



Wednesday, 17 September 2025

18:00 - 20:00

Opening ceremony

Room 101

18:00 - 18:30 Introduction

18:30 - 19:00 Barbara Ansell's lecture
Virginia Pascual (US)

19:00 - 19:30 Year in review (clinical)
Bas Vastert (NL)

19:30 - 20:00 Year in review (translational)
Despina Eleftheriou (UK)

20:00 - 21:30

Welcome Reception

Exhibition Area

Thursday, 18 September 2025

08:00 - 09:30

Cellular therapies in pediatric rheumatic diseases

Room 101

Moderators: Yagmur Bayindir (TR)

08:00 - 08:03 Patient introduction

08:03 - 08:23 Car T cells: State of art and new developments
Juliana Silva (UK)

08:23 - 08:43 Update on CAR-T cell in adult rheumatology
Maria Leandro (UK)

08:43 - 09:03 How I select refractory patients for CAR-T cell in PR
Fabrizio De Benedetti (IT)

09:03 - 09:10 Panel discussion and Q&A

09:10 - 09:20 Selected oral presentation

09:20 - 09:30 Selected oral presentation

08:45 - 10:45

HP session: Networking session

Room 103A+B

Moderators: *Polly Livermore (UK)*

08:45 - 09:30 Ice breaker and Leading on the sharing of oral poster presentations
Mette Noergaard (DK)

09:30 - 09:35 Selected oral presentation

09:35 - 09:40 Selected oral presentation

09:40 - 09:45 Selected oral presentation

09:45 - 09:50 Selected oral presentation

09:50 - 09:55 Selected oral presentation

09:55 - 10:00 Selected oral presentation

10:00 - 10:45 Discipline groups to discuss clinical assessment methods
Nilay Arman (TR)

09:45 - 10:45

Grand debate 1: Is it time for biological DMARDs to be chosen as first line in JIA?

Room 101

09:45 - 10:15 Title - TBD
Joost Swart (NL)

10:15 - 10:45 Title - TBD
Dirk Foell (DE)

10:45 - 11:15

Coffee break, visit of the exhibition and poster viewing

Exhibition Area

11:15 - 12:45

Multifactorial immune dysregulation: lesser-known causes of inflammatory diseases

Room 101

Moderators: *Maarit Tarkiainen (FI)*

11:15 - 11:35 Genetic predisposition, hormones and self-neutralization of defense mechanisms
Nils Landegren (SE)

11:35 - 11:55 Interferon autoantibodies - why and how do they develop
Anna Puel (FR)

11:55 - 12:15 Anticytokine anti-antibodies in pediatric rheumatology
Christoph Kessel (DE)

12:15 - 12:25 Panel discussion and Q&A

12:25 - 12:35 Selected oral presentation

12:35 - 12:45 Selected oral presentation

11:15 - 12:45

Difficult to treat JIA problems

Room 103A+B

Moderators: Anna Kaisa Tuomi (FI)

- 11:15 - 11:35 Difficult to treat uveitis in JIA: ophthalmologist perspective
Sanna Leinonen (FI)
- 11:35 - 11:55 The Nordic experience on uveitis
Ellen Nordal (NO)
- 11:55 - 12:15 TMJ Arthritis in JIA: prevalence, clinical guidelines & treatment
Jordi Anton Lopez (ES)
- 12:15 - 12:25 Panel discussion and Q&A
- 12:25 - 12:35 Selected oral presentation
- 12:35 - 12:45 Selected oral presentation

13:00 - 14:00

Sponsored lunch session

Room 101

More details will be available soon

13:00 - 14:00

HP session: Great debate: Should we discuss taboo topics?

Room 103A+B

Moderators: Lea Höfel (DE)

- 13:00 - 13:30 For the motion
Liz Smith (UK)
- 13:30 - 14:00 Against the motion
Shelby Jones (US)

14:15 - 15:45

New pathogenic mechanisms and clinical presentation of SAID

Room 101

Moderators: Erdal Sag (TR)

- 14:15 - 14:40 Immunoactinopathies: a general overview
Frederic Rieux-Laucat (FR)
- 14:10 - 15:05 Kinasopathies and STATs mutations in SAID
Raphaella Goldbach-Mansky (US)
- 15:05 - 15:30 New interferonopathies
Marie-Louise Fremont (FR)
- 15:30 - 15:37 Selected oral presentation
- 15:37 - 15:45 Selected oral presentation

14:15 - 15:45

JIA pose a burden in different regions of the world

Room 103A+B

Moderators: Vignesh Pandiarajan (IN)

14:15 - 14:35 Is JIA different around the globe?
Christiaan Scott (ZA)

