italy

89P – Breast cancer stem cells involvement in bone marrow metastasis

Tsuyoshi Shirakawa, Fukuoka, Japan

90P – Epigenetics silencing of the tumor suppressor protein 14-3-3 sigma by methylation in sporadic breast cancer

Joaquina Martinez-Galan, Granada, Spain

91P – The significance of DNA methylation of estrogen receptor alpha (ERα) expression in primary breast cancer (BC)

Klearchos Desiris, Thessaloniki, Greece

92P – Downregulation of Med19 gene expression inhibited the growth of breast cancer cells

Lihua Li, Wuxi, Jiangsu, China

93P – A novel approach using the telomerase-selective adenoviral marker for detection of circulation tumor cells in breast cancers

Seung Jin Kim, Suita, Japan

94P – The influence of TYMS and MTHFR gene polymorphisms on toxicity and response in breast cancer patients treated with 5-fluorouracil-based chemotherapy

Elzbieta Nowara, Gliwice, Poland

95P – Hedgehog signalling is active in biliary tract cancer and amenable to pharmacological inhibition

Tobias Kiesslich, Salzburg, Austria

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96P – Sorafenib mediates apoptosis in hepatocellular carcinoma cells through kinase-independent inhibition of signal transducers and activators of transcription 3
Kuen-Feng Chen, Taipei, Taiwan

97P – Involvement of microRNAs in the invasion of esophageal cancer cells

Kayoko Matsushima, Nagasaki, Japan

98P – HB-EGF-CTF nuclear translocation induces gastric cancer invasion

Takaya Shimura, Nagoya, Japan

99P – Amphiregulin nuclear translocation might reduce chemosensitivity in gastric cancer

Michihiro Yoshida, Nagoya-city, Aichi Prefecture, Japan

100P – Plasma M30 and M65 levels in patients with advanced gastric cancer: Is there an impact on survival of patients?

Ahmet Bilici, Istanbul, Turkey

101P – The development of the novel photodynamic therapy with glycoconjugated chlorine for stomach and colon cancer

Mamoru Tanaka, Nagoya, Japan

102P – Metastasis suppressing/promoting microRNA expression in primary and metastatic colorectal cancer

Michael Vickers, Ottawa, ON, Canada

103P – Detection and functional analysis of miRNAs in peripheral blood exosomes from cancer patients

Masato Komoda, Fukuoka, Japan

104P – Expression of XIAP and miRNA-21 as predictor factors for lymph node invasion in rectum cancer

Fernanda Peria, Ribeirão Preto, Brazil

105P – The p53 status affects the prognosis of patients with colorectal adenocarcinoma depending on the protein expression of NFY-C (Nuclear Factor Y, subunit C)

Anastasia Kottorou, Patras, Greece

106P – Glutathione S-transferase Pi (GSTPi) for prediction of chemotherapy response and survival in stage IV colorectal cancer

Wei Chua, Sydney, Australia

107P – Predictive value of molecular markers expression in locally advanced rectal cancer (LARC) treated with neoadjuvant bevacizumab (BEV) and capecitabine (CAPE) + standard radiotherapy (RT)

Francesco Torino, Rome, Italy

108P – Extensive characterization of EGFR pathways may help in integrating the use of EGFR-targeted therapies in patients with squamous cell anal cancer

Sara De Dosso, Bellinzona, Switzerland

109P – Differential effect of oxaliplatin and irinotecanin KRAS mutant colon carcinoma in vitro

Zsuzsanna Bago-Horvath, Vienna, Austria

110P – TRAP1 and Sorcin cooperate in a survival pathway responsible for inducing drug-resistance in human colorectal carcinoma (CRC)

Matteo Landriscina, Foggia, Italy

111P – Antitumor activity of Toll-like Receptor 9 agonist IMO overcomes K-Ras mutation and cooperates with cetuximab in colon and pancreatic cancers

Giampaolo Tortora, Naples, Italy

112P – The potential of molecular-targeted therapy with EGFR and VEGFR signaling inhibitors against biliary tract cancer

Daitaro Yoshikawa, Asahikawa, Japan

113P – The influence of SLC01B3 polymorphisms on docetaxel disposition in Asian nasopharyngeal carcinoma patients

Sin-Chi Chew, Singapore

114P – Combined modalities of resistance in a cisplatin-driven human betel-associated oral squamous cell carcinoma

Yen-Ting Cheng, Tainan, Taiwan

115P – Differential expression patterns of MMPs and the role in invasion in epithelial premalignant tumors and invasive squamous cell carcinoma

Mi Ryung Roh, Seoul, South Korea

116P – Merkel cell polyomavirus (MCPyV) DNA present in non small cell lung cancer (NSCLC)

Joongho Joh, Louisville, KY, USA

117P – Possible involvement of CXCL14 in anchorage-independent growth and bone metastasis from lung cancer

Soichi Takiguchi, Fukuoka, Japan

118P – Some PPAR ligands sensitize human non-small lung cancer cells to ionizing radiation-induced apoptosis through up-regulation of OS generation

Sung Hee Hong, Seoul, South Korea

119P – Preclinical and clinical activity of BMS-690514 in the treatment of non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC)

Eric Sbar, Princeton, NJ, USA

120P – Nilotinib enhances the cytotoxic effect of doxorubicin through selectively inhibiting the activity and cellular expression of the multidrug resistance protein P-glycoprotein in soft tissue sarcomas

Regina Alemany, Palma de Mallorca, Spain

121P – PML expression in soft tissue sarcoma: Prognostic value in alkylating agents/anthracyclin based first-line therapy

Bruno Vincenzi, Rome, Italy

122P – The hypermutagenetic role of overexpressed DNA polymerase iota and its variant in bladder cancer

Jin Yang, Chongqing, China

123P – Identification of plasma biomarkers for the multikinase inhibitor regorafenib (BAY 73-4506) in patients (pts) with renal cell cancer (RCC)
Michael Jeffers, Montville, NJ, USA

124P – Pharmacokinetics (PK) of sunitinib and its metabolite in patients with castrated refractory prostate cancer (CRPC) enrolled in the French multicenter PROSUT phase II study
Marie-Christine Etienne-Grimaldi, Nice, France

125P – HPV infection in epithelial ovarian cells of women at high risk of developing ovarian cancer
Olena Bilyk, Kiev, Ukraine

126P – Synergistic cytotoxic and apoptotic effect by AT-101 and cisplatin combination through DNA methyltransferase and histone deacetylase enzymes in human ovarian cancer cell lines
Burcak Karaca, Izmir, Turkey

127P – Diagnostic approach in patients with unknown primary cancer
Blanca Homet, Madrid, Spain

