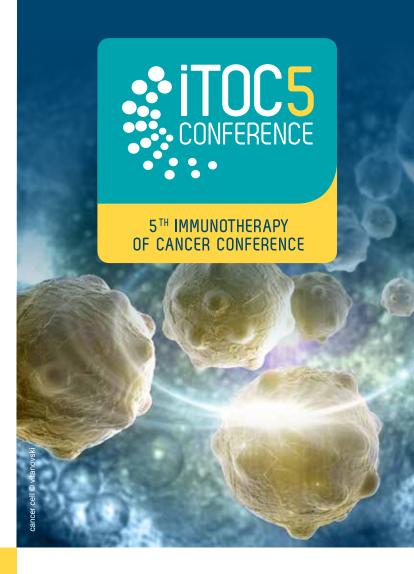
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The Cancer Drug Development Forum (CDDF) in collaboration with the Society for Immunotherapy of Cancer (SITC) have the great pleasure to invite you to take part in the 6th Immunotherapy of Cancer Conference (ITOC6) - the leading European conference providing a global platform for translational research in the field of immuno-oncology.

The ITOC series of conferences is the premier meeting in Europe for scientific exchange, networking and education within the cancer immunotherapy field.



SAVE THE DATE

The programme will focus on the latest challenges of translational research with a special emphasis on innovations in combination therapy, immunomonitoring and biomarker development.



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WELCOME LETTER

Welcome to the fifth edition of the Immunotherapy of Cancer Conference (ITOC5), the premier meeting for education, scientific exchange and networking within cancer immunotherapy.

This meeting has been growing rapidly into a global platform for translational research in the field of immuno-oncology.

The scientific programme with an international faculty will focus on many topics such as Immune Escape, Emerging concepts/novel agents, Oncolytic Viruses, Anti-cancer vaccines, Combination Therapy, Cell therapy, Immuno-monitoring, Microbiome in Immunotherapy.

Organised by the Cancer Drug Development Forum (CDDF), whose mission is to provide a unique platform to facilitate interactions between all stakeholders (academia, regulatory authorities, policymakers, industry, patient advocacy groups and health technology assessors) to improve the efficiency of cancer drug development and in cooperation with the Society for Immunotherapy of Cancer (SITC), the ITOC conference series aim to provide a forum for discussion of early clinical drug development and address its unique challenges.

The conference offers a broad and exciting range of opportunities and tools to gain exposure to experts in various disciplines within Europe and far beyond, and we wish you a very successful and enjoyable ITOC5 in the beautiful city of Berlin.

In addition, we wish to express our sincere gratitude to the entire committee, organising partners and sponsors and exhibitors.

Your ideas and suggestions on the future of this conference are welcome. We therefore encourage you to complete the online survey after the conference and please do not hesitate to reach out to our team on site or via email (itoc@medacad.org)

Yours sincerely,

Prof. Dr. Ulrich Keilholz Conference President Prof. Dr. Lisa Butterfield Conference President Prof. Dr. Volkmar Nüssler Munich Tumour Center Prof. Dr. Heinz Zwierzina Scientific Chairman





CANCER DRUG DEVELOPMENT FORUM



The Cancer Drug Development Forum (CDDF) is a not-for-profit organisation registered in Austria.

It was established in 2001 as Biotherapy Development Association (BDA) and changed name in 2014 to Cancer Drug Development Forum (CDDF).

While BDA's focus was initially around immunotherapy, in recent years the association has embraced all forms of cancer drug development and therefore wanted a name that better reflects the organisation's breadth of interests and activities.

CDDF provides a unique forum where all those dedicated to the development of cancer drugs can exchange expertise to find ways to expedite effective oncology drug development and delivery.

For the past 14 years, CDDF has strived to leverage the discussion of the most promising advances in oncology drug development, uniting experts from academia, pharmaceutical industry and regulatory authorities in the quest of overcoming the main challenges in cancer treatment.

Meeting reports and publications based on previous workshops and events are featured in some of the leading oncology journals. You may access CDDF's list of publications at: www.cddf.org.

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ITOC5 POSTER PRIZE



We are proud to announce the ITOC 5 Poster Prize which will be awarded at the 5th Immunotherapy of Cancer Conference thanks to the generous support of the Tumor Center Munich.