14:35 - 14:55 JIA pose a burden in different regions of the world
Thaschawee Arkachaisri (SG)

14:55 - 15:15 Understanding Polyarticular JIA: Immunological Perspectives from Pre-RA Study
Yuko Okamoto (JP)

15:15 - 15:25 Panel discussion and Q&A

15:25 - 15:35 Selected oral presentation

15:35 - 15:45 Selected oral presentation

15:45 - 17:30

Coffee break, visit of the exhibition and moderated poster tours

Exhibition Area

16:00 - 17:00

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Room 103A+B

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17:30 - 19:00

Clinical update on ILD in sJIA and other rheumatoid diseases

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Moderators: Adrien Schvartz (FR)

17:30 - 17:50 How I recognize, and I treat ILD in sJIA
Alexei Grom (US)

17:50 - 18:10 ILD: an overview on the management of adult conditions
Maria Hollmen (FI)

18:10 - 18:30 ILD: data from the real world
Claudia Bracaglia (IT)

18:30 - 18:40 Panel discussion and Q&A

18:40 - 18:50 Selected oral presentation

18:50 - 19:00 Selected oral presentation

17:30 - 19:00

AI, big data, and machine learning:

Room 103A+B

Can they transform research and care in paediatric rheumatic diseases?

Moderators: *Saverio La Bella (IT)*

17:30 - 17:55 Artificial intelligence in medicine
Visa Honkanen (FI)

17:55 - 18:20 A methodological approach to the analysis of big data
Eric Fey (FI)

18:20 - 18:30 Panel discussion and Q&A

18:30 - 18:40 Selected oral presentation

18:40 - 18:50 Selected oral presentation

18:50 - 19:00 Selected oral presentation

Friday, 19 September 2025

08:00 - 09:30

What's new on gene therapy and gene editing?

Room 101

Moderators: *Heidi Rahikkala (FI)*

08:00 - 08:20 Gene therapy in PID: An update
Alessandro Aiuti (IT)

08:20 - 08:40 CRISPR based gene therapy for Hereditary angioedema
Padmalal Gurugama (UK)

08:40 - 09:00 Potential of gene therapy and gene editing in pediatric rheumatology
Claire Booth (UK)

09:00 - 09:10 Selected oral presentation

09:10 - 09:20 Selected oral presentation

09:20 - 09:30 Panel discussion and Q&A

08:00 - 09:30

HP session: Rotational Workshop: music, art & CBT therapy

Room 103A+B

Moderators: *Mette Noergaard (DK) & Liz Smith (UK)*

08:00 - 08:30 Music therapy
Kristy Jane (UK)

08:30 - 09:00 Art therapy
Patricia Watts (UK)

09:00 - 09:30 Cognitive behavioural therapy (CBT)
Shelby Jones (US)

09:45 - 10:45

Grand debate 2: Where are we going with outcome measures?

Room 101

09:45 - 10:15 Title - TBD
Alessandro Consolaro (IT)

10:15 - 10:45 Title - TBD
Lisa Rider (US)

09:45 - 10:45

PReS/HP session: Are you fatigued with fatigue?

Room 103A+B

Moderators: *Heather Rostron (UK) & Nilay Arman (TR)*

09:45 - 10:05 Winner of best abstract for fatigue/quality of life/psychosocial
TBD

10:05 - 10:25 The questions we need to be asking our patients
Lea Hoefel (DE)

10:25 - 10:45 Why sleep hygiene is essential in paediatric rheumatology and how to promote it
Brian Feldman (CA)

09:45 - 10:45

ENCA session

Room 102

Moderators: *Anita van de Louw (NL) & Tim van Helmond (NL)*

09:50 - 10:00 Patient View
Tim van Helmond (NL)

10:00 - 10:10 Patient View
Michael Poelz (UK)

10:10 - 10:20 **TBD**
Bas Vastert (NL)

10:20 - 10:30 Psychologist
(TBD)

10:30 - 10:45 Panel discussion and Q&A

10:45 - 11:15

Coffee break, visit of the exhibition and poster viewing

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11:15 - 12:45

What is new in autoinflammatory diseases or a session on vasculitis?