128P – Prognostic significance of gene expression profile in patients with carcinomas of unknown primary (CaUP)
John Souglakos, Heraklion, Greece

129P – Determination of molecular markers for BRCA1/2 heterozygosity using gene expression profiling
Asher Salmon, Jerusalem, Israel

130P – Carboxyl Terminus of Hsc70-Interacting Protein (CHIP) mediates degradation of C-MET receptor
Ji Won Park, Daejeon, South Korea

131P – Quantitative high-dimensional monitoring of proteins in response to anti-cancer agents
Satoshi Nishizuka, Morioka, Japan

132P – Nilotinib and sorafenib are more potent inhibitors for exon 11/17 c-Kit mutants than sunitinib: Results of incorporating cell-based screening platform and virtual molecular modeling study
Yuan-Shuo Hsueh, Tainan, Taiwan

133P – Preclinical and clinical anti-angiogenic activity of BMS-690514
Tai Wong, Princeton, NJ, USA

134P – Preclinical evaluation of trabectedin in patient derived tumor xenografts in vitro and in vivo, and identification of a predictive gene signature
Heinz-Herbert Fiebig, Freiburg, Germany

135P – Radiotherapy may potentiate immunotherapy through presentation of novel tumor antigens
Lotta von Boehmer, Zurich, Switzerland

136P – Pharmacokinetics, efficacy and toxicity of different pegylated liposomal doxorubicin (PLD) formulations in preclinical models: Is a conventional bioequivalence approach sufficient to ensure therapeutic equivalence of PLD products?
Rao N. V. S. Mamidi, Raritan, USA

137P – Assessment of neuropathy-inducing effects of eribulin mesylate versus paclitaxel and ixabepilone in mice
Krystyna Wozniak, Baltimore, MD, USA

138P – Immuno-positron emission tomography (PET) of Lewis Y (Ley) expressing xenografts using 89Zr-labelled humanised antibody hu3S193
Fook Lee, Heidelberg, Australia

139P – Speckle tracking echocardiography identifies cardiac dysfunction induced by the anticancer Erb-B2 blocker lapatinib
Carlo Tocchetti, Naples, Italy

140P – Analysis of time-to-progression (TTP) and progression-free-survival (PFS): Possible implications for optimizing the development, approval, costs and consequences of cancer therapies
Franz Porzsolt, Ulm, Germany

141P – p53 responsive PIG3 gene polymorphism seems not associated with cerebral, colorectal and lung cancer
Donatella Bianchessi, Milan, Italy

Biomarkers

Chair: Antonella Isacchi, Milan, Italy

178P – Association of epigenetic inactivation of the ESR1 gene by aberrant methylation promoter with prognostic factors in breast cancer patients
Joaquina Martinez-Galan, Granada, Spain

179P – Clinical significance and functional relevance of MAGE-4B in breast cancer
Serena Germano, Dublin, Ireland

180P – Clinical significance of soluble vascular endothelial growth factor receptor-3 as a candidate biomarker for breast cancer patients
Akihiko Takeda, Saitama, Japan

181P – SPARC microenvironment signature (SMS) in patients treated with nab-paclitaxel (nab-P)/carboplatin (C)/bevacizumab(B) for triple negative metastatic breast cancer (TNMBC)
Kimberly Blackwell, Springfield, IL, USA

182P – A novel, simple and cost-effective KRAS mutation detection method, Luminex® assay: Results from a multicenter, prospective clinical trial
Eiji Shinozaki, Tokyo, Japan

183P – A biopsy-driven and biomarker discovery clinical trial in metastatic colorectal cancer led by a new Quebec-wide translational research network, to identify signatures of clinical resistance

Gerald Batist, Montreal, QC, Canada

184P – Clinical validation of a 26-gene signature predicting response to cetuximab in wild type K-ras metastatic colorectal cancer

Vincent Vuaroqueaux, Riehen, Switzerland

185P – Integrative omics based next-generation molecular markers and targets in colorectal cancer

Debmalya Barh, Nonakuri, Purba Medinipur, India

186P – Circulating endothelial cells (CECs) and their apoptotic fraction (APO-CECs): Mutually independent biomarkers during bevacizumab-based treatment for advanced colorectal cancer patients

Mariangela Manzoni, Pavia, Italy

187P – Clinical value of circulating VEGFR2+pAKT+ cells as a functional surrogate biomarker in metastatic colorectal cancer treated with bevacizumab and chemotherapy

Sang Joon Shin, Seoul, South Korea

188P – Evaluation of ERCC1, BRCA1, thymidylate synthase (TS), class III beta tubulin (bTubIII), p53R2, RRM2 in stage I-III non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC): A tissue microarray (TMA) study

Francesco Grossi, Genoa, Italy

189P – Overexpression of mTOR a novel marker for poor survival in early stage NSCLC: A validation study

Kathy Gately, Dublin, Ireland

190P – Localization, expression and impact on outcome of CXCR4 expression in resected early stage on small cell lung cancer

Dafydd Gwyn Bebb, Calgary, AB, Canada

191P – KRAS mutations differing for aminoacid substitution confer different drug sensitivity and resistance in NSCLC

Mirko Marabese, Milan, Italy

192P – The usefulness of measuring circulating tumor cells in patients with small-cell lung cancer

Tateaki Naito, Shizuoka, Japan

193P – Serum M30 AND M65 values in patients with advanced stage non-small cell lung cancer compared with healthy control group

Basak Oven Ustaalioglu, Istanbul, Turkey

194P – Proteomic analysis of large cell neuroendocrine carcinoma, small cell lung carcinoma and large cell carcinoma from formalin-fixed paraffin embedded samples and validation by immunohistochemical staining

Masaharu Nomura, Tokyo, Japan

195P – Detection of circulating tumor cells in gastric cancer patients using telomerase-specific replication-selective adenoviral agent: Prospective feasibility study

Hiroaki Ito, Yokohama, Japan

196P – Biomarker results from ARQ 197-114:

A phase Ib trial evaluating the cMET inhibitor ARQ 197 in cirrhotic patients (pts) with hepatocellular carcinoma (HCC)

Carlos Rodriguez-Lope, Barcelona, Spain

197P – Loss of immunolabeling of Kruppel like factor 10 is associated with advanced stage and rapid progression of pancreatic cancer

Hui-Ju Ch'Ang, Tainan, Taiwan

198P – Circulating endothelial cells and their clinical manifestation in pancreatic cancer patients treated with gemcitabine based chemotherapy

Shunsuke Kondo, Tokyo, Japan

199P – Enhancing detection of BRAF-mutated circulating melanoma cells by pre-PCR cleavage of wild-type sequences