Prizes will be awarded to the three best poster presentations. The winners will receive a certificate and a prize of EUR 1000,-/700,-/500,-.

Winners are selected by the scientific committee according to the following criteria:

- · Scientific content/methodology
- · Novelty and originality of research
- Ability of the author to present the poster in a concise and clear manner and to answer questions during the dedicated poster sessions.

Poster reviewing-Committee:

- Chairman: Sebastian Kobold (Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität, Germany)
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- Eric Tartour (Hôpital Européen Georges-Pompidou, France)



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ACCREDITATION FOR CONTINUOUS MEDICAL EDUCATION (CME)



The 5th ImmunoTherapy of Cancer Conference, Prague, Czech Republic (March 19 – 21, 2018) has been granted 15 European CME credits (ECMEC) by the European Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (EACCME).

European Accreditation is granted by the EACCME in order to allow participants who attend the above mentioned activity to validate their credits in their own country.





PROGRAMME AT A GLANCE

MONDAY, MARCH 19, 2018

09.00	Registration Opens		
11.00 – 11.10	Welcome Address		
11.10 - 11.40	Opening Lecture		
11.40 - 13.10	Opening Plenary Symposium 1:		
	Overcoming Immune Escape		
13.10 - 14.00	Lunch		
14.00 - 15.50	Plenary Symposium 2: Emerging		
	concepts / novel agents (1)		
	NEW: Hot Topic Interactive Experts'		
	Session: Impact of the Microbiome in		
	Immunotherapy		
15.50 – 16.20	Coffee Break		
16.20 - 18.20	Plenary Symposium 2: Emerging		
	concepts / novel agents (2)		
18.20	Welcome Reception and Poster Viewing		
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TUESDAY, MARCH 20, 2018

08.30 - 10.30	Plenary Symposium 3: Oncolytic Viruses & Innate Immunity		
	NEW: Hot Topic Interactive Experts' Session: Oncolytic Viruses		
10.30 - 11.00	Coffee Break		
11.00 - 12.35	Plenary Symposium 4: Anti-cancer		
	vaccines		
12.35 – 14.00	Lunch		
14.00 – 15.00	NEW: Hot Topic Interactive Experts'		
	Session: Combinations to target		
	immune excluded and immune desert		
	solid Tumours		
15.00-15.45	Lifetime Award - Carl June		
15.45 - 16.15	Coffee Break		
16.15 - 17.25	Plenary Symposium 5: Cell therapy		
17.25 – 18.25	Plenary Session 6 - Young Researcher		
	Session		
18.25 - 19.30	Poster Viewing with Presenters		
20.00 - 23.00	ITOC5 Conference Dinner		

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 21, 2018

08.30 – 10.30	Plenary Symposium 7: Monitoring of Immune response	
10.30 – 11.00	Coffee Break	
11.00 – 12.00	Plenary Symposium 8: Clinical	
	Breakthrough with Immunotherapy	
	Joint Session with ESMO	
12.00 – 12.30	Best Poster Awards & Closing Remarks	
12.30 – 13.30	Lunch	



SCIENTIFIC PROGRAMME

MONDAY, MARCH 19, 2018

09.00

Registration Opens

11.00 - 11.10

Welcome Address

Heinz Zwierzina, Innsbruck, Austria

11.10 - 11.40

Impact of translational research on current immunotherapy trial programs

Ulrich Keilholz, Berlin, Germany

11.40 - 13.10

Opening

Plenary Symposium 1: Overcoming Immune Escape

Chair: Lisa Butterfield, Ulrich Keilholz

11.40 - 12.10

Tumor/Immune cell metabolism

Ping-Chih Ho, Lausanne, Switzerland

12.10 - 12.40

Current understanding of resistance to immunotherapy

Samir Khleif, Augusta, GA, USA

12.40 - 13.10

Novel genomics tools for cancer immunotherapy

Jacques Banchereau, Bar Harbor, ME, USA

13.10 - 14.00

Lunch

14.00 - 15.50

Plenary Symposium 2: Emerging concepts / novel agents (1)

Chair: Samir Khleif, John Haanen

14.00 - 15.00

NEW: Hot Topic Interactive Experts' Session: Impact of the Microbiome in Immunotherapy