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Moderators: *Sonia Melo Gomes (PT)*

11:15 - 11:30 FMF
Seza Ozen (TR)

11:30 - 11:45 ADA2 and monogenic vasculitis
Roberta Caorsi (IT)

11:45 - 12:00 Monogenic and multifactorial CNO
Christian Hedrich (UK)

12:00 - 12:15 Behçet disease and its monogenic mimickers
Isabelle Koné Paut (FR)

- 12:15 - 12:25 Panel discussion and Q&A
- 12:25 - 12:35 Selected oral presentation
- 12:35 - 12:45 Selected oral presentation

11:15 - 12:45

Mental health in PRM

Room 103A+B

Moderators: *Ulla Korpela (FI)*

- 11:15 - 11:40 Cytokines, mental health, and paediatric rheumatic diseases
Andrea Knight (CA)
- 11:40 - 12:05 Adolescent brain development: social cognition and decision making, how it impacts on mental health
Anne-Lise Goddings (UK)
- 12:05 - 12:30 The mental health impact of chronic childhood illness : implications for clinical care
Polly Livermore (UK)
- 12:30 - 12:37 Selected oral presentation
- 12:37 - 12:45 Selected oral presentation

11:15 - 12:15

ENCA session: Local patient session

Room 102

Moderators: *Eeva Saila (FI) & Ulla Rantanen (FI)*

- 11:15 - 11:35 Patient view
Roosa Jukola (FI)
- 11:35 - 11:55 Rheumatology nurse (*Title – TBD*)
Zica Valentinos (tbc)
- 11:55 - 12:15 Psychologist (*Title – TBD*)
Hanna Vuorima (FI)

13:00 - 14:00

Sponsored lunch session

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ENCA/HP session: Added value in inviting expert patients

Room 103A+B

Moderators: *Liz Smith (UK) & Yaprak Cetin (TR)*

- 13:00 - 13:20 ENCA Patient & Family
Avril & Eire Byrne (UK)
- 13:20 - 13:40 How young people shaped the Perfect study - looking at technology in rheumatology
Heather Rostron (UK)
- 13:40 - 14:00 ENCA Representative
TBD

14:15 - 16:00

PReS general assembly + PReSTAR meeting

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For members only

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HP session: New approaches to musculoskeletal treatment

Room 102

Moderators: *Yaprak Cetin (TR)*

17:30 - 17:50 Biopsychosocial model based exercise approach in JIA: BETY
Edibe Unal (TR)

17:50 - 18:10 The use of Play therapy guided by Eckbauer for Paediatric Rheumatology
Jana Mattei (DE)

18:10 - 18:30 Spine Health in Pediatric RMDs, Empowering Children and Families Through Education
Eylul Pinar Kisa Akdag (TR)

17:30 - 19:00

Functional testing for diagnosing and monitoring patients

Room 101

Moderators: *George Robinson (UK)*

17:30 - 17:55 Cell activation measurements
Thomas Henry (FR)

17:55 - 18:20 RNA expression analyses
Alexandre Belot (FR)

18:20 - 18:45 Cell phenotyping
Giusi Prencipe (IT)

18:45 - 18:52 Selected oral presentation

18:52 - 19:00 Selected oral presentation

17:30 - 19:00

PRoS/ENCA joint session: Round table – Transition: myth or reality?

Room 103A+B

- 17:30 - 17:42 The ERN experience
Tadej Avcin (SI)
- 17:42 - 17:54 The patients' perspective
Kyriaki Spanidou (GR)
- 17:54 - 18:06 From Adolescence to Adulthood: A Transition clinic experience
Filipa Ramos (PT)
- 18:06 - 18:18 A national experience (2)
Yelda Bilginer (TR)
- 18:18 - 18:30 Transition in the Nordic countries: the adult perspective
Krista-Liisa Vidqvist (FI)
- 18:30 - 18:42 Transition in the Nordic countries: the pediatric perspective
Katriina Mikola (FI)
- 18:42 - 19:00 Panel discussion and Q&A

20:00 - 23:30

Networking dinner

Venue TBD

Upon additional registration

Saturday, 20 September 2025

09:00 - 10:30

Decoding the mysteries of JDM

Room 101

Moderators: *Susanne Lindgren (SE)*

- 09:00 - 09:20 Interferon in myositis: lessons from animal models and human analysis'
Olivier Boyer (FR)
- 09:20 - 09:40 How I treat refractory myositis
Lisa Rider (US)
- 09:40 - 10:00 Addressing residual complications post-disease
Brian Feldman (CA)
- 10:00 - 10:10 Panel discussion and Q&A
- 10:10 - 10:20 Selected oral presentation
- 10:20 - 10:30 Selected oral presentation

10:30 - 11:00

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11:00 - 12:30

Thieves market

Room 101

Moderators: *Marco Gattorno (IT), Clarissa Pilkington (UK), Takako Miyamae (JP) & Kristiina Aalto (FI)*

Time TBD Selected oral presentation

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Time TBD Selected oral presentation

Time TBD Selected oral presentation

12:30 - 13:00

Closing ceremony

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Moderators: *Seza Özen (TR)*

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