Alberto Fusi, Berlin, Germany

200P – Promoter hypermethylation of tumor suppressor genes in urine sediment from prostate cancer patients

Raluca Dumache, Timisoara, Romania

201P – Usefulness of noninvasive biomarkers to predict prognosis in bladder cancer

Raluca Dumache, Timisoara, Romania

202P – Determination of a new RECIST threshold using everolimus treatment in metastatic renal cell carcinoma: Evaluation from the RECORD-1 study

Rokhaya Thiam, Paris, France

203P – Co-administration of pazopanib and simvastatin increases the incidence of transaminase elevations in patients with cancer

Chun-Fang Xu, Harlow, UK

204P – Expression of the gastrin-releasing peptide receptor in hepatocellular carcinomas and its role as a prognostic biomarker

Nicolas Lazaretti, Passo Fundo, Brazil

205P – Value of bone resorption marker N-telopeptide crosslinks in predicting skeletal related events and response to zoledronic acid in bone metastases

Nermine Kamal, Cairo, Egypt

Chest tumors

Chair: Rafal Dziadziszko, Gdansk, Poland

376P – Third CECOG consensus on the systemic treatment of non small cell lung cancer

Tudor-Eliade Ciuleanu, Cluj-Napoca, Romania

377P – Outcomes of phase II clinical trials in advanced/metastatic non-small-cell lung cancer published within the last decade

Filip Janku, Houston, TX, USA

378P – Lung cancer in never-smokers

Yoichi Naito, Minato-ku, Japan

379P – Prospective study of host cell reactivation assay (HCRA) in non-small-cell lung cancer (NSCLC) patients (p)

Pedro Mendez, Badalona, Spain

380P – Alcohol drinking and risk of lung cancer

Arthur Klatsky, Oakland, CA, USA

381P – Mutations and beyond: Identification of predictors of outcome in randomized clinical trials (RCT) of 1st-line gefitinib (G) in advanced non small cell lung cancer (NSCLC) with sensitizing epidermal growth factor receptor mutations (EGFR-M)

Emilio Bria, Rome, Italy

382P – Validation study of epidermal growth factor receptor (EGFR) mutation tests using DNA from control admixture samples and formalin-fixed paraffin-embedded (FFPE) samples in non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC) in the diagnostic setting

Koichi Goto, Kashiwa City, Chiba, Japan

383P – AXL mRNA overexpression correlates with lung metastases in erlotinib-treated non-small-cell lung cancer (NSCLC) patients (p) with EGFR mutations

Carlota Costa, Barcelona, Spain

384P – Pretreatment EGFR T790M mutation and BRCA1 mRNA expression in erlotinib-treated advanced non-small-cell lung cancer (NSCLC) patients (p) with EGFR mutations

Rafael Rosell, Badalona, Barcelona, Spain

385P – Validation study of epidermal growth factor receptor (EGFR) mutation tests using bronchofiberscopic brushing cytology samples and pleural effusion from non-small-cell lung cancer (NSCLC) patients in the diagnostic setting

Miyako Satouchi, Hyogo, Japan

386P – Does the type of EGFR activating mutation impact outcomes with erlotinib treatment?

David Heigener, Grosshansdorf, Germany

387P – Stem cell marker nestin expression correlates with proliferation and cell cycle in non-small cell lung cancer

Chen Zhenguang, Guangzhou City, China

388P – LACE-Bio: Results of pooled analysis of prognostic and predictive values of histology and lymphocytic infiltration

Elisabeth Brambilla, Grenoble, France

389P – LACE-Bio pooled analysis of the prognostic and predictive value of p53 mutations and

expression by immunohistochemistry (IHC) in patients with resected non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC)

Stephen Graziano, Syracuse, NY, USA

390P – ERCC1, RRM1, TYMS and BRCA1 profiling for predicting response to chemotherapy in patients with non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC)

Vassiliki Kotoula, Thessaloniki, Greece

391P – Serum tumor markers CEA, CYFRA and Ca125 are associated with worse prognosis in advanced non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC)

Susana Cedrés, Barcelona, Spain

392P – A systematic review and consensus recommendations on the use of biomarkers in the treatment of non-small cell lung carcinoma (NSCLC)

Peter Ellis, Hamilton, ON, Canada

393P – Sorafenib activity in NSCLC cell lines seems related to a different type of K-RAS mutations

Massimo Broggin, Milan, Italy

394P – 1st-cycle rash as a clinical marker of outcome in patients with advanced non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC) receiving 1st-line chemotherapy (CT) plus cetuximab: Analysis by histology

Ken O'Byrne, Dublin, Ireland

395P – Are primary tumour standardized uptake value (PT SUVmax), total lesion glycolysis (TLG) and metabolic volume (MV) measured on FDG PET (CT) predictors of survival in non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC)?

Vanessa Terrones, Brussels, Belgium

396P – Prognostic significance of the maximum standardized uptake value on positron emission tomography according to histological subtypes for non-small cell lung cancer

Yasuhiro Tsutani, Hiroshima, Japan

397P – Biomarkers determination in non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC) across Europe: EPICLIN-Lung study

Giorgio Cruciani, Ravenna, Italy

398P – The risk of lifelong DNA damage caused by lung cancer among rural male smokers who begin at teenage

Emmanuel Odiase, Abuja, Nigeria

399P – Reaction of plasma hepatocyte growth factor by administration EGFR-TKIs in lung cancer patients

Hidenori Tanaka, Osaka, Japan

400P – Mixed histology lung cancer – better or worse than pure histology lung cancer?

Courtney Krug, Huntington, WV, USA

401P – Prognostic factors of lung cancer patients with carcinomatous meningitis

Yukiko Nakamura, Shizuoka, Japan

402P – Treatment of lung cancer patients and concomitant use of drugs interacting with cytochrome P450 isoenzymes
Henrik Finnern, Ingelheim, Germany

403P – MAGE-A3 gene expression frequency and demography data of stage IB-IIIA NSCLC patients from ongoing MAGRIT phase III trial evaluating MAGE-A3 antigen specific cancer immunotherapeutic (ASCI) as adjuvant treatment

Joo Hang Kim, Seoul, South Korea

404P – A randomized phase II trial of adjuvant chemotherapy with docetaxel (DOC) plus cisplatin (CIS) versus paclitaxel (PAC) plus carboplatin (CAR) in patients with completely resected non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC) (TORGO503)

Takuro Kometani, Fukuoka, Japan

405P – Oral vinorelbine (NVBo) + cisplatin (CDDP) as chemoradiotherapy (CT-RT) treatment (Trt) after induction in locally advanced non small cell lung cancer (NSCLC):