The impact of the microbiome on anti-tumor immunity and immunotherapy

Andreas Diefenbach, Berlin, Germany

The role of the Microbiome for cancer therapy $T\!RC$

15.00 - 15.25

STING activation sequenced with immune checkpoint modulators overcomes immune tolerance

Leisha Emens, Baltimore, MD, USA

15.25 - 15.50

IDO inhibition in combination with checkpoint inhibition

Jason Luke, Chicago, IL, USA

15.50 - 16.20

Coffee Break

16.20 - 18.20

Plenary Symposium 2: Emerging concepts / novel agents (2)

Chair: Paolo Ascierto, Sebastian Kobold

16.20 - 16.45

Combination of anti-LAG 3 antibodies with other checkpoint inhibitors

Paolo Ascierto, Naples, Italy

16.45 - 17.10

TLR and checkpoint inhibitor mediated immune modulation in tumor draining lymph nodes

Tanja de Gruijl, Amsterdam, Netherlands

17.10 - 17.35

Platelets, GARP and Cancer Immunotherapy

Zihai Li, Charleston, SC, USA

17.35 - 17.50

Immune landscape analysis to identify targets for immunotherapy across human carcinomas A1

J. Schnappinger¹, T. Straub², S. Lee³, T. Schiergens³, R. Oberneder⁴, E. Nößner¹; ¹Immunoanalytics, Helmholtz Center, Munich, Germany, ²Biomedical Center, Molecular Biology, Munich, Germany, ³Biobank under the administration of the Human Tissue and Cell Research Foundation, Department of General, Visceral and Transplantation Surgery, Hospital of the LMU, Munich, Germany, ⁴Urological Clinic Munich-Planegg, Munich, Germany.

17.50 - 18.05

Circulating regulatory T-cells and the clinical outcome of VEGF-targeted treatment of metastatic colorectal cancer patients: focused on KRAS status and primary tumour sidedness A2

<u>L. Zdrazilova-Dubska</u>¹, E. Budinska², B. Bencsikova¹, K. Pilatova¹, R. Obermannova¹, R. Nenutil¹, D. Valik¹;¹Masaryk Memorial Cancer Institute, Brno, Czech Republic, ²Masaryk University, Brno, Czech Republic.

18.05 - 18.20

The use of EGFR-CD3 bispecific antibody and antigenspecific high avidity T cells to target cancer associated fibroblasts and cancer cells within a melanoma organoid system A3

<u>N. Reddy</u>, B. Chung, E. Chu, A. Esmaeili, T. Tu, P. Lee; City of Hope National Cancer Center, Duarte, CA, United States.

18.20

Welcome Reception and Poster Viewing



TUESDAY, MARCH 20, 2018

08.30 - 10.30

Plenary Symposium 3: Oncolytic Viruses & Innate Immunity

Chair: Leif Hakansson, Eric Tartour

08.30 - 09.30

NEW: Hot Topic Interactive Experts' Session: Oncolytic Viruses

Michael Bergmann, Vienna, Austria

Cancer gene therapy: design of T-SIGn oncolytic viruses to deliver localized combination immunotherapy within the tumor microenvironment

Brian Champion, Oxfordshire, United Kingdom

Engineering Vaccinia Virus for Intratumoral Delivery to Generate "In Situ Vaccination" against Cancer

Liang Deng, New York, NY, United States

09.30 - 09.50

Reprogramming macrophages for tumour immunity

Michele de Palma, Lausanne, Switzerland

09.50 - 10.10

Next generation immunotherapies: NK cells and other targets

Stéphanie Cornen, Marseille, France

10.10 - 10.30

PD-1 expression on innate lymphoid cells

Shoba Amarnath, Newcastle Upon Tyne, United Kingdom

10.30 - 11.00

Coffee Break

11.00 - 12.35

Plenary Symposium 4: Anti-cancer vaccines

Chair: Barbara Seliger, Lei Zheng

11.00 - 11.20

Tumor antigen-specific T cell epitopes - identification and clinical application

Stefan Eichmueller, Heidelberg, Germany

11.20 - 11.40

Mass spectrometry-verified target epitopes for therapeutic cancer vaccine design

Angelika Riemer, Heidelberg, Germany

11.40 - 12.00

Development of DC vaccines and combinations

Lisa Butterfield, Pittsburgh, PA, USA

12.00 - 12.20

Combination therapy with anti-cancer vaccines and checkpoint Inhibitors

Lei Zheng, Baltimore, MD, USA

12.20 - 12.35

The adjuvant effect of melanin is superior to Incomplete Freund adjuvant in a tumor subunit vaccine model A4

