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Friday September 9, 2022

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Friday's International Symposium

14.30-16.30

Autoimmunity related to SARS-CoV-2

Chairs: **D.P. Bogdanos (Greece), A. Watad (Israel),
C. Tsigalou (Greece)**

- Autoimmunity, COVID and Post-Covid
Y. Shoenfeld (Israel)
- COVID-19 and post-COVID-19: do we deal with autoimmune diseases?
A. Watad (Israel)
- Does COVID-19 vaccination trigger autoimmune responses?
P.L. Meroni (Italy)
- Lifestyle factors affecting vaccination effectiveness
C.P. Bastos (Sweden/Portugal)

16.30-18.30

Precision medicine and novel technologies: clinical applications in Autoimmune Diseases

Chairs: **C. Perricone (Italy), D. Karokis (Greece)**

- Pragmatic aspects of precision health
M.J. Fritzler (Canada)
- The clinical applications of machine learning in autoimmune rheumatic diseases
C. Perricone (Italy)
- Artificial intelligence: a new tool for proper diagnosis
R. Hiemann (Germany)
- A predictor of anti-TNF Responsiveness in patients with rheumatoid arthritis
I. Chikanza (UK)



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14.30-16.15

Greek-Italian Translational Autoimmunity Symposium (in memory of Professor Roberto Perricone)

Chairs: **C. Perricone (Italy)**, **E.I. Rigopoulou (Greece)**

- Biomarkers and treatment strategies in systemic lupus erythematosus
C. Perricone (Italy)
- Systemic Sclerosis : from bench to bedside
L.I. Sakkas (Greece)
- Extrarticular manifestations and comorbidities in psoriatic arthritis
M.S. Chimenti (Italy)
- Systemic autoimmune diseases and environmental factors:
which is the evidence
E. Bartoloni (Italy)
- Thyroid autoimmunity and COVID-19
I. Kostoglou (Greece)

16.15-18.00

Young Investigators' Corner

Chairs: **C. Liaskos (Greece)**, **P. Stamatis (Greece, Sweden)**

- Primary Angiitis of the Central Nervous System - A Diagnostic and Therapeutic Challenge
A. Aloizou
- Anti Ro52 and antiRo60 antibodies in patients with systemic sclerosis
A. Gkoutzourelas
- A decrease of circulating T follicular helper cell sub-populations is associated with an IL-17-mediated clinical remission in psoriasis,
S. Tsiogkas
- Interleukin-10 and interferon-gamma in multiple sclerosis
G. Efthymiou
- Antibody reactivity against antigens of Helicobacter pylori in patients with psoriatic disease
E. Patrikiou



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- Identification of new autoantigenic targets by immunoblotting and MALDI-TOF Analysis
M. Mytilinaiou
- Lupus and Vitamin D, a single center study
L. Athanasiou
- Idiopathic inflammatory myositis associated to malignancy: a single center experience (the Larissa experience)
V. Syrmoy
- Emotional Intelligence and quality of life in patients with systemic sclerosis
D. Karagianni

18.00-19.30

Clinical and Translational Autoimmunity

Chairs: **A. Koutroubas (Greece)**

- Autoimmune autonomic nervous system imbalance
Y. Shoenfeld (Israel)
- Vitamin D - sometimes it works, sometimes it doesn't. Why?
C.P. Bastos (Sweden/Portugal)
- Hormones and autoimmunity: a cross-road
V. Borba (Israel)



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Sunday September 11, 2022

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Sunday's International Symposium

11.00-12.00

European Autoimmunity Standardization Initiative (EASI) Forum

The role of autoantibodies in the diagnostic and classification criteria

Chairs: **C. Tsigalou (Greece)**, **J. Damoiseaux (The Netherlands)**

- Autoantibodies in inflammatory myositis: emerging issues
J. Damoiseaux (The Netherlands)
- Impact of autoimmune serology test results on RA classification and diagnosis
L. Van Hoovels (Belgium)

12.00-14.00

Autoantibodies in the COVID-19 era

Chairs: **C. Tsigalou (Greece)**

- Anti-dsDNA antibodies in the classification criteria of systemic lupus erythematosus
M. Infantino (Italy)
- The DFS70 autoantigen: an update on its biology and autoantibody response
C. Casiano (USA)
- Novel autoantibodies and their clinical significance
D. Ielo (Italy)
- A bioinformatic approach of SARS-COV-2 mediated autoimmunity
Y. Adiguzel (Turkey)





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14.00-16.00

Novel autoantibodies in gastroenterology and hepatology

Chairs: E.I. Rigopoulou (Greece), D. Roggenbuck (Germany)

- Clinical relevance of antibodies against glycoprotein 2 in patients with cholangiocarcinoma
D. Roggenbuck (Germany)
- Anti-glycoprotein 2 IgA and PR3-ANCA: antibodies to predict severe disease, poor survival, and cholangiocarcinoma in primary sclerosing cholangitis
E. Wunsch (Poland)
- Human Glycoprotein 2 (GP2) is present in bile and gallstone in cholangiopathies - has the culprit in caught?
S. Lopens (Germany)
- Persistent viral infections in myalgic encephalomyelitis/chronic fatigue syndrome
S. Rasa-Dzelzkaleja (Latvia)

16.00-18.00

Emerging Clinical Aspects

Chairs: C. Selmi (Italy), D. Karokis (Greece)

- GRAPPA's New Recommendations
C. Selmi (Italy)
- Serum immunoglobulin G4 in Sjögren's syndrome
M. Maślińska (Poland)
- Differential diagnosis of systemic sclerosis: pseudo-scleroderma
L. Mouthon (France)
- Renal involvement in systemic sclerosis
L. Mouthon (France)

Closure Remarks

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