Results of a phase II study

Delphine Lerouge, Caen, France

406P – Multicenter phase II study of S-1 (S) plus cisplatin (P) with concurrent thoracic radiotherapy (TRT) for locally advanced non-small cell lung cancer (LA-NSCLC): West Japan Oncology Group (WJOG) 3706 trial

Haruko Daga, Osaka, Japan

407P – A phase II study of pemetrexed, carboplatin and thoracic radiation with or without cetuximab in patients with locally advanced unresectable non-small cell lung cancer: Updated results of CALGB 30407

Ramaswamy Govindan, St. Louis, MO, USA

408P – Randomized phase II trial of uracil/tegafur (UFT) and cisplatin versus vinorelbine and cisplatin with concurrent thoracic radiotherapy for locally advanced unresectable stage III non-small-cell lung cancer: NJLCC 0601

Motoko Tachihara, Fukushima, Japan

409P – The result of percutaneous cryoablation for resectable primary lung cancer

Yoshikane Yamauchi, Tokyo, Japan

410P – Study B021247: A phase I feasibility trial of concurrent chemoradiation (CCRT) and bevacizumab (Bv) in patients (pts) with locally advanced non-squamous non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC)

Robert Macrae, Ottawa, ON, Canada

411P – A randomized clinical trial of paclitaxel loaded polymeric micelle and cisplatin versus paclitaxel and cisplatin in advanced non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC)

Sung Lee, Seoul, South Korea

412P – A randomized, phase II study of paclitaxel (P) and carboplatin (C) ± conatumumab (CON) for first-line treatment of non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC)

Luis Paz-Ares, Seville, Spain

413P – A randomized trial of 1st line docetaxel and cisplatin (75/60 vs 60/60 mg/m²) for patients with stage IIIB or IV non-small cell lung cancer

Young-Chul Kim, Hwasungun, Jeonnam, South Korea

414P – Randomized phase II study of pemetrexed compared with pemetrexed plus carboplatin in pretreated patients with advanced non-small cell lung cancer (GOIRC 02/2006): Preliminary results
Marcello Tiseo, Parma, Italy

415P – Activity of BIBW 2992, an irreversible EGFR/HER1 and HER2 TKI, in lung adenocarcinoma patients harboring less common EGFR mutations

Jin-Yuan Shih, Taipei, Taiwan

416P – A phase II trial of linifanib treatment in non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC) patients

Eng-Huat Tan, Singapore

417P – Randomized phase II study of sunitinib (SU) plus erlotinib (E) vs. placebo (P) plus E for the treatment of metastatic non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC)

Harry J M Groen, Groningen, Netherlands

418P – Randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled phase II study of vandetanib maintenance for advanced or metastatic non-small-cell lung cancer (NSCLC) following 1st-line platinum-doublet chemotherapy

Myung-Ju Ahn, Seoul, South Korea

419P – Everolimus plus erlotinib versus erlotinib alone in previously treated patients with advanced non-small-cell lung cancer (NSCLC)

Jaafar Bennouna, Saint Herblain, France

420P – A phase II study of erlotinib plus capecitabine (XEL) as first-line treatment for Asian elderly patients (pts) with advanced adenocarcinoma of lung (ML 22206 study)

Hong Yun Zhao, Guangzhou, China

421P – Pharmacokinetic (PK) evaluation of erlotinib with or without sunitinib to treat metastatic non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC) in a phase II trial

Ana Ruiz-Garcia, San Diego, CA, USA

422P – Gemcitabine or erlotinib in combination with sorafenib in elderly patients with advanced non small cell lung tumor (GEST): A randomized phase II study

Cesare Gridelli, Avellino, Italy

423P – A final results of a phase II study of first-line gefitinib for elderly patients (pts) with advanced non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC) harboring epidermal growth factor receptor (EGFR) mutations; NEJ 003 study

Akira Inoue, Sendai, Japan

424P – Treatment of leptomeningeal metastasis from non-small cell lung cancer with epidermal growth factor receptor tyrosine kinase inhibitors
Shigeki Nanjo, Kobe, Japan

425P – Clinical outcomes (COs) by sex in non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC) patients (pts): Preliminary results from ARIES, a bevacizumab (BV) observational cohort study (OCS)
Neal Fischbach, Fairfield, CT, USA

426P – The impact of tumor histology on effectiveness in bevacizumab (BV) treated patients (pts) with advanced non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC): Results from ARIES, a BV observational cohort study (OCS)
Julie Brahmer, Baltimore, MD, USA

427P – Final safety outcomes by chemotherapy (CT) regimen for the MO19390 (SAiL) trial: First-line bevacizumab (Bv)-based therapy in advanced non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC)
Lucio Crino, Perugia, Italy

428P – Final safety data from patients (pts) who received maintenance (mnt) bevacizumab (Bv) in the MO19390 (SAiL) trial: First-line Bv plus chemotherapy (CT) in advanced or recurrent non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC)
Janessa Laskin, Vancouver, BC, Canada

429P – Safety of first-line bevacizumab (Bv)-based therapy in the SAiL (MO19390) trial: Central tumour location (CTL) and hypertension (HTN) in patients (pts) with advanced non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC)
Frank Griesinger, Oldenburg, Germany

430P – Maintenance bevacizumab (Bv) with or without pemetrexed (pem) following first-line Bv-cisplatin (cis)-pem in patients (pts) with advanced non-squamous non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC): Preliminary safety data from AVAPERL1 (MO22089)
Fabrice Barlesi, Marseille, France

431P – Bevacizumab (BV) treatment (Tx) to progression (BTP): Outcomes from a US community practice network
Arlene Ravelo, San Francisco, CA, USA

432P – A Galician lung cancer group phase II study of bevacizumab (B), cisplatin and vinorelbine in chemo-naïve patients (p) with non squamous non small cell lung cancer (NSCLC)
Maria Areses Manrique, Santiago de Compostela, Spain

433P – Clinical management patterns in non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC) across Europe: EPICLIN-Lung study
Alfredo Carrato, Madrid, Spain

434P – Salvage chemotherapy (CT) with pemetrexed (PEM) for non small cell lung cancer (NSCLC): An implementation study
Thierry Berghmans, Brussels, Belgium

435P – Compliance to vitamin supplementation and toxicity during 2nd line treatment with pemetrexed in patients with stage III/IV non small cell lung cancer (NSCLC) in daily practice
Wolfgang Schuette, Halle, Germany

436P – Chemotherapy (CT) plus cetuximab as 1st-line treatment for advanced non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC): Meta-analysis of individual patient data
Nick Thatcher, Manchester, UK

437P – Meta-analysis of randomized phase II/III trials adding bevacizumab to platin-based chemotherapy as 1st-line treatment in patients with advanced non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC)
Jean Pierre-Pignon, Villejuif, France