A. F. Carpentier¹, T. Tran², F. Sejalon¹, F. Geinguenaud³, E. Tartour⁴, L. Motte⁵, C. Banissi¹; ¹Hopital Saint Louis, AP/HP, Paris, France, ²Inserm U9⁷0, Paris, France, ³Cnrs umr ⁷²⁴⁴, Bobigny, France, ⁴Inserm U9⁷0, Paris, France, ⁵Cnrs umr ⁷²⁴⁴, Bobigny, France.

12.35 - 14.00

Lunch

14.00 - 15.00

NEW: Hot Topic Interactive Experts' Session:
Combinations to target immune excluded and immune
desert solid Tumours

Please see page 22 for details

15.00-15.45

Presentation of the ITOC Lifetime Award by Heinz Zwierzina

CAR T cells in haematological malignancies: focused on the cure

Carl June, Philadelphia, PA, USA

15.45 - 16.15

Coffee Break

16.15 - 17.25

Plenary Symposium 5: Cell therapy

Chair: Robert Hawkins, Zihai Li

16.15 - 16.35

Adoptive T cell therapy of glioblastoma

Bryan Choi, Boston, MA, USA

16.35 - 17.00

Arming T cells with C-X-C Motive Receptor 6 as a universal approach for tumor directed T cell recruitment

Sebastian Kobold, Munich, Germany

17.00 - 17.25

Personalized Whole Tumour Antigen Vaccines in Ovarian Cancer: Using Tumors for Therapy

Lana Kandalaft, Lausanne, Switzerland

17.25 - 18.25

Plenary Session 6 - Young Researcher Session

Chair: Leisha Emens, Sebastian Kobold

17.25 - 17.40

Omental fat in ovarian cancer induces metabolic and immune alterations A5

M. Suarez-Carmona¹, N. A. Valous², M. Hampel¹, B. M. Lenoir¹, S. Schott³, S. Eismann³, I. Zörnig¹, D. Jäger¹, N. Halama¹; ¹National Center for Tumor Diseases (NCT), Heidelberg, Germany, ²Applied Tumor Immunity Clinical Cooperation Unit, National Center for Tumor Diseases, German Cancer Research Center, Heidelberg, Germany, ³Department of Obstetrics & Gynaecology, Heidelberg University Hospital, Heidelberg, Germany.



17.40 - 17.55

GARP-TGFB Axis on Activated Platelets Supports Tumor Progression A6

<u>A. Metelli</u>, B. Riesenberg, B. Wu, C. Wallace, S. Sun, B. Liu, Z. Li; Medical University of South Carolina, Charleston, SC, United States.

17.55 - 18.10

Preclinical characterization of a PD-1-CD28 fusion receptor in CD4+ T cells for T cell-based immunotherapy of pancreatic cancer and Non-Hodgkin Lymphoma (A7)

<u>F. Rataj</u>, F. Kraus, S. Grassmann, Michael Chaloupka, Justyna Ogonek, Jin Zhang, Svenja Rausch, Stefan Endres and Sebastian Kobold; Ludwig-Maximilian-University, München, Germany.

18.10 - 18.25

Breast cancer immunotherapy using magnetised oncolytic viruses (A8)

<u>H. AL-Janabi</u>¹, J. Conner², Z. Taher¹, S. Staniland¹, M. Muthana¹; ¹The Univesity of Sheffield, Sheffield, United Kingdom, ²Virttu Biologics, Glasgow, United Kingdom.

