



Educational Workshop

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Join us for an educational workshop on the diagnosis, treatment and monitoring of plasma cell malignancies, including current practices and opportunities for improvement.

The workshop will include lectures plus roundtable discussions around the most hot and controversial topics, featuring point-counterpoint conversations between invited speakers and local hematologists based on both challenging questions and clinical cases.

Numerous networking opportunities will also be available in order to establish potential collaborations among speakers and participants.

FEATURED SPEAKER:

SATURDAY 12:30-13:00

Minimal Residual Disease: How and when to do it?

Jesús San Miguel, MD



ATHENS PRELIMINARY PROGRAM

Friday, October 26, 2018

08:45 – 09:00 **Welcome and Introduction**
Meletios A. Dimopoulos, MD, Evangelos Terpos, MD, Jesús San Miguel, MD, and Nikhil Munshi, MD

SESSION 1: BIOLOGY (Moderators: Meletios A. Dimopoulos, MD and Evangelos Terpos, MD)

- 09:00-09:30 **The myeloma pathogenesis with focus on the immune system**
Nikhil Munshi, MD
- 09:30-10:00 **Genomics to Predict Disease Outcomes: Are We There Yet?**
Hervé Avet-Loiseau, MD
- 10:00-10:30 **Bone disease: From bench to bedside**
Evangelos Terpos, MD
- 10:30-11:00 **What are the optimal Imaging Techniques in MM, MRI, CT-scan and PET?**
Lia A. Moulopoulos, MD
- 11:00-11:30 **Coffee Break**
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SESSION 2: DIAGNOSTICS (Moderators: Nikhil Munshi, MD and Meral Beksac, MD)

- 11:30-12:00 **Implementing the new diagnostic criteria in daily practice and appropriate tests for follow up and treatment decisions**
Efstathios Kastritis, MD
- 12:00-13:00 **Roundtable: How to do a correct diagnosis and follow-up
Controversial cases presented local physicians with emphasis on local practice**
Case Presenters: Veselina Goranova, MD, Merav Leiba, MD, and Sandra Bašić-Kinda, MD
Discussants: Hervé Avet-Loiseau, MD, Efstathios Kastritis, MD, and Daniel Coriu, MD
- 13:00-14:00 **Lunch**
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SESSION 3: SMOLDERING MYELOMA & FRONTLINE THERAPY – ASCT ELIGIBLE (Moderators: Mohamad Mohty, MD and Samo Zver, MD)

- 14:00-14:30 **Smoldering myeloma: How to predict outcome and “To treat or not to treat**
Maria-Victoria Mateos, MD
- 14:30-15:00 **The best induction and risk adapting initial therapy and role of transplantation in myeloma**
Mohamad Mohty, MD
- 15:00-15:30 **When should we use maintenance?**
Francesca Gay, MD
- 15:30-16:30 **Roundtable: Optimizing the use of stem cell transplant in myeloma
Controversial cases presented by local physicians with emphasis on local practice**
Case Presenters: Jelena Bila, MD, Arben Ivanaj, MD, and Lejla Ibricevic Balic, MD
Discussants: Marivi Mateos, MD, Francesca Gay, MD, and Hayri Özsan, MD
- 16:30-17:00 **Coffee Break**

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SESSION 4: FRONTLINE THERAPY – NON-ASCT ELIGIBLE

(Moderators: Jean-Luc Harousseau, MD and Margarita Guenova, MD)

17:00-17:30 **How I treat newly diagnosed elderly patients?**

Thierry Facon, MD

17:30-18:30 **Roundtable: Controversial cases presented by local physicians with emphasis on local practice**

Case Presenters: Sorina Badelita, MD, Olivera Markovic, MD, and Milena Dapcevic, MD

Discussants: Thierry Facon, MD, Shaji Kumar, MD, and Moshe Gat, MD

Saturday, October 27, 2018

SESSION 5: HOW TO MAKE THE RIGHT CHOICES IN THE RELAPSED PATIENT?

(Moderators: Meletios A. Dimopoulos, MD and Jesús San Miguel, MD)

08:30-09:00 **Treatment of early relapses**

Thanos Dimopoulos

09:00-09:30 **Treatment of patients refractory to PIs and lenalidomide**

Shaji Kumar, MD

09:30-10:00 **Managing side effects**

Irit Avivi, MD

10:00-11:00 **Roundtable: Controversial cases presented local physicians with emphasis on local practice**

Case Presenters: Josip Batinić, MD, Eirini Katodritou, MD, and Artur Jurczynszyn, MD

Discussants: Shaji Kumar, MD, Nikhil Munshi, MD, and Oliver Karanfilski, MD

11:00-11:30 **Coffee Break**

SESSION 6: HOW DO I TREAT OTHER PLASMA CELL NEOPLASMS?

(Moderators: Kostas Konstantopoulos, MD and Maria Gavriatopoulou, MD)

11:30-12:00 **Waldenström Macroglobulinemia**

Steven P. Treon, MD

12:00-12:30 **Amyloidosis: “Under-diagnosed disorder”**

Giampaolo Merlini, MD

SPECIAL LECTURE (Moderator: Evangelos Terpos, MD)

12:30-13:00 **Minimal residual disease: How and when to do it?**

Jesús San Miguel, MD

13:00 **Lunch**