



4th Swiss Autoimmune Liver Disease Meeting
September 21st- 22nd 2023, USI Università della Svizzera Italiana, Aula Magna,
Lugano, Switzerland

September 21st

Patients' session 9:00 - 10:30

- Pregnancy – Michael Heneghan
- Drug side effects – Maria Isabel Lucena and Raul Andrade
- New therapies – Michael Manns

Invited:

- **SwissHePa**
- **UK PBC Foundation**
- **AMAF - TBC**
- **Deutsche Leberhilfe**
- **British Liver Trust - TBC**
- **Globaliver**

11:00 – 11:15 Welcome Benedetta Terziroli Beretta-Piccoli and Andrea De Gottardi
Welcome from Università della Svizzera Italiana – Giovanni Pedrazzini

Basic science sessions

1. Genetics 11:15-12:55 – Chairs: Gideon Hirschfield and Federica Sallusto

11:15 – 11:35 Genetics of PBC - Pietro Invernizzi
11:35 – 11:55 Genetics of PSC – Tom Karlsen
11:55 – 12:15 Genetics of AIH – Ynto de Boer
12:15 – 12:35 Inherited immune deficiencies and autoimmunity - Mike Recher
12:35 – 12:55 Discussion



12:55 - 13:45 Lunch

2. Hot topics in autoimmune liver diseases 13:45-16:40 – Chairs: Michael Manns and Michael Trauner

13:45 – 14:05 Cellular therapies – Maria Serena Longhi
14:05 – 14:25 SARS-CoV-2 and liver autoimmunity – Gideon Hirschfield
14:25 – 14:45 Pregnancy in autoimmune liver diseases patients - Michael Heneghan
14:45 – 15:05 Drug-induced AIH-like DILI - Maribel Lucena
15:05 – 15:25 Discussion

15:25 – 16:00 Coffee break

3. Oral presentations – 16:00 – 17:00 - Chairs: Michael Heneghan and Giorgina Mieli-Vergani

16:00 – 16:15 Oral presentation 1
16:15 – 16:30 Oral presentation 2
16:30 – 16 :45 Oral presentation 3
16: 45 – 17:00 Oral presentation 4

4. Mechanisms of autoimmunity 17:00-18:20 – Chairs: Diego Vergani and Andreas Cerny

17:00 – 17:20 The Long and Latent Road to Autoimmunity - Eric Gershwin
17:20 – 17:40 T cells in autoimmunity - Federica Sallusto
17:40 – 18:00 Viruses and autoimmunity – Christian Münz
18:00 – 18:20 Discussion

18:20 - End of first day



September 22nd

Clinical session

1. Diagnostic dilemmas 08:30-10:00 – Chairs: Andrea De Gottardi and Andreas Kremer

- 8:30 – 8:45 Radiological clinical case presentation: the diagnosis of PSC
– Stefano Cappio and his fellow
- 8:45 – 9:05 Imaging in PSC and ASC – Annamaria Deganello
- 9:05 – 9:20 Serological case presentation: the diagnosis of AIH – Eric
Dayer and Benedetta Terziroli Beretta-Piccoli
- 9:20 – 9:40 Are autoantibodies still useful in the AI era? - Diego Vergani
- 9:40 – 10:00 Discussion

10:00 – 10:30 Coffee break

2. Treatment 10:30 – 11:50 – Chairs: Andreas Kremer and Raul Andrade

- 10:30 – 10:50 Novel therapeutic targets for autoimmune cholestatic liver
diseases - Michael Trauner
- 10:50 – 11:10 Treatment of cholestatic pruritus - Andreas Kremer
- 11:10 – 11:30 Difficult to treat AIH patients - Ansgar Lohse
- 11:30 – 11:50 Discussion

Oral presentations 11:50 – 12:50 – Chairs: Benedetta Terziroli Beretta-Piccoli and Pietro Invernizzi

- 11:50 – 12:05 Oral presentation 1
- 12:05 – 12:20 Oral presentation 2
- 12:20 – 12:35 Oral presentation 3
- 12:35 – 12:50 Oral presentation 4

12:50-13:50 Lunch



3. Pediatrics 13:50- 14:50 – Chairs: Giorgina Mieli-Vergani and Gideon Hirschfield

- 13:50 – 14:05 Case presentation – Christiane Sokollik
14:05 – 14:25 Sclerosing cholangitis in pediatric IBD patients – Patrick van Rheen
14:25 – 14:45 Growing up with autoimmune liver disease: longterm outcome of autoimmune liver disease – Marianne Samyn
14:45 – 15:05 Discussion
- 15:05 – 15:30 Coffee break**

4. Checkpoint-inhibitors and the liver 15:30 – 17:00 – Ansgar Lohse and Maria Isabel Lucena

- 15:30 – 15:45 Clinical case presentation – Antonio Galante
15:45 – 16:05 Checkpoint-inhibitors-induced liver injury – Eleonora de Martin
16:05 – 16:25 Liver histology of checkpoint-inhibitors-induced liver injury – Yoh Zen
16:25 – 16:45 Can checkpoint inhibitors be used in patients with autoimmune liver diseases? - Michael Manns
16:45 – 17:00 Discussion
- 17:00-17:20 **Concluding remarks**
Benedetta Terziroli Beretta-Piccoli
Andreas Kremer
Carina Bobzin
Robert Mitchell-Thain

17:20 End of the 4th Swiss AILD Meeting

Scientific committee:



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