438P – Assessment of quality of life (QoL) in phase III trials in advanced non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC)
Krzysztof Adamowicz, Wejherowo, Poland

439P – Maintenance therapy of non-small cell lung cancer with erlotinib preserves quality of life
E Juhász, Piheno, Hungary

440P – Phase II study of irinotecan and cisplatin with concurrent split-course radiotherapy in limited-disease small-cell lung cancer
Akitoshi Kinoshita, Ohmura, Japan

441P – Refractory vs sensitive relapsed SCLC: Validation of standard definition and assesment of alternative classification
Andrea Ardizzoni, Parma, Italy

442P – Results of a randomized phase III study of single-agent amrubicin (AMR) versus carboplatin and etoposide (CE) in elderly patients with extensive-disease small cell lung cancer (ED-SCLC)
Naoya Hida, Yokohama, Japan

443P – Results of a multicenter phase II trial with the deacetylase inhibitor (DACi) panobinostat in relapsed small cell lung cancer (SCLC) patients
Filippo de Marinis, Rome, Italy

444P – Safety and pharmacokinetics of first-line AMG 479 (MAB to IGF1R) or AMG 102 (MAB to HGF/SF) with platinum-based chemotherapy in extensive-stage small cell lung cancer (SCLC)
Paul Lorigan, Manchester, UK

445P – Phase II study of belotecan and cisplatin as first-line chemotherapy for extensive disease of small cell lung cancer: Preliminary results
Junshik Hong, Incheon, South Korea

446P – NGR-hTNF in combination with doxorubicin in relapsed small-cell lung cancer (SCLC)
Vanessa Gregorc, Milan, Italy

447P – Meta-analysis of published randomized clinical trials (RCTs) comparing platinum/etoposide (PE) versus platinum/topoisomerase 1 inhibitors (PTIs) regimens for extensive-disease small-cell lung cancer (ED-SCLC)
Olga Martelli, Rome, Italy

Developmental therapeutics

Chair: James Spicer, London, UK

504P – Complete results from phase I dose escalation study of metMab, a monovalent antagonist antibody to the receptor met, dosed as single agent and in combination with bevacizumab in patients with advanced solid malignancies

Rebecca Moss, New Brunswick, NJ, USA

505P – Open-label phase Ib study of AMG 386, a selective angiopoietin1/2-neutralizing peptibody, in combination with sorafenib or sunitinib in advanced renal cell carcinoma (RCC): Interim results

Leonard Appleman, Pittsburgh, PA, USA

506P – Cardiovascular adverse events (CV-AEs) in a pooled analysis of 1090 patients (pt) from phase 3 sunitinib (SU) trials

Michael Ewer, Houston, TX, USA

507P – A phase I/II study of TKI258 (dovitinib), a FGFR and VEGFR inhibitor, in patients (pts) with advanced or metastatic renal cell cancer (mRCC): Preliminary phase II results

Eric Angevin, Villejuif, France

508P – Phase I dose escalation trial of selective c-MET inhibitor ARQ 197 in Japanese patients with metastatic solid tumors

Nobuyuki Yamamoto, Osaka, Japan

509P – A phase I dose escalation trial evaluating ARQ 197 administered in combination with sorafenib in adult patients with advanced solid tumors

Alex Adjei, Buffalo, NY, USA

510P – Phase 1b dose escalation trial evaluating c-met inhibitor ARQ 197 and gemcitabine in patients (pts) with advanced solid tumors on schedules refined by in vitro mechanistic studies

Shubham Pant, Oklahoma City, OK, USA

511P – Phase I study for KRN951 (AV-951), a selective VEGFR receptor 1, 2, 3 tyrosine kinase inhibitor in Japanese patients with metastatic solid tumors

Raizoh Yamaguchi, Shizuoka, Japan

512P – High inconsistencies among lists of cautioned & prohibited drugs in oncology phase I and phase II trials

Benoit You, Pierre Benite, France

513P – An analysis of the risk of toxicity associated with participation in phase I oncology trials of novel molecularly targeted agents (MTA) at the Drug Development Unit, Royal Marsden Hospital

Salma Alam, Sutton, UK

514P – Nature and subjectivity of dose-limiting toxicities in contemporary phase I trials: Comparison of cytotoxic versus non-cytotoxic drugs

Stephanie Clisant, Lille, France

515P – Public-private partnership in cancer drug development: A policy analysis

Richard Sullivan, London, UK

516P – Clinical outcome of patients with metastatic melanoma undergoing phase I clinical trials

Montserrat Blanco Codesido, Sutton, UK

517P – An international pooled analysis identifying predictive factors of serious side effects and DLTs during cycle 1 in patients included in phase I trials

Carlos Gomez- Roca, Villejuif, France

518P – Development of a new objective prognostic score for cancer patients treated in phase I trials

Ingrid Desar, Nijmegen, Netherlands

519P – Do patients on molecular targeted therapy suffer from sexual disorders?

Yohann Loriot, Villejuif, France

520P – A phase I dose finding study of the class 1 selective histone deacetylase inhibitor (HDACi) CHR-3996 in patients with treatment refractory metastatic cancer

Dionysis Papadatos-Pastos, Sutton, UK

521P – Updated results of a phase 1b/2 Study using a 30 min infusion of carfilzomib (CFZ) in patients (pts) with relapsed malignancies

Kyriakos Papadopoulos, San Antonio, TX, USA

522P – A phase I study evaluating the pharmacokinetics (PK) and pharmacodynamics (PD) of the oral pan-phosphoinositide-3 kinase (PI3K) inhibitor GDC-0941

Richard Baird, London, UK

523P – Results of a phase I, dose escalation study to assess the safety, efficacy and pharmacokinetics of siltuximab, an anti-IL-6 antibody in patients with solid tumors

Razelle Kurzrock, Houston, TX, USA

524P – Phase I study to assess the safety and tolerability of saracatinib (AZD0530) plus carboplatin (C) and/or paclitaxel (P) in patients with solid tumours

Steinar Aamdal, Oslo, Norway

525P – Complete phase IB study of TH-302 in combination with gemcitabine (G), docetaxel (D) or pemetrexed (P)

Mitesh Borad, Scottsdale, AZ, USA

526P – Antitumor immunity, efficacy and safety of CGTG-102 (Ad5/3-D24-GMCSF), an infectivity enhanced oncolytic adenovirus, in treatment of chemotherapy refractory solid tumors

Akseli Hemminki, Helsinki, Finland

527P – Clinical development of namitecan (ST1968), a novel camptothecin derivative: Phase I clinical data D1 Q3WK schedule

