

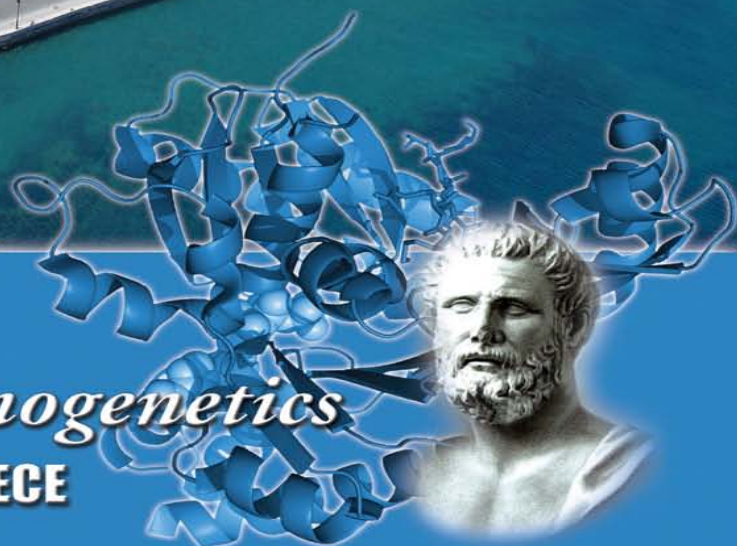


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# PROGRAMME



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**Wednesday 11 MAY 2016**

18:00 - 20:00

**COLOSSOS HALL**

**Opening Ceremony**

**Thursday 12 MAY 2016**

08:30 - 10:00

**IPPOCRATES HALL**

**Plenary Session I:**

***From ancestry to the 21st century***

The divergence of *H.sapiens* from other species

**R. Bontrop** (The Netherlands)

Bioarcheology: from the archeological sites to the microbiology laboratory. What we can learn?

**J. Rubino** (Italy)

Current theory of MHC evolution

**J. Kaufman** (United Kingdom)

10:00 - 10:30

**Coffee break & Poster viewing**

### **Parallel Sessions**

10:30 - 12:00

**PANACEA HALL**

**Teaching Session I:**

**Organ allocation across Europe**

Coordinator: **F. Claas** (The Netherlands)

10:30 - 12:00

**AEGLE A' – AEGLE B' – AKESSO**

**Abstract Sessions 1-3**

11.30 – 13.00

**SYNDICATE ROOM 2.7**

**EC + Co-ordinators**

12:00 - 14:00

**Lunch break & Satellite Symposia 1-4**

14:00 - 15:30

**IPPOCRATES HALL**

**Plenary Session II:**

***Peptide/MHC-TCR interactions***

New findings on pMHC-TCR interactions

**D. Cole** (United Kingdom)

TCR diversity in cellular therapies

**D. Price** (United Kingdom)

HLA molecules in host-tumor interactions

**C. Baxevanis** (Greece)

15:30 - 16:00

**Coffee break & Poster viewing**



### **Parallel Sessions**

16:00 - 17:30	<b>AKESSO HALL</b> <b>Teaching Session II:</b> <b><i>Epitope Matching in Transplantation: Crosslinking the solid organ experience with the stem cell world</i></b> Coordinator: <b>K. Fleischhauer</b> (Germany)
16:00 - 17:00	<b>AEGLE A'</b> <b>Meet the expert I: Implementation of NGS platforms</b> G. Fischer (Austria) M. Tilanus (Switzerland)
16:00 - 17:00	<b>AEGLE B'</b> <b>Meet the expert II: H&amp;I EPT programme in Europe</b> <i>F. Heinemann</i> (Germany) Y. Zoet (The Netherlands)
16:00 - 17:00	<b>PANACEA HALL</b> <b>Debate I:</b> <b>Virtual vs Actual Crossmatch</b> Coordinator/Chair: <b>C. Susal</b> T. Kauke (Germany) D. O'Neil (Ireland)
16:00 - 17:00	<b>MELAMBUS HALL</b> <b>Abstract Session 4</b>
17:00 - 18:30	<b>Poster Session – <i>Cheese and Wine</i></b>

### **Friday 13 MAY 2016**

08:30 - 10:00	<b>IPPOCRATES HALL</b> <b>Plenary Session III:</b> <b><i>Immunogenetics in Reproduction</i></b> MHC evolution through embryo allorecognition <b>I. Athanassakis</b> (Greece) HLA-KIR interactions in embryo selection and implantation <b>F. Colucci</b> (United Kingdom) Genes providing susceptibility to pregnancy disorders <b>Th. Hviid</b> (Denmark)
10:00 - 10:30	<b>Coffee break &amp; Poster viewing</b>



10:30 - 12:00

**PANACEA HALL**

**Teaching Session III:**

***Predicting concepts of interactions between T cell receptor and MHC-peptide***

Coordinator: **A. Germenis** (Greece)

**Parallel Sessions**

10:30 - 12:00

**AEGLE A' – AEGLE B' – AKESSO**

**Abstract Sessions 5-7**

11:30 – 13:00

**Tissue Antigens Editorial board meeting**

12:00-14:00

**Lunch break & Satellite Symposia 5-8**

14:00 - 15:30

**IPPOCRATES HALL**

**Plenary Session IV:**

***Therapeutic use of Innate immunity cells***

Innate Lymphoid Cells in cell therapy

**J. Di Santo** (France)

Natural Killer cells in cell therapy

**G. Casorati** (Italy)

Neutrophils in cell therapy

**R. Zeiser** (Germany)

15:30 - 16:00

**Coffee break & Poster viewing**

**Parallel Sessions**

16:00 - 17:00

**AKESSO Hall**

**Teaching Session IV:**

**Immunogenetic information through the web**

Coordinator: **D. Middleton** (United Kingdom)

**AEGLE A' Hall**

**Meet the expert III: MHC-Infectious agents and self tolerance**

**J. Kalil** (Brazil)

**I.Theodorou** (France)

**AEGLE B' Hall**

**Meet the expert IV: ESHI Diploma examination**

**D. Turner** (United Kingdom)

**M. Andreani** (Italy)

**PANACEA HALL**

**Debate II:**

***Exons only or whole gene typing?***

Coordinator/Chair: **M.A. Fernandez-Vina** (USA)

**V. Lange** (Germany)

**K. Latham** (United Kingdom)



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## MELAMBUS HALL

Abstract Session 8

### PANACEA HALL

17:00 - 17:30

Special Lecture I:

*30 years EFI Conferences*

**C. Stavropoulos-Gkiokas**

17:30 – 19:00

### PANACEA HALL

General Assembly

## Saturday 14 MAY 2016

08:30 - 09:00

### IPPOCRATES HALL

Special Lecture II:

*Comprehensive characterization of the MHC: New means-New findings*

**D. Monos (USA)**

09:00 - 10:30

### IPPOCRATES HALL

Best Abstracts

10:30 - 11:00

Coffee break

11:00 - 12:30

### IPPOCRATES HALL

Plenary Session V:

*Stem Cells and Regenerative medicine*

Immunogenicity of pluripotent stem cells

**D. Charron** (France)

Mesenchymal stem cells in regenerative medicine

**W. Fibbe** (The Netherlands)

Multi-system regenerative therapy by mesenchymal stromal cells  
from different sources

**S. Slavin** (Israel)

12:30 - 13:00

### IPPOCRATES HALL

Closing Lecture:

*The newer perceptions for the architecture of life and the  
mechanistic base of illnesses*

**G. Kollias** (Greece)

13:00 - 13:30

### IPPOCRATES HALL

Closing Ceremony