18.25 - 19.30

Poster Viewing with Presenters

20.00 - 23.00

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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 21, 2018

08.30 - 10.30

Plenary Symposium 7: Monitoring of Immune response

Chair: Marco Gerlinger, Luis Paz-Ares

08.30 - 08.50

Detection of tumour-infiltration immune cells by PET

Secondo Lastoria, Naples, Italy

08.50 - 09.10

Tissue biomarkers of response to immunotherapy

Julien Adam, Villejuif, France

09.10 - 09.35

Tumor mutational burden as a predictive biomarker

Solange Peters, Lausanne, Switzerland

09.35 - 09.55

Circulating tumor DNA and response to immunotherapy

Marco Gerlinger, London, United Kingdom

09.55 - 10.10

Determining tumor mutation load using an NGS-based, target gene panel A9

J. C. Machado¹, J. Reis¹, M. Fernandes², R. Silva¹, L. Cirnes¹, R. Chaudhary³, F. Carneiro⁴, J. L. Costa¹; ¹IPATIMUP, Porto, Portugal, ²Centro Hospitalar de São João, Porto, Portugal, ³Thermo Fisher Scientific, Carlsbad, CA, United States, ⁴Faculty of Medicine, Porto, Portugal.

10.10 - 10.30

Resident memory CD8+T cells as a biomarker of response to immunotherapy

Eric Tartour, Paris, France

10.30 - 11.00

Coffee Break

11.00 - 12.00

Plenary Symposium 8: Clinical Breakthrough with Immunotherapy

Joint Session with ESMO

Chair: Christoph Zielinski, Heinz Zwierzina

11.00 - 11.20

Adjuvant Therapy of Melanoma – Current Data and EORTC perspective

Ulrich Keilholz, Berlin, Germany

11.20 - 11.40

Lung Cancer

Luis Paz-Ares, Madrid, Spain

11.40 - 12.00

Renal cell carcinoma

Giuseppe Procopio, Milan, Italy

12.00 - 12.30

Best Poster Awards & Closing Remarks

12.30 - 13.30

Lunch





POSTER PRESENTATIONS

POSTER SESSION POI.

Preclinical models

P01.01 Orthotopic HCC Mouse Models to Predict Response to Immuno therapy

C. Hage¹, S. Hoves¹, M. Ashoff¹, L. Strauss¹, M. Perro², F. Herting¹, F. Kiessling³, T. Pöschinger¹; ¹Roche Innovation Center Munich, Penzberg, Germany, ²Roche Innovation Center Zurich, Zurich, Switzerland, ³RWTH Aachen University, Aachen, Germany.

P01.02 A new family of potent TLR9 agonists, EnanDIM, which inhibit tumor growth in various syngeneic murine models

B. Volz¹, K. Kapp¹, D. Oswald¹, B. Wittig², M. Schmidt¹; 1Mologen AG, Berlin, Germany, ²Foundation Institute Molecular Biology and Bioinformatics, Freie Universitaet Berlin, Berlin, Germany.

P01.03 Building Kras (G12D)/Trp53 null/Pdx1cre (KPC) mouse allograft tumor model for efficacy evaluation of combinatory immunotherapie

Y. Song, B. Liu, A. Xiaoyu An, L. Zhang, J. Cai, Q. Shi, H. Qixiang Li, D. Xuesong Ouyang; Crown Bioscience, San Diego, CA, United States.

P01.04 Preclinical development of a therapeutic antibody for the treatment of epithelial ovarian carcinoma

M. Suarez-Carmona¹, D. S. Ferber¹, F. Momburg², M. Meyer², M. Hampel¹, B. M. Lenoir¹, S. Schott³, I. Zörnig¹, D. Jäger¹, N. Halama¹; ¹National Center for Tumor Diseases (NCT), Heidelberg, Germany, ²Applied Tumor Immunity Clinical Cooperation Unit, National Center for Tumor Diseases, German Cancer Research Center, Heidelberg, Germany, ³Department of Obstetrics and Gynaecology, Heidelberg University Hospital, Heidelberg, Germany.

P01.05 A new combination immunotherapy approach with anti-PD-L1 and HER2/neu loaded dendritic cell vaccine along with saponin adjuvant

C. S. Ozverel¹, I. Karaboz¹, A. Nalbantsoy²; ¹Biology Department, Faculty of Science, Ege University, Izmir, Turkey, ²Bioengineering Department, Faculty of Engineering, Ege University, Izmir, Turkey.

