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Friday September 24, 2021**PARALLEL ROOM (web only)****International Symposium (A)****14.00-16.00****Autoimmunity related to SARS-CoV-2**

Chairs: **D.P. Bogdanos (Larissa, Greece), D. Roggenbuck (Senftenberg, Germany)**

- COVID-19: an autoimmune disease
Y. Shoenfeld (Tel Hashomer, Israel)
- The SARS-CoV-2 as an instrumental trigger of autoimmunity
A. Dotan (Tel Hashomer, Israel)
- Anti-prothrombin autoantibodies enriched after infection with SARS-CoV-2 and influenced by strength of antibody response against SARS-CoV-2 proteins
D. Roggenbuck (Senftenberg, Germany)

Inflammation and Autoimmunity (A)

- Lifestyle causes of low-grade chronic inflammation
P. Carrera Bastos (Malmö, Sweden & Madrid, Spain)
- Comorbidities in Multiple sclerosis: review of systematic reviews
O. Mirmosayyeb (Isfahan, Iran)

16.00-17.00**Fibromyalgia: clinical and research challenges**

Chairs: **H. Amital (Tel Hashomer, Israel), E. Dardiotis (Larissa, Greece)**

- Autoimmune dysautonomia in women with silicone breast implants
G. Halpert (Tel Hashomer, Israel)
- Etiologies of fibromyalgia in times of COVID-19
H. Amital (Tel Hashomer, Israel)
- Natural antibodies in fibromyalgia and their associations with disease manifestations
G. Reimekasten (Schleswig-Holstein, Germany)



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Emerging clinical aspects

Chairs: **D. Karokis (Patra, Greece), A. Daponte (Larissa, Greece)**

- Breastfeeding for women with autoimmune diseases:
a decision far beyond milk
V. Borba (Tel Hashomer, Israel)
- Leflunomide: A Safe and Effective Alternative in Systemic Lupus
Erythematosus
T.C. Salman Monte (Barcelona, Spain)
- Systemic Lupus Erythematosus in the Intensive Care Unit
I. Ruiz Ordóñez (Manizales, Colombia)

18.00-20.00

Inflammation and Autoimmunity: Basic and Translational Aspects (B)

Chairs: **L. Churilov (Saint Petersburg, Russia), I. Kostoglou (Athens, Greece)**

- Thyroid Gland, Brain and Autoimmunity
L. Churilov (Saint Petersburg, Russia)
- Autophagy dysfunction in autoimmunity: emerging issues
S. Muller (Strasbourg, France)
- Th17 lymphocytes and Their Cytokines in Pathogenesis of Psychiatric Disorder
Caused by Autoimmune Thyroiditis
P.A. Sobolevskaia (Saint Petersburg, Russia)
- Circulating T cell subsets, CD19+CD24(HI)CD38(HI) B regulatory cells and
plasmablasts as prognosticators of secukinumab-induced remission in patients
with psoriatic disease
A. Mavropoulos (Larissa, Greece)
- An influence of antithyroperoxidase antibodies on the expression of FGF2 in
murine placentas
E.S. Borodina (Saint Petersburg, Russia)



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International Symposium (B)

14.00-16.00

Emerging aspects in Rheumatology and Autoimmunity

Chairs: **C. Perricone (Perugia, Italy)**, **A. Koutroubas (Volos, Greece)**

- Precision Medicine in Rheumatology 2021
C. Perricone (Perugia, Italy)
- Enthesitis in psoriatic arthritis: a 2021 update
C. Selmi (Milan, Italy)
- Can we predict response to biologicals in Rheumatoid Arthritis
I. Chikanza (London, UK)
- Immune-mediated disease flares of autoimmune rheumatic diseases following vaccination
A. Watad (Tel-Hashomer, Israel)

Celiac Disease

- Gluten: an autoimmune trigger in non-celiac disease
A. Lerner (Tel Hashomer, Israel)

Inflammatory Bowel Diseases

- Dietary strategies for the management of Inflammatory Bowel Diseases: Are we there yet?
V. Svolos (Glasgow, UK)

16.00-17.00

Recent Advances in the Diagnosis and the Management of Hereditary Angioedema

Chairs: **A.E. Germenis (Athens, Greece)**, **H. Farkas (Budapest, Hungary)**

- Taxonomy and Diagnosis of Hereditary Angioedema
F. Psarros (Athens, Greece)
- Recent Advances in the Management of Hereditary Angioedema
A. Reshef (Ashkelon, Israel)
- The Paediatric Patient with Hereditary Angioedema
H. Farkas (Budapest, Hungary)



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Symposium on Autoantibodies in the era of COVID-19

European Autoimmunity Standardization Initiative (EASI) Session

Autoantibodies in the era of COVID-19

Chairs: **J. Damoiseaux (Maastricht, The Netherlands),**

C. Tsigalou (Alexandroupolis, Greece), D.P. Bogdanos (Larissa, Greece)

- The added value of EASI in laboratory accreditation
J. Damoiseaux (Maastricht, The Netherlands)
- The effect of the COVID-19 pandemic on requesting of autoantibodies
E. Nagy (Budapest, Hungary) / M. Infantino (Florence, Italy)
- Quality control in automated ANA indirect immunofluorescence testing
L. Van Hoovels (Aalst, Belgium)

18.00-19.30

New developments in autoantibody diagnostics

**C. Tsigalou (Alexandroupolis, Greece), A. Tsirogianni (Athens, Greece),
D.P. Bogdanos (Larissa, Greece)**

- Novel biomarkers in the management of APS
D. Ielo (Italy)
- Artificial intelligence for pattern recognition according to ICAP by automatic IFA systems
R. Hiemann (Senftenberg, Germany)
- Identification and interpretation: challenges with neural antibodies
C.G. Bien (Bielefeld, Germany)
- Targeting autoimmunity: the neonatal FC receptor (FCRN)
J. Van Middendorp (Gent, Belgium)



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