Cristiana Sessa, Bellinzona, Switzerland

528P – Phase I and pharmacodynamic study of NGR-hTNF administered at high doses in refractory patients with solid tumors

Paolo Zucali, Rozzano, Italy

529P – Cilengitide in patients with newly diagnosed glioblastoma multiforme and unmethylated MGMT gene promoter: Safety run-in results from a randomized, controlled, phase II study (CORE)

Tom Mikkelsen, Detroit, MI, USA

530P – Phase I study to assess the safety, tolerability, and pharmacokinetics of the specific Eg5 inhibitor AZD4877 in Japanese patients with solid tumours

Taito Esaki, Fukuoka, Japan

531P – A phase I study of ridaforolimus, the oral mTOR inhibitor, as a single agent in Japanese patients with advanced solid tumors

Yoshitaka Seki, Tokyo, Japan

532P – Targeting CD70 in non-Hodgkin lymphoma and renal cell carcinoma: A phase I study of the antibody-drug conjugate SGN-75

Stephen Ansell, Rochester, MN, USA

533P – First report of the safety, pharmacokinetics (PK), and preliminary activity of PF299804 in Japanese patients (pts) with advanced solid tumors

Toshiaki Takahashi, Shizuoka, Japan

534P – Preliminary results of a phase I study of intravenous administration of GL-ONC1 Vaccinia virus in patients with advanced solid cancer with real time imaging

Joanna Pedersen, Sutton, UK

535P – A novel immunotherapy platform targeting paired cancer antigens through intra-lymph node immunization: Final results of two phase I clinical trials

Mihail Obrocea, Valencia, CA, USA

536P – Phase I study of lorvotuzumab mertansine (IMGN901) in patients with CD56-positive solid tumours

Penella Woll, Sheffield, UK

537P – Encouraging data from a phase I study of the first oral PARP inhibitor olaparib in Japanese patients with solid tumours

Noboru Yamamoto, Tokyo, Japan

538P – A phase I study of AZD1152, an Aurora B kinase inhibitor, in Japanese patients with advanced acute myeloid leukemia

Shuichi Miyawaki, Tokyo, Japan

539P – Phase I/II trial of zoledronic acid plus interleukin-2 in patients with solid and hematological malignancies

Volker Kunzmann, Wuerzburg, Germany

540P – Cilengitide combined with cetuximab and platinum-based chemotherapy as first-line treatment in advanced non-small cell lung cancer: Safety run-in results of an open-label, randomized, phase II (CERTO) study

Johan Vansteenkiste, Leuven, Belgium

541P – Natural history and management of everolimus (E) induced oral ulcers (OU)

Charles Ferte, Lille, France

542P – Characterisation of the hepatic safety profile of trabectedin: Pooled analysis of 19 phase II clinical trials (CTs) in 1132 patients with solid tumours

Jean-Yves Blay, Lyon, France

543P – Phase I study of the pharmacokinetics and tolerability of everolimus in Chinese patients with advanced solid tumors

Binghe Xu, Beijing, China

544P – Effect of PF299804 on CYP2D6 activity in healthy volunteers (HVs) who are extensive metabolizers (EM)

Carlo Bello, New York, NY, USA

545P – Cytotoxic activity of engineered 5-fluorouracil-loaded poly(butylcyanoacrylate) nanoparticles

Radostina Alexandrova, Sofia, Bulgaria

546P – Pro-senescence therapy for neuroblastoma initiating stem cells

Donatella Amendola, Rome, Italy

547P – A first in class AEMD to combat cancer

Robert Shepard, Raleigh, NC, USA

548P – Accuracy of pulmonary function tests in patients treated in phase I trials

Carlos Gomez-Roca, Villejuif, France

549P – Population pharmacokinetics of temsirolimus in pediatric patients with relapsed/refractory solid tumors

Joe Boni, Collegeville, PA, USA

550P – Desensitization to different chemotherapy agents: A successful collaboration between oncology and immunoallergology

Joana Caiado, Lisbon, Portugal

Hematological malignancies

Chair: TBC

1145P – Long-term outcomes in early favourable Hodgkin's lymphoma treated with single modality ABVD: A single centre experience

Bella Pajares Hachero, Málaga, Spain

1146P – Late relapses in Hodgkin's disease

Blanca Cantos, Madrid, Spain

1147P – Vinorelbine, ifosfamide and prednisolone as a salvage regimen in relapsed Hodgkin's lymphoma

Inas Abdel-Halim, Mansoura, Egypt

1148P – VEbEP regimen and highly active antiretroviral therapy (HAART) in patients (pts) with HD and HIV infection (HD-HIV): Final results of the Italian Cooperative Group on AIDS and Tumors (GICAT) study
Michele Spina, Aviano, Italy

1149P – Primary bone lymphoma
Cristina Azevedo, Coimbra, Portugal

1150P – CNS prophylaxis and rituximab based regimen may improve the outcome and decrease the incidence of CNS relapse in poor risk patients with DLBCL
Mervat Mahrous, El-Minia, Egypt

1151P – Investigation of the molecular basis of lenalidomide treatment in lymphoma cell lines
Erica Ballabio, Oxford, UK

1152P – Modeling the pharmacokinetic/pharmacodynamic platelet response of inotuzumab ozogamicin, a novel antibody drug conjugate, administered alone or in combination with rituximab in patients with non-Hodgkin's lymphoma
Joseph Boni, Collegeville, PA, USA

1153P – Non-random integration of Epstein-Barr virus (EBV) into chromosomes of Burkitt's lymphomas cell lines
Eva Murga Penas, Hamburg, Germany

1154P – Prognostic significance of apoptosis-related proteins in diffuse large B-cell lymphoma (DLBL) patients (pts) treated with CHOP-based chemotherapy
Jin Hyuk Choi, Suwon, South Korea

1155P – Morphological alterations in rats and rabbits after infection with bovine leukemia virus. In vivo laboratory model of a human viral T-lymphocytic leukemogenesis
Petar Dimitrov, Sofia, Bulgaria

1156P – In vitro and in vivo synergistic anticancer effect of the HDAC inhibitor panobinostat (LBH589) plus zoledronic acid (ZOL) in human prostate cancer (PC) and multiple myeloma (MM) models
Alfredo Budillon, Naples, Italy

1157P – Molecular cytogenetic characterization of chromosome 1 abnormalities in human multiple myeloma cell lines
Snjezana Janjetovic, Hamburg, Germany

1158P – The study of pathogenetic mechanisms of thrombosis in patients with polycythemia vera syndrome
Oana Badulescu, Iasi, Romania

1159P – BCR-ABL kinase mutations and imatinib resistance in chronic myeloid leukemia
Satheesh Chiradoni Thungappa, Bangalore, India