P01.06 Human tissue explant cultures from ovarian carcinoma resectates: an innovative, high-predictive link between basic research and clinical trial

M. Hampel¹, A. Heinzelmann¹, M. Suarez-Carmona¹, U. Prüfer¹, S. Schott², S. Eismann², I. Zörnig¹, D. Jäger¹, N. Halama¹; 1National Center for Tumor Diseases, Heidelberg, Germany, ²Department of Obstetrics and Gynaecology, Heidelberg University Hospital, Heidelberg, Germany.

POSTER SESSION PO2.

Tumor Immunity and Microenvironment

P02.01 Altered type III collagen turnover measured in pre-treatment serum predicts outcome in metastatic melanoma patients treated with Ipilimumab

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Schmidt⁴, I. Svane³, M. Karsdal¹, N. Willumsen¹;
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Copenhagen, Denmark, ³Center for Cancer
Immune Therapy, Department of Haematology
and Department of Oncology, Herlev Hospital,
University of Copenhagen, Herlev, Denmark,
⁴Department of Oncology, Aarhus University
Hospital, Aarhus, Denmark.

P02.02 Humanized Mouse Models of Triple-Negative and Triple-Positive Breast Cancer for Preclinical Validation of Novel Immuno-Oncology Therapies

T. E. Kähkönen¹, M. I. Suominen¹, J. M. Halleen¹, T. Haapaniemi², A. Tanaka³, M. Seiler³, J. Bernoulli¹; ¹Pharmatest Services, Turku, Finland, ²BioSiteHisto Ltd, Tampere, Finland, ³Taconic Biosciences, Hudson, NY, United States.



P02.03 Cancer cells regulate Interleukin-22 production to promote tumor growth

C. Voigt¹, P. May¹, A. Gottschlich¹, A. Markota¹, D. Wenk¹, I. Gerlach¹, J. Suárez Gosálvez¹, T. Ruzicka¹, A. Kraechan¹, S. Voigt², G. Stathopoulos³, ⁴, K. Arendt³, C. Heise¹, F. Rataj¹, K. Janssen⁵, M. Königshoff³, H. Winter⁴, I. Himsl², W. Thasler². M. Schnurr¹. S. Rothenfußer¹. S. Endres¹, S. Kobold¹; ¹Division of Clinical Pharmacology, Department of Medicine IV, University Hospital, Ludwig Maximilian University of Munich, Munich, Germany, ²Brustzentrum Klinikum Dritter Orden, Munich, Germany, ³Comprehensive Pneumology Center, Ludwig Maximilian University of Munich, Munich, Germany, ⁴Laboratory for Molecular Respiratory Carcinogenesis, Department of Physiology, University of Patras, Rio, Greece, 5Chirurgische Klinik und Poliklinik, Klinikum rechts der Isar, Technische Universität, Munich, Germany, ⁶Department of Thoracic Surgery, University Hospital, Ludwig Maximilian University of Munich, Munich, Germany.

P02.04 Omental fat in ovarian cancer induces lymphangiogenesis

D. Ferber*¹, B. Lenoir*¹, M. Suarez-Carmona¹, S. Schott², I. Zörnig¹, D. Jäger¹, N. Halama¹; ¹National Center for Tumor Diseases, Heidelberg, Germany, ²Heidelberg University Hospital, Heidelberg, Germany.

P02.05 Spatial profiling and functional phenotyping of mast cell distribution in human cancer tissues

D. Ferber¹, M. Suarez-Carmona¹, J. N. Kather¹, B. Lenoir¹, M. Hampel¹, U. Prüfer¹, S. Eismann², S. Schott², I. Zörnig¹, D. Jäger¹, N. Halama¹; ¹Medical Oncology, National Center for Tumor Diseases, University of Heidelberg, Heidelberg, Germany, ²Department of Obstetrics and Gynaecology, Heidelberg University Hospital, Heidelberg, Germany.

P02.06 Digital spatial profiling platform allows for spatially- resolved, multiplexed measurement of solid tumor protein distribution and abundance in FFPE tissue sections

A. Winfield; Nanostring, Seattle, WA, United States.

P02.07 In vitro Culture of Tumor Infiltrating Lymphocytes for Adoptive Immunotherapy in Breast Cancer Patients

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P02.08 The role of myeloid-derived suppressor cells in autologous hematopoietic stem cell transplantation

A. Betsch¹, O. Rutgeerts¹, S. Fevery¹, B. Sprangers², D. Dierickx², M. Beckers²; ¹KU Leuven, Leuven, Belgium, ²UZ Leuven, Leuven, Belgium.

