Preliminary program - ICTHIC April 13-15, 2018

Friday April 13th 2018

10:30 – 10:45  Congress Opening: A Falanga, FR Rickles, B Brenner

10:45 – 13:00  Plenary Session 1: Epidemiology of Thrombosis in cancer

Chairs: S Konstantinides (Germany); T.B.A.

1. M Carrier (Canada). Revisiting Occult Cancer Screening in patients with unprovoked Venous Thromboembolism
2. JB Hansen (Norway). Prothrombotic genotypes and risk of venous thromboembolism in cancer
3. HA Liebman (USA). Venous thromboembolism and prognosis in cancer

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13:00 – 14:00  Lunch sessions
14:00 – 14:20 Coffee and pastries

14:20 – 16:35 Plenary Session 2: Candidate targets for CAT prevention

Chairs: P Reitsma (The Netherlands); I Elalamy (France)

1. J Palumbo (USA). The role of hemostatic factors in cancer progression
2. C Ay (Austria). Podoplanin as potential target for prevention of VTE in cancer
3. C Dubois (France). Interactions between platelets and tumor related microparticles
4. N Mackman (USA). Mouse models of cancer-associated thrombosis

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16:35- 17:05 Coffee Break
17:05 – 18:05  Plenary Lecture: 5th Simon Karpatkin Memorial Lecture

Chairs: A Falanga (Italy); B Brenner (Israel); FR Rickles (USA)

Introduction to Lecture: FR Rickles (USA)

Tumor angiogenesis: past, present and future

R Giavazzi (Italy)

18:05 – 19:55  Plenary Session 3: Predictors and clinical risk models for VTE and prognosis in cancer

Chairs: I Pabinger (Austria); TBA

1- A Falanga (Italy). Biomarkers in CAT and cancer progression
2- G Gerotziafas (France). Updated clinical model for VTE prediction in medical patients
3- AA Khorana (USA). Risk prediction in cancer-associated thrombosis: Appraising the first decade and developing the future

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20.00 – 21.00  Welcome Reception
Saturday April 14th 2018

8:30 – 10:45  Plenary session 4: Dealing with bleeding in cancer

Chairs: F Rodeghiero (Italy); TBA

1. M Levi (The Netherlands). Clinical characteristics of DIC in patients with solid or hematological cancers.
2. V Mathews (India). Mechanisms and management of coagulopathy in APL
3. G Castaman (Italy). Management of thrombocytopenia in cancer
4. N Mutch (UK). Newer antithrombotic agents targeting novel mechanisms that might not increase bleeding in cancer

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10:45 – 11:15  Coffee break
11:15 – 13:30  Plenary Session 5: Complex hemostatic conditions

Chairs: TBA

1- G Kenet (Israel). Venous thromboembolism in childhood lymphoblastic leukemia
2- S Mantha (USA). Predictive factors of fatal bleeding in APL
3- I Weitz (USA). Chemotherapy and microangiopaties
4- P Gresele (Italy). Anti-platelet treatments in cancer: basic and clinical research

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13:30 – 14:30  Coffee break

14:30 – 16:30  Poster sessions with coffee and pastries
16:30 – 18:50  Plenary Session 6: Thromboprophylaxis in cancer

Chairs: TBA

1- G Lyman (USA). Venous Thromboembolism in Hospitalized Cancer Patients: Update on 16 years of data from US

2- P Mismetti (France). Findings from the recent published clinical trials on thromboprophylaxis in cancer

3- W Ageno (Italy). Antidotes for target specific oral anticoagulants: what news?

Presentation of ongoing clinical trials on prophylaxis (7 + 3-5 minutes/each)

1- AA Khorana (USA). CASSINI study

2- M Carrier (Canada). AVERT Study

3- J Zwicker (USA). Cancer Associated Thrombosis and Isoquercetin (CAT IQ Study)

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Sunday April 15th 2018

8:30 – 10:45  Plenary Session 7: Exploring the relationship between hemostasis and cancer: New insights

Chairs: PM Sandset (Norway); TBA

1. J Rak (Canada). Oncogenes as drivers of prothrombotic phenotype in cancer
2. C Graf (Germany). Tissue Factor as mediator between coagulation and signaling in cancer
3. AK Olsson (Sweden). NET-osis, platelets and cancer

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10:45 – 11:45  DEBATE: Are new anticoagulants a safe and reasonable alternative to low molecular heparins?

Chairs: TBA

YES: H. Buller

NO: S. Noble
11:45-12:45    Brunch

12:45 – 15:00    Plenary Session 8: Treatment of VTE in cancer patients: Advances and unmet needs

Chairs: H ten Cate (The Netherlands); TBA

1- AY Lee (Canada). Overview of VTE treatment in cancer according to clinical guidelines

2- G Agnelli (Italy). Treatment of VTE in cancer patients: what news from clinical Trials?

3- AJ Kakkar (United Kingdom). VTE management: emerging insights from the GARFIELD VTE registry

4- S Schulman (USA). Recurrent venous thromboembolism in cancer patients

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15:00 – 15:15    Concluding Remarks