1160P – Detection of BCR ABL fusion protein in CML and ALL by flowcytometric bead assay: An Indian experience
Soma Mukhopadhyay, Kolkata, India

1161P – Early complete cytogenetic remissions in acute promyelocytic leukemia patients treated with arsenic trioxide as a first-line therapy
Amol Akhade, Mumbai, India

1162P – Oral chemotherapeutic agent followed by aggressive chemotherapy improves overall outcome in adult acute myeloid leukemia (AML): A study from developing country
Ashis Mukhopadhyay, Kolkata, India

1163P – Evaluation of hepatocyte growth factor (HGF) as a prognostic indicator in acute myeloid leukemia
Hanan Mohamed, Giza, Egypt

1164P – Effect of arsenic trioxide on nucleostemin gene expression in acute promyelocytic leukemia patients
Farzaneh Ashrafi, Isfahan, Iran

1165P – Criteria of prognosis for radiation-associated myelofibrosis with myeloid metaplasia following the Chernobyl accident
Iryna Prokopenko, Kiev, Ukraine

1166P – Selective cytotoxicity of BIBR 1532 on acute promyelocytic leukemia cells through induction of P21 and suppression of C-Myc-dependent transcription of hTERT
David Bashash, Tehran, Iran

Psycho-oncology

Chair: TBC

1201P – Psychosocial care of Italian adult cancer patients: A large collaborative, hospital-based quality improvement project (HUCARE)
Rodolfo Passalacqua, Cremona, Italy

1202P – The impression we give to patients when breaking bad news: A multicenter study in a Turkish cancer population
Emel Yaman, Mersin, Turkey

1203P – Breaking bad news in a Greek regional hospital
Apostolos Konstantis, Komotini, Greece

1204P – Job stress in health care professionals. A psycho-oncological analysis of the oncology division
Guya Castellano, Treviglio, Italy

1205P – Influence of income and education on anticancer drug purchasing decisions in Hong Kong Chinese cancer patients
Richard Epstein, Sydney, Australia

1206P – Psychological distress, fatigue, and pain in advanced breast cancer patients: Relationships with quality of life impairment
Svetlana Kalyadina, Saint-Petersburg, Russian Federation

1207P – The effect of psychological support on quality of life in breast cancer patients
Marina Maglakelidze, Tbilisi, Georgia

Tuesday, 12 October 2010

08.00–09.00 **Yellow Hall 1**

Challenge Your Expert session (Repetition)

Nasopharyngeal cancer

Anthony Chan, Hong Kong, China

08.00–09.00 **Yellow Hall 2**

Challenge Your Expert session (Repetition)

Multiple myeloma

Joan Bladé, Barcelona, Spain

08.00–09.00 **Yellow Hall 3**

Challenge Your Expert session (Repetition)

Advances of systemic treatment in metastatic melanoma

Alexander M. M. Eggermont, Rotterdam, Netherlands

08.00–09.00 **Green Hall 3**

Challenge Your Expert session (Repetition)

Advances in the treatment of metastatic or unresectable biliary tract cancer

Juan W. Valle, Manchester, UK

08.00–09.00 **Green Halls 1+2**

Patient Cases

Approaches to adjuvant treatment of small tumors

Co-Chairs: Raimund Jakesz, Vienna, Austria and

Eric Winer, Boston, MA, USA

08.00 The risk of stage and the risk of tumor biology:

microscopic nodal tumor

Raimund Jakesz, Vienna, Austria

08.10 Triple negative small tumors

Eric Winer, Boston, MA, USA

08.20 Discussion

08.00–09.00 **Orange Halls 2+3**

Patient Cases

Diagnosis and management of transformation

Co-Chairs: Gianluca Gaidano, Novara, Italy and

Silvia Montoto, London, UK

08.00 Richter's syndrome

Gianluca Gaidano, Novara, Italy

08.10 Transformed follicular lymphoma

Silvia Montoto, London, UK

08.20 Discussion

1208P – Phantom breast syndrome and psychological distress among breast cancer patients

Nawal Ahbeddou, Rabat, Morocco

1209P – Breast cancer survivorship:

A qualitative study from Iran

Ali Montazeri, Tehran, Iran

1210P – Matrimonial risk factors in women with breast cancer

Ivans Kuznecovs, Riga, Latvia

1211P – Fertility and sexuality concerns of cancer survivors

Bogda Koczwara, Adelaide, Australia

1212P – Breast cancer treatment and sexuality. Moroccan women's perception

Khoula Slimani, Rabat, Morocco

1213P – Couple types and coping strategies: Difficulties of cooperation in conjoint drawing

Veronica Tresoldi, Treviglio, Italy

1214P – The use of complementary and alternative therapies in cancer patients of Southeastern region of Turkey

Mehmet Kucukoner, Diyarbakir, Turkey

1215P – Prospective study about depression in oncology and assessment of the medical decision making strategy

Wadih Rhondali, Pierre Bénite, France

1216P – Surgery + radiotherapy vs. exclusive chemo-radiation therapy in oral and oropharyngeal cancer: Long term functional and psychological impact

Marco Merlano, Cuneo, Italy

1217P – Psychiatric assessment in cancer patients:

Preliminary results of cross sectional study

Carola Locatelli, Rome, Italy

1218P – Burden of care. Positive and negative effects of caregiving

Maria Luisa Bonetti, Treviglio, Italy

1219P – Initial attitudes of patients with lung cancer related to psychosocial rehabilitation

Vasilios Heras, Nafplio, Greece

1220P – Do adult cancer survivors require psychotherapy?

An experience from Eastern India

Soma Basu, Kolkata, India

1221P – Influence of the family of oncological patients: An ethical problem?