P02.09 Standard normoxic versus physiological hypoxic culture of AML patients'(pts)whole blood(WB) samples with immunemodulatory Kits yields comparable proportions of Dendritic cells and functional results

F. Doraneh gard¹, D. Amberger¹, M. Weinmann¹, C. Boeck¹, C. Gunsilius¹, C. Kugler¹, J. Werner², D. Kraemer³, A. Rank⁴, C. Schmid⁴, H. Schmetzer¹; ¹University Hospital of LMU, Department for Hematopoietic cell Transplantations, Med³, munich, Germany, ²University Hospital of Tuebingen, Department for Hematology and Oncology, Tuebingen, Germany, ³University Hospital of Oldenburg, Department for Hematology and Oncology, Oldenburg, Germany, ⁴Municipal Hospital of Augsburg, Department of Hematology and Oncology, Augsburg, Germany.

P02.10 Insights into the tumor microenvironment and human TRBV gene polymorphism revealed by long-amplicon immune repertoire sequencing

G. M. Lowman¹, T. Looney², A. Glavin², E. Linch¹, L. Miller¹, D. Topacio-Hall¹, S. Pabla³, S. Glenn³, A. Pankov², J. Zheng², R. Hartberg⁴, H. Almåsbak⁴, T. E. Stav-Noraas⁴, A. Kullmann⁴, J. Conroy³, C. Morrison³, F. Hyland², M. Andersen¹; ¹Thermo Fisher Scientific, Carlsbad, CA, United States, ²Thermo Fisher Scientific, South San Francisco, CA, United States, ³OmniSeq, Inc., Buffalo, NY, United States, ⁴Thermo Fisher Scientific, Oslo, Norway.

P02.11 Tumor-specific neoantigens drive T-cell clonotype convergence

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P02.12 Solubleimmune checkpoints CD27, Lag3, PD-L2 and Tim3 in early stage NSCLC patients

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P02.13 The influence of stromal cells on CD3+CD8+ tumorinfiltrating lymphocyte subpopulations in cancer microtissues

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Primary and Acquired Resistance mechanisms

P03.01 The role of TopoisomeraseII-a (TOPO IIA) as apredictivefactorfor response to neoadjuvant anthracyclines based chemotherapy in locally advancedbreast cancer

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P03.02 MiRNA set dysregulation in breast cancer cells can contribute to both primary and acquired resistance to immune checkpoint blockade

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P04.01 Complete clinical remission of stage IV breast cancer with liver, lung, bone and lymph node metastasis combining low-dose checkpoint inhibitors with interleukin-2 (IL-2) and fever range hyperthermia and metronomic low-dose chemotherapy

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P04.02 Local oncothermia (modulatedelectrohyperthermia) against systemic malignancy

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P04.03 AB680, a potent and selective CD73 small molecule inhibitor, reverses the AMP/ adenosine-mediated impairment of immune effector cell activation by immune checkpoint inhibitors

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P04.04 AB928, a dual antagonist of the A2aR and A2bR adenosine receptors, leads to greater immune activation and reduced tumor growth when combined with chemotherapy

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Combination therapy

P05.01 Engineering high affinity, soluble T cell receptors for the treatment of cancer

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P05.02 4SC-202 increases immunogenicity of tumor cells, induces infiltration of tumor microenvironment with cytotoxic T cells, and primes tumors for cancer immunotherapy

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P05.03 Peritumoral gene electrotransfer of interleukin-12 as an adjuvant immunotherapy to intratumoral electrochemotherapy for murine melanoma treatment

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P05.04 P-MAPA immunotherapy and interleukin-12 on ovarian carcinoma SKOV-3 cells: assessment of the TLR signaling and cytokine/chemokine profile.

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P05.05 Impact of natural substances on the efficacy of immunotherapy

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P06.01 Novel PAP-derived vaccine for the treatment of advanced prostate cancer

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P06.02 HAGE-derived peptide as a vaccine to prevent relapse in TNBC patients: Proof of concepts

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P07.01 Proof of concept and mode of action of a novel modular platform for adoptive T cell therapy combining bispecific antibodies with synthetic agonistic receptors

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P07.05 Arming T cells with activating FcγRIIIa receptors for antibody redirected lysis of cancer cells

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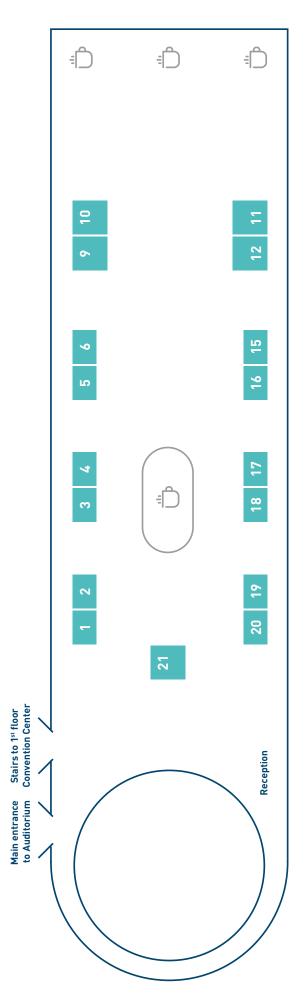




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² Please provide the SITC Promotional Code during on site registration. Note: the reduced registration fee only applies if the code is provided – make sure to inquire with SITC prior to your on site registration.

³ A Press ID confirming your status must be provided at the moment of your registration.



BADGES

For security reasons, badges will be checked upon access of the conference areas. Delegates are therefore requested to wear their badge at all times during the conference.

CATERING

Coffee breaks, lunches and a welcome reception have been scheduled. Exact times are listed in the programme overview.

CERTIFICATE OF ATTENDANCE

The 5th ImmunoTherapy of Cancer Conference is happy to introduce a digital CME acquisition system. You will be able to view and print a confirmation stating the according number of CME credits after finishing a survey requested by the UEMS. The link to the survey will be sent to all registered participants right after the conference. It is possible to claim a maximum of 15 CME points for attendance of scientific sessions at the ITOC5.

EXHIBITION

The exhibition is held in the "Atrium" of the Mercure Hotel MOA Berlin. Entrance is free for registered delegates but limited to healthcare professionals, press and exhibitors.

INSURANCE

By registering to the ITOC5 participants agree that neither the organising committee nor the congress office assume any liability whatsoever.

Participants are requested to make their own arrangements for health and travel insurance. The conference fee does not include insurance.

LANGUAGE & TRANSLATION

The official language of the conference is English. No simultaneous translation is provided.

LOST & FOUND

All enquiries should be directed to the registration desk situated on 1st Floor. The organizers accept no responsibility for loss due to theft or negligence.





NETWORKING EVENTS

Monday, March 19, 2018

Welcome Cocktail in the exhibition area of the venue Hotel Mercure MOA **No fee for registered participants, but registration is mandatory!**

Tuesday, March 20, 2018

Conference Dinner Altes Zollhaus Carl-Herz-Ufer 30 10961 Berlin

www.altes-zollhaus-berlin.de

Time: 20.00 hrs

Bus departure from the venue Hotel Mercure MOA at 19.40 hrs

Contribution towards expenses: EUR 75,-



POLICIES

ITOC5 is accessible to all registered delegates. Children and members of the public are not permitted in the exhibition area or any room hosting an industry activity. In addition, the ITOC5 conference asks delegates and faculty to refrain from taking children and accompanying adults to any sessions or practical demonstrations. In the event that children are required to enter the conference centre, they should be supervised by an adult at all times and observe the restrictions that apply to limited access areas. In the event that a member of public is invited to participate in the ITOC conference scientific programme, they should be accompanied by a qualified healthcare professional or ITOC representative observing the ITOC restrictions where appropriate.



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Among others, SITC resources include:

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SITC 2018 Annual Meeting & Pre-Conference Programs

- November 7-11, 2018 in Washington DC

• Journal for ImmunoTherapy of Cancer (JITC)

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- May 16-17, 2018: Immuno-Oncology Biomarkers: State of the Art (San Francisco, Calif.)

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