Luisina Onganía, Buenos Aires, Argentina

1222P – Psychological assessment and support to children and young adults with cancer in New Delhi

Prakash Chitalkar, Kolkata, West Bengal, India

1223P – Repercussions of cancer on Moroccan adolescent and young adult lives

Hassan Errihani, Rabat, Morocco

09.00–10.00 **Gold Hall**

Controversy session

Anti-angiogenic agents should be used for the first-line treatment of ovarian cancer

Moderator: Jonathan Ledermann, London, UK

- 09.00 Introduction and vote
Jonathan Ledermann, London, UK
 - 09.10 Pro Speaker
Nicoletta Colombo, Milan, Italy
 - 09.30 Contra Speaker
Gordon Rustin, Northwood, UK
 - 09.50 Vote and conclusions
Jonathan Ledermann, London, UK
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09.00–10.30 **Red Hall**

Educational session (Repetition)

Towards an individualized approach of advanced non-small cell lung cancer

Chair: Enriqueta Felip, Barcelona, Spain

Co-Chair: Rafal Dziadziuszko, Gdansk, Poland

- 09.00 Should we continue to use the term non-small cell lung cancer?
Adi F Gazdar, Dallas, TX, USA
 - 09.30 How to integrate current knowledge in selecting first-line therapy
Enriqueta Felip, Barcelona, Spain
 - 10.00 Consequences of targeted treatments for second-line therapy
Federico Cappuzzo, Livorno, Italy
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09.00–10.30 **Blue Hall**

Educational session (Repetition)

Soft tissue sarcoma: From molecular diagnosis to selection of treatment

Chair: Ian Judson, Sutton, UK

Co-Chair: Serge Leyvraz, Lausanne, Switzerland

- 09.00 Pathologic diagnosis of soft tissue sarcoma amid molecular biology and targeted therapies
Eva Wardelmann, Bonn, Germany
- 09.30 Histology-driven chemotherapy of soft tissue sarcoma
Mikael Eriksson, Lund, Sweden
- 10.00 Targeted therapies in soft tissue sarcoma
Ian Judson, Sutton, UK

09.15–10.45 **Silver Hall**

Special Symposium

Emerging concepts in head and neck cancer diagnostics and therapy

Chair: Fortunato Ciardiello, Naples, Italy

Co-Chair: Lisa Licitra, Milan, Italy

- 09.15 Introduction
Lisa Licitra, Milan, Italy
 - 09.20 Biomarkers in molecular classification and diagnostics of head and neck squamous cell carcinoma
Amanda Psyrris, Athens, Greece
 - 09.40 New signalling pathway inhibitors and EGFR resistance
Fortunato Ciardiello, Naples, Italy
 - 10.00 Therapeutic implications of HPV positive tumors
Maura Gillison, Columbus, OH, USA
 - 10.20 Molecularly-targeted therapies in thyroid cancer
Jean-Pierre Droz, Lyon, France
 - 10.40 Conclusions
Lisa Licitra, Milan, Italy
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09.15–10.45 **Pink Hall**

Special Symposium

The use of biomarkers to guide treatment in hematological malignancies

Chair: Martin Dreyling, Munich, Germany

Co-Chair: Andreas Hochhaus, Jena, Germany

- 09.15 Introduction
Andreas Hochhaus, Jena, Germany
- 09.20 Chronic lymphocytic leukemia The use of biomarkers to guide treatment in hematological malignancies
Stephan Stilgenbauer, Ulm, Germany
- 09.40 Multiple myeloma
Niels van de Donk, Utrecht, Netherlands
- 10.00 Mantle cell lymphoma
Martin Dreyling, Munich, Germany
- 10.20 Chronic myelogenous leukemia
Andreas Hochhaus, Jena, Germany
- 10.40 Conclusions
Martin Dreyling, Munich, Germany

09.15–10.15 **Orange Hall 1**

Multidisciplinary Interactive session (MIS)

Locally advanced laryngeal cancer

Co-Chairs: Guy Andry, Brussels, Belgium and
Jacques Bernier, Genolier, Switzerland

09.15 Surgery

Guy Andry, Brussels, Belgium

09.30 Radiotherapy

Jacques Bernier, Genolier, Switzerland

09.45 Discussion

10.15–13.00 **Gold Hall**

Congress Highlights

Chair: Rolf A. Stahel, Zurich, Switzerland

10.15 GLOBOCAN 2008: The worldwide burden of cancer

Eva Steliarova-Foucher, Lyon, France

10.30 Gastrointestinal tumors

David Cunningham, Sutton, UK

10.40 Colorectal cancer

Jean-Yves Douillard, St. Herblain, France

10.50 Head and neck cancer

Marco Merlano, Cuneo, Italy

11.00 Hematological malignancies

Lena Specht, Copenhagen, Denmark

11.10 Supportive & Palliative

Dorothy M. K. Keefe, Adelaide, Australia

11.20 Breast cancer, early

TBC

11.30 Breast cancer, advanced

Fatima Cardoso, Lisbon, Portugal

11.40 Sarcoma

Paolo G. Casali, Milan, Italy

11.50 Melanoma

TBC

12.00 Basic Science, biomarkers and TR

Giampaolo Tortora, Naples, Italy

12.10 Developmental therapeutics

James Spicer, London, UK

12.20 Gynecological cancer

Isabelle Ray-Coquard, Lyon, France

12.30 Genitourinary tumors

Maria De Santis, Vienna, Austria

12.40 Chest tumors

Lucio Crinò, Perugia, Italy

12.50 Congress closing remarks

Rolf A. Stahel, Zurich, Switzerland

11.00–12.30 **Red Hall**

Educational session (Repetition)

Diagnostic and management issues in gastroesophageal cancer

Chair: Florian Lordick, Hannover, Germany

Co-Chair: João Oliveira, Lisbon, Portugal

11.00 Is there any role for surgery in the multidisciplinary
treatment of esophageal cancer?

Michael Stahl, Essen, Germany

11.30 Multimodality treatment for localized
gastroesophageal cancer

David Cunningham, Sutton, UK

12.00 New trends for staging and therapy for localized
gastroesophageal cancer: The role of PET scan

Florian Lordick, Hannover, Germany

11.15–12.45 **Blue Hall**

Educational session (Repetition)

Advances in head and neck cancer

Chair: Jan Vermorken, Edegem, Belgium

Co-Chair: Marshall Posner, New York, NY, USA

11.15 The role of papilloma virus infection

Stina Syrjänen, Turku, Finland

11.45 Integrating systemic agents into multimodality treatment
of locally advanced diseases

Marshall Posner, New York, NY, USA

12.15 Optimal treatment for relapsing or metastatic disease

Jan Vermorken, Edegem, Belgium

11.15–12.45 **Silver Hall**

Special Symposium

**ESMO DCTF/UICC/WHO Joint Symposium: Meeting the challenge
of managing cervical cancer in the developing world**

Co-Chairs: Eduardo Cazap, Buenos Aires, Argentina and

Andreas Ullrich, Geneva, Switzerland

11.15 What is the optimum screening method for cervical cancer
in developing countries?

Rengaswamy Sankaranarayanan, Lyon, France

11.35 HPV vaccination: What practical experience tells us to date

Vivien Tsu, Seattle, WA, USA

11.55 Cervical cancer control: A global strategy

Eduardo Cazap, Buenos Aires, Argentina

12.15 The Health Minister's response to managing

cervical cancer in low-income countries

Carlos Vallejos Sologuren, Lima, Peru

12.35 Conclusions

Eduardo Cazap, Buenos Aires, Argentina